

Browning Public Schools  
**Board Agenda Request**  
Meeting To Be Held: January 25, 2023



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**Recognition:**   ☐ Students                      ☐ Staff                      ☐ Parents  
**Information:**   ☐ Building Report           ☐ Old Business           ☐ Superintendent's Report  
**Action:**   ☒ Resignations                      ☐ Hiring                      ☐ Contract Service Agreements  
                    ☐ Travel Out-of-State                      ☐ Travel In State                      ☐ Approvals  
                    ☐ Termination                      ☐ Legal Matters                      ☐ Other:  
This action request pertains to ☐ Elementary (only)                      ☐ High School/District Wide

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**Date:**      January 9, 2023

**To:**      Corrina Guardipee-Hall  
                 Superintendent of Schools

**From:**    John Salois  
**Title:**    Director of Human Resources

**Subject: Resignation**

**Description:** The following resignation has been approved by the Superintendent:

➡ Nathan Stone, Middle School, Gear Up Student Achievement Specialist, Effective 1/13/23

**Financial Impact:** N/A

**Attachment(s):** Resignation Letter

**Superintendent Action:** ☐ Approved   ☐ Denied   ☐ Deferred      Initial & date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Comments:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Board Action:**   ☐ N/A (Info)    ☐ Approved    ☐ Denied    ☐ Tabled to: \_\_\_\_\_

I am submitting my letter of resignation from Browning Public schools. My last day of work will be Friday, January 13th.

I would like to give Melany MaGee a thank you for giving me the opportunity on joining the Gear Up family, it's been a wonderful opportunity to teach students about higher education and watch them enter into the higher education field. After all this time in the Gear Up position, I realized that I also need to grow with my career. I had started a master's in higher education and soon realized that was not a career that I would pursue. I pondered the fact of education leadership, but I will be retiring my career from education and joining the medical field. I am glad to announce that I have been accepted into a nursing program at Montana State University. I have dreaded writing this letter for the last few months, letting go of a profession of helping students explore and learn about various professional careers with a college education. I would be selling myself short if I didn't believe in what I taught them.

I want to thank Sicily Bird for giving me the opportunity on teaching 4th grade a Napi Elementary. I never did think that I could teach but after subbing for several years, I finally was able to have my classroom with my students. I do give my hats off to all the school teachers in the district. it is not an easy job, and until you have filled your shoes as a teacher, then you don't know how much work it is to be a teacher!

I would like to thank Donna Yellow Owl (current) school board member and Wendy Bremner (past) board member for going to bat for me when it comes time for me of getting my Gear Up job. I enjoyed the opportunity.

I would like to thank Robert Miller for allowing me to become a track/field coach for a season.

I would also like to thank Dennis J for his leadership and for being the best boss (Jigsaw).

To the BMS team that I have grown as my family, we are a strong team and I'm glad I had you all by my side throughout the years. New staff and old.

My career at Browning Public Schools has been enjoyable with some rocky outcomes.

Sincerely,

Nathan Stone

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