

## Press Release

Last night the Byron Board of Education identified three candidates as finalists for the open Superintendent of Schools position. Michigan Leadership Institute Regional President Tim Stein, shared that following first round interviews, the Board of Education spent time reviewing interview notes, candidate application materials and public interview feedback forms to arrive at a decision. Each board member identified two to three candidates to move forward in the process. The votes were tallied to determine the finalists. The following candidates were selected as finalists:

- **Nathan Aquilina**, Director of Human Resources, Linden Community Schools in Linden, Michigan
- **Ted Berryhill**, Principal of Mason Middle School, Mason Public Schools in Mason, Michigan
- **Brandon Chapman**, Principal of Bendle High School, Bendle Public Schools in Burton, Michigan

The Board will hold final round interviews immediately following the 6:00 p.m. regular Board of Education meeting on Monday, March 18, 2024 and 6:00 p.m. Tuesday, March 19, 2024. Final round interviews will include a twenty-minute presentation by the candidate followed by a forty-minute interview by the Board. Interviews will be held in the Byron High School Media Center. Parents, students, staff, and community members are welcome to attend and will be allowed to provide written feedback regarding candidates to the Board following each interview. The Board is also planning a Meet the Candidates Open House on Wednesday, March 20<sup>th</sup> from 5:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. at the high school. All interested parents, students, staff, and community members are asked to attend and provide feedback to the Board.

### Interview Schedule:

Monday, March 18, 2024, following 6:00 p.m. Board meeting

**Ted Berryhill**, Principal of Mason Middle School, Mason Public Schools

Tuesday, March 19, 2024, 6:00 p.m.

**Brandon Chapman**, Principal of Bendle High School, Bendle Public Schools

Tuesday, March 19, 2024, immediately following first interview

**Nathan Aquilina**, Director of Human Resources, Linden Community Schools