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Bay-Arenac ISD Welcomes New Principal and Director of Career Center

Bay City, MI – Bay-Arenac ISD announces the hiring of Joshua Paul Little as the new Principal and Director of the Bay-Arenac ISD Career Center. "We are excited to welcome Mr. Little to the Bay-Arenac ISD family," states Bay-Arenac ISD Superintendent Mr. Michael Vieau. "His proven leadership in CTE and his commitment to fostering partnerships with local businesses, industries, and educational institutions will be invaluable in enhancing our career pathway opportunities for students."

Mr. Little joins Bay-Arenac ISD from the Saginaw Career Complex, where he has served as the CTE Director since 2016, providing leadership support in Career and Technical Education for 12 school districts. During his tenure, he developed partnerships with local businesses and industries to create comprehensive career pathway opportunities for students in the Great Lakes Bay Region. Prior to this, Mr. Little held positions as a Curriculum Instructional Coach/Coordinator and Instructional Support Coordinator within the Saginaw Public Schools. His tenure as a middle school science teacher has also equipped him with a deep understanding of effective instructional practices and classroom management strategies.

Mr. Little is excited to begin his new role as Principal and Director of Career and Technical Education. "I am thrilled to be joining such an amazing team and excited to begin building relationships with each of our stakeholders in this region. I truly believe in Career and Technical Education and the benefits it can provide for students. I also believe in the support it can provide for local businesses as we strive to educate our students at the highest level and strengthen the talent pool within our supporting counties."

Mr. Little replaces Mr. Brian Dufresne who recently retired. Mr. Dufresne led the Bay-Arenac ISD, Career Center for the past eight years.

Bay-Arenac ISD is confident that Mr. Little's leadership will continue to advance the Bay-Arenac ISD, Career Center's mission and provide valuable opportunities for students and the community.