



# MIDDLETOWN AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Middletown Area School District  
Board of School Directors  
55 W. Water Street  
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Dear School Board Members:

Per the terms of my current contract, I am required to provide notification to the Board at least one year prior to the expiration of the contract as to my intentions relative to seeking a renewal. Since we are coming upon that one-year mark next month, please consider this letter my official notice that I do not intend to seek another contract. Moreover, after much prayer and consideration, I have reached the decision to retire early.

Please accept this letter as formal notification of my retirement as MASD Superintendent of Schools effective the close of business on Friday, August 27, 2021. I have dedicated 21 years of my professional life to this District, serving as the Kunkel Elementary School Principal from 2000 – 2007, Assistant Superintendent from 2007 – 2012, and Superintendent of Schools since July 1, 2012. My sincere interest in the success of our students, passion for public education, and desire to make MASD the best it can be has motivated me to give the District my all.

Now, having faithfully served two commissions as Superintendent of MASD over the past nine years and 32 years in public education, I believe that I have fulfilled my purpose here. The District has accomplished many things during my tenure, and I am proud of the work we have done. I am committed to seeing the District through the remainder of the school year and working through the summer to prepare for the 2021-22 school year. I will ensure that everything is fully prepared for my successor to seamlessly move into the seat to open school on August 30, 2021.

I wish nothing but the best for MASD and will dedicate my remaining time to creating a smooth transition for the incoming leadership. Thank you for the opportunity to serve the students and families of Middletown Area SD over the past 21 years. It has been an honor and a privilege.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Lori A. Suski".

Lori A. Suski, Ed.D.  
Superintendent of Schools