

**PERSONNEL ITEMS – November 4, 2014**

**RESIGNATION**

Recommend the Board of Education accept, with regret, the following resignations:

**Heidi Hackett**, Speech Language Pathologist, Urbana Middle/Thomas Paine Schools (effective October 7, 2014) Ms. Hackett is resigning due to other employment.

**Melanie Whited**, Special Ed Teaching Assistant, Urbana High School (effective September 30, 2014) Ms. Whited is resigning due to personal reasons.

**Charles Young**, Life Skills Coordinator, Adult Education (effective October 15, 2014) Mr. Young is resigning due to other employment.

**LEAVE OF ABSENCE**

Recommend the Board of Education accept the following request for Leave of Absence:

Jessie Bricker, Occupational Therapist, Thomas Paine School is requesting a leave beginning November 3<sup>rd</sup> thru December 19, 2014.

Faith Horton, Special Ed Teaching Assistant, Urbana High School is requesting a leave beginning January 5<sup>th</sup> thru February 16, 2015.

Amy Thomas, Special Education Teacher, King School is requesting a leave beginning November 3, through December 19, 2014.

**NEW EMPLOYMENT (Certified Personnel)**

Recommend the Board of Education approve employment of the new certified personnel for the **2014-2015** school year:

**Heather Sears**, General Elementary Music Teacher (part-time), Wiley School (replacing A. Shank)

**NEW EMPLOYMENT (Educational Support Personnel)**

Recommend the Board of Education approve employment of the new educational support personnel for the **2014-2015** school year:

**Brittani Akins**, Student Relations Supervisor, Urbana High School (replacing K. Hite)

**Joshua Beckless**, Student Engagement Advocate, Urbana High School (new grant funded position)

**Sylvene Byron**, Special Education Teaching Assistant, Urbana High School (replacing V. Wright)

**Emily Cho**, Teaching Assistant, Adult Education (new grant funded position)

**Stephanie Cockrell**, Student Engagement Advocate, King School (new grant funded position)

**Andrea Eagan**, Special Education Teaching Assistant, Urbana High School (replacing M. Whited)

**Joshua Hackett**, Student Engagement Advocate, Leal/Prairie Schools (new grant funded position)

**Luisana Hernandez**, Dual Language Teaching Assistant, Leal School (replacing M. Merino)

**Holly Newberry**, E/BD Teaching Assistant, Yankee Ridge School (replacing K. Laxgang)  
**Nancy Roth**, WIA CNA Instructor, Adult Education (grant funded position)  
**Amy Unmbarger**, Teaching Assistant, Wiley School (class size adjustment aide)  
**Nurhayat Unal**, Native Language (Turkish) Teaching Assistant, King School (Student enrollment)  
**Sujata Vemuri**, Teaching Assistant, Wiley School (class-size adjustment aide)  
**Chantell Williams**, EBD Teaching Assistant, Prairie School (replacing C. Haines)  
**Jessica Wilson**, Student Engagement Advocate, Urbana Middle School (new grant funded position)

### **CHANGE OF ASSIGNMENT**

Recommend the Board of Education approve the following additions to current assignments for the 2014-2015 school year:

**Heijin Kim**, Music Accompanist, Urbana High School (replacing E. McDonald)

### **COACHING/MUSIC ASSIGNMENTS**

Recommend the Board of Education approve the following coaching positions for the **2014-2015** school year:

**Herbert Burnett**, Freshman Basketball Coach-Boys, Urbana High School (replacing C. Butler)  
**Carlton Butler**, Head Sophomore Basketball Coach-Boys, Urbana High School (replacing T. Brown)  
**Haley Jung**, Choir Accompanist, Urbana Middle/High Schools (replacing R. Parks)  
**Jamal Maatuka**, Head Basketball Coach, Girls, Urbana High School (replacing J. Bryan)