Lakeland Joint School District #272

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DATE: September 17, 2025

TO: The Board of Trustees

FROM: Brook A. Cunningham, HR Director

RE: Alternative Authorization Approval - Connor Dremann and Cassidy Dexter

Cassidy Dexter

Cassidy Dexter has been recommended for hire as a 6–8 Electives Teacher. She is expected to complete her Master's in Education program at the end of this month. Administration is respectfully requesting an Alternative Authorization – Content Specialist. This authorization will allow her to be compensated while completing her student teaching. The authorization is valid for one year.

Connor Dremann

Lakeland High School has had a Biology position open for several weeks, with very few applicants in the candidate pool. The school has recommended Connor Dremann for the position. Mr. Dremann currently holds an Idaho endorsement in History and has scheduled a Praxis test to obtain his Biology endorsement. Administration is requesting a Teacher to New Alternative Authorization in the event he does not pass the Praxis and requires additional time. This authorization is valid for one year.