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TO:

Members of the State Board of Education

FROM:

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DATE:

June 26, 2012

**SUBJECT:** 

MAESP National Distinguished Principal and Assistant Principal of the

Year

# **PURPOSE:**

To provide State Board recognition of the individuals selected by the Maryland Association of Elementary School Principals to represent them as the National Distinguished Principal and Assistant Principal of the Year.

# **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:**

Each year the Maryland Association of Elementary School Principals (MAESP) in collaboration with the National Association of Elementary School Principals (NAESP) selects a National Distinguished Principal (NDP) who represents Maryland in Washington D.C. at the national NDP awards ceremony. MAESP's 2012 National Distinguished Principal is Mr. Gary Llewellyn, principal of Mt. Savage School in Allegany County.

MAESP and NAESP also recognize an Assistant Principal of the Year. The MAESP 2012 Assistant Principal of the Year is Ms. Dyann Mack, Assistant Principal of Homestead Wakefield Elementary School in Harford County.

Recipient profiles attached.

# **ACTION:**

Public recognition. No other action required.

Attachments

### EXPERIENCED EDUCATOR

Dyann.Mack@hcps.org

...dedicated to creating an environment that fosters student success, continuous learning, and reflective practice

### SUMMARY OF OUALIFICATIONS

Experienced Assistant Principal, in pursuit of a Doctorate with proven ability to work without direct supervision to manage the day to day operations of an elementary school, make instructional decisions, facilitate meetings, provide job embedded staff development, efficiently utilize technology, problem solve, monitor student achievement, and plan and initiate initiatives that increase student achievement and enhance school culture.

### HIGHLIGHTED PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

# HARFORD COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOL, BEL AIR, MD

July, 2004-Present

# Assistant Principal

- Served as an elementary 10 and 12 month Assistant Principal
- Assisted the principal with the management of the school
- Assisted with the development, implementation, and evaluation of instructional programs
- Assisted in the hiring, evaluation, and assigning of school personnel
- Assisted in the allocation of resources for the physical plant
- Assisted in the purchase and allocation of instructional materials
- Assisted in the maintenance of safety and security for the building
- Assisted in the facilitation of our Professional Development School Partnership with Stevenson University
- Facilitated the development of the master schedule
- Facilitated the development of before, during, and after school interventions and served as the coordinator
- Facilitated the development of a school wide behavior and incentive program
- Utilized data to monitor student achievement
- Provided personnel with ongoing job embedded professional development, including but not limited to the appraisal process
- Monitored and addressed student and personnel disciplinary issues
- Worked collaboratively with the ILT to monitor instruction, student learning, and student achievement
- Served as the IEP chair person for special education meetings
- Facilitated Student Services Meetings and retention conferences
- Worked collaboratively with central office to establish Early Intervention Regional Special Education Programs
- Severed as a mentor to aspiring administrators
- Facilitated community involvement within the school
- Served on the School Improvement Team
- Served on Support Services Evaluation Committee
- Served on the General Curriculum Committee
- Served on the Elementary Redistricting Committee
- Served on the Scope Study for Homestead Wakefield
- Served on the Availability and Use of Teacher Time Workgroup
- Participated on interview committees for mentor, assistant principal, and education evaluator

### Highlighted Achievements

Awarded Maryland Assistant Principal of the Year from MAESP

# HARFORD COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOL, BEL AIR, MD October 2001- June 2004 <u>Achievement Gap Coordinator</u>

- Analyzed individual student, school, and county achievement data
- Advocated for underserved youth

- Provided job-embedded staff development focused on differentiation, poverty, and metacognition
- Coordinated and trained a team of permanent substitutes and Community Advocates
- Served as a liaison between the Office of Cultural Diversity and schools
- Developed and taught MSDE approved professional development classes
- Attended and presented at local, state, and national conferences
- Served on Countywide Professional development Task Force

### Highlighted Achievements

- Presented at the 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference on Family, school and Community Involvement, 2002
- Presented at the Maryland Association of Boards of Education, 2002
- Presented at the National Association for Multicultural Educational, 2002
- Presented at the Maryland Association for Multicultural Education, 2003
- Revised the Education that is Multicultural MSDE course,
- Created the Framework for Understanding Poverty MSDE course

# HARFORD COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOL, BEL AIR, MD Classroom Teacher

# August 1996- September 2001

- Developed and implemented lessons to meet the needs of diverse learners while utilizing technology and research based practices
- Implemented various classroom management techniques for maintaining student attention, involvement and discipline
- Partnered with parents in students' success; provided feedback on students' progress and to discuss areas needing improvement and additional work.
- Supervised students in a variety of educational settings
- Utilized student data for instructional decision making
- Served as a member of the school improvement team
- Served as grade level chair
- Attended professional conferences

### **COMMUNITY SERVICE**

Edgewood Joppatowne Steelers Football	Team Mom and Coach	2005-Present
St. Stephens Christian Academy Instructor/Counselor	Board of Directors	2004-Present
Harford County Alliance of Black School Educators	Founder, Board Member	2007
Church Creek PTA	Board Member	2009-2011

#### **EDUCATION**

M.Ed., Educational Leadership, Loyola College, Baltimore, MD 2001
 B.S., Early Childhood and elementary Education, Lincoln University, Oxford, PA 1996
 Joppatowne High School, Joppatowne, MD 21085

# **ASSOCIATIONS & CERTIFICATIONS**

Administrator I Certification
Administrator II Certification
Maryland Association of Elementary School Principals
National Association of Elementary School Principals
Harford County Alliance of Black School Educators

### Resume

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**Employment History** 

2000-2012 Principal

Mt. Savage Elementary/Middle School

Fall 2005 Frostburg State University Adjunct Professor

Graduate Level Course Taught: Elementary School

Curriculum

Fall 2004 Frostburg State University Adjunct Professor

Graduate Level Course Taught: Elementary School

Curriculum

1999-2000 Principal

Mt. Savage K-12

1996-1999 Principal

Westmar Middle School

1983-1996 Principal

South Penn Elementary School

January-February 1983 Acting Principal

Cash Valley Elementary School

1978-1983 Teacher, Grades 5-6

Cash Valley Elementary School

1977-1978 Teacher, Grades 5-6

Ellerslie Elementary School

1972-1977 Teacher, Grade 6

Westernport Elementary School

# **Education**

1968 Graduated from Valley High School

Academic Diploma

1972 Graduated from Frostburg State College

Degree: Bachelor of Science Major: Elementary Education

Minor: History

1979 Graduated from Frostburg State University

Degree: Masters of Education in Administration/Supervision

**Professional Qualifications** 

Certification Advanced Professional Certificate

Elementary, Administration/Supervision

Computer Skills Word Processing, Spreadsheets, Internet, Email,

Instant Messaging, Power Point,

**Professional Memberships** 

Allegany County Elementary School Principals 29 years

Maryland Association of Elementary School Principals 29 years

Executive Board Member representing Allegany County for 18 years

National Association of Elementary School Principals 29 years

Maryland State Teachers' Association 40 years

National Education Association 40 years

Maryland Middle School Association 15 years

National Middle School Association 15 years

### Recognitions

Life Member of Maryland PTA 1991 National Distinguished Principal 2012

### **Community Involvement**

LaVale Lions Club, Essay Contest Chairperson Christ Lutheran Church County United Way

### **Special Work Related Achievements**

Treasurer for Allegany County Elementary Principals' Association 1985-1992 President of Association of Public School Administrators and Supervisors of Allegany County 1993-1995

Maryland Middle Learning Years Task Force 1997-1999

Establishing Mt. Savage Middle School 2000-2002

Allegany County Middle School Revision Project 2009-2011