STATE OF WISCONSIN

BEFORE THE WISCONSIN EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Petition of

ALFRED HETZLER

Involving Certain Employes of

GREEN BAY BOARD OF EDUCATION. JOINT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1

Case XV No. 15542 ME-782 Decision No. 11200

Appearances:

Mr. Alfred Hetzler, Mr. Alex Hujet, Mr. John Edwards, and Mr. Roland Wozniak, appearing on behalf of the Petitioner.

Mr. Ervin L. Doepke, City Attorney; Mr. Theodore Honle, and Mr. Donald Vander Kelen, Negotiator, appearing on behalf of the Municipal Employer.

Mr. Milton Doehler, Business Representative; and Mr. Jerry Jahnke, Business Manager, appearing on behalf of Fox River Valley District Council of Carpenters Local 1146.

Mr. Robert J. Oberbeck, Executive Director, appearing on behalf of the Intervenor.

DIRECTION OF ELECTION

Alfred Hetzler having filed a petition with the Wisconsin Employment Relations Commission wherein he requested that the Commission conduct an election pursuant to Section 111.70, Wisconsin Statutes, among certain employes of the Green Bay Board of Education, Joint School District No. 1; and hearing on said petition having been held at Green Bay, Wisconsin, on July 12, 1972, Herman Torosian, Hearing Officer, being present; and during the course of said hearing City of Green Bay Municipal Employees Union, Local 1672-B, AFSCME, AFL-CIO, having been permitted to intervene in the proceeding on the basis of its claim that it represents the employes involved in the matter; and the Commission having reviewed the evidence and positions of the parties and being fully advised in the premises and being satisfied that a question of representation has arisen concerning representation for certain employes of Green Bay Board of Education, Joint School District No. 1;

NOW, THEREFORE, it is

DIRECTED

That an election by secret ballot be conducted under the direction of the Wisconsin Employment Relations Commission within sixty (60) days from the date of this Directive among all carpenters employed by the Green Bay Board of Education, Joint School District No. 1, excluding all other employes of the Municipal Employer, who were employed by the Municipal Employer on July 13, 1972, except such employes as may prior to the election quit their employment or be discharged for cause, for the purpose of determining whether a majority of such employes desire to be represented for the purposes of collective bargaining by City of Green Bay Municipal Employees Union, Local 1672-B, AFSCME, AFL-CIO.

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Given under our hands and seal at the City of Madison, Wisconsin, this 4th day of August, 1972.

WISCONSIN EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

Rice II, Commissioner

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MEMORANDUM ACCOMPANYING DIRECTION OF ELECTION

Alfred Hetzler, employed as a carpenter by Green Bay Board of Education, Joint School District No. 1, by petition received April 20, 1972, has petitioned for an election to be conducted among all carpenters employed by Green Bay Board of Education, Joint School District No. 1. Said unit is the same unit certified by this Commission in 1968 as a separate craft unit.1/ The last collective bargaining agreement between the parties expired July 31, 1971.

At the outset of the hearing the City of Green Bay Municipal Employees Union, Local 1672-B, AFSCME, AFL-CIO, was permitted to intervene on the basis of its claim that it represents the carpenters. The Fox River Valley District Council of Carpenters Local 1146, by its representative, also appeared at the hearing and disclaimed any interest in representing the carpenters and specifically stated that it did not want to appear on the ballot in the event the Commission should direct an election.

The Intervenor requests the Commission to hold the instant matter in abeyance for two weeks pending the outcome of a complaint filed by City of Green Bay Municipal Employees Union, Local 1672-B, AFSCME, AFL-CIO with the AFL-CIO, Washington, D. C., against the Fox River Valley District Council of Carpenters Local 1146.

The Commission finds no reason to grant such a delay as requested by the Intervenor. The complaint filed by the Intervenor is strictly a matter between the Intervenor and Carpenters Local 1146 and is not pertinent in the instant proceeding where the carpenters, now represented by the Intervenor, are seeking an election to determine if said employes desire to continue being represented by Local 1672-B. There is no claim by Local 1146 that it represents the carpenters.

Based on the above the Commission has today directed an election in the instant case to determine if the carpenters employed by Green Bay Board of Education, Joint School District No. 1 wish to continue to be represented by the Intervenor, City of Green Bay Municipal Employees, Local 1672-B, AFSCME, AFL-CIO.

Dated at Madison, Wisconsin, this 4th day of August, 1972.

WISCONSIN EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

Morris Slavkey, Chairman

Zel S. Rice II, Commissioner

Green Bay Board of Education, Joint School District No. 1, Decision No. 8660, 10/68.