

The Twinsburg City School District Board of Education met in SPECIAL session on the above date at 7:00 p.m. at the Twinsburg Board of Education Office, 11136 Ravenna Road, Twinsburg, Ohio 44087. Roll was called at 7:02 and the following board members were present: Mr. Andrews, Mrs. Cain-Criswell (President), Mr. Crosby (Vice-President), Mr. Shebeck and Mr. Stuver.

13-108 **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Mrs. Cain-Criswell moved and Mr. Stuver seconded that the Twinsburg Board of Education meet in Executive Session at 7:05 p.m. for the consideration of the discipline of a student per Board of Education Policy #0166(A) and Ohio Revised Code Section 121.22(G)(5).

Ayes: Mr. Andrews, Mrs. Cain-Criswell, Mr. Crosby, Mr. Shebeck and Mr. Stuver.
The Board President declared the motion approved.

The Board reconvened from Executive Session at approximately 8:22 p.m.
The following members were present:
Mr. Andrews, Mrs. Cain-Criswell, Mr. Crosby, Mr. Shebeck and Mr. Stuver.

13-109 **Hearing Decision**

Mr. Shebeck moved and Mr. Crosby seconded that the Twinsburg Board of Education approves the following resolution:

WHEREAS, R.B. Chamberlin Middle School ("Chamberlin") Principal Belinda Scott ("Scott") suspended Student ("Student") for 10 days for violating Rule 1 of the Chamberlin Code of Student Conduct and referred Student to an expulsion hearing before Superintendent Kathryn Powers ("Powers"); and

WHEREAS, Student's IEP team met on January 23, 2013, held a manifestation determination review, and determined that Student's misconduct that lead to the suspension and referral to an expulsion hearing was not a manifestation of Student's disability; and

WHEREAS, on January 23, 2013, Scott and Student's Parent met to determine the date and time of the expulsion hearing, and Scott and Parent agreed that the hearing would be held on January 24, 2013; and

WHEREAS, Powers held an expulsion hearing on January 24, 2013, and both Student and Parent were in attendance; and

WHEREAS, Powers decided to expel Student for 75 days, from February 4, 2013, through May 30, 2013; and

WHEREAS, Student's IEP team determined that educational services would be provided to Student at the Twinsburg Alternative Program during the expulsion; and

WHEREAS, Student appealed Power's decision to the Board; and

WHEREAS, the Board heard and considered the statements and evidence presented by Student, through her attorney, Parent, and the Board's administration in executive session, as requested by Student and Parent, on March 7, 2013, in accordance with law and upon the agreement of the parties; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board affirms the expulsion of Student; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that it is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of the Board of Education of the Twinsburg City School District concerning and relating to the adoption of this resolution were adopted in an open meeting of the Board, and that all deliberations of the Board and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public, when required by law, in full compliance with all legal requirements, including O.R.C. 121.22.

*Ayes: Mr. Andrews, Mrs. Cain-Criswell, Mr. Crosby, Mr. Shebeck and Mr. Stuver.
The Board President declared the resolution approved.*

13-110 **Adjournment**

Mrs. Cain-Criswell moved and Mr. Stuver seconded that the Twinsburg Board of Education adjourn at 8:26 p.m.

*Ayes: Mr. Andrews, Mrs. Cain-Criswell, Mr. Crosby, Mr. Shebeck and Mr. Stuver.
The Board President declared the meeting adjourned.*

Board President

Treasurer