

SCRANTON, PENNSYLVANIA 18503

The Scranton School Board of Directors held a Reorganization Meeting on Monday, December 1, 2014 at 7:00pm in the Board Room of the Administration Building, 425 N. Washington Ave., Scranton, PA 18503.

The meeting was called to order at 7:00pm with a Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

At this time Secretary Orr opened the meeting with the reading of the School Code as follows:

In Accordance with the provisions of the School Code, the members of the Board of Directors of the School District of the City of Scranton will meet in the Board Room of the Administration Building, 425 N. Washington Ave., Scranton, PA 18503 on Monday evening, December 1, 2014 at 7:00pm prevailing time for the purpose of reorganization including the election of President and Vice President and the adoption of the rules for the ensuing year.

Roll Call: By the Secretary.

Present: Directors Casey, Donahue, Douaihy, Duffy, McAndrew, Oleski, Sheridan and Ruane.

Absent: Director Martinelli.

Plaques were now presented to the following:

Director Mark McAndrew	Vice President during 2014
Director Bob Sheridan	Vice President during 2014
Director Lyn Ruane	President during 2014

A motion to nominate Director Ruane as temporary chair was made by Director Douaihy, seconded by Director Sheridan and passed unanimously on roll call vote.

A motion to nominate Director Douaihy for President was made by Director Oleski, seconded by Director Duffy. The motion for Director Douaihy for President passed unanimously on roll call vote.

Judge Robert Munley now swore in Director Douaihy as President of the Scranton School Board.

A motion to nominate Director Sheridan as Vice President was made by Director Douaihy, seconded by Director Oleski. The motion for Director Sheridan for Vice President passed with seven (7) affirmative and one (1) negative vote. The negative vote was cast by Director Donahue.

Judge Robert Munley now swore in Director Sheridan as Vice President of the Scranton School Board.

Remarks by Incoming President:

President Douaihy now thanked his fellow directors for their support and he promises to support and

collaborate with them through the coming year and he believes that their collaboration will lead them to meet every challenge they will face.

Mr. Douaihy thanked Mrs. Orr for her great performance with the reorganization meeting.

Mr. Douaihy now thanked his wife and family for their unwavering support and cannot express how much they mean to him.

Mr. Douaihy also thanked the administrators for their support over the last nineteen months and sitting on this board has been a remarkable education for him, he welcomes the challenge but he cannot do it by himself and will rely on administrators for their help with him to carry out his responsibilities as board president.

Director Sheridan commented that the professionalism that is between everyone on the board is a great asset and they have been on a rocky road for a bit but have always come together for the betterment of the Scranton School District and since he is the most mature on this board's majority he's seen directors come and go over the last five years and it has been his honor to work with the district, fellow board members and he thanked all of them for their confidence in him as Vice President of the board.

President Douaihy now thanked Director Ruane for her support and leadership as President over the last couple months.

President Douaihy now asked for a motion to adjourn. A motion to adjourn was made by Director Oleski, seconded by Director Casey and the meeting adjourned at 7:16pm.

By: _____
Secretary