

**Willsboro CSD
Superintendent Search Update**

**Board Statement Read by Board President, Phyllis Klein, at May 2, 2018
Board Meeting**

On behalf of the district I want to thank everyone for their interest and involvement in the Superintendent search process. It certainly has been some time since Willsboro has searched for a new Superintendent and it's great to see so much interest.

Just so that everyone is informed, the Board is continuing to interview prospective candidates for the Superintendent position. We are pleased that we received nearly a dozen candidates and have been able to narrow that down to about half of that number. After a first round of interviews, we will engage in a second round of interviews. As many of you know, a community advisory group is also meeting prospective candidates and sharing input.

All of this is being done after having surveyed the community and received considerable input about the qualities and characteristics desired of a new school leader.

In terms of the process itself, it is of course confidential. The search for a new school leader is a personnel matter and by its nature and by law, confidential. This is to ensure a fair process for all candidates as well as to respect the confidentiality of those who have applied.

The way in which the Search is being conducted is consistent with superintendent searches conducted elsewhere, in the North Country and other parts of the state.

Again, we greatly appreciate the interest and involvement of all involved.

We will be posting the status of the Search on the district website as we continue through the process.”