

Parents and Caregivers Nowra East Public School DOC21/765999

Dear Parents and Caregivers

I write to advise you of the outcome of the recent merit selection process undertaken to appoint an Executive Principal to the school as part of the Department of Education's Connected Communities strategy.

Following the merit selection process Ms Judith Hayman, currently Principal, Griffith Public School was the successful applicant. Ms Hayman has been offered and accepted the position, pending the end of the 10 day appeal period. Ms Hayman is an experienced principal who has demonstrated exemplary commitment to students through improving learning and wellbeing outcomes. She has also demonstrated her capacity to work closely with staff, parents and the wider community to build community engagement. It is anticipated that Ms Hayman, will commence in her role as Executive Principal at the start of Term 4.

I wish to thank the members of the panel for their time, valued input and contribution to the process.

I wish to sincerely thank Mr Diamond for his outstanding educational leadership, commitment and professionalism as relieving Principal, Nowra East Public School during this period of leadership transition. Mr Stephen Heslop, Director Educational Leadership, Mr Diamond and I will be working with Ms Hayman to ensure a smooth transition as the new Executive Principal.

I know you will join me in congratulating and welcoming Ms Hayman to the Nowra East Public School community.

Yours sincerely

Mark Barraket **Executive Director, School Performance Regional South School Performance Directorate** 16 July 2021