Personnel Recommendations
Board of Education Meeting
October 27, 2026

Non-Certified Appointments

It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the following non-certified appointments for the 2026-27 school year.

Sonya Boyd -	Server at Frances Willard Elementary School Salary - $15.86/hourly
Delaney Carroll -	Paraprofessional at Edison Junior High School Salary - $21.46/hourly

Non-Certified Internal Transfer

It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the following non-certified internal transfer for the 2026-27 school year.

Sienna Mikaio -	Paraprofessional at Ridgewood Elementary School to Paraprofessional (Library) at Earl Hanson Elementary School Salary $20.50/hourly
Frantisek Vraj -	Food Service Lead at Eugene Field Elementary School to General Help at Washington Junior High School Salary - $17.97/hourly

Certified Music Department Appointments

It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the following certified music department appointments for the 2026-27 school year.

Christina Braddy -	Elementary Band/Orchestra at Districtwide Salary - $4,194/annual stipend
Steve Braddy -	Elementary Band/Orchestra at Districtwide Salary - $4,194/annual stipend
Cameron Kotovsky -	Elementary Band/Orchestra at Districtwide Salary - $4,194/annual stipend
Erin Mahr -	Assistant High School Band at Rock Island High School Salary - $9,078/annual stipend
Breann Laermans -	Junior High School Orchestra at Washington Junior High School Salary - $3,738/annual stipend

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Matthew Manweiler -	Junior High Orchestra at Edison Junior High School Salary - $3,738/annual stipend
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Scott Voigt -	Junior High Vocal Instructor at Washington Junior High School Salary - $1,358/annual stipend

Certified Extracurricular Appointment

It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the following certified extracurricular appointment for the 2026-27 school year.

Lawrence Behnke -	Academic Team at Rock Island High School Salary - $3,689/annual stipend

Certified Coach Appointments

It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the following certified coach appointments for the 2026-27 school year.

Kendrick Burrage -	8th Grade Boys Basketball Coach at Washington Junior High School Salary - $5,419/annual stipend
Rita Jett -	7th Grade Girls Basketball Coach at Edison Junior High School Salary - $4,332/annual stipend

Non-Certified Coach Appointments

It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the following non-certified coach appointments for the 2026-27 school year.

Thurgood Brooks -	8th Grade Girls Basketball Coach at Edison Junior High School Salary - $4,332/annual stipend
Robert DeVrieze -	Equipment Manager at Rock Island High School Salary - $2,166/annual stipend

Keith Lawrence -	Head Girls Wrestling Coach at Edison Junior High School Salary - $4,332/annual stipend
David Mikaio -	Junior High Assistant Football Coach at Edison Junior High School Salary - $4,693/annual stipend
Matthew Patton -	Assistant Girls Wrestling Coach at Edison Junior High School Salary - $3,113/annual stipend
Craig Sharp -	7th Grade Girls Basketball Coach at Washington Junior High School Salary - $5,419/annual stipend
Scotty Tapscott -	Assistant Boys Bowling Coach at Rock Island High School Salary - $2,557/annual stipend

Certified Retirements

It is recommended that the Board of Education accept the following certified retirements during the 2026-27 school year.

Staff Member	Current Position	Years of Continuous Service
Kimberly Kettering	Fifth Grade Teacher at Longfellow Elementary School	27 Years Effective 06/03/2027
Jeanne Mueller	Head Start Teacher at Horace Mann Early Learning Center	40 Years Effective 01/31/2027

Certified Resignation

It is recommended that the Board of Education accept the following certified resignation during the 2026-27 school year.

Staff Member	Current Position	Years of Continuous Service
Emily Petrov	Fourth Grade Teacher at Thomas Jefferson Elementary School	7 Years Effective 11/2/26

Non-Certified Resignations

It is recommended that the Board of Education accept the following non-certified resignations during the 2026-27 school year.

Staff Member	Current Position	Years of Continuous Service
Nishiya Blackhawk	Server at Earl Hanson Elementary School	1 Year Effective 9/30/26
Cherise Burrage	Paraprofessional at Horace Mann Early Learning Center	< 1 Year Effective 10/18/26
Terrica Britt	Paraprofessional at Earl Hanson Elementary School	<1 Year Effective 9/11/26
Aubrey Butler	Head Start Assistant Teacher at Horace Mann Early Learning Center	<1 Year Effective 9/15/26
Corey Parker	Paraprofessional (Hall Monitor/Security) at Rock Island High	<1 Year Effective 10/30/26
Moo Kler Soe	Director of Communications Administration Center	1.5 Years Effective 11/13/26
Paw Thaw	Playground Supervisor at Frances Willard Elementary School	1.5 Years Effective 9/8/26