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Gobles Public Schools

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**GOBLES PUBLIC SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION ANNUAL ORGANIZATIONAL OPEN MEETING
MINUTES FOR JANUARY 15, 2018
7:00 P.M.**

I. Call to order

Board President, Mr. Terry Doyle, opened the Regular Board of Education Open Meeting at 7:00 p.m. at the Gobles MS/HS library.

II. Pledge of Allegiance

III. Roll Call

Board Members Present: Mr. Kelli Rumery, Mr. Terry Doyle, Mr. Russ Aspinwall, Mrs. Susan Dalton-Akers, and Mr. Dan Baker.

Board Members Absent: Mrs. Paula Sipes, and Mrs. Rachel Keeley

Staff Members Present: Mr. Jeff Rehlander, Mr. Phil McAndrew, and Mr. Terry Breen

IV. OATH OF OFFICE FOR NEW BOARD MEMBERS

Mr. Brian Beam, appointed on January 15, 2018 to assume a term starting 1/15/2018 and ending 12/31/2018, as determined by the Board of County Canvassers of Van Buren County. Mr. Brian Beam hereby accepted the office of Member of the Board of Education of Gobles Public School, Van Buren and Allegan Counties on January 15, 2018. Prior to assuming the role as a Board of Education Member, the legal requirement is to take an oath of office.

Mrs. Janice Quakenbush, appointed on January 15, 2018 to assume a term starting 1/15/2018 and ending 12/31/2018, as determined by the Board of County Canvassers of Van Buren County. Mrs. Janice Quakenbush hereby accepted the office of Member of the Board of Education of Gobles Public School, Van Buren and Allegan Counties on January 15, 2018. Prior to assuming the role as a Board of Education Member, the legal requirement is to take an oath of office.

V. Selection of Board of Education Officers

- a. Nominations for Board President- Mr. Daniel Baker nominated Mr. Russ Aspinwall for Board President.

I, Mr. Daniel Baker, move that the Board of Education appoint Mr. Russ Aspinwall as Board President. Motion was seconded by Mrs. Susan Dalton-Akers. **MOTION CARRIED 7-0.**

- b. Nominations for Board Vice President- Mr. Russ Aspinwall nominated Mr. Terry Doyle for Board Vice President.

I, Mr. Russ Aspinwall, move that the Board of Education close nominations and cast a unanimous ballot for Mr. Terry Doyle as Board Vice President. Motion was seconded by Mr. Daniel Baker. **MOTION CARRIED 7-0.**

- c. Nominations for Board Treasurer- Mr. Russ Aspinwall nominated Mrs. Susan Dalton-Akers as Board Treasurer.

I, Mr. Russ Aspinwall, move that the Board of Education close nominations and cast a unanimous ballot for Mrs. Susan Dalton-Akers as Board Treasurer. Motion was seconded by Mr. Kelli Rumery. **MOTION CARRIED 7-0.**

- d. Nominations for Board Secretary- Mr. Russ Aspinwall nominated Mr. Daniel Baker for Board Secretary.

I, Mr. Russ Aspinwall, move that the Board of Education close nominations and cast a unanimous ballot for Mr. Daniel Baker as Board Secretary. Motion was seconded by Mr. Kelli Rumery. **MOTION CARRIED 7-0.**

VI. BOARD COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS – I, Mr. Dan Baker move, that the Board of Education approve the following Board Committees. Motion was seconded by Mr. Brian Beam. **MOTION CARRIED 7-0.**

Finance Committee: Chairperson-Mrs. Susan Dalton-Akers, Mr. Russ Aspinwall, and Mr. Brian Beam. ***Ad Hoc for Strategic Planning: Chairperson-*** Mr. Terry Doyle and Mrs. Janice Quakenbush. ***Facilities Committee: Chairperson-***Mr. Kelli Rumery, Mr. Dan Baker and Mr. Terry Doyle ***Policy Committee: Chairperson-*** Mr. Dan Baker, Mrs. Janice Quakenbush, and Mr. Russ Aspinwall. ***Student Affairs Committee: Chairperson-*** Mr. Terry Doyle, Mr. Kelli Rumery and Mrs. Susan Dalton-Akers.

- VII. SELECTION OF COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD REPRESENTATIVE – I, Mr. Russ Aspinwall, move that the Board of Education appoint Mr. Dan Baker to serve as the County School Board Representative for 2018. Motion seconded by Mrs. Susan Dalton-Akers. **MOTION CARRIED 7-0.**
- VIII. SELECTION OF FOUNDATION REPRESENTATIVE – I, Mr. Russ Apinwall, move that the Board of Education appoint Mr. Daniel Baker to serve on the Foundation Board of Directors for 2018. Motion was seconded by Mr. Brian Beam. **MOTION CARRIED 7-0.**
- IX. ADJOURN THE ANNUAL ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

The meeting was adjourned at 7:15 p.m.

Daniel Baker, Secretary
Gobles Board of Education