SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES

1.0 CALL TO ORDER/WELCOME/FLAG SALUTE
President McMahon called the meeting of the Humboldt County Board of Education to order at 4:01 PM with a quorum present.

PRESENT: Thom McMahon, Mary Scott, Loretta Eckenrode, Sheila Rocker Heppe
ABSENT: Robert Siekmann
STAFF PRESENT: Michael Davies-Hughes, Colby Smart, Natalie Carrigan

2.0 ADJUSTMENT OF THE AGENDA
President McMahon asked to combine the Interdistrict Transfer Request Appeals as the students are siblings and both elementary students. All parties agreed.

3.0 PUBLIC COMMENTS
There were no public comments.

4.0 CONSIDERATION OF INTERDISTRICT TRANSFER REQUEST APPEALS

OPEN SESSION
(4.1) Interdistrict Appeal Hearing for Student 2022-2023 #06 (K.S.) and 2022-2023 # 07 (N.S.) Eureka City Schools (ECS)

President McMahon reviewed the appeal process and asked for introductions.

Board acknowledged the receipt of both parties’ written appeal records.

Parent, Amanda Saulque addressed the Board from 4:06 – 4:07 PM

Board questions.

Superintendent Van Vleck of Eureka City Schools addressed the Board from 4:08 – 4:10 PM.
Board questions.

Ms. Saulque was given the opportunity to respond from 4:11 – 4:13 PM.

Moved to closed session at 4:14 PM.

CLOSED SESSION
(4.2) Board Deliberation RE: Interdistrict Appeal Hearing for Student 2022-2023 #06 (K.S.) (ECS) and Student 2022-2023 #07 (N.S.) (ECS)

OPEN SESSION
(4.3) Board Report Out of Closed Session (Cal. Educ. Code Section 35146)

At 4:32 PM it was reported out that Eckenrode/Scott moved/seconded to remand the appeal of Student 2022-2023 #06 (K.S.) to Eureka City Schools based on new information not previously available. Ayes 4, noes 0, absent 1, abstain 0.

It was reported out that Eckenrode/Scott moved/seconded to remand the appeal of Student 2022-2023 #07 (N.S.) to Eureka City Schools based on new information not previously available. Ayes 4, noes 0, absent 1, abstain 0.

5.0 ADJOURNMENT
President McMahon adjourned the Special Meeting at 4:33 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Michael Davies-Hughes, Superintendent of Schools
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