

Dear Members of The Common School Community,

After careful consideration the Head Search Committee has decided not to recommend any of the candidates who recently visited the School. In the end, the Committee did not feel that any of the candidates was an appropriate choice at this time to be the next leader of The Common School. I would like to thank everyone who offered their valuable input and participated in this process. I am also incredibly grateful to the members of the Search Committee for the time, energy, and thoughtfulness they brought to their task.

The Board of Trustees is now moving forward to appoint an interim Head of School. Those discussions are underway and I am confident that the end result will be a strong, experienced leader who can move the School forward over the next 1-2 years on a broad range of areas and prepare us as a community for a successful Head of School search in the future. It will be several weeks before we can reach a final decision on the interim position.

Please feel free to reach out to me with questions going forward.

Respectfully,

Chrystal Wittcopp
Chair, The Common School Board of Trustees