## **ACTION ITEM**

Date:

August 29, 2016

To:

Raymond E. Lechner, Ph.D., Superintendent

From:

Heather Glowacki, Ed.D., Administrator for Human Resources

Subject:

Support Staff Union (SSU) Letter of Agreement

## PROPOSED ACTION BY THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Motion to approve the attached Support Staff Union (SSU) Letter of Agreement modifying Appendix D: Stipends and Extra Duties to include a \$2500 stipend for a Sustainability Liaison.

#### BACKGROUND |

Upon completion of the recent sustainability audit, including a thorough review of D39 sustainability practices, it became apparent that there is a need for communication and collaboration of school practices with the Department of Curriculum and Instruction. The stipend would allow for a member of the SSU, likely the Food Service Coordinator, to regularly collaborate with C&I regarding current and potential enhancements to practices. This planned collaboration would allow for improved student learning about sustainability and provides a foundation for future sustainability practices.

Recommended for approval by the Board of Education

Raymond E. Lechner, Ph.D

Superintendent

# **Letter of Agreement**

## Sustainability Liaison Stipend

This Letter Agreement provides for a Sustainability Liaison Stipend in Appendix D of the Support Staff Union contract. The Sustainability Liaison Stipend shall be \$2500 per year.

SSU President	Wilmette Board of Education President
Date	Date