

# Minnesota Association of Secondary School Principals



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Dear Members of the Senate Education Committee:

MASSP represents over 1,200 secondary school principals and assistant principals throughout Minnesota. On behalf of MASSP and our members, we fully endorse the confirmation of Willie Jett as Commissioner of Education.

Mr. Jett's experience as a teacher, principal and superintendent have provided him with the experience necessary to effectively lead the Department of Education. Indeed, Mr. Jett is capable of positively leading education throughout the state of Minnesota. He has the respect of teachers, administrators and communities in every place he has worked.

As you are well aware, Mr. Jett's most recent experience has been in education leadership, culturally responsive school leadership and strategic planning at the collegiate level. This uniquely positions him to lead the Department at this time.

Commissioner Jett's appointment was welcomed by principals throughout Minnesota. This endorsement of his confirmation is without reservation. We could not be more pleased in the Governor's selection of Mr. Jett. We urge you, again, to confirm him.

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