

Okemos Board of Education
Okemos, Michigan 48864
SPECIAL MEETING OCTOBER 24, 2018

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The special meeting of the Okemos Board of Education was called to order by President Bolton at 5:36 p.m.

Call To Order

Members Present: Dean Bolton, Amy Crites, Vincent Lyon-Callo, Tonya Rodriguez, Donald Romain and Sarah Wohlford

Members Absent: Melanie Lynn

Other: Ms. Narda Murphy, Consultant

The board engaged in a work session for the purpose of reviewing feedback from the stakeholder committee interviews.

Work Session:
Committee Feedl

The board of education conducted individual interviews with the following candidates for the position of Superintendent of Schools: Mr. John Hood, Assistant Superintendent of Instruction for Okemos Public Schools; Dr. Aaron Johnson, Associate Superintendent of Instruction for Farmington Public Schools; and Dr. Venessa Keesler, Deputy Superintendent for the Michigan Department of Education;

Superintendent
Search:
Candidate
Interviews

The candidates were provided the opportunity to ask questions of the board. The interviews were recorded.

Community members and staff members in attendance were provided the opportunity to complete an interview feedback form to highlight qualities they perceived in each candidate.

Karen Grannemann addressed the board regarding candidate John Hood.

Comments From
The Public

Consultant Narda Murphy facilitated the board's deliberation regarding the superintendent hiring process.

MOVED by Don Romain, SUPPORTED by Sarah Wohlford, that the board offer Mr. John Hood the position of superintendent and enter into negotiations for an employment contract.

Selection of
Superintendent

Roll Call

Dean Bolton	Yes	Tonya Rodriguez	Yes
Amy Crites	Yes	Don Romain	Yes
Melanie Lynn	---	Sarah Wohlford	Yes
Vincent Lyon-Callo	Yes		

AYE: 6 NAY: 0 ABSENT: 1 **MOTION CARRIED**

Dean Bolton and Sarah Wohlford will serve on the contract negotiations team.

President Bolton adjourned the special meeting at 9:50 p.m.

Adjourn

Tonya Rodriguez, Secretary