Frenchtown School Board of Trustees Meeting

May 16, 2023 – Special School Board Meeting Trustee Reorganizational Meeting

Shared Project Area - Middle School - Upon conclusion of regular scheduled board meeting

I. Call to Order: The Special School Board Meeting was called to order by Board Chair Jami Romney FitzGerald at 9:31 p.m. Trustees in attendance were Bryce Simpson, Shiloh Lucier, Noah Peters, Rainier Batt and Amanda Hansen. Also in attendance were Superintendent Les Meyer, Principals Jake Haynes, Aaron Griffin, Riley Devins and Jodi Hall, Assistant Principal Beth Terzo, Special Services Coordinator Jennifer Demmons and District Clerk Shauna Anderson.

II. Business

- A. Review/Action: Swear-In Trustees
 - District Clerk Shauna Anderson swore in the newly elected trustees Shiloh Lucier and Bryce Simpson with the Oath of Office. Each trustee will serve a three-year term.
- B. Review/Action: Call for Nominations for Chairman to Serve During the Ensuing Year
 Rainier Batt nominated Shiloh Lucier to serve as Board Chair for the ensuing year. Closed nominations, only one nomination.
- C. Review/Action: Election of a Chair
 - A vote was held regarding the nomination of Shiloh Lucier as Board Chair. Shiloh Lucier, Bryce Simpson, Noah Peters, Amanda Hansen and Rainier Batt voted in favor Shiloh Lucier. Jami Romney FitzGerald opposed. Shiloh Lucier was elected Board Chair by a vote of 5-1. Public discussion none. Board discussion none. Unanimous.
- D. <u>Review/Action: Assumption of Office by the New Chair</u> Shiloh Lucier assumed the Board Chair position.
- E. <u>Review/Action: Call for Nominations for Vice-Chairman to Serve During the Ensuing Year</u>
 Amanda Hansen nominated Jami Wright as Vice Chair for the ensuing year. Closed nominations, only one nomination.
- F. Review/Action: Election of a Vice-Chair
 - Public discussion none. Board discussion none. Shiloh Lucier, Bryce Simpson, Noah Peters, Amanda Hansen and Rainier Batt voted in favor of Jami Wright. Jami Romney FitzGerald opposed. Jami Wright was elected Vice-Chair by a vote of 5-1.
- G. Review/Action: Appointment of a Clerk
 - Trustee Bryce Simpson recommended appointing Shauna Anderson as School District Clerk for FY24. Public discussion none. Board discussion none. Unanimous.
- H. Information/Discussion: Reorganization of the School Board Committees
 - Committees will be reorganized during the June regular board meeting. Jami Romney FitzGerald, Bryce Simpson and Jami Wright will serve on the negotiations committee for the upcoming meetings.
- I. <u>Review/Action: Approve Resolution and Contract Appointing Missoula Co Election Department to</u> Handle Election Procedures for 2023-2024
 - Bryce Simpson made a motion to approve the Trustee Resolution Requesting County Conduct Elections and the 2023-2024 Election Contract with the Missoula County Elections Administration. Rainier Batt seconded the motion. Public discussion none. Board discussion none. Unanimous.

III. **ADJOURNMENT -** ADJOURNED 9:43 p.m.

Approved: June 20, 2023

Respectfully Submitted,

/s/ Shiloh Lucier Board Chair /s/ Shauna Anderson District Clerk