

**BEMIDJI AREA SCHOOLS  
BEMIDJI, MINNESOTA**

**DATE** : AUGUST 19, 2024  
**TO** : BOARD OF EDUCATION  
**FROM** : JORDAN HICKMAN, DIRECTOR OF HUMAN RESOURCES  
**SUBJECT** : STAFFING OF POSITIONS

At the May 8, 2024, School Board meeting, action was taken to release Macy Allen, Samantha Fisher, Justin Henry, Kelsie Kverno, Emilee Lindseth, and Christie Winchell effective May 31, 2024. Vacancies exists for special education teachers at Bemidji High School, J.W. Smith Elementary School, Northern Elementary School, and the Lakeside Learning Center. A vacancy exists for an elementary teacher at Gene Dillon Elementary School and an Early Childhood Teacher at the Paul Bunyan Center. Therefore, it is recommended that Macy Allen, Samantha Fisher, Justin Henry, Kelsie Kverno, Emilee Lindseth, and Christie Winchell be rehired for these positions.

\_\_\_\_\_ introduced the following resolution:

**RESOLUTION TO REHIRE  
MACY ALLEN, SAMANTHA FISHER, JUSTIN HENRY, KELSIE KVERNO, EMILEE  
LINDSETH AND CHRISTIE WINCHELL**

**WHEREAS**, vacancies exist for special education teachers at Bemidji High School, J.W. Smith Elementary School, Northern Elementary School, and the Lakeside Learning Center. A vacancy exists for an elementary teacher at Gene Dillon Elementary School and an Early Childhood Teacher at the Paul Bunyan Center, the School Board of Independent School District No. 31 is rescinding the termination of probationary teachers Macy Allen, Samantha Fisher, Justin Henry, Kelsie Kverno, Emilee Lindseth, and Christie Winchell.

**BE IT RESOLVED** that a teaching contract be issued to Macy Allen, Samantha Fisher, Justin Henry, Kelsie Kverno, Emilee Lindseth, and Christie Winchell for the 2024-2025 school year.

The motion for the adoption of the foregoing resolution was duly seconded by \_\_\_\_\_,

and upon roll call vote being taken, the following voted in favor: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, and the following voted against: \_\_\_\_\_.

**WHEREUPON**, said resolution was declared passed and adopted.