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Dear Taylor School District,

On Wednesday, August 16th, during the Board of Education's regularly scheduled meeting, we had the distinct privilege of appointing Emily Graham as the Interim Assistant Superintendent of Elementary Curriculum and Resiliency for the Taylor School District. This appointment is subject to the finalization of an employment agreement and negotiations with the Taylor Association of Central Staff Administrators (TACSA) union.

We want to express our heartfelt excitement about having Emily Graham assume this role in the Taylor School District. The Board of Education and Interim Superintendent Michael Wegher are extremely enthusiastic about her appointment to fulfill this critical position, which had become vacant due to a recent resignation. Ms. Graham brings a wealth of experience and passion to this role, and we believe her leadership will play an integral part in shaping the future of our elementary curriculum and fostering resiliency within our student body.

Emily Graham has vast experience in the Taylor School District, serving in the role of elementary teacher for 8 years in multiple elementary buildings throughout the district. She then advanced her career by assuming the position of School Improvement Coordinator for the Taylor School District, where she held that role for 3 years. Ms. Graham then moved on to assume the role of Turnaround Curriculum Director for Van Dyke School District, where she held this position for 10 years before returning to the Taylor School District in 2023 to assume the role of Resiliency Director, leading the district's implementation of Trauma Informed Care.

Throughout her distinguished career, Ms. Graham has demonstrated a remarkable ability to collaborate effectively with educators, staff, parents, and community stakeholders. Her leadership style, characterized by open communication, transparency, and inclusivity, perfectly aligns with our district's values and aspirations. We are confident that her expertise will help shape a positive and enriching educational experience for all our elementary students.

We are especially grateful to Ms. Graham for stepping into this role at a time when stability is essential for the Taylor School District as we embark on the 2023-2024 school year. Her willingness to take on this responsibility speaks volumes about her dedication to our district's success and her commitment to the education and well-being of our students.

The Board of Education and Interim Superintendent Michael Wegher have full confidence in her ability to make a meaningful impact on our district's future. We look forward to keeping you informed and eagerly anticipate the positive impact that Ms. Graham's leadership will undoubtedly have on our elementary curriculum and the resiliency of our students.

Thank you for your unwavering commitment to the Taylor School District and for your dedication to the success of our students.

Sincerely,

Kyle Wright
Taylor School Board President

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