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School Board Names Steve Barnette Sole Finalist to Be Next Paulding County School District Superintendent

The Paulding County Board of Education has named Steve Barnette the sole finalist to be the next superintendent of the Paulding County School District. Mr. Barnette was approved as the sole finalist at the school board's regular meeting today. Georgia law requires that 14 days pass between a candidate being named finalist and the appointment becoming official. The school board will vote on final approval following that period. In May, the school board had named Mr.

Barnette interim superintendent effective June 1, 2021.

The Paulding County School District is located in Dallas, Georgia. With 33 schools, more than 30,000 students, and more than 3,800 employees across the county, the school district strives to Engage, Inspire and Prepare students for success today and tomorrow. More information about the school district can be found at www.paulding.k12.ga.us.



Steve Barnette