

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING

November 17, 2016

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 261

Jerome, Lincoln and Gooding Counties, Idaho

Board Members Present: Esther Peters, Alice Thibault, Staci Leavitt, Byron Burnham (6:30 p.m.) Board Members Not Present: Don Mitchell. Others Present: Superintendent Dale Layne, Business Manager Brian Bridwell, District Clerk Lorri Prescott, Jerome High School Principal Nathan Tracy, Jerome High School Assistant Principals Melissa Rice and Jeremy Munroe, Jerome High School Athletic Director Kaly Gillette-Shippen, Jerome High School Counselors Kim Green and Wendy Ohlensehlen, Jefferson Elementary School Principal Angie Brulotte, Jefferson Elementary School Teachers Denise Baugh and Tamra Munk, Student D1617-02 and Parent, Community Members Jami Butler and Lara Miller.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the patrons of school district No. 261, that a special meeting of the Board of Trustees of said district was called to be held on November 17, 2016, at 6:00 p.m. at Jerome School District Administration Offices, 125 4th Avenue West, Jerome. The meeting was called to order by Chairman Esther Peters at 6:00 p.m.

1) Jerome School District *Excellence in Teaching Awards*

Award recipients: Kim Green, Jerome High School Counselor, and Denise Baugh, Jefferson Elementary School Teacher, were recognized by Superintendent Layne as the Jerome School District Excellence in Teaching Award Recipients for November 2016.

2) Executive Session

a) IC 74-206(1)(a)(b) – Personnel or Student

(b) To consider the evaluation, dismissal or disciplining of, or to hear complaints or charges brought against, a public officer, employee, staff member or individual agent or public school student.

(1) Student Issues

A motion was made by Alice Thibault and seconded by Staci Leavitt that the Board of Trustees of Jt. Jerome School District #261 recess into executive session in the manner and for the purpose authorized by Section 74-206(1)(a)(b), Idaho Code, regarding personnel and student issues involving students of the district. The motion passed by roll call vote:

AYE: Esther Peters

Alice Thibault

Byron Burnham

Staci Leavitt

The board recessed into executive session at 6:35 p.m.

The board returned to open session at 6:55 p.m.

Consideration of Student Executive Items

a) Student Discipline:

A motion was made by Staci Leavitt and seconded by Byron Burnham that Student D1617-02 be given a limited expulsion from Jerome High School with a change of academic placement to the Northside Jr/Sr High School for the remainder of the first semester of the 2016-17 school year. Student will have an opportunity to return to Jerome High School depending on attendance, grades and behavior, for the second semester beginning January 2017. The board directs Superintendent Layne to send notification of decision to student and parents.

The motion passed by the following: AYE: Esther Peters, Alice Thibault, Staci Leavitt, Byron Burnham.

3) Work Session

- a) Jerome High School Athletic Department Ticket Booth and Activities Access: Presentation by Jerome High School Athletic Director Kaly Gillette-Shippen with overview of high school athletic and activities events ticket sales and gym access for patrons.

- b) Jerome High School Graduation 2017: Presentation and discussion led by Jerome High School Principal Nathan Tracy on plans for Graduation 2017, followed by question and answer period.

There being no other business before the board the meeting was adjourned at 1:15 p.m.