

**Independence Community School Board Meeting  
Special Meeting  
October 25, 2017**

A special meeting of the Independence Community School Board was called to order at 6:00 pm by President Eric Smith at the Administration Building, Independence, Iowa on October 25, 2017.

Members Present: President Eric Smith, Brian C. Eddy, Kim Hansen, Jennifer Sornson and Gina Trimble.  
Board Secretary: Laura Morine

1. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
2. CONSIDERATION OF ACTION ON CONSENT ITEMS  
President Smith asked the board to consider amending the agenda to include an agenda item for Superintendent search firm discussion.  
Motion by Eddy to amend and approve the agenda by adding agenda item - Discussion of Superintendent search firm discussions, seconded by Trimble to amend and approve the agenda. Motion carried unanimously.
3. OLD BUSINESS
  - A. Superintendent Search Firm Presentation – McPherson & Jacobson, L.L.C.
  - B. Superintendent Search Firm Presentation – Grundmeyer Leader Search
  - C. The Board deliberated after the presentations.
  - D. Sornson moved, seconded by Eddy, to hire Grundmeyer Leader Search as our Superintendent Search Firm. Motion carried unanimously.
4. ADJOURN – Motion by Hansen, second by Trimble to adjourn at 8:34 pm. Motion carried unanimously.

Eric B. Smith  
Board President

Laura Morine  
Board Secretary