



School District No. 71 (Comox Valley)

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School District No. 71 (Comox Valley) Announces New Secretary Treasurer

Comox Valley Schools began its search for a new Secretary Treasurer in May 2018. Many excellent candidates applied for the position with the competition held in late June. The Board of Education is pleased to announce that Ms. Nicole Bittante has accepted the position of Secretary Treasurer beginning September 1, 2018. Board Chair Janice Caton stated, "I am elated with the highly qualified candidates who applied for the position, and the Board is looking forward to working with Nicole in her role as Secretary Treasurer."

Ms. Bittante brings to the role a wide range of experience including serving as the Secretary Treasurer for School District 83 (North Okanagan-Shuswap). Prior to serving as secretary treasurer, she served in senior management roles as director of finance in both districts and other public sector areas. She also brings financial experience from the private sector.

Ms. Bittante is a Chartered Accountant and member of the Chartered Professional Accountants of BC. She also serves on the provincial executive of the British Columbia Association of School Board Officials (BCASBO).

Please join us in welcoming Nicole to Comox Valley Schools.

Dean Lindquist, Ed.D
Superintendent of Schools