

January 27, 2012

Reconsideration Meeting for "In My Mothers' House".

As a result of [REDACTED] completing a Request for Reconsideration form, a meeting of the Windridge School Library Media Committee was held on January 27, 2012. The members of the committee met with [REDACTED] to discuss a request for reconsideration of the book "In Our Mothers' House", by Patricia Polacco. The committee members in attendance were Nancy Peterson, Media Specialist, Belinda Kuck, SLC Coordinator/Accreditation Specialist/District Media Supervisor, Dr. Maren Zimmerman, Windridge Elementary Principal, Ms Jer Call and Ms Heather Schulz, Windridge Elementary teachers, and [REDACTED] parent representative.

[REDACTED] presented her views as to why she felt the book should be removed from the library. An agreement was reached wherein while she objected to the subject matter of the book, the book was appropriate for the Windridge Elementary School library. It would be re-catalogued and would no longer be located in the "E" (Easy Reading) section but would now be in the "F" (Fiction) section. [REDACTED] agreed that this would be acceptable to her. She was notified that she would receive a written copy of the school's committee findings in writing, which she declined. The book is now in circulation in the "Fiction" section of the Windridge Elementary Media Center.

A copy of her complaint and a copy of the outcome of the meeting will be on file in the media center, along with copies going to Belinda Kuck at the District, and Dr. Zimmerman at Windridge Elementary School.

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