

**GIBSON CITY-MELVIN-SIBLEY COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT #5  
MINUTES OF SPECIAL MEETING  
JANUARY 21, 2016**

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The Board of Education of Gibson City-Melvin-Sibley Community Unit School District #5 met in special session on Thursday, January 21, 2016, at 5:45pm. in the GCMS Board Room. The special meeting was called to order by Board Vice President Phil Whitehouse. Roll was called with members present were Leonard, Swearingen, Whitehouse, Elder, Young and Zbinden. Board Member Johnson was absent. Also present were High School Principal Christopher, Superintendent Anthony Galindo and Board Secretary Sarah Sarantakos.

motion to go into executive session at 5:50pm. for the purpose of discussing matters pertaining to the students disciplinary cases 5ILCS 120/2 (c) (9), and the placement of individual students in special education programs and other matters relating to individual students 5ILCS120/2(c) (10), motion was made by Board Member Leonard and seconded by Board Member Swearingen. Motion carried by roll call vote. All present voting yes.

Board Vice President Whitehouse addressed the board asking if there a Motion to be presented?

The motion was made that Student A be expelled from Gibson City-Melvin-Sibley School District No. 5 including all school district property and all school extracurricular activities for two years. (ie the remainder of the 2015-2016, 2016-2017 school year) Motion made by Board Member Elder and seconded by Board Member Leonard. Motion carried by roll call vote:

Board Members Voting Yes  
Elder  
Zbinden  
Leonard  
Swearingen  
Young  
Whitehouse

Board Members Voting No

Vice President Whitehouse stated with no further business I need a motion to adjourn.

A motion to adjourn session was made by Board Member Swearingen and seconded by Board Member Elder at 6:00 pm. Motion carried by roll call vote. All present voting yes.

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President

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Secretary