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PRESS RELEASE

On Monday, December 4th, 2023, the Ashland City Schools Board of Education accepted the resignation of Ashland Middle School teacher, David W. Chapman following an investigation into a report of alleged inappropriate conduct with current and former students. He was placed on administrative leave on Thursday, October 19th, 2023.

We take allegations of this nature very seriously, and we have conducted a thorough investigation into the matter to ensure the safety and well-being of our students, staff, and the entire school community.

The District's top priority is ensuring a safe learning environment for our students, and we maintain very high standards for staff conduct. We encourage all students, families, and community members to share any concerns that may arise with a staff member, administrator, or via text or call to the anonymous Safer Ohio Tipline at 1-844-SaferOH (1-844-723-3764).

We appreciate your cooperation and understanding as we strive to maintain a safe and respectful learning environment for our students and staff.

Respectfully,

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