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June 29, 2022

Dear FAS Staff and Community,

We would like to provide you with an update on the Fairview Area School (FAS) Superintendent Search process.

As you know, Mr. Lake will be leaving the district to enjoy his retirement at the end of this month. As of this date, the Board of Education continues the process to identify the most ideal candidate to serve as the school district's next Superintendent. We would like to assure you that, should the position not be filled by July 1, arrangements have been made for Mr. Shawn Petri, Superintendent for C.O.O.R ISD, to assume leadership duties until a permanent Superintendent is hired. Should the district need to engage this contingency plan, Mr. Petri's schedule and contact information will be made available at that time.

Please also be assured that the Board is working diligently to fill the available teacher positions with certified teachers and is making every effort to have everything up and running seamlessly when school resumes in the fall.

The selection of a superintendent is among the most significant decisions any school board will make. The search process is an extensive, time-consuming effort to find the right person to help lead our district. We thank you for your patience during this process as we continue to work toward finding a great fit for our students, staff, and community. We will keep the public updated as we move through this process.

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