

Saucon Valley School District
Reorganization Meeting of the Board of Education
December 6, 2022 – 7 pm
High School Audion

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Welcome to the meeting of the Saucon Valley School Board. Our objective is to serve the students, parents, and residents of our community. You are an important part of this meeting and we look forward to your questions and comments.

We are all here for the same reason. All opinions are welcomed and equally valuable. Our only request is that we address each other with civility and respect. Our courtesy toward each other is the best way to show our students how much we respect them as well.

Notice to Public - *This is to notify all in attendance at the Saucon Valley School Board meeting that the district is video and audio taping the meeting and the meeting will be posted for public viewing according to district policy.*

Agenda

- I. Call to Order – *(The meeting is called to order by the Board Secretary)*
- II. Pledge of Allegiance
- III. Recording of Attendance – *Judith Riegel, Secretary*
- IV. Notice of the Organization Meeting
- V. Comments of the Public – *Visitors should state their name and address.*
- VI. Nominations for and Election of a Temporary President
The Secretary calls for nominations for Temporary President from among the seated members of the Board. The incumbent board secretary acts as secretary for all phases of the organization meeting.
- VIII. Nominations for a President
(Currently, Dr. Shamim Pakzad is serving as Board President)

Approve _____ to serve as Board President for a one-year term ending December 2023.
- IX. Nominations for a Vice President FOR VICE PRESIDENT
(Currently, Mrs. Susan Baxter is serving as Board Vice President)

Approve _____ to serve as Board Vice President for a one-year term ending December 2023.

X. Election of Board Representatives

Bethlehem Area Vocational Technical School – Three-Year Terms

Bryan Eichfeld and Cedric Dettmar are serving a three-year term until November 2022.

Approve _____ and _____ to serve as BAVTS Representatives for a three-year term to December 2025

PSBA Legislative Representatives

Dr. Shamim Pakzad is serving 1-year term ending in December 2022.

Approve _____ and _____ to serve as PSBA Legislative Representatives for a one-year term to December 2023.

Colonial Northampton Intermediate Unit #20 – Three Year Term

Dr. Shamim Pakzad is completing Mr. Eichfeld’s 3-year term from 7/1/21 to 6/30/24

Saucon Valley Partnership Representatives (COG)

Michael Karabin and Shawn Welch are serving a one-year term until December 2022

Approve _____ and _____ to serve as District Representatives and the rest of the Board to serve as alternates for the Saucon Valley Partnership for a one-year term to December 2023. *(Meetings are monthly)*

Chamber of Commerce Representative

John Conte is serving a one-year term until December 2022

Approve _____ to serve as District Representative for the Chamber of Commerce for a one-year term to December 2023.

Saucon Valley Foundation for Educational Innovation Representative

Tracy Magnotta is serving a one-year term until December 2022

Approve _____ to serve as District Representative for the SVFEI for a one-year term to December 2023. *(Meetings are monthly)*

Northampton Community College - Board of Trustees

Susan Baxter is serving a 3-year term from 7/1/20 to 6/30/23

TCC Delegates

Cedric Dettmar is the delegate with David Bonenberger and Gina DiNino as alternates.

Approve _____ with _____ and _____ as alternates to serve as TCC Delegates, with all Board members as additional alternates

Bethlehem Area Vocational Technical School Authority

Bryan Eichfeld’s term is until January 2023 Cedric Dettmar’s term is until January 2026.

Approve _____ to serve as District Representative to the BAVTS Authority for a five-year term to January 2028.

XI. Approval of Time and Place of School Board Meetings

The Board of School Directors of the Saucon Valley School District will meet at 7 pm in the Audion located on the District Campus, 2097 Polk Valley Road, Hellertown, on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month, except where noted. All meetings will be held for the purpose of conducting business. The board reserves the right to determine the location and manner of such meetings. All meetings regardless of medium shall conform to the requirements of the Pennsylvania Sunshine Act. All meetings will be held for the purpose of conducting business.

Tuesday, January 10, 2023	Tuesday, January 24, 2023
Tuesday, February 14, 2023	Tuesday, February 28, 2023
Tuesday, March 14, 2023	Tuesday, March 28, 2023
Tuesday, April 11, 2023	Tuesday, April 25, 2023
Tuesday, May 9, 2023	Tuesday, May 23, 2023
Tuesday, June 13, 2023	Tuesday, June 27, 2023
Tuesday, July 11, 2023	Tuesday, July 25, 2023
Tuesday, August 8, 2023	Tuesday, August 22, 2023
Tuesday, September 12, 2023	Tuesday, September 26, 2023
Tuesday, October 10, 2023	Tuesday, October 24, 2023
Tuesday, November 14, 2023	Tuesday, November 28, 2023
Tuesday, December 5, 2023 – Reorganization Meeting/Business Meeting (1 st Tuesday)	
Tuesday, December 19, 2023 (3 rd Tuesday)	

XII. Authorization of the use of the Signature Stamp until a new one is received

XIII. Comments from the Board

XIV. Comments from the Superintendent

XV. Comments from the Public – *Visitors should state their name and address.*

XVI. Adjourn Meeting

The Saucon Valley School District does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, sex, or handicap