PERSONNEL ITEMS – March 3, 2020

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

Drew Buchter, Science Teacher, Urbana Middle School (effective May 28, 2020) Mr. Buchter is resigning due to other employment.
Tyler Noel, Building-based Substitute Teacher, Yankee Ridge School (effective February 7, 2020) Mr. Noel is resigning due to other employment.
Patricia Richardson, Special Education Teaching Assistant, Wiley School (effective January 17, 2020) Ms. Richardson has resigned due to other employment.
Edwin Salgado, Social Work Intern, Dr. Williams School (effective May 28, 2020) Mr. Salgado’s internship for the 2019/2020 school year has ended.
Bradley Sshnizlein, Building-based Substitute Teacher, Urbana Middle School (effective February 14, 2020) Mr. Schnizlein is resigning from this position due to other employment but will remain as a substitute.
Tanyanette Sims, Mentor Coordinator, Wiley School (effective February 11, 2020) Ms. Sims is resigning from this position only due to personal reasons.
Latoria Smith, Safety Aide Teaching Assistant, Yankee Ridge School (effective February 17, 2020) Ms. Smith is resigning due to personal reasons.
Samantha Tarter, Safety Aide Teaching Assistant, Yankee Ridge School (effective January 16, 2020) Ms. Tarter is resigning due to personal reasons.

RETIREMENT
Recommend the Board of Education accept the following for retirement:

Faith Wetzel, Substitute Teacher, is retiring under the Teacher’s Retirement System effective May 28, 2020.

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

Tammie Dean, District Nurse, Urbana Early Childhood School is requesting a leave effective February 18th through March 3, 2020.
Amanda Klousnitzer-Hutchens, Grade 5 Teacher, Leal School is requesting a leave effective for the entire 2020-2021 school year.
NEW EMPLOYMENT (Licensed Faculty)
Recommend the Board of Education approve employment of the new licensed faculty for the 2019-2020 school year:

Paul Sundberg, ESL Teacher, Adult Education (new approved position)

NEW EMPLOYMENT (Educational Support Personnel)
Recommend the Board of Education approve employment of the new educational support personnel for the 2019-2020 school year:

Natalia Bochkareva, Mentoring & Community Involvement Coordinator, Wiley School (replacing T. Sims)
Debra Costello, Building-based Substitute Teacher, Yankee Ridge School (replacing T. Noel)
Rhonda Harris, Building-based Substitute Teacher, Urbana Middle School (replacing B. Schnizlein)
Luisana Hernandez, Social Work Intern, Dr. Williams/King School (replacing E. Salgado)
Setha Kim, Student Engagement Office Secretary, Urbana High School (replacing K. Hobbs)
Micaela Lennon, Social Work Intern, Yankee Ridge School (replacing C. Benefield)
Rosario Masiunas, Bilingual Class Size Adjustment Teaching Assistant, Leal School (rehired for previous position)
Tessa Pfafman, Life Skills Teaching Assistant, Urbana High School (replacing D. Grillo)
Jamie Riley, Student Engagement Advocate, Urbana Middle School (replacing J. Walker)
Tanyanette Sims, Lunchroom Supervisor, King School (replacing G. Warren)
Latoria Smith, Safety Aide Teaching Assistant, Yankee Ridge School (replacing S. Tarter)
Kevin Soto, Social Work Intern, Urbana High School (new approved position)

HEAD COACHING/MUSIC ASSIGNMENTS
Recommend the Board of Education approve the following coaching positions for the 2019-2020 school year:

Steven Pavlakis, JV Baseball Coach, Urbana High School (replacing C. Flowers)
Roger Rudicil, Head Baseball Coach, Urbana High School (replacing G. Hoffman)
Emily Warner, JV Softball Coach, Urbana High School (replacing A. Pentti)

NEW EMPLOYMENT (Licensed Faculty)
Recommend the Board of Education approve employment of the new licensed faculty for the 2020-2021 school year:

Megan Berry, Social Worker, Thomas Paine School (replacing L. Willis)
Laura Imming, Speech/Language Pathologist, Urbana High School (replacing K. Pasaye)