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School Board Meeting Agenda Item

Topic: Early Childhood Director
Contact(s):
Presenter(s): Karsten Anderson, Superintendent
Dawn Wettren, Director of Community Education and Recreation

Nature of Action Requested

Board Action
Board Information or Report

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Background Information

For the past several years, the district has been planning for the resignation or retirement of Min MartinOakes, the current Early Childhood Director. This year, because of Min's part-time employment, the district employed a Preschool Coordinator. During the budget reconciliation process, however, the board adopted a plan to hire an Early Childhood Director and eliminate the Preschool Coordinator position.

In previous years, there has been discussion about the entity that should employ this position. Several years ago, Red Wing held the contract, but more recently GCED employed Min. The plan now is for Red Wing to hold the contract with whomever is hired.

The newly created position description was banded the same as the Activities Director, so the recommendation is to place the Early Childhood Director in the same group.

Recommendation

I move to recommend to the school board the changing of the Terms and Conditions of Employment for Program Directors and Supervisors to include the Early Childhood Director in Group A.