

**MINUTES**  
**AMHERST ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING**  
**April 5, 2007**  
**Amherst Town Hall Meeting Room**

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Dr. Jennings called the Organizational Meeting to order at 6:08 p.m. **CALL TO ORDER**

Dr. Jennings spoke about the SAU39 losing a member of their community and asked that meeting attendees have a moment of silence in memory of the departed student from the Amherst Middle School.

Present:

**ATTENDENCE**

Amherst School Board: Peg Bennett, Dwight Brew, Pam Dudoff, Nancy Head and Jim O'Mara (arrived 6:11 p.m.)

Administrative Team: Porter Dodge, Dr. Mary Jennings, Elizabeth Shankel, Kathy Skoglund and Gerry St. Amand.

Minutes Recorder: Lyn Jennings

- A. Chair – Dr. Jennings called for nominations for Chair of the Amherst School Board.

**ELECTION OF OFFICERS**

Nancy Head moved to nominate Dwight Brew. Dwight Brew accepted the nomination. Dr. Jennings asked for further nominations but none were offered, nominations were closed.

Members of the board voted in favor of the nomination to elect Dwight Brew as Amherst School Board Chair and the nomination passed with one abstention, Dwight Brew.

Dr. Jennings congratulated Dwight Brew as the Board Chair.

Dr. Jennings turned the board meeting over to Chairman Dwight Brew.

- B. Vice Chair – Dwight asked for nominations for Vice Chair.

Peg Bennett moved to nominate Nancy Head as Vice

Chair. Nancy accepted the nomination. Dwight asked for further nominations but none were offered, nominations were closed.

Members of the board voted in favor of the nomination to elect Nancy Head as Vice Chair and the nomination passed with one abstention, Nancy Head.

C. Secretary – Dwight Brew asked for nominations for Secretary.

Pam Dudoff moved to nominate Jim O’Mara as Secretary. Jim accepted the nomination. Dwight asked for further nominations however, none were offered.

Five members of the board voted in favor of nominating Jim O’Mara as Secretary and the nomination passed

Dwight Brew told board members they would address committee assignments during the regular board meeting.

Nancy Head moved to adjourn the organizational meeting Peg Bennett seconded the motion. All board members voted in favor of the motion. The motion passed. The meeting adjourned at 6:12 p.m.

**ADJOURNMENT OF  
ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING**