



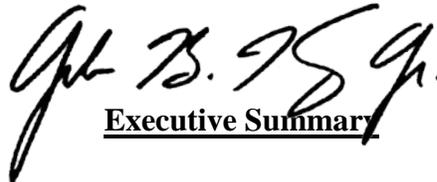
TO: The Honorable the Members of the Board of Regents

FROM: John King

SUBJECT: Appointment of Deputy Commissioner for the Office of Curriculum, Assessment and Educational Technology

DATE: July 22, 2013

AUTHORIZATIONS:


Executive Summary

Issue for Decision

Will the Board of Regents approve my appointment of Ken Wagner to the position of Deputy Commissioner for the Office of Curriculum, Assessment and Educational Technology?

Reason for Consideration

Ken Wagner will bring to the Deputy Commissioner position extensive knowledge and experience in supporting college and career readiness for students and teacher/leader effectiveness through the implementation of rigorous standards, high quality assessments, and educational information systems that provide actionable and timely information to diverse stakeholders. He is currently the Associate Commissioner for Curriculum, Assessment and Educational Technology and has led the implementation of the Common Core Learning Standards upon which the assessments measure student and adult learning progress. Prior to coming to the Department, he was a Program Administrator at Eastern Suffolk BOCES and has also served as a Director of Administrative Services and Principal at Shoreham-Wading River CSD and Assistant Principal at Herricks UFSD. He has a thorough well-rounded understanding and knowledge of all areas and issues of P-12 Education.

Proposed Handling

The Board of Regents will review Mr. Wagner's credentials and experience in Executive Session on July 22, 2013.

Recommendation

I recommend that you take the following action:

VOTED, that the Board of Regents approve the appointment of Ken Wagner to the position of Deputy Commissioner for the Office of Curriculum, Assessment and Educational Technology effective July 23, 2013.