



CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF BEDFORD  
115 S. Uldriks Drive, Battle Creek, MI 49037  
February 14, 2023 – 5:00 PM  
SPECIAL BOARD MEETING  
MINUTES

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**1. CALL TO ORDER 5:06 PM**

**2. MOMENT OF REFLECTION**

**3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**4. ROLL CALL ATTENDANCE**

Joni Jones, Supervisor; Joyce Feraco, Clerk; Erica Miller, Treasurer (arrived at 5:15 PM); Barry Beamish, Trustee; Kraig Dingman, Trustee; Stacy Greenwood, Trustee; Mark Hires, Trustee.

**5. APPROVAL OF February 14, 2023 AGENDA**

Moved by Trustee Hires, supported by Trustee Dingman to approve the February 14, 2023 agenda, as submitted..

**ROLL CALL**

6 – Yes

1 – Absent (Treasurer Miller arrived at 5:13 PM)

Motion carried

**6. PUBLIC COMMENT (Agenda items only)**

None

**7. REVIEW OF CANDIDATE APPLICATIONS FOR SUPERINTENDENT**

Board members reviewed submitted applications/resumes. Two candidates who had submitted applications withdrew from consideration prior to the meeting. Five candidates selected for interviews based upon education and/or experience, by consensus.

**8. SET DATE/TIME FOR INTERVIEWS**

Discussion regarding best date/time for interviews. Moved by Trustee Beamish, supported by Trustee Dingman to schedule interviews for **Thursday, March 2 at 7:00 PM**, and to authorize. Supervisor Jones to inform each of the six selected candidates as to date and process.

**ROLL CALL**

7 – Yes

Motion carried

## 9. PUBLIC COMMENT

- Two citizens expressed their continued dissatisfaction with the Board's actions.

## 10. FINAL BOARD COMMENTS

- Trustee Hires – Stated he is looking forward to the interviews and learning more about the candidates.
- Trustee Greenwood – No comment.
- Trustee Beamish – Stated that a resident's comments attacking Supervisor Jones were inappropriate.
- Trustee Dingman – No comment.
- Treasurer Miller – Stated she questions the process that was followed for the hiring of a superintendent..
- Clerk Feraco – No comment.
- Supervisor Jones – Stated that information has been consistently shared at township meetings throughout this process. She will contact the candidates to let them know date/time for interviews.

## 11. ADJOURNMENT at 5:54 PM

  
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Joni Jones, Supervisor

  
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Joyce Feraco, Clerk