

PERSONNEL ITEMS – March 17, 2015

RESIGNATION

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

Jane Cain, Mentor Coordinator, Prairie/Leal Schools (effective September 1, 2015) Ms. Cain is resigning due to personal reasons.

Emily Cho, Teaching Assistant, Adult Education (effective December 8, 2014) Ms. Cho is resigning due to relocation.

April Dambacher, Math Teacher, Urbana High School (effective May 28, 2015) Ms. Dambacher is resigning due to personal reasons.

Melissa Ester, Receptionist/Application Processor, Human Resources, Central Office (effective March 13, 2015) Ms. Ester is resigning due to relocation.

Elizabeth Hogan, English Teacher, Urbana High School (effective May 28, 2015) Ms. Hogan is resigning due to personal reasons.

Faith Horton, Special Ed Teaching Assistant, Urbana High School (effective February 17, 2015) Ms. Horton is resigning due to personal reasons.

Hyeyeon Jung, Choir Accompanist, Urbana High School (effective February 27, 2015) Ms. Jung is resigning due to relocation.

Cullyn Murphy, Vocal Director, Urbana High School (effective February 27, 2015) Mr. Murphy is resigning due to scheduling conflict with work schedule.

Ashley Thurston, Grade 1 Teacher, Thomas Paine School (effective May 28, 2015) Ms. Thurston is resigning due to relocation.

Amy Umbarger, Teaching Assistant, Wiley School (effective February 27, 2015) Ms. Umbarger is resigning due to other employment.

Joelle Walden, Occupational Therapist, Thomas Paine School (effective May 28, 2015) Ms. Walden is resigning due to relocation.

RETIREMENT

Recommend the Board of Education accept the following for retirement:

David Gordon, Director of Finance, Adult Education will be retiring under Illinois Municipal Retirement System as of October 1, 2015.

Lynn Manning, Math Teacher, Urbana High School will be retiring under the Teachers Retirement System effective May 28, 2015.

Melissa Schafroth, Special Education Teaching Assistant, Prairie School will be retiring under Illinois Municipal Retirement System as of May 28, 2015.

Linda Vaughn, Choral Music Teacher, Urbana Middle School will be retiring under the Teachers Retirement System effective May 28, 2015.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

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

Claudia Clark, Special Education Teacher, Urbana High School is requesting a leave effective March 9th through April 9, 2015.

Christina Follmer, Teaching Assistant, Urbana Early Childhood School is requesting a leave effective February 24th through March 27, 2015.

Angela Henderson, Secretary, Yankee Ridge School is requesting a leave effective February 27th through March 27, 2015.

Kelly Lavaire, Special Education Teacher, Urbana Middle School is requesting a leave for the 2015-2016 school year (2nd year).

Julie Little, Special Ed Teaching Assistant, Urbana Middle School is requesting a leave effective January 12th through March 1, 2015.

Erin Lodes, Instructional Coach, Urbana Middle School is requesting a leave for the 2015-2016 school year.

Regina Pruitt, Crisis Counselor, Cunningham Children's Home is requesting an intermittent leave effective March 3 through May, 28, 2015.

Ashley Thurston, Grade 1 Teacher, Thomas Paine School is requesting a leave effective March 20th through the end of the current school year.

NEW EMPLOYMENT (Certified Personnel)

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

Kasey Sanders, Grade 3 Teacher, Leal School (replacing C. Merritt)

NEW EMPLOYMENT (Educational Support Personnel)

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

Chelsea Bair, ESL Instructor, Adult Education (replacing E. Zhukova-1 class only)

Elizabeth Carroll, ESL Instructor, Adult Education (replacing E. Zhukova-1 class only)

Devontrill Giboney, Lunch Room Supervisor, Thomas Paine School (replacing C. Brown)

Piper Harvey, Receptionist/Application Processor, Central Office (replacing M. Ester)

Ibrahim Kuvula, Odysessy Paraprofessional, Adult Education (replacing E. Cho)

Nicholas Langendorf, Recreation Leader, Leal School (replacing A. Centeno)

Buulinh Quach, ESL Instructor, Adult Education (replacing E. Zhukova-1 class only)

Jonathan Tauber, Recreation Leader, Yankee Ridge School (replacing A. Barker)

Addison Wilson-Brown, Recreation Leader, Thomas Paine School (replacing C. Brown)

HEAD COACHING/MUSIC ASSIGNMENTS

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

Matthew Avery, Head Tennis Coach-Boys, Urbana High School (replacing C. Gratkins)