

**ELLSWORTH SCHOOL DEPARTMENT  
ELLSWORTH SCHOOL BOARD SPECIAL MEETING  
Tuesday, February 23, 2021- 6:00 p.m.**

In accordance with An Act To Implement Provisions Necessary to the Health, Welfare and Safety of the Citizens of Maine in Response to the COVID-19 Public Health Emergency, as enacted to read: Sec G-1 1 MRSA §403-A Public proceedings through remote access during declaration of State of Emergency due to COVID-19, this meeting will be live at 1 City Hall Plaza in the City Hall Council Chambers with only the School Board, Superintendent, and allowable number of ESD staff and other members of the public allowed according to the Governor's executive order and ESD Protocols for In-Person Access to School Board Meetings present. The Meeting will be broadcast live on Spectrum Channel 1303 and live streamed on the Ellsworth High School Facebook page and YouTube Page (which will be shared to the City of Ellsworth YouTube Channel). The meeting will be recorded and made available live on Spectrum Channel 1303.

**Members Present:** Jennifer Alexander, Chairperson, Abigail Miller, Vice Chairperson, Paul Markosian, Kelly McKenney, Elizabeth Alteri

**Members Excused:**

**Members Absent:**

**Staff Present:** Daniel Higgins, Superintendent of Schools, Dan Clifford, EHS Principal

- A. The meeting was called to order by Board Chairperson Jennifer Alexander at 6:08 p.m.**
- B. Pledge of Allegiance**
- C. Communication/Correspondence**
- D. Public Participation (Public Comment was through e-mail to ESB Board Member Elizabeth Alteri at [elalteri@ellsworthschools.org](mailto:elalteri@ellsworthschools.org))**
- E. New Business**

- 1. Due Process Readmission Hearing (Executive Session 1 MRSA Title 20A §405(6)(B))**

**A motion was made by Kelly McKenney, seconded by Elizabeth Alteri to enter executive session for the sole purpose of conducting a due process readmission hearing under 1 MRSA Title 20A §405(6)(B))**

**Vote: 5 Yes 0 No**

**Time Entered: 6:10 p.m.**

**Time Returned: 6:50 p.m.**

**A motion was made by Abigail Miller, seconded by Elizabeth Alteri that the Board, upon receipt of evidence of successful completion of the readmission plan and satisfactory evidence that the action that precipitated the action to expel will not recur, readmit Student A to Ellsworth High School effective immediately.**

**Vote: 5 Yes 0 No**

- F. Calendar/Announcements**

**School Board Workshop, Tuesday March 2, 2021, 6:00 p.m. City Council Chambers**

School Board Meeting, Tuesday March 9, 2021, 6:00 p.m. – City Council Chambers  
School Board Workshop, Tuesday March 23, 2021, 6:00 p.m. City Council Chambers

G. Adjournment

**A motion was made by Jennifer Alexander, seconded by Paul Markosian, that having no further business, to adjourn the Board Meeting.**

**Vote: 5 Yes 0 No**

**Time: 6:52 p.m.**

Signature: 

Date: 3/9/2021