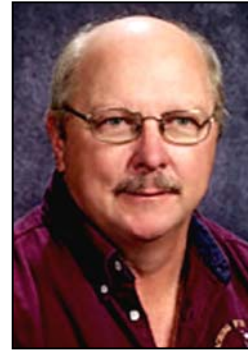


## DISTRICT 742 RETIREES • 2004-2005



**Dave Walberg** - Elementary Head Custodian  
Kennedy Elementary School  
Retiring July 29, 2005  
After 34 years of service to District 742

**Dr. Patricia Welter** - Principal  
North Junior High School  
Retiring June 30, 2005  
After 35 years of service to District 742

**David Williams** - Science Teacher  
Apollo High School  
Retired December 15, 2004  
After 34 years of service to District 742



**Roger Young** - Social Studies Teacher  
North Junior High School  
Retiring June 9, 2005  
After 34 years of service to District 742



### NOT PICTURED

**Jan Braun** - Language Arts Teacher  
Tech High School  
Retiring June 9, 2005  
After 34 years of service to District 742

**Charles Cedergren** - Third Grade Teacher  
Westwood Elementary School  
Retiring June 10, 2005  
After 35 years of service to District 742

**Gladys Fandel** - Bus Driver  
District Services Building  
Retired June 4, 2004  
After 29 years of service to District 742

**Ellie Josephs** - English Language Learners Teacher  
North Junior High School  
Retiring June 9, 2005  
After 27 years of service to District 742

**Dori Lindsay** - Social Studies Teacher  
Tech High School  
Retiring September 8, 2005  
After 34 years of service to District 742

**Louise Parker** - Kitchen Helper  
North Junior High School  
Retiring May 31, 2005  
After 16 years of service to District 742

**Candice Pearson** - Second Grade Teacher  
Madison Elementary School  
Retired June 4, 2004  
After 35 years of service to District 742

**Kaye Raffennebeul** - Clerical Paraprofessional  
Jefferson Elementary School  
Retired June 4, 2004  
After 19 years of service to District 742

**Marge Roda** - Baker  
Apollo High School  
Retired June 3, 2004  
After 6 years of service to District 742

**Alice Schmitt** - Classroom Paraprofessional  
South Junior High School  
Retired May 31, 2004  
After 15 years of service to District 742

**Arlene Silvers** - Child Care Paraprofessional  
Area Learning Center  
Retired August 12, 2004  
After 17 years of service to District 742

**Carol Wade** - Secretary Bookkeeper II  
Apollo High School  
Retiring May 31, 2005  
After 18 years of service to District 742

**Shelly Zins** - Education Paraprofessional  
North Junior High School  
Retired January 31, 2005  
After 24 years of service to District 742

Carol Ahlstrand  
Al Barth  
Marge Bates  
Jean Berger  
Bill Bettendorf  
Jan Braun  
Karen Carlson  
Charles Cedergren  
David Cropper  
Jim Dubsy  
Phyllis Ehlers  
Vern Ehlers  
Larry Ellingson  
Pete Evans  
Gladys Fandel  
Nancy Farb  
Beverly Fuller-Williams  
Sally Green  
Curtis Hutchens  
Mary Jo Johnson  
Ellie Josephs  
Janice Kenning  
Laurel Knettel  
Dr. Jim Lee  
Dori Lindsay  
Angela Luksetich  
Donna Mark  
Richard Miller  
Louise Parker  
Candice Pearson  
Mary Petersen  
Arlene Prom  
Kaye Raffennebeul  
Nikki Rajala  
Evalee Risley  
Karen Robarge  
Marge Roda  
Suzie Sands  
Alice Schmitt  
Arlene Silvers  
Barbara Tillemans  
Carol Wade  
Dave Walberg  
Dr. Patricia Welter  
David Williams  
Roger Young  
Shelly Zins

# Retiree Wrap

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## DISTRICT 742 RETIREES 2004-2005

Dear Retirees,

A simple "thank you" just doesn't seem enough for the years...and in many cases, entire careers dedicated to the well-being and development of our community's children. My gratitude and appreciation is none the less, immeasurable, and I do want to express my congratulations and thanks for the commitment, talent and "sunshine" that you generously brought to both our students and the work place during your journey in District 742.

Retirement promises an opportunity to do meaningful things in different ways. May your future graciously return the joy and excitement for learning that you have so willingly instilled within others.

Respectfully,

Bruce Watkins  
Superintendent



*Congratulations 2004-2005  
District 742 Retirees*

# DISTRICT 742 RETIREES • 2004-2005



**Carol Ahlstrand** - CAAP Teacher  
Clearview Elementary School  
Retired April 30, 2005  
After 34 years of service to District 742



**Al Barth** - Program Improvement Facilitator  
District Media Services  
Retired November 30, 2004  
After 34 years of service to District 742



**Marge Bates** - Special Education Teacher  
Area Learning Center West  
Retired February 28, 2005  
After 32 years of service to District 742



**Jean Berger** - Classroom Paraprofessional  
Roosevelt Early Childhood Center  
Retired July 30, 2004  
After 12 years of service to District 742



**Bill Bettendorf** - Counselor  
North Junior High School  
Retiring June 9, 2005  
After 34 years of service to District 742



**Karen Carlson** - Sixth Grade Teacher  
Discovery Community School  
Retired April 6, 2005  
After 34 years of service to District 742



**David Cropper** - Custodian  
North Junior High School  
Retiring September 30, 2005  
After 6 years of service to District 742



**Jim Dubsy** - Work Experience Coordinator  
Area Learning Center West  
Retiring June 9, 2005  
After 35 years of service to District 742



**Phyllis Ehlers** - Clerical Paraprofessional  
Oak Hill Community School  
Retired October 20, 2004  
After 18 years of service to District 742



**Vern Ehlers** - Industrial Arts Teacher  
South Junior High School  
Retired October 20, 2004  
After 29 years of service to District 742



**Larry Ellingson** - Fourth Grade Teacher  
Madison Elementary School  
Retiring June 9, 2005  
After 36 years of service to District 742



**Pete Evans** - Head Custodian Engineer  
South Junior High School  
Retiring July 8, 2005  
After 33 years of service to District 742



**Nancy Farb** - First Grade Teacher  
Talahi Community School  
Retiring June 9, 2005  
After 34 years of service to District 742



**Beverly Fuller-Williams** - Music Teacher  
Lincoln Elementary School  
Retiring June 9, 2005  
After 12 years of service to District 742



**Sally Green** - Math Teacher  
Tech High School  
Retiring June 9, 2005  
After 34 years of service to District 742

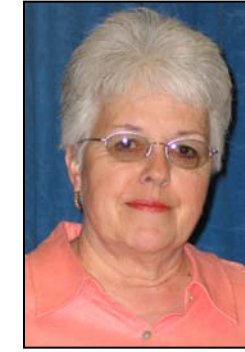
**Curtis Hutchens** - Second Grade Teacher  
Clearview Elementary School  
Retiring June 15, 2005  
After 37 years of service to District 742



**Mary Jo Johnson** - Support Paraprofessional  
North Junior High School  
Retired September 17, 2004  
After 24 years of service to District 742



**Janice Kenning** - Support Paraprofessional  
Apollo High School  
Retired June 3, 2004  
After 10 years of service to District 742



**Laurel Knettel** - Fifth Grade Teacher  
Oak Hill Community School  
Retiring July 1, 2005  
After 34 years of service to District 742



**Dr. Jim Lee** - Superintendent  
District Administration Office  
Retired December 31, 2004  
After 32 years of service to District 742



**Angela Luksetich** - Title 1 Teacher  
Discovery Community School  
Retired December 23, 2004  
After 30 years of service to District 742



**Donna Mark** - Physical Education Teacher  
Apollo High School  
Retired November 8, 2004  
After 34 years of service to District 742



**Richard Miller** - Fifth Grade Teacher  
Talahi Community School  
Retiring June 9, 2005  
After 34 years of service to District 742



**Mary Petersen** - Fourth Grade Teacher  
Kennedy Elementary School  
Retired July 1, 2004  
After 34 years of service to District 742



**Arlene Prom** - Special Ed Paraprofessional  
Transportation, District Services Building  
Retired June 3, 2004  
After 10 years of service to District 742



**Nikki Rajala** - Special Education Teacher  
Discovery Community School  
Retired September 20, 2004  
After 33 years of service to District 742



**Evalee Risley** - Elementary Teacher  
Lincoln Elementary School  
Retiring June 9, 2005  
After 28 years of service to District 742



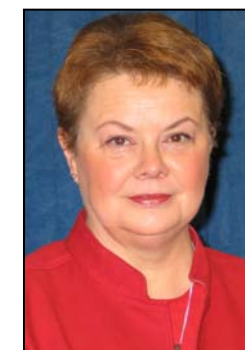
**Karen Robarge** - Title 1 Teacher  
Talahi Community School  
Retiring June 9, 2005  
After 38 years of service to District 742



**Suzie Sands** - Special Education Teacher  
St. Cloud Children's Home  
Retired November 24, 2004  
After 33 years of service to District 742



**Barbara Tillemans** - Language Arts Teacher  
North Junior High School  
Retired January 19, 2005  
After 33 years of service to District 742



- Carol Ahlstrand
- Al Barth
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