

### **Gaylord Community Schools- Preliminary Posting**

The Gaylord Community Schools Board of Education is seeking a dynamic educational leader to become their next superintendent of schools. The current superintendent is retiring after thirty two (32) successful years with the district. The Board and superintendent have worked as an effective team to create a culture of accomplishments for students and the community which they wish to continue.

Gaylord is known for four seasons of “[All Outdoors](#)” adventures – golfing, hiking, skiing, and snowmobiling. The [Gaylord Golf Mecca](#) has 17 championship courses, you can swim, kayak, and fish in our lakes and rivers, and don’t forget about our abundant snowfall which turns our community into a winter wonderland! We are easy to find on I-75 if you travel 45 minutes south of the Mackinac Bridge or 3 hours north of Detroit. If you are looking to experience the advantages of working in a large public school district while living in a family-focused northern Michigan community, Gaylord is the place for you!

Gaylord Community Schools educates nearly 3,000 students in five buildings: North Ohio Elementary School (K-3), South Maple Elementary School (K-3), Gaylord Intermediate School (4-6), Gaylord Middle School (7-8) and Gaylord High School (9-12). The district has been repeatedly recognized as high achieving by the Center for Michigan. Gaylord High School has also been repeatedly recognized by U.S. News and World Report as one of the best high schools in the nation, earning a silver medal for 2015.

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#### **Salary and Contract Information**

The Board has established a base salary range of \$130,000- \$160,000; negotiated salary and benefits package will be commensurate with the chosen candidate’s experience and qualifications.

#### **Application Procedure**

After garnering stakeholder input, the Board of Education will provide a detailed profile of the ideal candidate. This detailed profile will be posted on or about May 11, 2022. Candidates may wish to wait until after the profile is published to finalize their application. Interested candidates should complete and submit an online application found at <https://masb.myrevelus.com/>.

Completed online applications must be submitted no later than 4:00 pm on May 31, 2022. No “hard copy,” fax or emailed copies accepted. IF requested by the candidate, materials will be treated

confidentially through the screening process. Candidate names will become public at the time an interview is scheduled.

Key dates for the selection process include:

May 31, 2022, @4pm – Closing date for the position

June 13, 2022– Board of Education to select candidates for interviews

June 20, 21, 2022 – Initial interviews

June 28, 2022 – Second round interviews

The Board would like the successful candidate to begin his/her employment in August 2022.

Candidates should not reach out to board members directly; all questions regarding the search should be directed to Dr. Tim Hall, Executive Search Services Consultant, Michigan Association of School Boards, [tim.hall.masb@gmail.com](mailto:tim.hall.masb@gmail.com) or (906) 440-5353.