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### **JEFFCO SCHOOL BOARD CENSURES MEMBER**

Board member Laura Boggs was censured by fellow board members during a public meeting Thursday, Dec. 17. Citing “unethical behavior” on the part of Boggs, board member Robin Johnson made the motion for censure which was then followed by a unanimous vote. Under board procedural rules, Boggs was not permitted to vote on the censure motion. Censure is a formal reprimand for inappropriate behavior and does not have any consequences associated with it other than the formal public disapproval of the board member’s conduct by the other members of the board.

Board members characterized Boggs’ behavior as erratic, disruptive and inconsistent with the board’s governance policies since her election in 2009 and said that repeated efforts to change that behavior have proved unsuccessful.

This is the first time that a member of the Jefferson County Board of Education has been censured.