

On December 6, 2010 the Reorganization Meeting of the Board of School Directors of the Spring-Ford Area School District was called to order at 7:30 p.m. in the cafeteria of the Spring-Ford High School with the following in attendance:

Region I: Edward T. Dressler, Jr., Bernard F. Pettit and David R. Shafer

Region II: Clara M. Gudolonis, Julie A. Mullin and Donna L. Williams

Region III: Joseph P. Ciresi, Mark P. Dehnert and Thomas J. DiBello

Presiding Officer:

Superintendent: Dr. Marsha R. Hurda

Business Manager: Timothy Anspach

Solicitor: Marc Davis, Esq.

Student Rep.:

Board Secretary, Mrs. Fern, opened the meeting with the call to order, roll call and the Pledge of Allegiance.

I. PURPOSE OF THE MEETING (By Marc Davis, Solicitor)

Mr. Davis explained that the Pennsylvania School Code requires that annually during the first week of December the Members of the School Board meet and reorganize. The Board will elect a new Board President and Vice President as well as fill any vacancies that have occurred. Mr. Davis informed everyone that following the adjournment from the reorganization meeting the regular December Board Meeting will be called to order and conducted.

II. PUBLIC TO BE HEARD ON AGENDA ITEMS ONLY

There were no public comments.

III. NOMINATION AND ELECTION OF TEMPORARY BOARD PRESIDENT

Mrs. Fern opened the floor up for nominations of a Temporary Board President. Mr. Pettit nominated Mrs. Mullin. There were no other nominations. Mr. DiBello made a motion to close the nominations and Mr. Pettit seconded it. Mrs. Mullin was elected as the Temporary Board President by a vote of 9-0.

IV. Nominations and Election for the Office of Board President

Mrs. Mullin opened the floor up for nominations of a Board President. Mr. Pettit nominated Mr. Ciresi and Mr. Shafer seconded it. There were no other nominations. Mr. DiBello made a motion to close the nominations and Mr. Pettit seconded it. Mr. Ciresi was elected as the Board President by a vote of 9-0.

V. Nominations and Election for the Office of Board Vice President

Mr. Ciresi opened the floor up for nominations of a Board Vice President. Mr. Pettit nominated Mr. DiBello. There were no other nominations. Mr. Pettit made a motion to close the nominations and Mr. Dehnert seconded it. Mr. DiBello was elected as the Board Vice President by a vote of 9-0.

- VI. Vocational-Technical School Operating Committee Members** – Members of the Joint Committee for the Area Vocational-Technical School serve three year terms. One term expires each year to assure continuity in the operation of the joint program. The most recent representatives and the date of expiration for their terms is as follows:

Edward T. Dressler, Jr.	2010
Julie A. Mullin	2011
Joseph P. Ciresi	2012

Mr. Ciresi opened the floor up for nominations to serve on the Vocational-Technical School Operating Committee. Mr. DiBello nominated Mr. Dressler for the term which will expire in December of 2013 and Mr. Pettit seconded it. Mr. Dehnert made a motion to close the nominations and Mr. Shafer seconded it. Mr. Dressler was elected to the Joint Committee for the Area Vocational-Technical School by a vote of 9-0.

- VII.** The Board President should designate a **Member** and an **Alternate** to serve on the **Montgomery County School Directors Legislative Committee**. This committee is sponsored by the Montgomery County Intermediate Unit Board of Directors to provide a forum in which local directors can learn about legislative issues, which can affect education in Montgomery County. Mr. DiBello presently serves in this capacity and Mrs. Mullin serves as the alternate.

Mr. Ciresi designated Mr. DiBello to continue to serve on the Montgomery County School Directors Legislative Committee. Mr. Ciresi designated Mrs. Mullin to continue to serve as the alternate.

- VIII.** The Board should also appoint a **PSBA Liaison** to represent the Spring-Ford Area School District. Mr. DiBello currently serves in this capacity.

Mr. Ciresi designated Mr. DiBello to continue to serve as the PSBA Liaison.

- IX.** Approval is recommended for the attached Listing of Work Session/Board Meeting Dates for 2011 (Attachment)

Mr. Shafer made a motion to approve Item IX and Mr. DiBello seconded it. The Listing of the Work Session /Board Meeting Dates for 2011 was approved.

- X. PUBLIC TO BE HEARD**

There were no comments from the public

- XI. ADJOURNMENT**

Mr. DiBello made a motion to adjourn and Mr. Pettit seconded it. The motion passed 9-0. The Reorganization Meeting adjourned at 7:44 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane Fern
Board Secretary

TENTATIVE
2011 SCHEDULE OF MEETING DATES

SPRING-FORD AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF SCHOOL DIRECTORS

**ALL WORK SESSIONS AND BOARD MEETINGS WILL BE HELD
IN THE SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL CAFETERIA ON THE THIRD AND FOURTH
MONDAY OF THE MONTH AT 7:30 P.M.
UNLESS DESIGNATED OTHERWISE.**

	<u>WORK SESSION</u>	<u>BOARD MEETING</u>
JANUARY	18 (*Tues)	24
FEBRUARY	14	22 (*Tues)
MARCH	21	28
APRIL	18	26 (*Tues)
MAY	16	23
JUNE	20	27
JULY	Emergency Only as Called by the Board President Or Superintendent of Schools	
AUGUST	15	22
SEPTEMBER	19	26
OCTOBER	17	24
NOVEMBER	21	28
DECEMBER	5 (Organizational meeting and board meeting)	12 (Optional)

* TUESDAY SESSION DUE TO MONDAY BEING A SCHEDULED
HOLIDAY OFF FROM SCHOOL