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MEMORANDUM

TO: Dr. Joseph Gent, Superintendent
Ms. Iliana Garcia, Executive Assistant to the Superintendent & BOT
Ms. Leslie Campos, Board of Trustees President
Mrs. Michelle Wright, Director of Human Resources
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FR: Beth Campbell, Human Resources Generalist

RE: Retirement Recognition

DATE: May 20, 2026

Retirement recognitions to be announced at the May BOT Meeting:

Beatty EMS

Name	Position	Hire Year	Retirement Year	Total Years
Garcia, Shannon	Teacher Grade 4-5	2024	2026	2

District Admin SDO

Name	Position	Hire Year	Retirement Year	Total Years
McMullen, Teresa	Senior Payroll Tech	2020	2026	6
Steele, Carolin	Learning Coordinator	1995	2026	31

Floyd Elem

Name	Position	Hire Year	Retirement Year	Total Years
Englund, Lance	K-5 PE Teacher	1996	2026	30

Hafen Elem

Name	Position	Hire Year	Retirement Year	Total Years
Baka, Shelley	Secretary-10	1997	2026	29
Fredrick, Elaina	Paraprofessional	2014	2026	12

JG Johnson Elem

Name	Position	Hire Year	Retirement Year	Total Years
Goodman, Samantha	3 rd Grade Teacher	2009/2024	2026	11
Ince, Lori	Secretary-10	1997	2026	29
Mercadante, Joan	3 rd Grade Teacher	1985/2019	2026	35

Pahrump High

Name	Position	Hire Year	Retirement Year	Total Years
McAuliffe, Nita	9-12 Special Education Teacher	2021	2026	5
Thompson, Becky	9-12 Language Arts Teacher	2005	2026	21
Tibbits, Cheryl	Secretary-10	1995	2026	31

Rosemary Clarke MS

Name	Position	Hire Year	Retirement Year	Total Years
Firpo, Patricia	Paraprofessional	2016	2026	10
Hodge, Kelley	6-8 Counselor	1998	2026	28
Lauver, Cassondra	6-8 Math Teacher	2000	2026	26

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Name	Position	Hire Year	Retirement Year	Total Years
Winters, Kimberly	Paraprofessional	2016	2026	10

Transportation

Name	Position	Hire Year	Retirement Year	Total Years
Richter-Addleman, Vickie	Bus Driver	2012	2026	14