

SUMMARY EXPLANATION AND BACKGROUND

On February 23, 2015, C.M. was traversing a sidewalk on the Western High School campus when he inadvertently collided with a student, and C.M. kept walking. The student became angry and began yelling at C.M.. Instead of continuing on his way, or otherwise properly addressing the matter, C.M. returned to the student, verbally threatened to “crush [the student’s] skull” and assumed a fighting stance with the student before calling for security.

C.M. has no prior discipline, but because of the threat of violence to a student, a suspension is warranted. The administrative complaint was served on C.M. on January 22, 2016, so his deadline for requesting a hearing will expire prior to the Board meeting. Staff will advise the Board whether a hearing has been requested no later than by the start of the Board meeting on 2-9-16.