WHAT	Minutes of the Called Board Meeting and student hearing of the Russellville Board of Education.
WHEN	Wednesday, March 17, 2021, at the Administration Building.
MEMBERS PRESENT	Chris Cloud, Jason Golden, Janet Winn, Morgan Barrett, Jeremy Keaster, Wesley White
MEMBERS ABSENT	Jeff Carter
OTHERS PRESENT	Superintendent Dr. Mark Gotcher, SLC Supervisor Josh Edgins, and Safety Director Jeff Holt

The media was notified of this meeting.

STUDENT HEARING

President Cloud called the student hearing to order at 7:00 p.m. The student nor family members were present. Therefore, the meeting was open. The board read information that was provided for them to read. Mr. Josh Edgins answered questions the board asked him.

President Cloud asked Dr. Gotcher what his recommendation was and he stated he supported Mr. Edgin's recommendation to expel Marquavis Dalton through December 31, 2021, and return the second semester to SLC.

After the reading, President Cloud asked that everyone leave the room at 7:10 p.m. except for the board. All board members were in attendance except Jeff Carter.

President Cloud asked if anyone had a closing statement. Dr. Gotcher said expulsion hearings are hard. Marquavis's education will not cease. He'll be offered to be a digital student.

The board re-entered open session at 7:17 p.m.

Regarding Policy 4.18 - Prohibited Conduct. The board found the allegation of disruptive and prohibited behavior of Marquavis Dalton to be True. The motion was made by Barrett, and seconded by Keaster. The vote was unanimous

Regarding Policy 4.20 - Disruption of School. The board found the allegation of disruptive behavior and the disruption of school to be True. The motion was made by White and seconded by Winn. The vote was unanimous.

Regarding Policy 4.31 - Expulsion. The board accepted the recommendation by Superintendent Dr. Mark Gotcher to expel Marquavis Dalton through December 31, 2021, and allow him to return to SLC the second semester. The motion was made by Keaster and seconded by Golden. The vote was unanimous.

The student hearing adjourned at 7:20 p.m.

President Chris Cloud	Secretary, Jeff Carter
April 20, 2021 Date	April 20, 2021 Date

RUSSELLVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION
RUSSELLVILLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
MARCH 17, 2021, CALLED BOARD MEETING
ADMINISTRATION BUILDING CONFERENCE ROOM

WHAT	Minutes of the called board meeting of the Russellville Board of Education
WHEN	Wednesday, March 17, 2021, at the Administration Building
MEMBERS PRESENT	Wesley White, Chris Cloud, Janet Winn, Jason Golden, Morgan Barrett, Jeremy Keaster
MEMBERS ABSENT	Jeff Carter
OTHERS PRESENT	Superintendent Dr. Mark Gotcher, Secondary Learning Supervisor Josh Edgins, and Safety Director Jeff Holt

The media was notified of this meeting.

The meeting was called to order by President Chris Cloud at 7:21 p.m.

CONSENT AGENDA The board approved parent Lisa Collins' transfer request from Lamar to Russellville.

PERSONNEL There was a motion to approve the licensed personnel for employment and approved the employee transfer.

The motion was made by Barrett
The motion was seconded by Golden
The motion carried and It Is So Recorded

ADJOURNMENT The meeting adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

Chris Cloud, President

March 17, 2021
Date

Jeff Carter, Secretary

March 17, 2021
Date