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Dunigan-Smith selected for CGCSC Board of School Trustees

GREENWOOD, IN (July 18, 2024) – The Center Grove Community School Corporation (CGCSC) Board of School Trustees voted to appoint Jane Dunigan-Smith to fill the seat left vacant by the death of Gary Robinson in June. Mrs. Dunigan-Smith will serve through December 2026.

Dunigan-Smith is the Senior Vice President and Chief Strategy Officer at BioCrossroads. She has a master's degree in Business Administration, marketing and strategy and a bachelor's degree in Accounting and Finance from the Kelley School of Business at Indiana University, Bloomington. Dunigan-Smith has served on the Board of the Center Grove Education Foundation and is a graduate of the Center Grove Ambassadors program. She and her husband, Rodney, have two sons, one graduate of Center Grove High School (CGHS) and a senior at CGHS.

Dunigan-Smith was selected from a group of eight finalists who the Board interviewed during a special meeting on Monday, July 15. The final candidates included Don Lyon, Kathryn Minor-Reed, Michael Overpeck, Benjamin Roberts, Teresa West, Lindsey Williams, and Nathan Williamson. Twenty-five people applied to fill the seat. The Board was very pleased with the caliber and number of candidates.

"We were very impressed with everybody we talked to," said Rob Daniels, Board Vice President. "It is a real tribute and a real honor to welcome Jane. We know Jane will do a great job. But we know there are others who would have too. We chose the direction that is best for the corporation."

"It is such an honor to be able to serve the students and community of Center Grove in this capacity," said Dunigan-Smith. "Both of my sons have had excellent experiences here, and I want to ensure that continues for students now and in the future."

Dunigan-Smith will be sworn in at the Board's August meeting.

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Photo attachment: Jane Dunigan-Smith