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November 30, 2020

Dear Mr. Schaper,

I am in receipt of your correspondence of November 20 and 23, 2020. The issues raised in your letter involve a student's educational records and personnel records. Employees of the District, including the administrators and staff of Northwest Expedition Academy, are prohibited from discussing these sensitive matters with third parties pursuant to Idaho and federal law. Please be assured that the District will address these matters through the appropriate channels and as prescribed by law and District policy.

The District handles LGBT student issues in accordance with existing state and federal law, including Idaho code which gives parents and legal guardians the right to reasonable involvement and accommodation in their child's school activities. Regarding your request that the Board of Trustees enact new policy, District administrators and the Board of Trustees continually review and enact policies pertaining to District operations as deemed appropriate and consistent with current law and regulations.

Thank you,

Dr. Steven Cook

Superintendent of Schools