

Bexley City
School
District
Superintendent
Candidates

March 2, 2017

Dr. James Morse, HYA

Dr. Edward Tivador, HYA



Mark Tompkins

- Superintendent, Harbor Springs Public Schools (K-12), MI, 9 years, 900 students, 12 million budget, \$135,000 salary
- Principal, East Grand Rapids Public Schools (K-12), 13 years
- Senior Consultant, High/Scope Educational Research Foundation, MI, 15 years
- Adjunct Instructor, Spring Arbor University, 2011-present



Education

- Ph.D., Educational Leadership, Western Michigan University (In progress 2017)
- Ed.M., Educational Administration, Harvard University, 1984
- B.S., Anthropology, Albion College, 1978

What recommendations say:

- Good leadership style, good thinker, well respected, ahead of the curve
- Progressive thinker, well respected
- Bexley would be a great fit, no reservations about him
- Willing to challenge the status quo, very professional
- What you see is what you get, very honest
- Active listener, good communicator

Why recommend?

- Experience in high expectation districts
- Current superintendent
- Completing Doctorate in 2017
- Approachable
- Good reputation
- Relationship builder
- Knows curriculum

Dr. Thomas Harwood

- Deputy Superintendent, Kalamazoo RESA, 1.6 years, 93 million budget
- Superintendent, Grosse Pointe Schools, 3 years, 8,300 students
- Assistant Superintendent of HR and Executive Director of Student Services, Grosse Pointe Schools, 5 years
- Superintendent, Glen Lake and Suttons Bay Schools, 3 years, 2000 students
- Executive Director of Student Services, Lake Orion Community Schools, 4 years, 7,400 students
- Principal and School Psychologist

Education

- Ed.D., Ed. Leadership, Eastern Michigan U., 2011
- Specialist of Arts, School Psychology, Eastern MI U, 1990
- M.A., Clinical Psychology, Western MI U, 1985
- B.S., Psychology, WMU, 1982

What recommendations say:

- Top AP programs, award programs for struggling learners to close achievement gaps, Board President
- Dedicated to the success of each child
- Strong professional development programs and implemented instructional rounds
- Attuned to educational and budgetary issues, mastery of school finance
- “I wondered if he slept because he was always at events, before, during and after school. He understands the importance of effective, efficient and timely communication with the Board of Education” Board member

Why recommend?

- Superintendent experience in several districts
- Doctorate
- Focus on high achievement and struggling learners
- Understands importance of finance
- Visible in community

Kimberly Miller

- Chief Academic Officer, Dublin City Schools (OH), 3 years, 15,783 students, 193 million budget, \$152,000 salary
- Assistant Superintendent, Loveland City Schools(OH), 2 years, 4,700 students
- M.S. Principal, Indian Hill Valley Schools, 3 years, 550 students
- Assistant Principal, Lakota School District, 800 students

Education

- Ed.D., Miami University, Ohio (In Progress 2018)
- Supt. License, Xavier University, Ohio
- M.Ed., Ed. Leadership, 1991
- B.S. English, Ohio State University, 1989

What recommendations say

- Intelligent, well read, well researched opinions, passion about education
- Relates well with people, good communicator, would rehire in a heartbeat, Hillard Superintendent
- Best instrumental leaders in 32 years, good listener, natural leader, absolutely ready for superintendency, hard worker, skilled communicator, M.S. Principal, Dublin
- Visionary, high expectations, strong

Why recommend?

- Experience in high expectation, high achieving districts
- Working on Doctorate
- Knows teaching and learning (K-12 experience)
- Strong communicator, inspires people and can execute programs
- Good at assessing situations and developing vision with staff and community