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From: Beeson, Cheryl
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To: GCSPolicies
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I wholeheartedly support the revisions proposed in the RIF Board Policy regarding Licensed Employees. At the high school level, we need to be able to have more departmental flexibility when addressing the need to reduce staff members. I especially appreciate the revision that would make it possible to keep better, higher-achieving teachers who have been with GCS less time than other, less effective, teachers. This policy revision would allow us to do what is best for students: keep good teachers without our hands being tied by teacher seniority, when teacher quality should be a higher priority!

Thank you for your consideration of this important matter!

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