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July 29, 2025

Dana Kalczuk
18 Hornbeam Way
Hamburg, NJ 07419

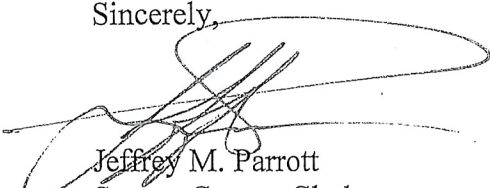
Dear Ms. Kalczuk,

Pursuant to our conversation on July 29, 2025, please be advised that a formal objection has been made pertaining to your school board petition for the Hardyston Township Board of Education. The objection received on Tuesday, July 29, 2025 by the Sussex County Clerk's Office, was made in writing by Mr. David Van Ginneken. I had a phone conversation with Mr. Van Ginneken and informed him you would be notified that a formal objection had been submitted and that you will have the opportunity to respond to any and all issues.

Enclosed you will find the objection including exhibits pertaining to mandatory residency requirements (N.J.S.A. 18a:12-1). Please provide documents pertaining to your residency history and anything you may deemed relevant to your response. The Clerk will make the determination on Thursday, August 7 (N.J.S.A. 19:60-7). Please ensure our office receives your complete response by **Tuesday, August 5, 2025** allowing for sufficient time to thoroughly review all submissions.

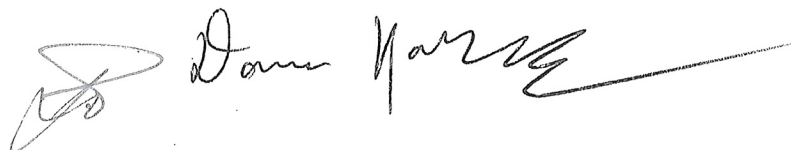
Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,


Jeffrey M. Parrott
Sussex County Clerk

Cc: David Van Ginneken

Received Tues / July 29, 2025
2:45 pm in person meeting



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August 1, 2025

Mr. David Van Ginneken
132 Hillside Drive
Hamburg, NJ 07419

Dear Mr. Van Ginneken,

Please be advised that on July 29, 2025 at approximately 2:45 p.m., Dana Kalczuk came to the County Clerk's Office and met with me and my Senior Deputy Clerk, Angela Rosa, regarding the formal petition objection pertaining to mandatory residency requirements (N.J.S.A. 18A:12-1). Ms. Kalczuk was given a copy of your formal objection for her records and provided requested documentation for review. Enclosed you will find a copy of the following:

- School Affidavit of Residence – Dated 9/9/2024
- Letter from Dr. Michael Ryder, Hardyston Township School Superintendent – Regarding Residency Hearing
- Notarized Letter from her mother, Geraldine Kalczuk – Dated 7/29/2025

During the meeting, Senior Deputy Rosa and I presented several question to Ms. Kalczuk to assist in ascertaining if she meets the one year residency requirement set forth by New Jersey State statute N.J.S.A. 18A: 12-1. Upon our investigation, it was discovered that in September 2024, Ms. Kalczuk's voter registration address was updated to Franklin. Both Ms. Rosa and I questioned Ms. Kalczuk about the update. Ms. Kalczuk did not know how or why she was registered to vote in Franklin as she maintains she never lived there. It is has happened that a voter registration address is changed inadvertently when a home is sold or car registration is renewed. Her current driver's license lists her residency as 18 Hornbeam Way, Hamburg, New Jersey, which is in Hardyston Township.

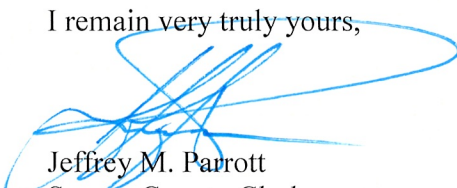
- a) Ms. Kalczuk was fully aware at the time of signing the Oath of Allegiance that her signature certifies that she meets the "minimum one year" residency requirement for a Board of Education candidate.
- b) Ms. Kalczuk stated her husband resides at 33 Maple Road, Franklin, New Jersey; she has never resided there. Ms. Kalczuk and her husband are separated with the understanding that her daughter will visit her father at his Franklin residence.

I have reviewed the information submitted by yourself, David Van Ginneken, and petitioner, Dana Kalczuk. The photos submitted with the objection do not substantiate that Ms. Kalczuk resided in Franklin. After thoughtful consideration of all the documentation provided, I find that Ms. Kalczuk has met the requirements to remain on the 2025 General Election ballot for the Hardyston Township Board of Education.

This response meets the August 7 deadline for determination of a petition challenge (N.J.S.A. 19:60-7).

Thank you for your time.

I remain very truly yours,



Jeffrey M. Parrott
Sussex County Clerk

Cc: Dana Kalczuk

SCHOOL AFFIDAVIT OF RESIDENCE

(To be filled out by the Hardyston resident *i.e. homeowner/renter)

Name: Dana Kalczuk
(Natalia Kollmann)

Date: 9/9/24

Street Address: 13358 Route 94 Switching to 18 Hornbeam Way

City, State, Zip: Hamburg, NJ, 07419

To Whom This May Concern;

I, Geraldine Kalczuk, hereby attest and claim the individual known

as Dana Kalczuk resides at the street address of 18 Hornbeam
way, City of Hamburg, State of NJ

and has since 9/13, 2024

Furthermore, I swear and affirm under penalty of perjury that the facts set forth in this statement are true and accurate.

Sincerely,

Geraldine Kalczuk
Dana Kalczuk

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NEWTON, NJ 07860

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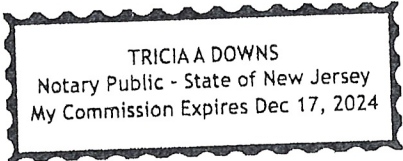
Notary Acknowledgment

A Notary Public or other officer completing this certificate verifies only the identity of the individual who signed the document to which this certificate is attached, and not the truthfulness, accuracy, or validity of that document.

State of NT
County of SUSSEX

On Sept 9, 2024, before me, TRICIA DOWNS, Notary Public,
personally appeared Grandine Kabak who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory
evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument
and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized
capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or
the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of New Jersey
that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.



Place Notary Seal Above

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Signature [Handwritten Signature]
Print Name TRICIA DOWNS

7/29/25

To whom it may concern,

I, Dana Kalczuk and my daughter
Natalia Kollmann reside at
18 Hornbeam Way, Hamburg, NJ 07419.
We are Hardyston residents and
reside with Geraldine Kalczuk.
Prior to I resided in Hardyston for 19 yrs.

Thank you,

Dana Kalczuk

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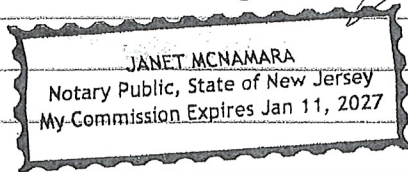
Geraldine Kalczuk

Acknowledged By

[Signature]

7/29/25

Notary



----- Forwarded message -----

From: **Dana Kalczuk** <danakalczuk@gmail.com>

Date: Fri, Jul 25, 2025 at 2:27 PM

Subject: Re: Decision

To: Mike Ryder <mryder@https.org>

Ok I will get the letter notarized and to the school. Thank u

On Mon, Jul 14, 2025 at 9:52 AM Mike Ryder <mryder@https.org> wrote:

Dear Ms. Kalczuk,

Good morning. I apologize for the delay in this message- I thought it was to come from the attorney and he thought I was going to do it. This is to officially inform you of the outcome of your residency hearing, which took place before the Board of Education on June 10, 2025. After considering all the information and documents you presented, the Board decided that as of now, your child may remain enrolled in the Hardyston School District. However, given the information you provided regarding your living situation, the Board requests that you provide either a court order, or a signed notarized statement from both you and your husband, stating that you both agree your child should remain in the Hardyston School District. The Board believes that having this statement in your child's file would clarify the issue for administrators moving forward.

Should your living situation change in the future, or if it is determined that you no longer reside in the school district, the administration may revisit this enrollment status in the upcoming school year. For now, however, no change will occur and your child may continue to attend school. We look forward to receiving your signed statement. If you have any questions, please contact me. Thank you.

Dr. Michael Ryder

Superintendent of Schools

Hardyston Township Public Schools

973-823-7000 ext. 1080 | mryder@https.org

To Mr. Bydun,
Per your request, this is to inform you that both parents of Natalia Erdmann agree for her
to remain in the Hurdston School District.

Thank you.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
COUNTY OF HUNTERDON
JAN 28 2023
BY: [Signature]



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COUNTY OF HUNTERDON
JAN 28 2023
BY: [Signature]

