

Murray City School District  
District Office Personnel 2011-2012

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**BOARD OF EDUCATION**

**Darrell Pehrson**—President, Precinct 2 southwest Murray  
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**Mitzie Huff**—Precinct 1 northwest Murray  
**Belinda Johnson**—Precinct 3 northwest Murray

**DISTRICT OFFICE ADMINISTRATION**

**Dr. Steven Hirase**—Superintendent  
**Robert McDaniel**—Assistant Superintendent, School & Student Achievement  
**Dr. Pat O'Hara**—Director of Support Services  
**Scott Bushnell**—Director, HR, Student Services & CTE  
**Richard Reese**—Business Administrator  
**Connie Buckner**—Director, Teaching & Learning  
**Dr. Martha Kupferschmidt**—Director, Teaching & Learning  
  
**Dr. Wendy Bills**—Supervisor, At Risk Programs  
**John Nielson**—Technology Administrator  
**Rod Pace**—Supervisor, Buildings & Grounds  
**Margaret Swanicke**—Teacher Specialist, Training & Learning  
**David Trujillo**—Supervisor, Child Nutrition Program  
**D. Wright**—Community Relations Specialist, Public Information

**ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT STAFF**

**Lisa Adair**—Secretary/At Risk Department  
**Janet Buonocore**—Office Mgr./Maintenance & Busing  
**Randi Homsombath**—Accounting Technician/Benefits  
**Sharon Knapp**—Receptionist/District Office  
**Julie Lawrence**—Secretary/Nutrition Services  
**Denise McDougal**—Administrative Assistant Personnel & CTE  
**Tricia Nielsen**—Executive Secretary/Superintendent & Assistant Superintendent  
**Debbie Otteson**—Accounts Payable/Payroll & Purchasing  
**Joan Shuman**—Secretary/Community Education scheduling

**ASSESSMENT**

**Dr. Steven Hirase**—Superintendent

**ALTERNATIVE LANGUAGE SERVICES**

**Robert McDaniel**—Assistant Superintendent

**AT RISK STUDENTS**

**Dr. Wendy Bills**—Supervisor, At Risk Programs

**BUILDINGS & GROUNDS** (Maintenance & Repair)

**Rod Pace**—Supervisor, Buildings & Grounds

**BUSINESS OFFICE** (Budget, Financial, Insurance)

**Richard Reese**—Business Administrator

**CAREER TECHNICAL EDUCATION/CURRICULUM**

**Scott Bushnell**—Director, CTE

**CURRICULUM K-12**

**Robert McDaniel**—Assistant Superintendent  
**Connie Buckner**—Director, Teaching & Learning  
**Dr. Martha Kupferschmidt**—Director, Teaching & Learning  
**Margaret Swanicke**—Specialist, Teacher Curriculum

**DARE PROGRAM**

**Officer Matt Black**—Coordinator/Murray Police 801-652-9831

**HOME CENTERED EDUCATION** (Home Schooling)

**Scott Bushnell**—Director, Student Services

**HOME/HOSPITAL** (Students with extended illnesses)

**Scott Bushnell**—Director, Student Services

**MURRAY EDUCATION FOUNDATION** (MEF)

**Jeanne Habel**—Executive Director

**NO CHILD LEFT BEHIND** (NCLB)

**Dr. Steven Hirase**—Superintendent

**NURSES** (Medical emergencies, Immunization records)

**Shanda EchoHawk**—Elementary Schools

**Hsiaoming Peng**—Secondary Schools

**NUTRITION SERVICES** (School Lunch & Breakfast)

**David Trujillo**—Supervisor

**PERSONNEL/HUMAN RESOURCES**

**Scott Bushnell**—Director, Human Resources

**PERSPECTIVES** (Gifted & Talented Program)

**Connie Buckner**—Director, Teaching & Learning

**Angie Thompson**—Coordinator/McMillan Elementary based

**PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

**Robert McDaniel**—Assistant Superintendent

**PUBLIC RELATIONS/PUBLIC INFORMATION**

**D. Wright**—Public Relations Specialist

**SAFE SCHOOLS PROGRAM** (Offices at Murray High)

**Deb Ashton**—Coordinator EOSL

**SUPPORT SERVICES** (Boundaries, Purchasing, Transportation)

**Dr. Patrick O'Hara**—Director of Support Services

**Rock Boyer**—District Energy Education Manager

**SUPERINTENDENT**

**Dr. Steven Hirase**—Superintendent

**Robert McDaniel**—Assistant Superintendent

**TECHNOLOGY/COMPUTERS**

**John Nielson**—Technology Administrator

**Braden Cooper**—Technology Specialist II

**Glen Hall**—Technology Specialist I

**Kristi Hankins**—Administrative Support Specialist

**Joel Kjar**—Systems Engineer

**Frank Sherman**—Technology Specialist II

**TITLE 1** (Federal Programs for qualifying schools)

**Dr. Steven Hirase**—Superintendent

**WAREHOUSE**

**Lewis Pike**—Warehouseman