

Consent Agenda Item 6.1a

**Human Resources Office**

*Brad Swanson, Assistant Superintendent for Human Resources*  
*Alice Raflares, Director of Human Resources*  
*Debbie Timpe, Human Resources Specialist; Certified*  
*Jeanne Davito, Human Resources Specialist; Non-certified*  
*Alice Kus, Human Resources Assistant*

**To:** Board of Education  
**From:** Brad Swanson  
**Date:** July 25, 2016  
**Re:** Appointments: Certified

**Social Studies Teacher - GBS**

**Ms. Nyssa Beckwith**

0.2 FTE

**Degree:**

BA, Social Studies Secondary Education, University of Iowa

**Certification:**

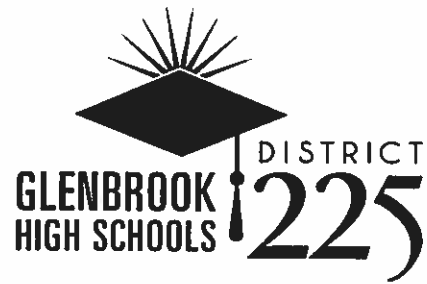
Secondary (US History, Psychology, and World History )

**Professional Experience:**

Nyssa has served as a long-term substitute at Lake Park High School, York High School, Glenbard West High School, Downers Grove North High School, Glenbard South High School and Leyden High School where she has taught a variety of Social Studies courses. She consistently differentiated curriculum to meet the individual needs of diverse learners, and participated in curriculum redesign using state and common core standards to create lessons and assessments. Nyssa has also integrated technology to enhance lessons and peak student interest with the use of Chromebooks.

**Salary:** \$11,410 (BA, Step 1, 0.2 FTE)

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**World Languages Teacher - GBS**

**Mr. Matthew Barera**

0.2 FTE

**Degree:**

BA, Spanish and German, University of Michigan System, Ann Arbor, MI

**Certification:**

Secondary (Spanish and German)

**Professional Experience:**

Matthew just completed is student teaching experience at Dexter High School in Dexter, MI. During this time he taught three different sections of Spanish I and one section of Spanish 4. Matthew was responsible for planning, instruction and assessment. Matthew was able to build meaningful relationships with all his students in a short amount of time.

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