

NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY FOR HEARING

DATE: _____

TO: _____

RE: Proposed Board Expulsion from School of _____

Information has been presented to me indicating that

_____ may be guilty of sufficiently serious violations of the policies, rules and regulations of this school district to require the Board of Directors to consider an expulsion from school according to procedures adopted by the school district, pursuant to Sections 282.4 and 282.5, Code of Iowa.

Specifically, the above-named student is charged with

The specific penalty being recommended to the Board of Directors is expulsion for the remainder of the _____ semester of the _____ school year. **IF YOU OFFICIALLY REQUEST**, a hearing before the Board of Directors of the Maquoketa Valley Community School District will be set for the purpose of affording a full discussion of the charges and allowing the student or his/her parent, guardian or representative to refute those charges. If you complete and return the enclosed "Request of Hearing" form to the Superintendent of Schools within three days from the date of your receipt of this notice, a hearing will be set with the Board of Directors. If you request a hearing, you will be notified of its date, time and place.

The student, his/her parent, guardian, or representative may see a statement of the charges and the supporting statements in the office of the appropriate building principal. Written statements, if any, supporting the student's case need to be in the hands of the appropriate building principal 24 hours before the hearing begins.

If the student, his/her parent, guardian or representative do not complete and return the enclosed "Request for Hearing" form, it shall be deemed that the student and his/her parent, guardian or representative shall have accepted the recommended penalty as stated above and waived the right to a hearing before the Board of Directors. It is understood that by waiving the hearing, the recommended penalty will automatically become effective upon action of the Board of Directors of the District. Enclosed is a copy of the Hearing Procedures (Board Policy 502.034) of the Maquoketa Valley Community School District as well as a "Request for Hearing" form.

Superintendent of Schools

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MAQUOKETA VALLEY COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
DELHI, IOWA 52223