



ODYSSEY ACADEMY OF VIRTUAL LEARNING HIGH SCHOOL

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TO: Dr. Whitrock and the Ripon Board of Education
FROM: Vincent Propson
DATE: 8/5/24
RE: Recommendation for 0.5 FTE

I recommend hiring the following staff for the 2024-2025 school year.

Lee Mierow

Position: 0.5 FTE Odyssey Academy of Virtual Learning High School Science Teacher – Lee vacated the position after it dropped to a 0.3 FTE, the higher-than-expected student enrollments this summer made it feasible to add 0.2 FTE.

Certification:

Position or Subject (WI DPI Code)	Level	State	Year Expires
Chemistry (1610)	6-12	WI	3
Natural Science (1601)	6-12	WI	3

Education:

Name of School	Degree	Date Earned	Major(s)
Marian University	MS	2004	Educational Leadership
UW-River Falls	MS	1991	Teaching Science - Physics
UW-La Crosse	BS	1985	Broadfield Science

Work Experience (Student Teaching):

Name of District/ Organization	School/ Location	Position	Job Tasks
Wrightstown School District	Wrightstown Elementary School / Wrightstown	Principal	Lead teaching staff
Wrightstown School District	Wrightstown High School / Wrightstown	Teacher	Teaching Chemistry, Physical Science, Biology and Physics

Process:

Number of applicants for the position:	1
Quality of applicants:	Rehire
Interview team:	N/A

Number of candidates interviewed:	N/A
Quality of candidates interviewed:	N/A
Notes/reference checks on selected candidate.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● “Highly effective educator”● “Meshes well with staff”● “Students and families loved Lee”● “He knows what we teach and how we teach content and he does it really well”