

**LAFAYETTE PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
SPECIAL BOARD MEETING**

Wednesday, November 2, 2005 - 1:30 P.M., Board Room

John Earl Guidry, President, Presiding

The School Board of the Parish of Lafayette, State of Louisiana, met in special session at its regular meeting place, the Lafayette Parish School Board Administrative Building, Board Room, Lafayette, Louisiana, on Wednesday, November 2, 2005 at 1:30 P. M., pursuant to notice given in writing to every member.

MEMBERS PRESENT: John Earl Guidry, President; Edward J. Sam, Vice-President; Judy H. Cox, Rickey Hardy, Kay Gibson, Michael Hefner, Beverly Wilson (entered late), Carl LaCombe (entered late) and David Thibodaux (entered late) Board Members; James H. Easton, Secretary-Treasurer/Superintendent

MEMBERS ABSENT: None

The Chair called the meeting to order.

I. APPEAL HEARING OF JOYCELYN OLIVIER, TEACHER, L. J. ALLEMAN MIDDLE SCHOOL

The Chair asked the party involved if they wanted an open or a closed session. The party requested that the hearing be held in closed session.

Motion (Gibson/Sam) that the Board go into executive session to hear the case of Joycelyn Olivier, Teacher at L. J. Alleman Middle School. Motion carried.

Motion (Gibson/Sam) that the Board go back into regular session. Motion carried. Cox requested she be recorded as voting NO.

Motion (Sam/Hardy) that the Board go back into executive session and that it be limited to parties involved only. Motion carried. Cox and Gibson requested that they be recorded as voting NO.

Wilson entered the meeting.

Motion (Hefner/Gibson) that the Board go back into executive session to hear the case of Joycelyn Olivier, Teacher at L.J. Alleman Middle School. Motion carried.

The Chair called for a roll call vote. Voting for were Hardy, Sam, Hefner, Wilson, and Guidry. Voting against was Cox and Gibson. Motion Carried

LaCombe entered the meeting.

Thibodaux entered the meeting.

Motion (Gibson/Thibodaux) that the Board go back into regular session. Motion carried.

Motion (Hefner/Cox) that the Board uphold staff's recommendation to suspend Joycelyn Olivier, Teacher at L. J. Alleman Middle School for one day without pay for testing irregularities.

A substitute motion was made by Sam and seconded by Hardy, that the Board place a letter of reprimand in the personnel file of Joycelyn Olivier, Teacher at L. J. Alleman Middle School, and that she not be suspended for one day without pay for testing irregularities.

The Chair called for a roll call vote on the substitute motion. Voting for was Guidry, LaCombe, Hardy, Sam, Thibodaux. Voting against was Hefner, Wilson, Cox, and Gibson. Motion carried.

There being no further business, it was moved by Thibodaux, seconded by Hardy, and carried that the meeting adjourn.

SIGNED:

/s/ John Earl Guidry

John Earl Guidry, President
LAFAYETTE PARISH SCHOOL BOARD

SIGNED:

/s/ James H. Easton

James H. Easton, Ed. D., Secretary-Treasurer
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