

KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

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TO:

Board of Education

FROM:

Dr. Steve Atwater, Superintendent

SUBJECT:

2011-2012 New Administrator Contracts- Item 10 a.(8)

It is recommended that the following new administrator contracts be approved for the 2011-12 school year. The following assignments are tentative:

Shane L. Bostic

Assistant Principal

Nikiski Middle/High

School

Johnnie D. Cotton

Assistant Principal

Skyview High School

Michael A. Wojciak

Principal/Teacher

Voznesenka School

Shane L Bostic

Professional Statement

Continuous Growth to Provide Relationships, Experiences and Opportunities for All

Proven Instructional Leader

Offering Instructional Leadership Strategies to Develop Productive Student-Centered Environments to Maximize Quality Learning Experiences

Professional Experience - Administrative

Garfield Re-2 School District, Rifle, CO Principal Rifle Middle School 2008-2011

As the building instructional leader, I am honored to work with a staff that challenges the status quo, builds relationships with stakeholders, and stimulates student thinking. Students are given the opportunity to be challenged at their academic level and are offered the opportunity to develop personally in CUB time advisory, athletics and activities, and Civics Core. We believe in kids and serve them with unwavering support as we journey to implement and adjust best practices. We learn and share these best practices together with the common link being the PEAK Learning System that addresses the six keys of Safety, Love and Belonging, Freedom and Independence, Success, Fun and Enjoyment, and Valued Purpose. We have linked these keys together with best practices to increase engagement and provide unrelenting coaching until the standards are met in a positive and stimulating classroom environment where KIDS come first. We are proud of our accomplishments of high student growth on the CSAP and ongoing growth in culture and climate.

- > Active Involvement with:
 - District Accountability Team
 - PEAK Learning Systems (Administrator and Teacher Levels)
 - Colorado Association of School Executives (CASE)

McLaughlin School District, McLaughlin, SD 2007-2008 Principal Middle School/High School McLaughlin Middle School/High School Activities Director -- McLaughlin Middle School/High School

As the instructional leader, I developed and facilitated a Teacher Leadership Team which reviewed, researched, recommended, and implemented Learning Communities' professional development. I guided and encouraged staff to build positive relationships and model compassionate and ethical critical thinking. I partnered with students, parents, teachers, and community members to gain perspective and share ownership of the educational process. I monitored school activities to ensure that they support student development and enhanced school culture. I ensured in a school with ninety-four percent minority and eighty-six percent free and reduced lunch that basic health and cultural

needs were addressed so all students had equal opportunity to have a successful educational experience.

- Active Involvement with:
 - Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development (ASCD)
 - o South Dakota Association of Secondary School Principals (SDASSP)
 - South Dakota High School Interscholastic Activities Association
 - o Boys and Girls Club of McLaughlin

Douglas County School District RE. 1, Castle Rock, CO2005 – 2007 **Assistant Principal/ Athletic Director** – Mountain Ridge Middle School

As a part of an administrative team, I planned, led and directed the instructional planning and scheduling for 950 students and 100 faculty members in a seventh and eighth middle school. I reviewed decisions that influenced the impact of curriculum, instruction and assessment on student achievement. I focused on students and stakeholders to determine requirements, expectations and preferences and to build relationships that contributed to satisfaction, trust and loyalty. As the Athletic Director, I reviewed programming and athletic philosophy at the district level and managed the budget and developed coaches at the building level

- > Active Involvement with:
 - o Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development (ASCD)
 - National Association of Secondary School Principals (NASSP)
 - Colorado Association of School Executives (CASE)
 - o Colorado Athletic Directors Association (CADA)

Delta Joint School District 50-J, Delta, CO Assistant Principal – Delta Middle School 2003 - 2005

Scope of position included: recruit, develop, and evaluate staff; monitor student growth and achievement; supervise daily operations; data analysis; review Special Education IEP's; administer student success plans and discipline; monitor at risk youth; build team and student relationships; and create a safe, respectful, and fair environment.

- Active Involvement with:
 - Hispanic Task Force
 - Parent Involvement Committee
 - o National Middle School Association

Professional Experience - Teaching

Delta Joint School District 50-J, Delta, CO Eighth Grade Teacher – Delta Middle School 2000-2003

- Responsibilities Included:
 - o Instructed in math, reading and social studies content areas
 - o Raised CSAP scores of previously unsatisfactory scoring students
 - Disaggregated Data to modify instructional strategies
 - Coached Athletics and Sponsored extended school day activities
 - o Facilitated Curriculum Adoption Discussions for Math and Reading

Montrose School District RE-1J, Montrose, CO 2000-2002 Instructional Leader/Teacher - Migrant Education Program (Summer)

- Responsibilities Included:
 - o Instructional Leader for PreK-5 Program
 - o Individualized Programs to meet Learner's Needs
 - o Focused on Students Cultural and Academic Growth

Ball Charter Schools, Chandler, AZ

1998-2000

Teacher - Fifth Grade

- Responsibilities Included:
 - o Organized and Implemented Unique Learning Opportunities
 - o Instructed in a self-contained elementary classroom
 - Used data to improve instruction

Education

M.A. Educational Leadership, Adams State College, Alamosa, CO B.A. Elementary Education, Black Hills State University, Spearfish, SD

Certification

K-12 Principal License – Colorado Professional Teacher License – Middle School/Elementary Education – Colorado

Professional Development

PEAK Learning Systems	Response to Intervention (RTI)	
Recruitment and Hiring	School Law	Critical Thinking
Fair Labor Standards Act (FLSA)	Classified Evaluation	School Finance
Minority Populations (Dr. Payne)		Infinite Campus
Drug Impairment Training (DITEP)	Administrative Evaluation	PowerSchool
Peace Jam - Service Learning	Breaking Ranks II	Shared Leadership

Standards Alignment/Implementation

Professional Learning Communities (DuFour)

SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS

Offering experience, education, training, and certification in Educational Administration with expertise in School Improvement, Instructional/Personnel/Student Management, School/Community Relations, Facilities Planning and Construction, Staff Development, Fiscal Management, and Communication. Experience includes, but is not limited to, the following:

FISCAL MANAGEMENT

- * Supervised and managed campus budgets from 18k to 600k for 22 years.
- * Implemented preparation of budget information including future budgetary predictions.
- * Implemented efficiency measures to allow campus to remain at current budget despite increases in staff and student populations.

CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTIONAL MANAGEMENT

- * Administered all federal and state programs at the campus level including Title I, Title II, Title IV, Title VI, ESL, Optional Extended Year, Gifted and Talented, and compensatory education.
- * Implemented classroom strategies initiative using research based teaching models.
- * Implemented campus instructional program that resulted in overall increased TAKS scores at campus level.
- * Prioritized and supervised all activities associated with academic improvement, curriculum, staff development for the campus.
- * Collaborated with local community colleges to develop dual credit and career and technology classes.
- * Developed beginning teacher, mentor, and peer coaching program proposals for district-wide implementation.
- * Collaborated with area colleges and universities as a member of the Heart of Texas Tech Prep Board of Directors.

- * Implemented new attendance monitoring system that helped raise attendance by 3%.
- * Implemented new tutorial system that has lowered failure rate by 14% and increased tutorial participation by 40%.
- * Implemented new discipline policies that decreased discipline referrals by 22%.

CONSTRUCTION PLANNING AND MANAGEMENT

- * Collaborated with architects, construction management personnel, community representatives and school personnel in planning and designing new Crandall High School campus.
- * Developed long range facilities plan for Mexia ISD in collaboration with a community committee and SHW Group.
- * Collaborated with superintendent and planning committee to plan and conduct public meetings to obtain input regarding bond proposals for construction in multiple districts for a high school, competition gymnasium and athletic field house facilities.

PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT

- * Supervised faculty and staff of 56 for high school campus. Responsibilities included: interviewing, hiring, training, and both formative and summative evaluations using district evaluation system, and PDAS.
- * Supervised district-wide music staff at various schools for 22 years.
- * Designed interview process to more effectively screen applicants.

SCHOOL/COMMUNITY RELATIONS ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- * Developed school/community relations through reports published in local newspapers and presented on the local cable channel.
- * Collaborated with local law enforcement and emergency agencies for crisis management and school safety for the district and community.
- * Developed community relations strategies to strengthen parent partnership.

STAFF DEVELOPMENT ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- * Planned and supervised all campus staff development.
- * Presented staff development to campus and district personnel on specific topics as needed or required.

* Implemented a mentor program for new personnel.

COMMUNICATIONS

- * Wrote monthly reports to Board members.
- * Served on District Advisory Committee.
- * Wrote monthly newsletter to parents and community.
- * Wrote weekly newsletters via email to faculty and staff.
- * Spoke at several community events.

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS &

OTHER DUTIES

Texas Association of School Administrators
Texas Association of Secondary School Principals
Heart of Texas Tech Prep Consortium – Board of Directors
District Drug Testing Coordinator
District Steroid Testing Coordinator
District Advisory Member of C.A.T.S. (Bond Proposal Support group)
Campus Testing Coordinator
Campus Facilities Director

LICENSES AND CERTIFICATIONS

STATE OF TEXAS CERTIFIED PROFESSIONAL SUPERINTENDENT (in process)
STATE OF TEXAS CERTIFIED PROFESSIONAL PRINCIPAL
ALL-LEVEL MUSIC EDUCATION
STATE OF TEXAS CERTIFIED APPRAISER FOR PDAS

AWARDS & ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

Principal

Increased sub school attendance 2% in 08-09 Increased attendance 2% between 05-08 Decreased failures 14% between 05-08 TAKS scores increased an average of 13% between 05-08

TAKS tutorial attendance increased 42% between 05-08

Academic tutorials increased 20% between 05-08

Teacher

Golden Heart Award - Crandall ISD - 2004 Citation of Honor - City of Crandall - 2004

Earned 55 UIL Division I Ratings Awarded 14 Sweepstakes Awards

Region Honor Band Finalist 1983, 85, 86, 90, 93, 94, 96

State Honor Band Finalist 1983, 1985, 1986, 1994

State Honor Band 1992

Teacher of the Month - 5 Times

College

Disney All-American - 1982 Head Drum major - 4 years

EDUCATION

Superintendency Certification (in process)

Tarleton State University

Stephenville, TX

Completion: December 2011

Master of Education:

Educational Administration

Texas A&M - Commerce

Commerce, TX

Graduated: December 2005

Bachelor of Fine Arts

Music Education

Stephen F. Austin State University

Nacogdoches, Graduated: 1983

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2009-2010

Assistant Principal

Jack E. Singley Academy

Irving, Tx 75038

2008-2009

Assistant Principal

Plano East Senior High School Plano, Tx

2005-2008

Principal / Assistant Principal Mexia High School - Mexia, TX

1983 - 2005

Fine Arts Director / Band Director 22 Years Experience at A-4A High Schools

Michael Wojciak

OBJECTIVE: It is my desire to obtain an instructional leader position within an Alaskan school district. As a team leader it is my initiative to create a positive and healthy school climate where students, staff, and community members feel welcome and appreciated. I support community involvement and I believe in the importance of advocating for goals set forth by the school and district.

HIGHLIGHTS OF QUALIFICATIONS:

- Work collaboratively with District Office to attain goals described in School Improvement Plan
- Ability to effectively address school concerns as the only on-site administrator
- Embrace opportunities to learn about culture and traditions

ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE: Lower Yukon School District (LYSD)

fall 08-present

Pilot Station School: (LYSD) K-12 Principal

fall 09-present

- Monitor student progress concerning HSGQE/SBA data
- Conduct formal/informal observations and evaluations with all staff
- Prepare agenda and direction for Advisory School Board meetings
- Host quarterly Community Meetings providing current data and addressing concerns
- Responsible for planning and organizing site in-services
- Implemented arts into the academics as a tool in our endeavor to achieve AYP
- Participant in the Alaska State Principal Mentorship Program

Hooper Bay School: (LYSD) K-12 Assistant Principal

fall 08-spring 09

- Athletic Director for only 3A school in the district
- Organized and facilitated Student of the Month assemblies
- Collaborated with students and parents in regards to recurring discipline issues
- Responsible for accommodations needed by visiting teams and school guests
- Evaluated performance of all classified staff

TEACHING/COACHING EXPERIENCE:

•	Fifth/Fourth Grade Teacher- Park Elementary, Hutchinson, MN	fall 02-spring 08
•	Fifth Grade Teacher- Holy Family Catholic School, Silver Lake, MN	fall 00-spring 02
•	Middle School Track Coach- Glencoe-Silver Lake School District	spring 01+02

PROFESSIONAL SKILLS:

- Portray a pleasant attitude toward others and a positive attitude about education
- Dependable and competent employee as proven with past work experiences
- Model expected attributes of a positive work ethic

EDUCATION: St. Cloud State University, St. Cloud, MN

•	K-12 principal licensure	fall 05
•	Superintendent licensure	fall 05
•	Community Education Director licensure	fall 05
•	Master of Science in Administration and Leadership	spring 05
•	Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education	spring 00