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Ocean City Board of Education Launches Superintendent Search

Ocean City, N.J. - At a special meeting on Tuesday, April 18, the Ocean City School District (OCSD) Board of Education unanimously agreed on next steps to launch the search for a superintendent to lead the PreK – 12 school district. The new superintendent will replace current superintendent, Matthew Friedman, Ed.D.

According to Ocean City BOE president, Chris Halliday, the district took the first step today, Friday, April 21, by posting for the position through the New Jersey Association of School Administrators (NJASA), <https://www.njasa.net> and on the school district's website, <https://oceancityschools.org/superintendentsearchinformation>. The deadline to apply is Friday, May 5, 2023.

"The board of education has experience conducting a superintendent search and will draw from lessons learned to find an exceptional, dedicated leader for our district," said Halliday. "We are resolute in our commitment to hire a superintendent who understands the distinctive needs of our South Jersey community and shares our ambition to prepare Ocean City students for success today and well into their futures."

According to Halliday, the board of education is working on an accelerated timeline to receive applications and interview candidates to lead Ocean City's schools. "At this time, we do not know the date when a new superintendent will join the district," said Halliday. "I want to emphasize that although our goal is to bring on a new superintendent as soon as possible, our highest priority is finding the right individual – someone who is truly deserving of the position," said Halliday.