

**COLONIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT  
PLYMOUTH MEETING, PA 19462  
MINUTES, DECEMBER 15, 2008.**

President Orlow convened the special meeting of the Colonial Board of School Directors at 7:02 p.m. in the Superintendent's Conference Room located in Colonial Elementary School on December 15, 2008.

**Board Members Present:** Tom Davis, Gary Johnson, Hope Luken, Sue Moore, Marc Orlow and Steven Slutsky.

**Board Members Absent:** Dr. Bill Ryan and Mitch Zimmer.

**Note:** One seat on the Board is presently vacant.

**Also Attending:** David M. Sherman, Community Relations Coordinator/Board Secretary.

Mr. Orlow led the Pledge of Allegiance.

**Public Comments on the Agenda:** None.

Mr. Sherman introduced Veleska Jefferies, the first of five candidates to be interviewed for the vacant School Board seat. Mrs. Luken excused herself from Ms. Jefferies interview because of a conflict of interest. Mr. Sherman was not present for any of the interviews. Other candidates included Gregory C. Ensslin, Kathleen Oxberry, Lenora Bruno and Marci Blum. Mr. Ensslin's wife Judy accompanied him during his interview. Mrs. Luken left the meeting at 8:30 p.m.

Following the interviews, the Board members considered the qualifications and merits of each candidate. Mr. Johnson moved and Mrs. Moore seconded a motion to appoint Mr. Ensslin to the Board with Mrs. Bruno serving as first alternate. On a roll call vote, all voted in favor. The motion was carried, 5-0.

Following the meeting, Mr. Ensslin withdrew his application. Mrs. Bruno was appointed to fill the remaining year of Dr. Pascal Scoles' term.

**Public Comment:** None.

There being no further business before the Board, Mr. Orlow adjourned the meeting at 10:00 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,



David M. Sherman  
Board Secretary