

Wisconsin Rapids Board of Education

Personnel Services Committee

510 Peach Street · Wisconsin Rapids, WI 54494 · 715-424-6701

Kathi Stebbins-Hintz, Chair Larry Davis Troy Bier John Krings, President

April 1, 2024

Location: Board of Education, 510 Peach Street, Wisconsin Rapids, WI

Conference Room A/B

Time: Immediately following the Educational Services Committee meeting, but not before 6:15 p.m.

Call to Order

II. Public Comment

Persons who wish to address members of the Committee may make a statement pertaining to a specific agenda item. The Committee Chair will establish limits for speakers due to time constraints. Comments made by the public shall be civil in content and tone. Speakers bear the personal risk if comments made are defamatory, slanderous, or otherwise harmful to another individual. Please keep in mind that this is a Committee meeting of the Board open to the public, and not a public hearing.

III. Actionable Items

- A. Appointments
- B. Resignations
- C. Secondary Off-Site Instructor
- IV. Consent Agenda
- V. Adjournment

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A. Appointments

The administration recommends approval of the following support staff appointments:

Lisa Dixon Location: Howe Elementary

Position: Special Education Aide (7.0 hrs/day)

Effective Date: March 13, 2024

Hourly Rate: \$17.13 (starting rate) / \$18.03 (after 60 days)

Arianna Moore Location: Mead Elementary

Position: Noon Duty Aide (2.0 hrs/day)

Effective Date; March 18, 2024

Hourly Rate: \$15.11 (starting rate) / \$15.90 (after 60 days)

Hannah Nelson Location: WRAMS

Position: ELL Aide (7.0 hrs/day)

Effective Date: March 15, 2024

Hourly Rate: \$17.13 (starting rate) / \$18.03 (after 60 days)

B. Resignations

The administration recommends approval of the following professional staff resignations:

Ka Zou Thao Location: Grant Elementary & Howe Elementary

Position: Teacher – ELL (1.0 FTE)

Effective Date: June 5, 2024 Date of Hire: August 26, 2014

Kate Coenen Location: WRAMS

Position: Teacher – ELA (1.0 FTE)

Effective Date: June 5, 2024 Date of Hire: August 29, 2022

C. Secondary Off-Site Instructor

Given the increasing demand to provide comprehensive support for special education students engaged in off-site learning, the administration is advocating for an additional special education teacher at the secondary level. The Off-Site Instructor will collaborate closely with teachers and administrators to facilitate the delivery of specialized services outlined in individualized education programs (IEPs) within an off-site environment.

This position will be responsible for planning, instructional delivery, and adaptation of educational programs to meet the unique needs of students who are participating in off-site instruction. They will be responsible for the development and implementation of IEPs to ensure that students receive the necessary instruction, accommodations and support.

The administration is requesting to hire a special education teacher to support special education students who receive off-site instruction.

IV. Consent Agenda

Personnel Services Committee members will be asked which agenda items from the Committee meeting will be placed on the consent agenda for the regular Board of Education meeting.

V. Adjournment