

To the Kendall Community:

It is with sincere gratitude that I write this letter to you. Kurt Hardenbrook, our Kendall representative on the Monroe 2-Orleans BOCES Board, has decided to not seek reelection when his three-year term concludes at the end of June. We thank Mr. Hardenbrook for his hard work and dedication to Kendall Central School District.

While we are sad to see Kurt's time come to an end, this allows the opportunity for another member of the Kendall community to represent our district on the BOCES Board.

Monroe 2-Orleans BOCES Board of Cooperative Education is a corporate body and derives its powers and duties from the state of New York. The basic mission of BOCES is to benefit the people of our area by enhancing the quality of education and training through shared resources.

The board is made up of nine members elected to represent the component districts within the BOCES 2 area. Representatives would be elected from areas but really represent all the students of the supervisory district. Typically, the board meets the third Wednesday of the month.

All authority rests with the board as a whole and not with any individual member or any group of members in any committee. The board has the final responsibility for whatever takes place in the BOCES 2 system. For that reason, all final policy decisions are placed in the hands of the board.

Any eligible voter who resides within the boundaries of a component school district and is eligible to hold office in that district may be elected to the board; the candidate does not need to be a member of the district's board of education.

If you are interested in being a part of the BOCES 2 Board or have any questions, please contact Julie Christensen at 659-2741. Deadline for submitting interest in the position is 2/14/2012 with the term beginning on July 1, 2012.

Once again, Kendall thanks Mr. Hardenbrook for his time on the BOCES 2 board and looks forward to welcoming the next elected community member.

Sincerely,
Julie Christensen
Superintendent of Schools
Kendall Central School District