

VVC Board to Discuss Appointment Process

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VICTORVILLE * The Victor Valley College Board of Trustees will hold a special meeting on Thursday, hoping to agree on the process to fill its vacant trustee position.

The board is split on how to appoint a new member for a seat on the board that was left vacant when former Vice President Michael Krause resigned June 30.

A trustee can be appointed by one of three ways: special election, applicant interviews conducted by the board, or appointing a runner-up candidate from the previous election.

Board President Lorrie Denson and trustee Joseph W. Brady believe interviewing applicants is the best possible choice. Trustees Dennis Henderson and John Pinkerton are opposed and feel former trustee Joe Range would be the best option.

"I hope that we can find some common ground," Pinkerton said. "We've got a lot of big things ahead of us to worry about. We're closing in on all the accreditation points, we're looking for a full-time interim superintendent/president. We have some huge stuff that we're doing right now and I believe the best thing we can do is use the election results from November, which puts Joe Range in a runner-up position."