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February 20, 2019

Morrow County School District School Board
P. O. Box 100
Heppner, OR 97836

Dear School Board Members:

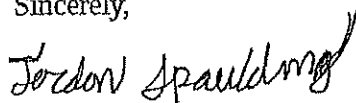
My name is Jordan Spaulding, and I am a student at Heppner Jr./Sr. High School. Presently, I am a junior who will have 26 credits at the end of this school year. By June of 2019 I will have taken and passed all of the requirements for a standard diploma. Because of this, I would like to graduate with the Class of 2019.

My reason for graduating a year early is mostly financial. I have a job promised to me in Gaston, Oregon where I will be working as an apprentice framer. I am hoping that some of the money I make will help me in the future when I plan to take classes at a vocational school. I hope eventually to be able to have my own business.


Currently, I have a job at the Northwest Motel in Heppner, Oregon. I live on my own, and will turn 18 years of age in July. I have already taken a step in graduating early by taking two LA classes and two history classes as well as the classes I am already taking. I am also working on my senior portfolio. With your help I feel like I can accomplish my dream. I have thought long and hard about the decision to skip a year of my schooling, I have a plan which will benefit me tremendously in the future. With your support and my hard work, I hope to be able to accomplish my dream of becoming a self sufficient successful entrepreneur.

Thank you very much for your time and consideration with this matter.

Sincerely,



Jordan Spaulding



David and Marlen Bowles
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February 28, 2019

Morrow County School District Board
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Re: Jordan Spaulding Graduation

Dear School Board Members:

This letter is in support of our son, Jordan Spaulding who wishes to be allowed to graduate in 2019 instead of waiting until 2020.

Jordan will have earned enough credits to qualify for a standard diploma by time of graduation this year. Also, he will be 18 in July and already has full-time employment arranged that will commence right after he graduates.

We are extremely proud of our son. His work ethic and positive attitude are something we are glad he has in abundance. We stand behind his decision 100% and ask that the School Board members approve his 2019 graduation.

Sincerely,

David and Marlen Bowles

