

GROVE CITY AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF SCHOOL DIRECTORS
GROVE CITY, PENNSYLVANIA

Special Board Voting Meeting

December 30, 2020

A moment of silence was observed, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance, prior to the meeting being called to order by the President, Mr. Douglas Gerwick, at 7:02 p.m. via Zoom.

The following members were present:

Mrs. Heather Baker
Mr. Ryan Thomas
Ms. Patty Wilson

Dr. Constance Nichols
Mr. Douglas Gerwick
Dr. Armando Sciullo

Mr. Scott Somora and Mr. Lee McCracken were absent.

Others present were: Atty. Evankovich, Dr. Finch, Dr. Weaver, Mrs. Harris, Mrs. Dennis and approximately 10 guests.

There were no additions/deletions to the agenda.

ADDITIONS/
DELETIONS
TO THE AGENDA

There were no public comments.

PUBLIC
COMMENTS

Mr. Gerwick announced that candidates would give their presentations based on the order in which he received their application. Each candidate would be given two minutes to introduce themselves then an additional five minutes to answer the two questions previously selected by the Board: Why are you interested in serving on the School Board?, and What do you perceive to be the responsibilities of the School Board? Mr. Stone Helsel presented first followed by Mr. Jeffrey Tedford, Mr. Randy Arnold and Mr. August Hurst.

After the presentations, the Board Members discussed the candidates and thanked all applicants for their effort and interest in filling the vacant Board seat.

A motion was made by Ms. Wilson to approve Stone Helsel to fill the vacant Board seat. There was no second and therefore no vote on the motion.

A motion was made by Mr. Thomas and seconded by Ms. Wilson to approve the selection of August Hurst to fill the vacant Board seat.

MR. A. HURST
APPOINTED AS
BOARD MEMBER

The motion carried on a poll vote; 6 ayes, 0 nays, with the voting as follows:

Mr. Gerwick	aye	Mrs. Baker	aye
Dr. Nichols	aye	Ms. Wilson	aye
Mr. Thomas	aye	Dr. Sciullo	aye

The swearing in of Mr. Hurst will be done in person at a later date.

Dr. Weaver – Subject of Commentary

MOMENT FOR
MISSIONS

- Announced that after consulting with the Pennsylvania Department of Health community nurse a plan is in place to break the trace for COVID so that students in the Music department will be able to sing and play their instruments when in person learning returns

Future scheduled business meetings:

- Work Session – January 11, 2021 at 7:00 p.m.
- Voting Meeting – January 18, 2021 at 7:00 p.m.

The meeting was declared adjourned at 7:54 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Beth Harris
Assistant Board Secretary