July 15, 2025

Superintendent Stifter

306 2nd St. NW

Aitkin, MN 56431

Dear Superintendent Stifter,

I am writing to resign from my position at Aitkin Public Schools effective when the roles I hold have been transferred, but no later than August 1, 2025.

I have loyally served Aitkin Public Schools for all of my career and am thankful that I was able to educationally grow and change with the district. The support I have experienced from this school community aligns with our school district's #1 designation. However, I have recently accepted a position that aligns with my long-term passion for literacy and individualized student support.

I am especially proud of the work of listening to our teachers and students and providing what is needed. I hope that work is preserved above all else.

Thank you for your leadership and support.

With sincere appreciation,

∕Kathleen Christv