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Announcing Boise-Eliot/Humboldt's new principal, Kaveh Pakseresht

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Dear Boise-Eliot/Humboldt Community,

I am pleased to announce that Kaveh Pakseresht will take over as principal of Boise-Eliot/Humboldt School. He is someone many of you will be familiar with as he served as assistant principal under Kevin Bacon the last two years, and that familiarity will be a major asset as BEH transitions from a PK-8 school to a PK-5 this year.

We wish Kevin, who served as BEH principal for five years, all the best and thank him for his service.

Kaveh is an experienced educator who has spent his entire career in PPS. The last two years he has played a key role at BEH, planning and executing the school calendar, and collaborating with the parent groups and community organizations that are such an important part of the school's unique culture.

He also handled BEH's day-to-day building management, and he supervised, coached and evaluated the school's teachers.

Kaveh started in PPS in 2005 as a therapeutic intervention coach. He made his mark as a special education teacher in the district, then used that experience to become a special education TOSA (teacher on special assignment) and special programs assistant principal. In those roles, he facilitated district-wide professional development and coached general education teachers on special education strategies. He filled a crucial role as a liaison between general and special education supports.

Kaveh earned a bachelor's degree in human development and family studies from Oregon State University, with a minor in business. He added a master's in special education from Portland State University, where he also earned his education administration license.

Please join me in congratulating Kaveh on becoming principal of Boise-Eliot/Humboldt.

Guadalupe Guerrero
Superintendent



Kaveh Pakseresht

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