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## BOARD AGENDA ITEM

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Item: Request for Personal Director of CTE

Submitted by: Sue Gardner

Date: January 31, 2024

Recommended by: Sue Gardner

Board Meeting Date: February 12, 2024

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### RECOMMENDATION:

Recommending the addition of a Director of CTE. This will be a 1 FTE position. Funding sources will primarily be from our CTE fund.

### BACKGROUND:

Cary Stamas is currently our Career and Technical Education (CTE) Director/CEPD. He has expressed his desire to retire September 2025. The CEPD role is a complex role with many reporting and compliance tasks for our CTE programs and for our local districts. This role also plays a major role with future visioning of our CTE programs through CareerPrep 2030.

The challenges facing Career and Technical Education (CTE) demand the availability of highly qualified CTE administrators to meet the needs of students, education, business, industry, and labor in the state. Knowledgeable administrators with strong leadership skills and a commitment to serving the CTE needs is important and difficult to find. We are planning a transition year (2024-25 school year) to train a person in the next school year and then to assume the responsibilities of CTE Director/CEPD the year following.