

OPENING OF SPECIAL MEETING 4/9/2021

The Copper Country Intermediate School District Board of Education held a special meeting on **Friday, April 9, 2021**, at the Intermediate Service Center, 809 Hecla Street, Hancock, Michigan, beginning at 9:00a.m.

The meeting opened with the reciting of the **“Pledge of Allegiance.”**

ROLL CALL

MEMBERS PRESENT: Gale W. Eilola, presiding; Nels S. Christopherson, Dale, Kero, Adam Loukus, Timothy Palosaari and Lisa A. Tarvainen. **MEMBERS PRESENT VIRTUALLY:** Karen M. Johnson. **MEMBERS ABSENT:** None. **ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF MEMBERS PRESENT:** Shawn Kolbus, Kristina Penfold, Jason Auel, Katrina Carlson **GUESTS PRESENT:** LEA Superintendents and ISD Staff attended intermittently.

AGENDA

It was recommended by Vice-President Gale W. Eilola that the submitted agenda be adopted as presented. It was moved by Mr. Palosaari and seconded by Mr. Kero to adopt the agenda as presented. All yeas; motion carried.

SUPT. INTERVIEWS

The Board of Education collected written responses that Superintendent candidates were asked to complete upon their arrival. They then interviewed the three finalists in the following order:

9:00a.m. Michael Richardson
10:30a.m. Susan Tollefson

RECESS

It was moved by Mr. Kero and seconded by Dr. Loukus to recess for lunch at 11:56a.m. All yeas; motion carried.

RECONVEINE

It was moved by Mrs. Tarvainen and seconded by Mr. Kero to reconvene the interviews at 1:22p.m. All yeas; motion carried.

SUPT. INTERVIEWS CON'T

1:30p.m. James Rautiola

DISCUSSION RE' CANDIDATES

The Board discussed the candidate's interviews, written responses and comment sheets submitted by members of the audience at length.

TABLE THE DISCUSSION & OFFER OF EMPLOYMENT

It was moved by Mr. Palosaari and seconded by Mr. Kero to table the discussion and offer of employment. All yeas; motion carried.

PUBLIC COMMENTS.....Public was invited to complete the public comment forms.

ADJOURNMENT It was moved by Mr. Palosaari and seconded by Mr. Kero to adjourn the meeting at 3:55p.m. All yeas; motion carried.

Dale J. Kero, Secretary
Copper Country ISD Board of Education

Karen M. Johnson, President
Copper Country ISD Board of Education