

**August 11, 2009  
Special Meeting  
Board of Directors  
Clarinda Community School District**

The Board of Directors of the Clarinda Community School District met in special session on Tuesday, August 11, 2009, 7:00 p.m., at the Board Room located in the McKinley Building, 423 East Nodaway, Clarinda, IA 51632.

**Call to Order**

President Watkins called the special meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

**Roll Call**

The following board members were present: President Watkins, Fulk, and McComb. Turner and Fine were absent.

**Approval of Agenda**

A motion was made by McComb, seconded by Fulk, to approve the agenda. Motion carried 3-0.

**Closed Session**

A motion was made by Fulk, seconded by McComb to enter closed session at 7:05 p.m. citing Iowa Code 21.5(E): To conduct a hearing for suspension or expulsion of a student, unless an open meeting is requested by the student or the parent of the student. Motion carried 3-0. Ayes: Fulk, McComb, and Watkins.

President Watkins declared the board out of the closed session at 7:56 p.m.

**Open Session**

A motion was made by McComb, seconded by Fulk, that T.P. meet the following disciplinary action:

1. T.P. will be required to complete a drug evaluation and counseling program prior to graduation.
2. T.P. must provide proof of enrollment/participation in such a program prior to the start of the 2009-2010 school year.
3. T.P. be allowed to continue to attend the alternative high school but will be placed in a restrictive environment to have limited contact with other students for a period of six school weeks.
4. All breaks must be on school grounds, monitored, and at a different time from the other students in the alternative high school room for the six week period.
5. T.P. is to be limited to attending the morning sessions for a period of six weeks of school.
6. T.P. can have no more than one absence or tardy during the six week period.
7. T.P. must earn a minimum of one credit during the six week session.
8. T.P. will be put on probation for the remainder of the 2009-2010 school year with any disciplinary issues to constitute an extension of the disciplinary program outlined above.

Motion carried on 3-0 roll call vote.

**Adjournment**

A motion was made by Fulk, seconded by McComb, to adjourn the meeting at 8:00 p.m. Motion carried 3-0.

Cindy L. VanFosson  
Board Secretary