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Wyoming Area School District
Reorganization Meeting of the Wyoming Area Board of Education
252 Memorial Street, Exeter, Pennsylvania, 18643
Thursday, December 2, 2021, 6:00 p.m.

The Reorganization Meeting of the Wyoming Area Board of Education was held this evening in the Secondary Center auditorium, 252 Memorial Street, Exeter, Pennsylvania, 18643. Twenty people of the public were in attendance. A non-public executive session preceded the meeting. Mr. Campenni, President of the Board, asked everyone to stand for the Pledge of Allegiance. Mr. Campenni called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Roll Call: **Mr. Philip Campenni, President**
 Mr. Carmen Bolin, Treasurer
 Ms. Lara Best
 Mr. Leonard Pribula
 Mr. Gerald Stofko
 Mrs. Toni Valenti

Absent: **Mr. Nicholas DeAngelo**
 Mr. John Marianacci, Secretary
 Mrs. Kimberly Yochem, Vice President

Also present were: Janet Serino, Superintendent, Attorney Jarrett J. Ferentino, Thomas Melone, Business Consultant, Cathy Ranieli, Assistant Secondary Center Principal, Shaun Rohland, Assistant Principal of Discipline/Kindergarten Principal, Robert Galella, Director of Curriculum/Assistant Director of Special Education, Vanessa Nee, Director of Special Education, Brian Strazdus, Elementary Principal of Intermediate Center, David Pacchioni, Elementary Principal of Primary Center, Angelo Falzone, Director of Transportation/Attendance, Betsy O'Malley, Food Service Director, Frank Pugliesi, Facilities Director, Isaac Darby, Student Representative.

At this time, Mr. Campenni thanked everyone on the board for his year as president and for the many accomplishments: the pool is just about over half way complete, tennis courts are going to be put out to bid and will be fixed in the upcoming months, the air conditioning at JFK, ionization units in the district buildings, a completed teacher's contract, they completed a support staff contract and most of all got all the kids back to school. This was done by everyone. Administration did a tremendous job making sure everyone was safe coming back, the Superintendent, all school principals, Bobby Galella. Mr. Campenni thanked the outgoing board members: Carmen, John, Nick and Kim and current board members, Jerry, Toni, Lenny and Lara and looked forward to working together and getting things accomplished. With the new board members coming on Mr. Campenni congratulated them and looked forward to working with everyone. Mr. Campenni also thanked the support staff.

Motion to Adjourn Sine Die

Motion by Ms. Best, that the Board stand adjourned Sine Die. Second by Mr. Stofko.

Roll Call: Mrs. Valenti, yes, Ms. Best, yes, Mr. Bolin, yes, Mr. Stofko, yes, Mr. Pribula, yes, Mr. Campenni, yes.

Motion passed.

Election of Temporary Chairman

Ms. Best nominated Mr. Stofko as Temporary Chairman. Second by Mr. Pribula.

Motion by Mr. Campenni to close nominations. Second by Mr. Bolin.

All of those in favor vote aye __6__

All of those opposed __0__

5. Presentation of Certificates of Election

The Temporary Chairman of the Board announced four Certificates of Election were in his/her possession. They are as follows:

David Alberigi
Joseph Kopko
Paul Porfirio
Michael Supey

David Alberigi, Joseph Kopko, Paul Porfirio and Michael Supey were elected to a four- year term as Wyoming Area Board of Directors on November 2, 2021.

Motion by Mr. Campenni, that the Certificates of Election of these four individuals be received, accepted and placed on file. Second by Ms. Best.

Roll Call: Mrs. Valenti, yes, Ms. Best, yes, Mr. Bolin, yes, Mr. Stofko, yes, Mr. Pribula, yes, Mr. Campenni, yes.

Motion passed.

Oath of Office

The Temporary Chairman invited the new Directors to come to the table. The Temporary Chairman introduced the individuals. The Honorable Thomas F. Burke, Jr. administered the Oath to David Alberigi, Joseph Kopko and Paul Porfirio. The Honorable Alexandra Kokura Kravitz administered the Oath to Michael Supey.

Seating of Legally Elected School Board Directors

The Temporary Chairman stated: "The following individuals are legally elected members of the Wyoming Area School Board: David Alberigi, Joseph Kopko, Paul Porfirio and Michael Supey".

Election of Permanent President for 2021-2022

The Temporary Chairman entertained nominations for Permanent President.

Mr. Alberigi nominated Mr. Supey for permanent President. Second by Mr. Porfirio.

Mrs. Valenti nominated Ms. Best for permanent President. Second by Mr. Pribula.

Motion by Mr. Campenni to close nominations. Second by Mr. Stofko.

Roll Call for Mr. Supey as president: Mr. Alberigi, yes, Ms. Best, no, Mr. Kopko, yes, Mr. Porfirio, yes, Mr. Pribula, no, Mr. Stofko, yes, Mr. Supey, yes, Mrs. Valenti, no, Mr. Campenni, yes.

Motion by Mr. Alberigi to close nominations. Second by Mr. Stofko.

Motion passed for Mr. Supey as President.

9. Election of Vice President for 2021-2022

The newly elected President entertained nominations for Vice President.

Mr. Supey nominated Mr. Campenni for Vice President. Second by Mr. Stofko.

Motion by Mr. Campenni to close nominations. Second by Mr. Stofko.

Roll Call: Mr. Alberigi, yes, Ms. Best, yes, Mr. Kopko, yes, Mr. Porfirio, yes, Mr. Pribula, yes, Mr. Stofko, yes, Mr. Supey, yes, Mrs. Valenti, yes, Mr. Campenni, yes.

Motion passed.

Election of Secretary (4 year term)

The newly elected President entertained nominations for Secretary.

Mr. Supey nominated Mr. Alberigi for Secretary. Second by Mr. Porfirio.

Motion by Mr. Campenni to close nominations. Second by Mr. Kopko.

Roll Call: Mr. Alberigi, yes, Ms. Best, yes, Mr. Kopko, yes, Mr. Porfirio, yes, Mr. Pribula, yes, Mr. Stofko, yes, Mr. Supey, yes, Mrs. Valenti, yes, Mr. Campenni, yes.

Motion passed.

Election of Treasurer for 2021-2022

The newly elected President entertained nominations for Treasurer.

Mr. Supey nominated Mr. Kopko as Treasurer. Second by Mr. Campenni.

Motion by Ms. Best to close nominations. Second by Mr. Stofko.

Roll Call: Mr. Alberigi, yes, Ms. Best, yes, Mr. Kopko, yes, Mr. Porfirio, yes, Mr. Pribula, yes, Mr. Stofko, yes, Mr. Supey, yes, Mrs. Valenti, yes, Mr. Campenni, yes.

Motion passed.

Appointment of School Solicitor

The newly elected President entertained nominations for School Solicitor.

Mr. Supey nominated Jarrett Ferentino as School Solicitor. Second by Mrs. Valenti.

Motion by Ms. Best to close nominations. Second by Mr. Campenni.

Roll Call: Mr. Alberigi, yes, Ms. Best, yes, Mr. Kopko, yes, Mr. Porfirio, yes, Mr. Pribula, yes, Mr. Stofko, yes, Mr. Supey, yes, Mrs. Valenti, yes, Mr. Campenni, yes.

Motion passed.

Designation of Bank Depository

The newly elected President asked for a motion to designate the following bank(s) as bank depository.

Motion by Mr. Supey to designate FNCB as Bank Depository(s). Second by Mr. Campenni.

Roll Call: Mr. Alberigi, yes, Ms. Best, yes, Mr. Kopko, yes, Mr. Porfirio, yes, Mr. Pribula, yes, Mr. Stofko, yes, Mr. Supey, yes, Mrs. Valenti, yes, Mr. Campenni, yes.

Motion passed.

Election of Pennsylvania School Boards Association Liaison

The newly elected President entertained nominations for Pennsylvania School Boards Association Liaison.

Ms. Best nominated Mrs. Valenti as P\$BA Liaison. Second by Mr. Stofko.

Motion by Mr. Supey to close nominations. Second by Mr. Campenni.

Roll Call: Mr. Alberigi, yes, Ms. Best, yes, Mr. Kopko, yes, Mr. Porfirio, yes, Mr. Pribula, yes, Mr. Stofko, yes, Mr. Supey, yes, Mrs. Valenti, yes, Mr. Campenni, yes.

Motion passed.

Election of Representatives to the West Side Career & Technology Center Joint Operating Committee

The newly elected President entertained nominations for representatives to serve on the WSC&TC Joint Operating Committee for a three year term and a two year term.

Mr. Supey nominated Ms. Best for a three year term.

Ms. Best declined. This position was tabled and will be filled at the December board meeting.

Mr. Supey nominated Mr. Porfirio for a two year term. Second by Mr. Campenni.

Motion by Mr. Campenni to close nominations. Second by Mr. Stofko.

Roll Call: Mr. Alberigi, yes, Ms. Best, yes, Mr. Kopko, yes, Mr. Porfirio, yes, Mr. Pribula, yes, Mr. Stofko, yes, Mr. Supey, yes, Mrs. Valenti, yes, Mr. Campenni, yes.

Motion passed.

Election of Luzerne Intermediate Unit #18 Representative

The newly elected President entertained nominations for representative for the Luzerne Intermediate Unit #18.

Mrs. Valenti nominated Mr. Campenni as LIU #18 Representative. Second by Alberigi.

Motion by Mr. Stofko to close nominations. Second by Ms. Best.

Roll Call: Mr. Alberigi, yes, Ms. Best, yes, Mr. Kopko, yes, Mr. Porfirio, yes, Mr. Pribula, yes, Mr. Stofko, yes, Mr. Supey, yes, Mrs. Valenti, yes, Mr. Campenni, yes.

Motion passed.

Designation of Dates, Times and Place of Monthly Work Sessions and Regular Meetings of the Board of Education

The work sessions of the Wyoming Area Board of Education will be held on the third Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the Secondary Center auditorium. The regular meetings will be held on the following Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the Secondary Center auditorium.

Work Session

**Tuesday, January 18, 2022
Tuesday, February 15, 2022
Tuesday, March 15, 2022
Tuesday, April 19, 2022
Tuesday, May 17, 2022
Tuesday, June 21, 2022
Tuesday, July 19, 2022
Tuesday, August 16, 2022
Tuesday, September 20, 2022
Tuesday, October 18, 2022
Tuesday, November 15, 2022**

Regular Meeting

**Tuesday, January 25, 2022
Tuesday, February 22, 2022
Tuesday, March 22, 2022
Tuesday, April 26, 2022
Tuesday, May 24, 2022
Tuesday, June 28, 2022
Tuesday, July 26, 2022
Tuesday, August 23, 2022
Tuesday, September 27, 2022
Tuesday, October 25, 2022
Tuesday, November 22, 2022**

**Reorganization Meeting: TBA
December Meeting: TBA**

**All those in favor vote aye 9
All those opposed 0**

Appointment of Committee Chairpersons

Finance	Mr. Kopko
Education	Ms. Best
Activities	Mr. Porfirio
Buildings & Grounds	Mr. Campenni
Bids	Mrs. Valenti
Policy	Mr. Supey
Technology	Mr. Porfirio
Police	Mr. Kopko

**All those in favor vote aye 9
All those opposed 0**

Motion to set the Date(s) for December Board Meeting(s)

Motion by Mr. Stofko to set the date(s) on December 14, 2021 at 7:00 p.m. Second by Mr. Campenni.

Roll Call: Mr. Alberigi, yes, Ms. Best, yes, Mr. Kopko, yes, Mr. Porfirio, yes, Mr. Pribula, yes, Mr. Stofko, yes, Mr. Supey, yes, Mrs. Valenti, yes, Mr. Campenni, yes.

Motion passed.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:20 p.m. on a motion by Mr. Stofko second by Mr. Campenni.

Michael Supey, President

David Alberigi, Secretary