



MEETING OF THE BENTLEY BOARD OF EDUCATION
BURTON, MICHIGAN

Special Meeting Minutes
February 3, 2021

PRESENT:

Mrs. Amanda Mobley, President
Mrs. Katrina Bailey, Vice President
Ms. Toby Bauldry, Secretary
Mrs. Cheryl Blosser, Treasurer
Mr. Kevin Burge, Trustee
Mr. Jon Woodruff, Trustee

Dr. Kristy Spann, Superintendent

ABSENT:

I. CALL TO ORDER

The Special Meeting of the Bentley Board of Education was called to order at 5:04 p.m. by Mrs. Amanda Mobley in Google Meet. This meeting was by remote participation.

II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

III. ROLL CALL – Present - Mobley, Bailey, Bauldry, Blosser, Burge, Woodruff

IV. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

V. WELCOME/INTRODUCTIONS/EXPLANATION OF PROCEDURES - Amanda Mobley, BOE President

Board members are typically elected by the community unless a vacancy occurs before the term has been completed. Mrs. Angie Jackson resigned and the Board has one month to fill that position. Board members introduced their self to the candidates. Mrs. Mobley explained that each candidate will take turns answering seven questions from the BOE members. Answers are rated on a scale of 1-5 with 5 being the best. Numbers will be tallied and the individual with the highest number will be nominated for the BOE vacancy.

VI. INTERVIEWS FOR BOE VACANCY

Garrett Gooch – Resident of district entire life, recent graduate

Steve Hatfield – Resident of district for 15 years, retired from law enforcement but still does part time assignments

Dawn McDaniel – 2 children graduated from Bentley, 1 a current Senior, Dental Hygienist/Office Manager

Brian Osborn – Resident most of his life, Alumni, 2 children have graduated, 2 children current students, owns Construction Business since 1996

Gary Wines – Resident 9 years, 2 children currently attend, works at Huntington Bank in management/private banking

Candidate Questions:

1. *Why are you interested in serving on the school board?*
2. *What do you see as the role of a school board member? What skills do you possess that would make you an asset to the school board?*
3. *What do you see as some of the challenges facing our school district.*
4. *At times, you may be caught between legitimately opposing points of view. There may be a difference between your personal point of view and the policy or law that you're required to uphold as a trustee. How will you handle this?*
5. *Are you willing to pursue the skills, the knowledge and the training necessary to become a fully functioning and effective board member?*
6. *After review and discussion on significant issues, the board operates by a majority vote. When the majority vote is different from your position, how might you manage the situation?*
7. *How might you respond to a parent who wants support on a particular hot issue?*

Each candidate answered the questions and scores were tallied. Mrs. Dawn McDaniel received the highest number of tallies and will be nominated for the BOE vacancy.

VII. ACTION ITEMS – ROLL CALL

- a. Approve appointment of Mrs. Dawn McDaniel as Trustee to fill the BOE vacancy.
Motion by Amanda Mobley, supported by Toby Bauldry, to approve the appointment of Mrs. Dawn McDaniel as Trustee thru December 21, 2022 as presented.

*(Roll Call Vote) Ayes: 6 Mobley, Bailey, Bauldry, Blosser, Burge and Woodruff
Nays: 0 Motion Carried: 6 – 0*

VIII. ROUNDTABLE

- a. *BOE Regular Meeting – Monday, February 8, 2021 @ 5:00 p.m. – Virtual via Google Meet*
- b. *BOE Special Meeting/Superintendent Evaluation Training – Wednesday, February 10, 2021 @ 5:00 p.m.*

IX. ADJOURNMENT

Motion by Amanda Mobley, supported by Katrina Bailey, that the meeting be adjourned.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:43 p.m.

Toby Bauldry, Secretary
Bentley Board of Education