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Subject: Fw: Mia Baldwin - School Board

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From: Mia Baldwin <mtobaldwin@aol.com>

To: Michele Lee <mlee@highbridge.org>

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Subject: Re: Mia Baldwin - School Board

Michelle please forward this note to the other people your letter was cc'd to:

If someone feels the indicated conflict of interest policy is not appropriate, they have the right to approach the board, but please know I would have resigned from the board eventually. The requirements would have proved too difficult for me to manage both responsibility-wise and time-wise.

I have come to the understanding that my email correspondence does suffice as my resignation. Although I had wished and requested to announce my resigning differently, I understand that time is of essence and my delay in formally announcing my resignation. as intended, resulted in my email, indicating my desire to resign and inquiring about resignation procedure, being attached to the BOE Feb 7 meeting agenda.

I was excited about being on the board, but am happy with the way things are going and feel as though my employment within the HBSD will allow me to contribute to the education of our community's children in a most fitting way.

I plan to attend the next BOE meeting and read the following resignation letter shared below.

Sincerely,
Mia Baldwin

Dear Board Members and Community of High Bridge. I Mia Baldwin, formerly elected to have served as member of the HBSD BOE would like to thank both the residents of High Bridge for entrusting me to sit as a member on the board and board members for welcoming me as such. I am grateful to have been offered the opportunity to learn and

contribute to the education of High Bridge children and saddened it has had to come to such a premature end.

It was comforting to have received such a number of votes. I thought to myself that maybe parents and teachers living in HB recognize and appreciate the characters of my not perfect, but for the most part kind children, who are good examples of what the HBSD champions and promotes.

Although somewhat disappointed, I am content with the direction my path is taking me within High Bridge. I look forward to the High Bridge community's continued support and trust in my efforts around town because of my passions, my commitment to my values, and mostly because of my abilities.

Although parting from the BOE, I look forward to working with them for our children and am excited as I learn of the residents that may fill the vacancy.

Thank you for your patience, attention and time.

Sincerely,
Mia Baldwin