

**BEMIDJI AREA SCHOOLS
BEMIDJI, MINNESOTA**

DATE : SEPTEMBER 18, 2023

TO : BOARD OF EDUCATION

FROM : JORDAN HICKMAN, DIRECTOR OF HUMAN RESOURCES

SUBJECT : CERTIFIED STAFF APPOINTMENT

COMMENTS:

Due to movement of staff, a vacancy exists for a special education teacher at Bemidji High School. Ms. Jessica Curry is recommended for this position. Ms. Curry received her Bachelor's degree from Bemidji State University. She was previously a special education paraprofessional with Bemidji Area Schools. She has been placed at BA step 0 on the salary schedule.

Due to movement of staff, a vacancy exists for an elementary education teacher at J.W. Smith Elementary School. Ms. Stacy Ferrin is recommended for the position. Ms. Ferrin received her Bachelor's degree from Colorado State University and Master's degree from the University of Colorado. She previously taught at St. Mary's Mission School in Red Lake, MN. She has been placed at MA step 10 on the salary schedule.

Due to movement of staff, a vacancy exists for a special education teacher at Gene Dillon Elementary School. Ms. Margaux Hylla is recommended for this position. Ms. Hylla received her Bachelor's degree from St. Cloud State University and Master's degree at Concordia University – St. Paul. She previously served as Elementary Principal at Menagha Public Schools. She has been placed at MA10 step 10.

Due to a resignation, a vacancy exists for a physical education teacher at Lincoln Elementary School. Mr. Joseph Link is recommended to be rehired for this position. Mr. Link received his Bachelor's degree from Bemidji State University. He previously taught at Bemidji Area Schools. He has been placed at BA step 4 on the salary schedule.