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## **PLSD chooses Finding Leaders for Superintendent Search**

**Perkins Township** – The Perkins Local Schools Board of Education hosted three search firms at its recent meeting as it seeks to hire the district’s next superintendent after accepting the resignation of current superintendent Jodie Hausmann.

Finding Leaders of Sagamore Hills; Ohio School Boards Association, based in Columbus; and K-12 Business Consulting, Inc., located in New Albany, presented executive search services information to the Board of Education during its regular meeting March 14. At the conclusion of the meeting, the Board moved to hire Finding Leaders to head the superintendent search.

Finding Leaders will work closely with the Board to determine the desired qualities and characteristics of the new superintendent; advertise the job opening to a broad pool of potential candidates; identify and recruit known highly qualified candidates; screen and review all candidates; recommend finalists; and assist the Board throughout the interview process. In addition, the firm will continue to support the Board and new superintendent after the change in leadership in order to provide continuity and ensure effective implementation of the transition plan.

The position will be advertised immediately. Candidates will be screened and interviewed the following week, with semi-finalists and focus group results reported to the Board by May 11. Two rounds of interviews are planned, and the final selection for superintendent is expected by June 1. More information regarding focus groups and stakeholder participation in the search will follow in the weeks to come.

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*The Perkins Local School District Board of Education meets on the second Wednesday of each month at 6:00 p.m. in Room 301 at Perkins High School.*