

MOTION FOR CLOSED MEETING

A motion is needed to go into a closed meeting to discuss the following item and subject pursuant to Virginia Code Section 2.2-3711 of the Virginia Freedom of Information Act:

The discussion and/or consideration of a discipline matter regarding School Board Member Dr. Dawn Marie Brittingham because it has been alleged that Board Member Brittingham violated School Board Norm 2-2.6:1(A)(3) requiring that members of the School Board “be respectful of the different roles and responsibilities throughout the school division and maintain focus on policy and governance”; School Board Norm 2-2.6:1(A)(5) requiring that members of the School Board be focused on work as a School Board Member and not interfere with the day to day operations of Suffolk Public Schools, which is the delegated responsibility of the school superintendent;” and School Board Protocol 2-2.6:1(B)(5) providing that “individual School Board Members are not to communicate directly with subordinate administrators without first discussing with the School Superintendent.”

Which is authorized by the Virginia Freedom of Information Act, found at Virginia Code Section 2.2-3711 (A)(1).

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