

Bedford County Department of Education

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MEMORANDUM

TO:

Bedford County

FROM:

Diane Neeley, Chairwoman

SUBJECT:

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS SELECTION PROCESS

DATE:

October 28, 2020

The Bedford County Board of Education will be employing a new Superintendent of Schools. A key part of this process is to provide everyone an opportunity to be heard. Dr. Tammy Grissom, Executive Director of the Tennessee School Boards Association will lead several meetings designed to determine views about the issues and challenges facing our school system and Superintendent of Schools.

To provide everyone an opportunity to be heard, five meetings have been scheduled at the Blue Ribbon Circle (1110 N. Evans St., Shelbyville) on November 5, 2020 as follows:

Noon

Mayors, Commission, City Council, Officials, Community/Business Leaders & School

Board

2:00 p.m.

Classified Staff (Secretaries, Paraprofessionals, Cafeteria Staff, Maintenance, Custodial, Etc.)

3:00 p.m.

Central Office Staff, Supervisors and Principals

4:00 p.m.

Teachers

6:00 p.m.

Community Forum to include Bus Drivers & Other Staff who could not attend an earlier meeting

If you are unable or do not wish to attend a meeting, a link will be provided on the school system website (bedfordk12tn.com) to a TSBA survey that will allow you to provide input on the superintendent search.

We urge everyone to take the time to let us know what leadership skills will be needed to effectively serve Bedford County students. Your comments will help us determine the criteria to be used in selecting our new Superintendent of Schools.

The selection of our next Superintendent of Schools is very important to us all and we look forward to your assistance with this decision.