



MINUTES

The following order of business may be changed by majority vote of the Board at any meeting.

August 10, 2026, Special Board Meeting 6:30 p.m.

35200 Little Mack - Clinton Township, MI 48035 ~ High School Conference Center

MISSION STATEMENT - "Clintondale Community Schools will provide an academic environment that prepares our diverse student body to reach its fullest potential and become productive members of society."

CALL MEETING TO ORDER

Meeting began at: 6:30 p.m.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

Jared Maynard	Present	Lisa Valerio-Nowc	Present
Barry Powers	Late	Ava McDowell	Present
Kurt Wilson, Sr.	Present	Lisa Wilson	Present
Diane Zontini	Present		

ALSO IN ATTENDANCE

Lee Walmsley, Director of IIR	Andrew Lewis, HR Coordinator
Shauna Hemler, Asst. Sup. Curriculum	Kevin Knoblock, Interim Superintendent
Tammy Pearson, iCampus Coordinator	Kevin Taratuta, CFO
Spencer Richardson, Technology	Alex Hichel, Communications Director
Maurice Woods, HS/MS Asst. Principal	Carla Kelley, Supervisor of Operations
Rashida Shack, Parker Principal	Bryan Schuerman, Director of CTE & Innovations
Bob Walmsley, Athletic Director	

AGENDA - The Board President recommends that the Board approve the agenda as submitted or amended.

Motion by Diane Zontini Support by Kurt Wilson Y 6 N 0 Ab 0

PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING BUSINESS BEFORE THE BOARD

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SUPERINTENDENT FINALISTS INTERVIEWS AND PRESENTATIONS

1. 6:30 p.m. Sean Lively, Middle School Teacher, Van Dyke Public Schools

7:40 p.m. Mark Whelton, Former Superintendent, Bridgeport Spaulding Community School District

Board exited recess at 9:30 p.m.

2. Board Discussion - Selection of Superintendent

NON-CONSENT ITEMS - #1-2

1. **Superintendent Selection** - The Board President recommends that the Board select Mark Whelton as the final candidate for superintendent of Clintondale Community Schools.

Motion by Barry Powers

Support by Kurt Wilson, Sr. Y 6 N 1 Ab 0

No: Lisa Valerio-Nowc

2. **Contract Negotiations for Selected Superintendent**

Motion by Diane Zontini

Support by Kurt Wilson, Sr. Y 7 N 0 Ab 0

GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT ON ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA

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Motion by Barry Powers to acknowledge the work and contributions of Michigan Leadership Institute and John Silveri in the Superintendent selection process.

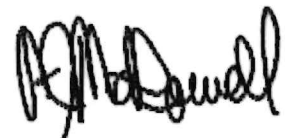
Support: Diane Zontini

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ADJOURNMENT

Motion by: Lisa Valerio-Nowc Support by: Kurt Wilson, Sr.

Time: 10:22 p.m.



Submitted by: Ava McDowell

Secretary

Board of Education

Clintondale Community Schools