# STATE OF MINNESOTA

Executive Department



Governor Tim Walz

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## NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

## Janet Mohr

Congressional District 2

Because of the special trust and confidence I have in your integrity, judgment, and ability, I have appointed you to the office of:

## Member

# **Board of the Perpich Center for Arts Education**

Effective: April 5, 2022 Expires: January 6, 2025

This appointment carries with it all rights, powers, duties, and emoluments granted by law and pertaining to this position until this appointment is superseded or annulled by me or other lawful authority or by any law of this State.

Signed and sealed March 31, 2022.

CAL WHILE CASE

Replacing: Jody Grams

Tim Walz

Governor

Steve Simon Secretary of State

> Filed March 31, 2022 Office of the Minnesota Secretary of State Steve Simon

### **VITA**

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#### Education:

Ed.S. Minnesota State University Moorhead, Moorhead, MN, 1981

M.S. Moorhead State University, Moorhead, MN, 1979

B.S. University of Wisconsin, Superior, WI, 1973

H.S. Diploma, Superior Senior High School, Superior, WI, 1969

#### Licensures:

Superintendent, April 1999
K-12 Principal, April 1999
Special Education Director, April 1999
Secondary Guidance and Counseling, 1981
School Psychology, M.S., 1979, post-Masters, 1981
Psychology, 1973
Speech Communications, 1973

Special Certifications: Nationally Certified School Psychologist, 1989 - present

#### Honors:

Distinguished Service Award, Minnesota Association of School Administrators, 2019

Certificate of Recognition for 45-years of excellent dedicated service to the State of Minnesota in public education including 5-years as Executive Director of the Board of School Administrators, December 2018 by Governor Dayton

Commencement Speaker, University of Wisconsin Superior, 2019

Trustee of the Year Award, Benedictine Health Systems, 2011

Administrator of Excellence, Minnesota Association of School Administrators, 2005

School Psychologist of Excellence, MN School Psychologist Association, 1998

Midwestern Book Association (MBA) award: Publisher of best travel book, WORLDWIDE BROCHURES, 1995

Nominated "Entrepreneur of the Year", Minnesota Small Business Administration, 1995

Several Business Honors including, Best of the Web, 1996-1999

Academic Honors, University of Wisconsin Superior, 1972

### **Professional Positions:**

Executive Director, B oard of School Administrators, appointed August 2013. Retired, November, 2017

Superintendent of Schools, East Metro Integration District #6067, 2011 – 2013

Principal and Director of Mental Health, Northeast Metro Intermediate School District 916, 2008-2011

Director of Special Education, East Metro Integration District #6067, 2012-2013

Associate Professor, Argosy University, Fall 2011

Associate Professor, Minnesota State University Moorhead, Moorhead, MN, 2007-2009

Director of Rural Education Leadership Program, Minnesota Association of School Administrators (MASA), 2006-2008

Superintendent, Frazee-Vergas Public Schools, Frazee, MN, 2001-2006

School Psychologist, Detroit Lakes Public Schools, Detroit Lakes, MN, 1997-20 01

Principal, Roosevelt Elementary School, Detroit Lakes Public Schools, 1995-1997

School Psychologist, Detroit Lakes Public Schools, 1987-1995

School Psychologist, Buffalo Valley Special Education Cooperative, Jamestown, ND 1984-1987

Assistant Principal, Frazee High School, Frazee, MN 1979-1984

Assistant Principal, Detroit Lakes Senior High, 1977-1979

Teacher, Detroit Lakes Senior High, 1972-1977

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#### Other Professional Positions:

Co-Owner, Mohr Manufacturing, manufacturer of bumper-protection devices and auto accessories, 2001-present

Co-Owner, Worldwide Brochures, an online network and publishing company, 1986-2001

President/Executive Director, Intra-American Student Travel Programs, St. Paul, 1984-1986

#### **Board Appointments:**

Minnesota Association of School Administrators, Board of Directors, 2021

University of Wisconsin Superior, Foundation Board Steering Committee, 2019 to present

Fairview Ridges Medical Center and MN Valley Care System, Board of Trustees, 2007-2018

University of Wisconsin Superior, Foundation Board, 2007- 2017. Served as Vice Chair 2016 - 2017

Benedictine Health System, Board of Trustees, 2002-2012. Served as Chair of Board 2011 -2012

Rotary International, Board of Directors

Minnesota Association of School Administrators (MASA) Foundation Board 2006-present. Serving as Chair.

University of Wisconsin Superior, Foundation Board, 2007-present (Served as Chair of Governance, Finance, Development)

SJE Rhombus Manufacturing, Board of Directors, 1996 - 2006 (Served as Chair of Nominating and Compensation

St. Mary's Regional Hospital and Care System, Board of Trustees, 1996-2002. Served as Chair of Board, 2001-2002.

#### Conference Presenter:

Minnesota Association of School Administrators (MASA)

Minnesota Rural Education Association (MREA)

Minnesota School Boards Association (MSBA)

Minnesota Association of Secondary School Principals (MASSP)

Minnesota Elementary School Principals Association (MESPA)

University of Minnesota - Carlson School of Business (Uof M)

Rotary International

Minnesota Association of School Psychologists

National Association of School Psychologists

Educational and Business Conference/Workshop Presenter for Multiple Organizations

Topics: Leadership, Mental Health Disorders, Attention Deficient Disorders, Student Behavior and Classroom Interventions, Instructional Strategies, Curriculum Modifications and Accommodations, Parent/Student

Communication Strategies and more.

#### Director/Coordinator:

Lakes Country Service Cooperative Board of Directors, 2002-2005

United Methodist Church Council, Detroit Lakes (1985-2006)

Support Service Coordinator, Frazee, MN 1979-1984

Title IV-C Grant Coordinator, Positive Attitude Towards Learning, Frazee MN, 1981-84

Adjunct, Moorhead State University Moorhead, 1980-84

Chemical Awareness Program Coordinator, Frazee, MN, 1980-84

Program Evaluation and Reporting Coordinator, 1979-84

Director, Detroit Lakes Alternative Learning Center - a non-traditional high school, 1977-79

Director of Special Needs Programs, Detroit Lakes Senior High, 1977-79

Community Curriculum Development Committee, Detroit Lakes, 1974-77

North Central Evaluation Team, 1974-1979

#### Advisory/Committee Member:

Mission Advisory Council, Augustana Senior Living of Burnsville, 2010 - present

Leadership Grant, Minnesota Department of Education, 2017

Baldrige Model of Excellence Advisory Committee, Benedictine Health System, Duluth, MN

Minnesota Department of Education, Advisory Boards

MN Board of Administrators Collaborative

MN Quality Council

Minnesota State Technical College Advisory Board

Minnesota State University Moorhead, Advisory Board

Lakes Country Service Cooperative Committees: Superintendent and Curriculum Advisory Groups

Curriculum Council, K-12, Detro it Lakes Public Schools

Clinical Supervisor, school psychology interns, Minnesota State University Moorhead

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Staff Development Advisor, Buffalo Valley Special Education Cooperative, Jamestown, ND Staff Development Advisor, K-12, Frazee, MN Support Service Staff Coordinator, Frazee, MN North Central Evaluation Committee Leadership Committee, Detroit Lakes Theater Director, Detroit Lakes Senior Hig h

#### **Professional Associations:**

Association of Metropolitan School Districts (AMSD)
Minnesota Association of School Administrators (MASA)
Minnesota School Boards Association (MSBA)
Minnesota Association of Special Education Directors (MASE)
Minnesota Rural Education Association (MREA)
American Association of School Administrators (AASA)
Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development (ASCD)
National Association of School Psychologists (NASP)
Minnesota Association of School Psychologists (MSPA)
Past Member of Minnesota and National Principal's Associations
Past Member of Education Minnesota
Past Member of the National Education Association (NEA)

## **Community Contributions:**

Rotary International, Detroit Lakes and Burnsville, 2000-2012 (Board of Directors 2004 -2006)
Development Committee and Leadership Quality Committee, Fairview Ridges Medical Center, 2008
VOSH Mission member and volunteer to Jamaica
United Methodist Church Council, 2003-2007; Chair 2004-2007
St. Mary's Regional Health Care Hospital Development Foundation 2004 - present
United Methodist Church, Building Committee Chair, 1984-2006
Frazee Area Community Development Committee, 2001 - 2005
Vice Chair of Finance Committee for MMCDC Community Center Foundation 1999
City of Detroit Lakes and Chamber of Commerce Committees, 1972-2005
Chamber of Commerce Beautification Award recipient for landscape design, 1989, 1991 and 1995
Detroit Lakes United Methodist Church Choir 1984-present; Lakes Area Gospel Choir 1988-2006
Aerial photographer, 1985

Personal Interests: Fishing, run ning, time with family and friends, painting, traveling, landscaping and gardening.

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#### Governor Walz:

I would like to be considered for an open Member seat, on the Board of the Perpich Center for Arts Education.

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I have worked to serve public education in Minnesota, for more than 45 years, by positively contributing to the lives of children, families, and communities. During my extensive career in public education, I have held several titles including superintendent, principal, assistant principal, director of mental health, school psychologist, director of special education, associate professor, and high-school teacher.

In 2013, I was appointed to serve as the Executive Director of the Minnesota Board of School Administrators. During my tenure with the Board, I worked closely with the Governor's staff and elected officials in the state legislature to carry education issues forward. I was successful in leading accreditation efforts for state colleges and universities and assisted in establishing high standards of conduct for all licensed administrators.

I have been an active member in professional organizations such as the Minnesota Association of School Administrators (MASA), Association of Metropolitan School Districts, Minnesota School Boards Association, Minnesota Administrators for Special Education, Minnesota Rural Education Association, American Association of School Administrators, Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development, National and Minnesota Association of School Psychologists, Minnesota and National Principals Associations, Education Minnesota, and the National Education Association.

During the past 30 years, I have had the opportunity to serve on several professional boards and committees such as: Director, Minnesota Association of School Administrators, Chair of the Benedictine Health Care System in Duluth, MN; Chair of the St. Mary's Hospital Board in Detroit Lakes, MN; Director of the Fairview Ridges Hospital in Burnsville, MN and Chair of the Lead Quality and Medical Staff Credentialing; Director of Rotary International; Vice-Chair of the University of Wisconsin-Superior Foundation Board; Chair of the United Methodist Church Council; Vice-Chair of the SJE Rhombus Manufacturing Corporation; Director of Young Life; Co-Owner of Worldwide Brochures and Mohr Manufacturing; and President of the Intra-American Student Programs.

I have been very fortunate to have received honors and awards from organizations I have had the privilege to work with, over the years. Recognitions include MASA's Administrator of Excellence Award, Benedictine Health System's Trustee of the Year

Award, and Minnesota School Psychologist Association's School Psychologist of Excellence Award. I was also nominated for the Minnesota Small Business Administration's Entrepreneur of the Year Award, for innovations in technology and was honored to present research at the National Association of School Psychologist Conference in Washington D.C.

In 2019, the Minnesota Association of School Administrators (MASA) granted me the *Distinguished Service Award* for my support of the children of Minnesota and for my contributions in activities that have improved Minnesota's public education system. I was also honored to present the commencement address, to the 2019 class of graduates, at the University of Wisconsin- Superior.

I trust that my experience in education and community service will qualify me to serve as a Member of the Perpich Center for Arts Education.

I have included my VITA with this application, however, if you have questions or need additional information, please contact me at 218-841-3675 or via email at <a href="mailto:janetmohr@comcast.net">janetmohr@comcast.net</a>.

Thank you for your time and consideration of this application.

Sincerely,

Janet L. Mohr

James & Mary

Retired, Minnesota Board of School Administrators, Executive Director

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## Application for the position Member Application Date: 8/25/2021 11:20:28 AM

## Part I: Position Sought

Agency Name: Board Of The Perpich Center For Arts Education

Position: Member

## Part II: Applicant Information

Name: Ms Janet Louise Mohr Phone: (218) 841-3675 County: Dakota

Mn House District: 56B US House District: 2

Recommended by the Appointing Authority: False

## Part III: Appending Documentation

#### Cover Letter and Resume

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### Additional Documents (.doc, .docx, .pdf, .txt)

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### Part V: Signature

**Signature:** Janet L. Mohr **Date:** 8/25/2021 11:20:28 AM

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