



Ocean View School District

Press Release

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OCEAN VIEW SCHOOL DISTRICT TO CONTINUE SUPERINTENDENT SEARCH

Ocean View School District Board of Trustees President Tracy Pellman announced at last evening's Board Meeting that the Board and Dr. James Kidwell, the top candidate in the District's search for a new superintendent, were unable to reach a contractual agreement. Dr. Kidwell is currently the Deputy Superintendent of the Ontario-Montclair School District.

Dr. Edward A. Sussman, retired superintendent, Downey Unified School District, will continue as Interim Superintendent until a permanent superintendent is placed. Human Resource consultant Dr. Alan Rasmussen, and District Financial consultant Charlene Wing-Chandler, will also be continuing with the District.

"The Board acted in the best interest of the District throughout this process and worked hard to come to an agreement with Dr. Kidwell. I am confident we are on track in the search for the right person to lead this District," said Dr. Sussman.

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