

MINUTES

Fairfax County School Board

Gatehouse Administration Center I

Work Session No. 21/Policy

September 8, 2008

21.01 Call to Order and Announcements

Meeting Manager Bradsher convened the meeting at 5:45 p.m. with the following Board members present:

Elizabeth T. Bradsher (Springfield)
Brad Center (Lee)
Stuart D. Gibson (Hunter Mill)
Martina A. Hone (At Large)
Kaye Kory (Mason)
Ilryong Moon (At Large)

Phillip A. Niedzielski-Eichner (Providence)
James L. Raney (At Large)
Kathy L. Smith (Sully; dep. 5:55)
Daniel G. Storck (Mount Vernon)
Jane K. Strauss (Dranesville; ABSENT)
Tessie Wilson (Braddock)

Also present were Division Superintendent Jack Dale; Deputy Superintendent Richard Moniuszko; Executive Assistant and Clerk of the Board Pam Goddard; Deputy Executive Assistant and Deputy Clerk of the Board Pat Charbonneau; Executive Administrative Assistant Deb Cain; Hearing Officer Eileen Grattan; and certain other individuals. The Student Representative to the School Board Arvin Ahmadi was present.

DISCUSSION

21.02 Policy 2611, Procedures for Hearing and Appeals to School Board (Exhibit A)

- Staff recommended revising Policy 2611 to provide parents the opportunity to appeal a hearing officer's decision, for those cases where the hearing officer has not forwarded the school's expulsion recommendation, to the School Board for review only on the written record;
- revised policy to be scheduled for new business on September 18, 2008, and action on October 2, 2008.

21.03 Policy 8130, Boundaries (Exhibit B)

- Discussion on this policy deferred to the October 6, 2008, work session.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:00 p.m.