



MINNESOTA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PRINCIPALS' ASSOCIATION

Serving Elementary and Middle-Level Principals

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MESPA State Officer Candidate Profile



Name and position: Jennifer Olson, Principal, Humphrey & Winsted Elementary Schools

Running for: Secretary/Treasurer

Past MESPA leadership positions held:

Position: MESPA Secretary/Treasurer

date of involvement: 2017 - 2019

Position: State Chair, Educational Advisory

date of involvement: 2012-Present

Position: Division President, Central

date of involvement: 2010-2012

My vision for the MESPA President-Elect / Secretary-Treasurer / NAESP State Representative (circle one) position is:

My vision as secretary-treasurer for the upcoming two years is to continue supporting MESPA in the capacity I'm needed. My goals would be to accurately document meeting discussions and provide clear communication to the MESPA Board as well as our general membership. I also wish to be a voice at the local, state and national level—to represent and advocate for my peers and our students. Personally, it gives me an opportunity to strengthen my leadership skills, encourages me to more active legislatively, and helps me to build a greater professional network. I love to learn and my connections with others! I enjoy the responsibilities of secretary-treasurer, and would be honored to serve the MESPA organization for a second term.

I should be selected as a candidate for MESPA President-Elect / Secretary- Treasurer / NAESP State Representative (circle one) because:

I will continue to work tirelessly for MESPA organization—I am organized, personable and have a level head when making decisions. I have the experience, know what to expect, and enjoy the tasks put before me. I am not afraid of a challenge, and wish to be a supportive “go-to” for my peers. MESPA has been invaluable—peer connections, resources and professional growth. Being selected secretary-treasurer gives me an opportunity to give back and support others in the way that MESPA has supported me.