

Shepherd, Michigan  
June 7, 2021

In accordance with Section 380.614(2) of the Revised School Code, the Biennial Election of the Gratiot-Isabella Regional Education Service District (RES D) Board of Education was held with designated representatives of the constituent school districts of the Regional Education Service District at Winding Brook Conference Centre at 8240 S. Genuine Rd., Shepherd, Michigan, on Monday, June 7, 2021 at 5:00 p.m.

RES D members present were: Cathy Hungerford, Don Schurr, Matthew Showalter, Tom Steere and Dr. Timm Thorsen. Members absent were: Dr. Cheri Booth and Bill Henderson. Also present were Dr. Jan Amsterburg, Superintendent; Wendy Giles, Administrative Assistant to the Superintendent; Marty Combs, Associate Superintendent for Special Services; Kevin Kolb, Associate Superintendent for Finance.

The meeting was called to order at 5:00 p.m. by Dr. Timm Thorsen, President, RES D Board of Education.

The first item of business was to conduct the biennial election to elect two (2) members to the Gratiot-Isabella Regional Education Service District Board of Education. Both positions are for six year terms.

President Thorsen read the Notice of Election and gave a brief explanation of the voting procedure to be used in this election.

President Thorsen appointed Martin Combs and Kevin Kolb as election inspectors and they were duly sworn in.

The roll call of the constituent districts was called and ballots were distributed to designated representatives. The representatives present were:

Alma Public Schools	David Justin
Ashley Community Schools	Kurt Densmore
Fulton Schools	Amy Case
Ithaca Public Schools	Tom Clark
Mt. Pleasant Public Schools	Tim Odykirk
Shepherd Schools	Katie Eisenberger
St. Louis Public Schools	Don Kelley

Upon completion of the balloting, the Election Inspectors counted the votes. After completing the tally sheet, Kevin Kolb, Election Inspector, announced the results of the voting as follows:

Six Year Terms:

Julie Pierce – 6 votes  
Matthew Showalter – 7 votes

President Dr. Thorsen declared Julie Pierce and Matthew Showalter as elected to six year terms.

Kevin Kolb reviewed the 2021-2022 General Fund Budget.

Being no further business before the Board, a motion to adjourn was made by Matthew Showalter and supported by Tom Steere. President Dr. Timm Thorsen adjourned the meeting at 5:19 p.m.

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Tom Steere, Secretary

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Dr. Timm Thorsen, President