

# Minutes of Special School Board Meeting

## The Board of Trustees

### Cass Lake-Bena Schools

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A Special School Board Meeting of the Board of Trustees of Cass Lake-Bena Schools was held Monday, November 7, 2022, beginning at 5:00 pm in the Cass Lake-Bena Middle School Media Center.

- I. Call the meeting to order by Millie Baird, Chairperson at 5:00 pm
- II. Roll Call:  
Present – Millie Baird, Jolyn Donnell, Jamie Mitchell, Jennie Reyes, and Terri Vail  
Absent – Lenny Fineday and Dave Yates
- III. Agenda Approval
  - A. A motion by Donnell, second by Vail and unanimously carried to approve the agenda for the special school board meeting of Monday, November 7, 2022 as presented.
- IV. New Business
  - A. Board Chair, Millie Baird called to enter into a closed session to consider a student expulsion. Closed session starts at 5:01 pm.
  - B. Special meeting resumes at 6:00 pm.
  - C. A motion by Donnell, second by Vail and unanimously carried to accept the amended recommendation of the Administration as outlined regarding MS Student A:
    1. Student will be expelled through January 2, 2023.
    2. Student will be provided 5 hours per week educational services on site at the Middle School after hours. Student will complete all assigned work and will participate in bullying prevention counseling. Parent will need to provide transportation.
    3. Student will transition to the Arbor Program January 3, 2023 through the end of Semester 1, contingent upon completion of #2.
    4. If student successfully completes the Arbor Program, student may re-enter the Middle School at the start of Semester 2. Student and parent are required to attend a re-entry meeting to plan a successful transition.
    5. Restorative measures to repair harm to other students and staff will be implemented.
    6. Should student engage in any additional bullying behaviors, the full year expulsion will be reinstated.
- V. Upcoming Meetings and Events
  - A. Tuesday, November 8, 2022  
Election Day

- B. November 9-10, 2022  
Conferences  
No School November 11, 2022
- C. Wednesday, November 16, 2022  
School Board Working Meeting  
High School Media Center – 5:00 pm
- D. Wednesday, November 23, 2022  
School Board Regular Meeting  
High School Media Center – 5:00 pm
- E. November 24-25, 2022  
No School – Thanksgiving Break

VI.

Adjournment

A motion by Reyes, second by Mitchell and unanimously carried to adjourn the meeting at 6:02 pm.

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Jennie Reyes, Clerk  
Cass Lake-Bena Board of Education

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Date