

**LAFAYETTE PARISH SCHOOL BOARD**

**SPECIAL BOARD MEETING**

**Monday, October 16, 2000 - 6:30 P. M., LEDA Building**

**Beverly Wilson, President, Presiding**

The School Board of the Parish of Lafayette, State of Louisiana, met in special session at the LEDA Building, Lafayette, Louisiana, on Monday, October 16, 2000 at 6:30 P. M., pursuant to notice given in writing to every member.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Beverly Wilson, President; Michael Hefner, Vice-President; Judy H. Cox, Kay Gibson, John Earl Guidry, Carl LaCombe, Edward Sam, David Thibodaux, Board Members

MEMBERS ABSENT: Rickey Hardy

The President reconvened the meeting and informed the Board that the purpose of the meeting was to begin the interviews for the selection of Superintendent for the Lafayette Parish School System.

Motion (Hefner, Gibson) that the Board go in executive session to interview Dr. James Easton, candidate for the position of Superintendent for the Lafayette Parish School System. Motion carried. Thibodaux requested that he be recorded as voting No.

Motion (Gibson, Cox) that the Board go back to regular session. Motion carried.

There being no further business, the Chair recessed the meeting until Tuesday, October 17, 2000 when the Board will interview the second finalist for the Superintendent's position.

**Tuesday, October 17, 2000 - 6:30 P. M., LEDA Building**

**Beverly Wilson, President, Presiding**

MEMBERS PRESENT: Beverly Wilson, President; Michael Hefner, Vice-President; Judy H. Cox, Kay Gibson, John Earl Guidry, Carl LaCombe, Edward Sam, Board Members

MEMBERS ABSENT: Rickey Hardy, David Thibodaux (Business)

The Board President reconvened the meeting.

Motion (Sam, Hefner) that the Board add to the agenda another semi-finalist to the interview list. Motion carried.

Motion (Gibson, Hefner) that the Board add Dr. Craig Bangtson to the list of semi-finalists to interview. Motion carried.

Motion (Gibson, Hefner) that the Board go in executive session to interview Dr. Joan P. Kowal, semi-finalist for the position of Superintendent for the Lafayette Parish School System. Motion carried.

Motion (Hefner, Sam) that the Board go back to regular session. Motion carried.

There being no further business, the Chair recessed the meeting until Wednesday, October 18, 2000 when the Board will interview the third semi-finalist for the Superintendent's position.

**Wednesday, October 18, 2000 - 6:30 P. M., LEDA Building**

**Beverly Wilson, President, Presiding**

MEMBERS PRESENT: Beverly Wilson, President; Michael Hefner, Vice-President; Judy H. Cox, Kay Gibson, John Earl Guidry, Carl LaCombe, Edward Sam, David Thibodaux, Board Members

MEMBERS ABSENT: Rickey Hardy

The Board President reconvened the meeting.

Motion (Gibson, Sam) that the Board go in executive session to discuss inviting Dr. Craig Bangtson for an interview on Monday, October 23, 2000. Motion carried.

Thibodaux entered the meeting.

Motion (Cox, Hefner) that the Board go back to regular session. Motion carried.

Motion (Hefner, Cox) that Dr. Craig Bangtson be extended the opportunity to interview with the Lafayette Parish School Board for the position of Superintendent on Monday, October 23, 2000 and in the event that he is unable to make that date, that he be dropped for consideration as a semi-finalist. Motion carried.

Motion (Hefner, Gibson) that if Dr. Craig Bangtson is able to interview on Monday, October 23, 2000 that a Special Board Meeting be set up for Tuesday, October 24, 2000 at 9:30 A. M. in the Board Room of the Administrative Building to select the finalists for the Superintendent's position. Motion carried.

Motion (Cox, Gibson) that the Board go in executive session to interview Dr. Chip Zullinger, semi-finalist for the position of Superintendent for the Lafayette Parish School System. Motion carried. Thibodaux requested that he be recorded as voting NO.

Motion (Gibson, Cox) that the Board go back to regular session. Motion carried.

There being no further business, the Chair recessed the meeting until Friday, October 20, 2000 when the board will interview the fourth semi-finalist for the Superintendent's position.

**Friday, October 20, 2000 - 6:30 P. M., LEDA Building**

**Beverly Wilson, President, Presiding**

MEMBERS PRESENT: Beverly Wilson, President; Michael Hefner, Vice-President; Judy H. Cox, Kay Gibson, John Earl Guidry, Carl LaCombe, Edward Sam, David Thibodaux, Board Members

MEMBERS ABSENT: Rickey Hardy

The Board President reconvened the meeting.

Motion (Guidry, LaCombe) that the Board go in executive session to interview Dr. Jerry Roy, semi-finalist for the position of Superintendent for the Lafayette Parish School System. Motion carried. Thibodaux requested that he be recorded as voting NO.

Motion (Gibson, Sam) that the Board go back to regular session. Motion carried.

There being no further business, the Chair recessed the meeting until Monday, October 23, 2000 when the Board will interview the fifth semi-finalist for the Superintendent's position.

**Monday, October 23, 2000 - 6:30 P. M., LEDA Building**

**Beverly Wilson, President, Presiding**

MEMBERS PRESENT: Beverly Wilson, President; Judy H. Cox, Kay Gibson, John Earl Guidry, Carl LaCombe, Edward Sam, David Thibodaux, Board Members

MEMBERS ABSENT: Rickey Hardy, Michael Hefner, Vice-President (Illness)

The Board President reconvened the meeting.

Motion (Gibson, Sam) that the Board go in executive session to interview Dr. Craig Bangtson, semi-finalist for the position of Superintendent for the Lafayette Parish School System. Motion carried. Thibodaux requested that he be recorded as voting NO.

Motion (Gibson, Sam) that the Board go back to regular session. Motion carried.

There being no further business it was moved by LaCombe, seconded by Thibodaux and carried that the meeting adjourn.

SIGNED:

/s/Beverly Wilson, President

/s/Burnell Lemoine, Acting Secretary-Treasurer

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