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## **EXPULSION HEARING (Tuesday, November 12, 2024)**

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## A. Hearing Opening

1. Call to Order by School Board Chair - 9 a.m.

## **Members present**

Kelly Barrera, Patrick Canan, Bev Slough, Anthony Coleman, Jennifer Collins

Mr. Upchurch stated the purpose of the hearing.

2. Hearing Opening by Presiding Officer in Disciplinary Appeals

Mr. Canan swore in the witnesses.

## B. Presentation of Case

Mr. Abbatinozzi and Mr. Brown presented evidence supporting expulsion.

The family's attorney cross examined.

Questions from school board followed.

Mr. Forson gave his recommendation for a one year expulsion.

C. School Board Decision: Expulsion with educational services with referral for mental

health services.

Motion by Jennifer, second by Kelly Barrera.

Final Resolution: Motion Fails

Yea: Kelly Barrera, Jennifer Collins No: Patrick Canan, Bey Slough, Anthony Coleman Motions fails

School Board Decision: Referral to Gaines

Motion by Tony Coleman, Second by Jennifer Collins

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Patrick Canan, Jennifer Collins, Tony Coleman No: Kelly Barrera, Bev Slough

D. Adjournment by Board Chair: 11:26 a.m.