



OREGON
CUSD220

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May 20, 2024

Topic: Personnel Changes

Resignations:

Felicia Carreno	Library Aide effective August 11, 2024
Amanda Gyirbaky	Full-time Custodian
Stacy Solmo	Bus Aide effective May 14, 2024

Employments:

James Waugh	Bus Aide
Casandra Webb	4 th Grade Teacher 2024-2025 school year
Erin Bunton	OJSHS Full-time Substitute

Leave of Absence

Felicia Carreno	April 19, 2024 – August 11, 2024
Joyce Callaway	Through August 2024
Emily Nelson	2024-2025 school year

Retirements:

Sherry Marnich	Custodian effective November 1, 2024
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TO: Dr. Tom Mahoney, Superintendent

FROM: Felicia Carreno

DATE: April 18, 2024

RE: Resignation

Dear Dr. Mahoney,

It is with regret that I am resigning my position of Library Aide at the Oregon High School. My resignation is effective as of August 11, 2024. I have enjoyed my years with the Oregon CUSD and will truly miss my colleagues and students. Thank you for the opportunity to serve the students in the District.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Felicia Carreno". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "F".

Felicia Carreno

From: tiggermom927@gmail.com <tiggermom927@gmail.com>
Date: Wed, Apr 17, 2024 at 5:21 AM
Subject: Re: Start date
To: <jburke@ocusd.net>
Cc: Nesemeier, Bill <bnesemeier@ocusd.net>

Hello James,
I am so sorry it has taken so long to get back to you. Due to unforeseen circumstances I am unable to take this position at this time. I greatly appreciate the opportunity.

Sincerely,
Amanda Gyirbaky

On April 30th, I put in my
2 week notice
making my last day
or May 14th

Stacy Solmo





Mandi Callaway <acallaway@ocusd.net>

Recommendation of hire

1 message

Elizabeth Ludwig <eludwig@ocusd.net>

Thu, Apr 25, 2024 at 8:32 AM

To: Mandi Callaway <acallaway@ocusd.net>, Marissa Foss <mfoss@ocusd.net>, Susie Hanlin <shanlin@ocusd.net>

Cc: Zach Van Velzer <zvanvelzer@ocusd.net>

Date: April 25th 2024

To: Dr. Mahoney and Board of Education

From: Liz Myers and Zach VanVelzer

Reason: Recommendations for Hire

We recommend James Waugh to the position of Bus Aide for OCUSD 220. He will be working at least 3 hours per day based on his route assignment for the 2023-2024 school year.

Liz Ludwig and Zach VanVelzer

Co - Transportation Directors

Liz Ludwig | Transportation Director

Oregon CUSD #220 - Oregon, IL

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Dr. Mahoney and the Board of Education,

I am writing to recommend Mrs. Casandra Webb as a 4th Grade Teacher (BA +24 Step 6) for the 2024-25 School Year. She has taught for 5 years as a 4th Grade teacher in Dixon Public Schools and comes highly regarded from her previous employer and past/present colleagues. She is eager to join our team and I am confident she will be a tremendous addition to the district.

Sincerely,

Ryan Huels

Ryan Huels
Principal
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Oregon Elementary School

Ryan Huels, Assistant Principal



Mandi Callaway <acallaway@ocusd.net>

E Bunton

1 message

Heidi Deininger <hdeininger@ocusd.net>

Mon, May 13, 2024 at 12:22 PM

To: Mandi Callaway <acallaway@ocusd.net>, Marissa Foss <mfoss@ocusd.net>

Hello;

We would like to recommend Erin Bunton for the long term sub position that will be open due to Emily Nelson's leave of absence. Erin comes to us with many years of experience and is a certified special educator. Her salary will be Master's, year 18 which is \$74,736. At the end of the year, she will also be eligible for the hard to fill signing bonus (\$2500). She knows this is all pending board approval and transcript review.

Thank you!
Heidi

DR. HEIDI DEININGER
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 Oregon Junior/Senior High School - Oregon, IL

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From: **Emily Nelson** <enelson@ocusd.net>
Date: Tue, Apr 16, 2024 at 8:24 PM
Subject: Maternity Leave Of Absence
To: Heidi Deininger <hdeininger@ocusd.net>

To Whom It May Concern,

I will be taking my FMLA maternity leave in late August and I am requesting an extended leave of absence for the remainder of the 24/25 school year.

Thank You,
Emily Nelson

From: Felicia carreno <hijoscarreno@msn.com>

Date: April 18, 2024 at 1:26:49 PM CDT

To: tmahoney@ocusd.net, "Goudreau, Susan" <Susan.Goudreau@jeanea.org>,

"Dy Mowry OESPA (dymowry@comcast.net)" <dymowry@comcast.net>

Subject: Request for Unpaid Leave

Good afternoon Dr. Mahoney

I am requesting unpaid leave, effective, April 19,2024 through August 11,2024.

Please advise as to how the district wishes to collect my health insurance premiums during my leave.

Sincerely,

Felicia Carreno

Dear Dr. Mahoney and OCUSD #220 School Board Members,

I would like to request a leave of absence until the end of August 2024. I am requesting this leave because unfortunately on April 14, 2024 I had a fall which left me unable to bear any weight on both legs.

I appreciate your consideration of this request. I am blessed to be able to work for this district and look forward to returning as soon as I am physically able.

Sincerely,
Joyce Callaway

Retirement Letter

May 8, 2024

Sherry Marnich
3747 W. Il Rte 64 Lot #103
Mt. Morris, IL 61054

Dr. Tom Mahoney
210 S. 10th St.
Oregon, IL 61061
(815) 732-5300 Ext. 4000

Dear Dr. Mahoney,

I would like to inform you of my impending retirement from the OCUSD #220 Family on November 1st, 2024.

Since I started at OCUSD I have worn many hats, Crossing Guard, recess aide, Kitchen Aide, Para, Sub, Nurse Aide, and Custodial, It has been an Amazing, learning experience I have enjoyed most every minute of it, I am very grateful for all the help, Support, Kindness, and respect also the care that most everyone has shown over the years.

I am very grateful for Everyone who helped me grow and learn in every job I have had the opportunity to have here. I would also like to thank you for just being there and being honest with me.

I would like to wish you and your family the best and God's blessings in your next adventure.

Appreciatively and Respectfully,

Sherry Marnich
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