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The Rainier School District Announces Finalists for Superintendent Interviews

The Rainier School District retained the services of McPherson & Jacobson, L.L.C. to assist in conducting their search. The consultants reviewed, screened, and conducted extensive background checks on 17 applicants. On May 8, 2024 the consultants presented the applicants to the Rainier School Board and provided them detailed background information on each applicant. The board selected 3 candidates as finalists.

Rainier, Oregon – The Rainier School District Board of Directors is pleased to announce that they have selected 3 candidates to interview for their superintendent vacancy. The candidates selected for interviews and the scheduled interviews are:

- Chad Holloway of Cloverdale, Oregon. Chad is a district level administrator for the Nestucca Valley School District in Cloverdale. He will interview Monday, May 13 with a community forum at 6:00 PM in the Rainier School District Auditorium.
- James Shank of Ocean Shores, Washington. James is the superintendent of the North Beach School District in Ocean Shores. He will interview Monday, May 13 with a community forum at 7:00 PM in the Rainier School District Auditorium.
- Angela Allen of Longview, Washington. Angela is the Associate Director for Learning Standards for the Office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction for the State of Washington. She will interview Thursday, May 16 with a community forum at 6:00 PM in the Rainier School District Auditorium.

During the day of interviews, numerous stakeholder groups will have the opportunity to meet the final candidates and submit input to the school board about each of them. The community is invited to attend the individual community forums for each candidate and will be able to submit input to the school board as well. The school board intends to make their selection by May 24, 2024

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