

2013 National FFA Parliamentary Procedure CDE

Finals

Team Problem Solving Activity

Scenario

The Pine City FFA chapter meets on the first Monday of each month. At the November meeting, an FFA member moves to host a holiday food drive. Another member moves to postpone the motion to the January meeting. The motion to postpone was adopted.

At the December meeting moved to host a food drive in cooperation with the FCCLA chapter. While this motion was being discussed, another member moved to adjourn the meeting. The motion carried and the meeting was adjourned.

Questions

1. Was the motion to postpone the main motion to host a holiday food drive in order? Why or why not?

A motion cannot be postponed past the next regular meeting.
P. 183, l. 11-14

2. Was the motion to host a food drive in cooperation with the FCCLA chapter in order?

No, it should have been ruled out of order.

No main motion is in order that would conflict with or that presents substantially the same question as one which has been temporarily but not finally disposed of - whether in the same or an earlier session - and which remains within the control of the assembly

P. 112 l. 8-12

3. What happened to the motion to host a food drive in cooperation with the FCCLA chapter that was on the floor when the December meeting adjourned?

It became Unfinished Business for the January meeting.
P. 358, l. 19-21

4. When and in what order will both motions come before the chapter?

Unfinished Business and General Orders

Motion to host a food drive in cooperation with the FCCLA chapter.

(Unfinished Business)

Motion to host a holiday food drive.

(General Order)

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