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MEMORANDUM

DATE: September 29, 2015
TO: State Board of Education
FROM: Brian J. Whiston, Chairman 
SUBJECT: Presentation of the Michigan Winners of the Presidential Awards for Excellence in Mathematics and Science Teaching

The Presidential Awards for Excellence in Mathematics and Science Teaching (PAEMST) are the nation's highest honors for teachers of mathematics and science. The 2013 winners, who were just recently announced, will spend a year serving as models for their colleagues, inspiration to their communities, and leaders in the improvement of mathematics and science education.

The 2013 winners are:

- Luke Wilcox, PAEMST 7-12 Mathematics Awardee
- Walter Erhardt, PAEMST 7-12 Science Awardee

Mr. Wilcox will share some of his insights on integrating instruction for the benefit of student learning. Mr. Erhardt will not be able to join the State Board of Education at this session. The Michigan Department of Education joins the PAEMST in honoring these exceptional Michigan educators.

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