To: Verndale School Board

From: Arick Follingstad, Principal

Date: May 31, 2018

Re: Physical Education / Health Teacher

I recommend the Verndale School District hire Kody Van Den Eykel to fill a 1.0 FTE Physical Education / Health teaching position for the 2018-2019 school year. He will be placed at BS, Step 1 on the teacher master agreement payment schedule.

Kody comes to us with very strong recommendations from his cooperating teachers and his university supervisor as he has recently completed his student teaching experience. While completing his teaching degree, Kody spent 4 years as a wrestler at Concordia College in Moorhead, twice earning the distinction of becoming an Academic All-American. Kody will bring a variety of skills to our building that will benefit our students, staff, and community.

Sincerely,

Arick Follingstad

Principal