

MINUTES FOR THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE
SIERRA COUNTY OFFICE OF EDUCATION
SCHOOL ATTENDANCE REVIEW BOARD

November 18, 2021

9:00am

In accordance with AB 361, effective October 1, 2021, pertaining to the convening of public meetings in response to the COVID-19 pandemic, the SCOE School Attendance Review Board suspended the Brown Act teleconferencing requirements for Board members to hold this meeting exclusively via Zoom videoconferencing.

OPEN SESSION MINUTES

I. MEETING CALLED TO ORDER *at 9:01am*

PRESENT:

- JAMES BERARDI, Chairman, Superintendent and Downieville Schools Administrator
- ANDREA CERESOLA (WHITE), Administrator, Loyalton Elementary School
- MEGAN MESCHERY, Administrator, Loyalton High School/Sierra Pass Continuation School
- J. LON COOPER, Sierra County Public Defender
- SANDRA GROVEN, Sierra County District Attorney
- CHUCK HENSON, Sierra County Chief Probation Officer
- LAURIE MARSH, Sierra County Behavioral Health
- CARA BOWLING, Sierra County Behavioral Health, Student-Parent Navigator
- JAMIE SHILTZ, Sierra County Child Protective Services

***one vote per agency*

- KRISTIE JACOBSEN, Secretary
- KIMBERLY ASKEW, guest – Foster Youth Services and McKinney-Vento Liaison

ABSENT:

- SOFIA GONZALEZ, Sierra County Deputy Probation Officer, *alternate for Chuck Henson*
- SCOTT QUADE, Sierra County Deputy Probation Officer, *alternate for Chuck Henson*
- SHERI ROEN, Parent Representative
- KRISTAL EVANS, Sierra County Social Services, *alternate for Jamie Shiltz*
- TAMARA POWERS, Sierra County Social Services, *alternate for Jamie Shiltz*
- MIKE FISHER, Sierra County Sheriff
- BRAD DEMPSTER, Sierra County Deputy Sheriff, *alternate for Mike Fisher*

VACANT: NONE

II. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

CERESOLA/GROVEN

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III. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES of the October 21, 2021 meeting

COOPER/CERESOLA

6/0 (2 abstentions – HENSON, GROVEN)

IV. PUBLIC COMMENT

NONE

V. CLOSED SESSION *at 9:03am*

HENSON/GROVEN

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The Student Attendance Review Board moved into Closed Session to consider and/or take action upon student or attendance related matters. Pursuant to Education Code Sections 35146 and 48912, the Board may hold closed sessions to consider an action against a pupil.

1. STUDENT HEARINGS – start at 9:10 am (20 minutes allotted for each hearing)
 - a. 11237
2. CASE REVIEW/PLANNING
 - a. Watch List

***MARSH and SHILTZ left meeting at 9:47am*

- b. Schools
- c. Law Enforcement
- d. Legal
- e. Human Services/Mental Health

***MESCHERY left meeting at 10:21am*

- VI. RETURN TO OPEN SESSION *at 10:21am*
COOPER/IIENSON
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- VII. REPORT OUT FROM CLOSED SESSION
BERARDI: Nothing to report – confidential information.
- VIII. ACTION ITEMS
 1. Discussion and possible approval of utilizing AB 361 to conduct the next scheduled meeting via Zoom videoconferencing, exclusively Zoom or hybrid
HENSON motioned to utilize AB 361 for Zoom-only next meeting. Second by COOPER.
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- IX. NEXT MEETING DATE will be December 16, 2021
- X. ADJOURN *at 10:22am*
HENSON/GROVEN
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James Berardi
Chairman