



Governing Board Agenda Item

Meeting Date: August 13, 2026

From: Dr. Daniel Streeter, Superintendent

Subject: Exceptional Student Services Director

Priority: Recruit, retain, and support highly effective staff, teachers, and leaders

Consent ☐ Action ☒ Discussion ☐

Background:

Last month, the District's Exceptional Student Services Director submitted her resignation.

Given the importance of this position to the Marana Unified School District and the need for a seamless leadership transition, we are pleased to recommend Sarah Clem for the position of Exceptional Student Services (ESS) Director. Sarah retired from this position on June 30, 2025, after serving in this role since 2016.

Most recently, Sarah has worked in the private sector supporting school districts with staffing solutions, compliance, onboarding, and workforce support. In addition, she provided professional development and consultation to District leaders and staff. Sarah regularly collaborated with recruiting, credentialing, and operations teams to ensure timely placement of highly qualified professionals.

Prior to assuming the ESS Director role in 2016, Sarah was an elementary principal in our District for four years and an associate principal in our District for two years.

Sarah holds a Bachelor of Science in Education degree from San Houston State University and a Master of Arts in Educational Leadership from Western New Mexico State University. In addition, Sarah is currently certified in the following areas:

- Standard Professional Principal Pre-K-12
- Standard Professional Cross Categorical Special Education K-12
- Standard Professional Elementary K-8

We are excited to welcome Sarah Clem back to the Marana Unified School District.

Recommended Motion:

I move that the Governing Board appoint Sarah Clem as the Exceptional Student Services Director effective August 17, 2026.

Approved for transmittal to the Governing Board: 
Dr. Daniel Streeter, Superintendent

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