

TREMONT COMMUNITY UNIT DISTRICT #702
MINUTES FOR SPECIAL MEETING
May 11, 2023 at 6:30 p.m.

Call to Order: 6:31 p.m.

Roll Call -	Kilgus – present	Smith – present
	Kaiser - present	Ulrich - present
	Ropp –present	Sumer - present
	Gierich -present	

Results of Canvass

Kevin Ulrich – 579
Robert Ropp – 526
Drew Gierich – 517
Kevin Smith – 481
Dana Stuber – 391

Proclaim the Results of the Election

Kevin Ulrich, Robert Ropp, Drew Gierich and Kevin Smith have been elected to four-year terms to the Tremont District #702 Board of Education.

Seating of New Board Members

Sean Berry: I will now affirm the newly-elected members of the school board:

Sean Berry to new board members: Please repeat after me:

I (Ulrich, Ropp, Gierich and Smith) do solemnly affirm that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of member of the Board of Education of Tremont Community Unit School District #702, in accordance with the Constitution of the United States, the Constitution of the State of Illinois and the laws of the State of Illinois, to the best of my ability.

I further affirm (by saying “I Will”):

I shall respect taxpayer interests by serving as a faithful protector of the school district’s assets;

I shall encourage and respect the free expression of opinion by my fellow board members and others who seek a hearing before the board, while respecting the privacy of students and employees;

I shall recognize that a board member has no legal authority as an individual and that decisions can be made only by a majority vote at a public board meeting; and

I shall abide by majority decisions of the board, while retaining the right to seek changes in such decisions through ethical and constructive channels.

Adjourn

With there being no old business to come before this board, motion by **Ropp** to adjourn sine die at **6:34** p.m. Second by **Kilgus**.

Yea – 6

Nay – 0

Motion Carried: 6-0

Organization of New Board

Robert Ropp (Vice President) will appoint Temporary Chairman and Secretary for Organizational Meeting

Chairman – **Robert Ropp**

Secretary – **Renee Kaiser**

Volkan Sumer, President

Renee Kaiser, Secretary