

**Board of Education Members** 

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Dear TUFSD Community,

It is with great pleasure that the Tuxedo Union Free School Board of Education announces that Mr. Timothy Bohlke has been named as the next Superintendent of Schools in the TUFSD. Mr. Bohlke was appointed at the June 20 Board of Education meeting and will begin work in the District on July 1<sup>st</sup>.

The appointment comes at the end of a somewhat short, yet fruitful search process during which several qualified candidates were interviewed.

In Mr. Bohlke, the Board is overwhelmingly confident that we have found an innovative and progressive leader who will enthusiastically guide our District into the future.

Mr. Bohlke comes to Tuxedo with 20 years of experience in K-12 education in which he has served as a building administrator for 16 years, both at the elementary and high school levels, as well as a classroom teacher. Mr. Bohlke is a graduate of Widener University, where he earned a Bachelor of Science degree, and Mercy College, where he earned his Master's in Instructional Technology as well as an advanced certificate in School Administration. As part of his continuing education he has attended Harvard Graduate School of Education, where his focus was school leadership. Most recently, he has served as Interim Assistant Superintendent in the Liberty Central School District.

We continue to await a decision from the Commissioner of Education with regard to the consolidation of our Superintendent and Principal positions. As soon as we receive word, it is our hope to appoint Mr. Bohlke as principal in George F. Baker High School as well. We will keep the community informed via the District website in the coming weeks.

Please join us in extending a heartfelt, warm welcome to Mr. Bohlke!

Sincerely,

The Board of Education