

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

January 20, 2022
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 9:05am*

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 (*left at 10:02am*)
 - J. LON COOPER, Sierra County Public Defender
 - SANDRA GROVEN, Sierra County District Attorney
 - CHUCK HENSON, Sierra County Chief Probation Officer
 - SOFIA GONZALEZ, Sierra County Deputy Probation Officer, *alternate for Chuck Henson*
 - SCOTT QUADE, Sierra County Deputy Probation Officer, *alternate for Chuck Henson*
 - LAURIE MARSH, Sierra County Behavioral Health (*joined at 9:35am*)
 - CARA BOWLING, Sierra County Behavioral Health, Student-Parent Navigator
 - SHERI ROEN, Parent Representative
 - JAMIE SHILTZ, Sierra County Child Protective Services
 - KIMBERLY ASKEW, Sierra County Foster Youth Services and McKinney-Vento Liaison
 - MIKE FISHER, Sierra County Sheriff
- **one vote per agency*
- KRISTIE JACOBSEN, Secretary

ABSENT:

- KRISTAL EVANS, Sierra County Social Services, *alternate for Jamie Shiltz*
- TAMARA POWERS, Sierra County Social Services, *alternate for Jamie Shiltz*
- BRAD DEMPSTER, Sierra County Deputy Sheriff, *alternate for Mike Fisher*

VACANT: NONE

II. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

CERESOLA/HENSON

11/0

III. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES of the December 16, 2021 meeting

COOPER/ROEN

10/0 (1 abstention – GROVEN)

IV. PUBLIC COMMENT

None

V. CLOSED SESSION *at 9:07am*
HENSON/GROVEN
11/0

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)
None
2. CASE REVIEW/PLANNING
 - a. Watch List
 - MARSH joined at 9:35am during Watch List discussion.*
 - MESCHERY left at 10:02am after Watch List discussion.*
 - b. Schools
 - c. Law Enforcement
 - d. Legal
 - e. Human Services/Mental Health

VI. RETURN TO OPEN SESSION *at 10:11am*
HENSON/ROEN
10/0

VII. REPORT OUT FROM CLOSED SESSION
BERARDI: Nothing to report – confidential information.

VIII. ACTION ITEMS

1. Discussion and possible approval of utilizing AB 361 for the next scheduled meeting – exclusively Zoom or hybrid?
CERESOLA motioned to utilize AB 361 to hold the next meeting exclusively via Zoom.
Second by COOPER.
10/0

IX. NEXT MEETING DATE will be February 17, 2022

X. ADJOURN *at 10:13am*
CERESOLA/HENSON
10/0



James Berardi
Chairman