

DATE: November 5, 2018

TO: Dr. Asplund

FROM: Dawn Michaud, Special Ed Director

SUBJECT: Special Education Update for the Nov 12th Board

Personnel: Staff Shortages

School Psychologists

We continue to post for 2 school psychologists. We have no applicants. We have contracted with online psych services through presence for one position and then use one local retired psychologist and one local one who contracts cases to do case studies.

Paraprofessional Subs

We currently have 7 para subs to cover our 79 para positions. We will continue to post and work on recruiting more subs.

Projects working:

- DLM list and teacher training
- Presence Learning online Psych testing
- Excess Costs report is in, will work with district to complete

Future Projects:

- District Behavior Point and Level Guide
- Social Work Guide
- Life Skills curriculum final document
- Update MTSS/RTI process