



**Announcement of Vacancy  
Superintendent of Schools  
Purdy R-II School District  
"Home of the Eagles"**



**Barry County**

*Search being conducted by Dr. Paul Ricker*

Purdy R-II School District is seeking candidates for the position of Superintendent of the School District located at  
201 S Gabby Gibbons Drive, Purdy, Missouri 65734 Website: <http://purdyk12.com>

<b>County-District Code: 005-124</b>	<b>Schools</b>	<b>Certified Staff</b>	<b>Total Student Enrollment</b>	<b><u>Vision Statement</u></b>  <b>"Excellence is the Standard"</b>	
<b>Elementary (PK-6)</b>	1	34	347		
<b>High School (7-12)</b>	1	31	285		
<b>Total</b>	2	65	632		
<b>Annual Operating Budget: \$6,848,752.00 Total Tax Levy: \$3.5361</b>	<b>Assessed Valuation: \$31,897,358.00</b>	<b>Administrators 4 Support Staff 10 Total Staff 79</b>	<b>MSIP - Fully Accredited</b>		
<b>District Operated Food Service</b>	<b>Reserve Balances at 26.96%</b>	<b>Dual Credit Program Crowder Community College</b>	<b>Vocational Program Scott Regional Tech Center Monett, MO</b>	<b>District Operated Transportation</b>	<b>Pre-School Program</b>

**BOARD OF EDUCATION**

Todd Schallert – President	(2022)	David Young – Member	(2023)
Ken Terry – Vice-President	(2021)	Mike Bennett - Member	(2022)
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Travis Brown - Member	(2023)	Board Secretary - Susan Funkhouser	

**TIMELINE:**

- APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY **March 5, 2021**
- SCREENING TO BEGIN ON **Ongoing**
- INTERVIEWS TENTATIVE DATE **Week of March 15-19, 2021**
- ANTICIPATED HIRE DATE **March 25, 2021**
- CONTRACT BEGINS **July 1, 2021**

**SALARY/BENEFITS INFORMATION**

- Salary based on experience and qualifications. (Salary range of \$90,000-\$115,000).
- Administrative experience in Central Office is a plus.
- Missouri Superintendent's Certificate or eligibility thereof required.
- Health insurance benefits per limits of health insurance policy in effect.
- Multi-year contract will be **considered**.
- Living in the district is **preferred**.

**APPLICATION PROCEDURE:** Go to [www.moare.com](http://www.moare.com) and download all application material for Purdy R-II School District. Applicants are advised to mail (Please do not email!) all application materials to:

**Purdy R-II Superintendent Search**  
Attn: **Dr. Paul Ricker, Search Consultant**  
1889 Bittersweet Road  
Lake Ozark, MO 65049



**Other Contact Information:**  
Phone #: **(573) 365-4703**  
Fax #: (660) 747-8160  
Email: [paulricker1@charter.net](mailto:paulricker1@charter.net)

Applicants are asked to not make direct contact with the Board of Education members. Initial applications will be kept confidential; however, all applications, letters of reference, resumes, transcripts, credentials, etc., for the purpose of this application process will, upon receipt, become the sole property of the Purdy R-II Board of Education, and shall remain their property indefinitely.

**APPLICATION GUIDELINES**

- Completed application form and current resume with three letters of reference.
- Cover letter directed to the **Purdy R-II Board Of Education**. (Include reasons for interest in the position and a description of significant accomplishments over the past five years.)
- Evidence of Missouri Superintendent Certificate or eligibility thereof, (copy of certificate). \*Current transcript(s).
- Current placement papers or credentials.
- Any other supporting documents that would enhance the application file.
- Selected finalist will provide a copy of their most recent background check in conjunction with contract signing.

**NOTICE OF NONDISCRIMINATION** – The Purdy R-II School District does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, disability, or age in its programs and activities and provides equal access to Boy Scouts and other designated youth groups. The following individual has been designated to coordinate the District's efforts to comply with Section 504, Title II, the Age Act, and Title IX: Mrs. Mindi Gates, Title IX and Section 504 Coordinator, 201 S Gabby Gibbons Drive, Purdy, MO 65734 (417) 442-3216. To file a complaint with OCR, contact The Office for Civil Rights at (816) 268-0550 or by email at [OCR.KansasCity@ed.gov](mailto:OCR.KansasCity@ed.gov).