

School Board Meeting:

June 22, 2009

Subject:

Director of Special Education

Presenter:

Moreen Martell

SUGGESTED SCHOOL BOARD ACTION:

Recommend Board approval to employ Joy Kieffer as the Director of Special Education effective July 1, 2009.

DESCRIPTION:

The selection process for the Director of Special Education began on Wednesday, March 18, 2009, and was completed on Tuesday, June 16, 2009. Joy Kieffer is the successful candidate and we are recommending her for this appointment effective July 1, 2009. Joy will replace Judy Coley who is retiring as our Director of Special Education.

Education:

- Sixth Year Certificate – Educational Administration – Special Education Director, 7-12 Principal, Minnesota State University – Mankato
- Master of Science – Special Education, Minnesota State University – Mankato
- Bachelor of Science – Education, University of Wisconsin Eau Claire

Work History:

- Director of Special Services, Owatonna Public Schools
- Special Education Coordinator, Owatonna Public Schools
- EBD Teacher, Owatonna Public Schools
- EBD Teacher in a private adolescent treatment center, Austin, MN
- Language Arts Teacher (middle school & high school), Austin Public Schools
- Language Arts Teacher in Wisconsin