

Taylor Announces Retirement

At a meeting of the board of Mooresville Consolidated School Corporation Tuesday evening, Superintendent Randy Taylor announced he will retire at the end of 2023.

"I am thankful for my time serving Mooresville Schools," said Taylor. "I can truly say that I look forward to coming to work every day. My focus has always been to keep the students at the forefront of every decision. I am proud to say that with the strong team we have at Mooresville, we've been able to do just that."

Taylor has served as superintendent since July of 2017 and he is currently the Indiana District IV Superintendent of the Year. Previously, he served as assistant superintendent at Mooresville for three and a half years. He was named 2011 School Business Official of the Year by the Indiana Association of School Business Officials and has also received the Indiana Association of Public School Superintendents' Ten-Year Award for Distinguished Service.



"We are thankful to have had Randy Taylor, a respected school leader in Indiana, lead the Mooresville team the past several years," said School Board President Dr. Bill Roberson. "His experience and expertise have led this district to many achievements and improvements while honoring our Board of Trustees' commitment to keep the tax rate level. We wish him all the best in his well-deserved retirement."

During Taylor's time with the district, several key projects and improvements have taken place. Academic improvements during Taylor's tenure include the addition of community preschool programming, the expansion of Project Lead the Way STEM programming to all elementary schools, increased Agri-Science programming, the expansion of college credit Advanced Placement courses, and the expansion of one-to-one devices across all grade levels. District-wide building improvements include technology and safety upgrades to all schools, a new Transportation Center, the addition of the Pioneer Pavilion and Pioneer Practice Facility, the creation of the new Career Center with Ivy Tech, major parking/drainage upgrades to the MHS campus, and the addition of turf fields for football, soccer, baseball, and softball fields. At the same time, students transferring into Mooresville Schools have more than doubled.

"I'm grateful for the opportunity I've had to serve as Superintendent," said Taylor. "When I first joined Mooresville, I was embraced by the school family as well as the community and have enjoyed this positive atmosphere ever since. Great things are happening in Mooresville for our students and our school community, from improved schools and campuses to increased educational opportunities for students. I'm honored to have been part of the Mooresville Schools' legacy."

Before joining Mooresville Schools, Taylor has served as assistant superintendent for business at the MSD of Martinsville for 12 years. He began his career as a teacher and coach in Monrovia. He then moved on to teaching and coaching at Martinsville High School and then rose to become the school's assistant principal and as principal of West Middle School. He served as Martinsville's assistant superintendent in 2002 and became Mooresville's assistant superintendent in January 2014. Taylor received his Master's Degree and Ed.S. in School Administration from Indiana University.

The Board has announced that Dr. Jake Allen, who currently serves as Associate Superintendent, will become Superintendent in January.