TO: Dr. Kent Mutchler

FROM: Dr. Adam Law

RE: Dismissal of Educational Support Personnel

DATE: March 13, 2023

It is our practice at this time of year to dismiss a certain number of part-time and select Educational Support Service Personnel because we are not sure at this point in time whether or not there will be sufficient need and/or grant funding next fall to employ these individuals.

In the event that certain Educational Support Service positions are not required in the next school year, the Board extends a notice of dismissal at this time in the school year to decrease the number of educational support personnel employed by the Board. Taking such action at this time in the school year protects the school district from employing individuals whose position may not be available due to budget reduction, enrollment uncertainty, program elimination, the sunset of COVID grant funding, or position reconfiguration.

I recommend that the Board adopt the attached resolution authorizing the dismissal of those Educational Support Service Personnel enumerated on the attached Exhibit 1.

Should you or any Board member have any questions about the dismissal process, please contact me.

## RESOLUTION FOR DISMISSAL OF EDUCATIONAL SUPPORT PERSONNEL

**WHEREAS**, this Board of Education has determined that the educational support personnel hereinafter set forth shall be honorably dismissed on May 26, 2023 as a result of the decision of this Board of Education to decrease the number of educational support personnel employees employed by the Board; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 10-23.5 of the *Illinois School Code* (105 ILCS 5/10-23.5) the Board is required to give these educational support employees written notice of honorable dismissal, stating the specific reasons therefor, not less than thirty (30) days prior to the employee's dismissal date.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Board of Education of Geneva Community Unit School District 304, as follows:

<u>Section 1.</u> That the following educational support personnel within the designated category of position are hereby honorably dismissed from employment in Geneva Community Unit School District No. 304, effective May 26, 2023 and will not be re-employed for the 2023-2024 school term by reason of the decision of this Board of Education to decrease the number of educational support personnel employed by the Board:

First Name	Last Name	Building	Position Assignment Desc
KARI	BRACEY	HES	KINDERGARTEN ASST-3.0 hrs
TERYN	BRYANT	WAS	SPECIAL ED ASSISTANT
CATHERINE	CARRINO	WAS	KINDERGARTEN ASST-3.0 hrs
COURTNEY	GRIMES	WES	KINDERGARTEN ASST-3.0 hrs
COLLEEN	KROHE	FES	SPECIAL ED ASSISTANT
STEPHANIE	MOUNTSIER	HES	KINDERGARTEN ASST-3.0 hrs
JANE	RUNYAN	HSS	KINDERGARTEN ASST-3.0 hrs
LINDSAY	SWEENEY	MCS	KINDERGARTEN ASST-3.0 hrs

**EXHIBIT 1** 

<u>Section 2.</u> The President and Secretary of this Board of Education are hereby authorized and directed to give these educational support employees written notice of this Board's decision to honorably dismiss them and not re-employ them for the 2023-2024 school term.

The notices shall be sent by certified mail, return receipt requested, at least thirty (30) days prior to the employees' respective dismissal dates and further, the notice and statement of honorable dismissal shall be substantially in the form of Exhibit 1 attached hereto.

Section 3. This Resol	ution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage.
Member second	moved adoption of the foregoing Resolution and Member ed it.
ADOPTED this 13th o	lay of March 2023, by the following vote:
AYES:	
NAYS:	
ABSENT:	
BOARD OF EDUCAT	ΓΙΟΝ OF GENEVA COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT 304
President, Board of Ed	ucation
ATTEST:	
Secretary, Board of Ed	lucation

Geneva Community Unit School District Number 304 227 N. Fourth Street Geneva, Illinois 60134 630/463-3000



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## NOTICE OF STATEMENT OF HONORABLE DISMISSAL

March 13, 2023

Very truly yours,

BY CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Name Address City, State Zip
Dear:
We regret to advise you that the Board of Education of Geneva Community Unit School District 304, pursuant to Section 10-23.5 of the <i>Illinois School Code</i> , has determined to decrease the number of educational support personnel employees employed by the Board. You will not be re-employed for the 2023-2024 school year and are hereby dismissed, effective May 26, 2023. This is an honorable dismissal. Accordingly, your employment with the School District shall terminate at the end of the school day on May 26, 2023.
This notice of dismissal is being sent to you pursuant to a Resolution of the Board of Geneva Community Unit School District 304, Illinois, duly adopted at a meeting held on March 13, 2023
Should you have any questions about this non-renewal notice, please contact Dr. Adam Law, Assistant Superintendent-Human Resources, at (630) 463-3050.
Thank you for your service to the students and teachers of Geneva District 304.

Board of Education
Geneva Community Unit School District 304

By: \_\_\_\_\_\_
Michael McCormick, President, Board of Education

ATTEST:

By: \_\_\_\_\_
Kent Mutchler, Secretary, Board of Education