

STATE OF IOWA
BEFORE THE PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF:)	
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COLOMBUS COMMUNITY SCHOOL)	
DISTRICT,)	
Public Employer,)	CASE NO. 102638
and)	
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COLUMBUS EDUCATION ASSOCIATION)	
Petitioner/Certified Employee)	
Organization)	

AMENDMENT OF BARGAINING UNIT AND CERTIFICATION

Upon a petition of amendment of a bargaining unit duly filed pursuant to Iowa Code section 20.13 and PERB rule 621-4.6, the parties filed with the Board a stipulation of bargaining unit as amended, which was tentatively approved by the Board. A public notice of the Board's proposed decision to amend the bargaining unit in accordance with the parties' stipulation was posted in conformance with PERB's rules, and no objections to the proposed decision were filed.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the bargaining unit of employees of Columbus Community School District, initially determined in Case No. 235, and the certification of Columbus Education Association, is amended to read as follows:

INCLUDED: Classroom teachers, including part-time teachers under contract, guidance counselors, librarians, school nurses, special or remedial education teachers employed by the Columbus Community School District.

EXCLUDED: Non-professional staff, secretaries, clerks, teacher's aides, teachers associates, cafeteria, bus drivers, maintenance and custodian employees, administrators, and all others as excluded by Section 4 of the Act.

DATED at Des Moines, Iowa, this 10th day of December, 2021.

PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS BOARD

By: 
Erik M. Helland, Board Chair

THE EMPLOYER SHALL PROMPTLY POST THIS ORDER IN THE MANNER AND LOCATIONS CUSTOMARILY USED FOR THE POSTING OF INFORMATION TO EMPLOYEES. THIS ORDER SHALL REMAIN POSTED FOR 10 DAYS.

IF THE EMPLOYER CUSTOMARILY DISTRIBUTES INFORMATION TO EMPLOYEES BY ADDITIONAL MEANS, SUCH AS BY E-MAIL OR HARD COPY, THE EMPLOYER SHALL PROMPTLY DISTRIBUTE THIS ORDER TO THE AFFECTED EMPLOYEES THROUGH THOSE MEANS AS WELL.

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IN THE MATTER OF:)	
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Columbus Community School District, Public Employer,)	BU-0168
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and)	
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Columbus Education Association, Certified Employee Organization.)	

ORDER OF RECERTIFICATION

Following the filing of an order directing an election, the Public Employment Relations Board (Board) conducted a retention and recertification election pursuant to Iowa Code section 20.15(2). The Board, having subsequently reviewed the file and being fully advised in the premises, finds that a majority of the employees in the bargaining unit voted in favor of retaining and recertifying Columbus Education Association as the exclusive bargaining representative of the bargaining unit described below.

No objections to the election were filed as provided for in Iowa Code section 20.15(4) and PERB rule 621-15.4 and no postelection challenges were filed pursuant to PERB subrule 15.2(4). Therefore, the Board finds that an order of recertification should be issued.

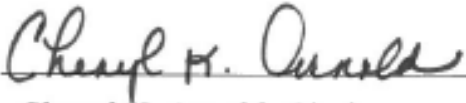
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Columbus Education Association is hereby recertified as the exclusive bargaining representative of the following bargaining unit of employees of Columbus Community School District:

INCLUDED: Classroom teachers, librarians, school nurse, special or remedial education personnel hired by the Columbus Community School District, part-time teachers under contract.

EXCLUDED: Non-professional staff, secretaries, clerks, teacher's aides, guidance counselor, teachers associates, cafeteria, bus drivers, maintenance and custodian employees, administrators, and all others as excluded by Section 4 of the Act.

DATED at Des Moines, Iowa, this 12th day of November, 2019.

PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS BOARD

By:  _____
Cheryl K. Arnold, Chairperson

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ORDER OF RECERTIFICATION

Following the filing of an order directing an election, the Public Employment Relations Board (Board) conducted a retention and recertification election pursuant to Iowa Code section 20.15(2). The Board, having subsequently reviewed the file and being fully advised in the premises, finds that a majority of the employees in the bargaining unit voted in favor of retaining and recertifying Columbus Education Association as the exclusive bargaining representative of the bargaining unit described below.

No objections to the election were filed as provided for in Iowa Code section 20.15(4) and PERB rule 621—5.4, and no postelection challenges were filed pursuant to PERB subrule 621—5.2(1)(b)(2) and PERB rule 621—5.6(8). Therefore, the Board finds that an order of recertification should be issued.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Columbus Education Association is hereby recertified as the exclusive bargaining representative of the following bargaining unit of employees of Columbus Community School District:

INCLUDED: Classroom teachers, librarians, school nurse, special or remedial education personnel hired by the Columbus Community School District, part-time teachers under contract.

EXCLUDED: Non-professional staff, secretaries, clerks, teacher's aides, guidance counselor, teachers associates, cafeteria, bus drivers, maintenance and custodian employees, administrators, and all others as excluded by Section 4 of the Act.

DATED at Des Moines, Iowa, this 13th day of November, 2018.

PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS BOARD

By:  _____
Jamie Van Fossen, Interim Chair

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ORDER OF RECERTIFICATION

Following the filing of an order directing an election, a retention and recertification election pursuant to Iowa Code section 20.15(2) was conducted under the supervision of the Board. The Board, having subsequently reviewed the file and being fully advised in the premises, finds that a majority of the employees in the bargaining unit voted in favor of retaining and recertifying Columbus Education Association as the exclusive bargaining representative of the bargaining unit described below.

No objections to the election having been filed as provided for in Iowa Code section 20.15(4) and PERB rule 621-5.4, the Board finds that an order of recertification should be issued.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Columbus Education Association is hereby recertified as the exclusive bargaining representative of the following bargaining unit of employees of Columbus Community School District:

INCLUDED: Classroom teachers, librarians, school nurse, special or remedial education personnel hired by the Columbus Community School District, part-time teachers under contract.

EXCLUDED: Non-professional staff, secretaries, clerks, teacher's aides, guidance counselor, teachers associates, cafeteria, bus drivers, maintenance and custodian employees, administrators, and all others as excluded by Section 4 of the Act.

DATED at Des Moines, Iowa, this 7th day of November, 2017.

PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS BOARD

By: 

Michael G. Cormack, Chair

STATE OF IOWA
PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF
COLUMBUS COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT,
EMPLOYER

AND
COLUMBUS EDUCATION ASSOCIATION,
PETITIONER

Case No. 235

ORDER OF CERTIFICATION

Now on this 8th day of September, 1975, the Board being advised that an election was conducted on August 22, 1975, pursuant to order of the Public Employment Relations Board and that Columbus Education Association an employee organization, received an affirmative vote of a majority of employees in the bargaining unit, and the Board having further found that the aforesaid employee organization has fully complied with all regulations of the Public Employment Relations Act and the rules and regulations thereunder,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED BY THE BOARD that Columbus Education Association should be and hereby is designated and certified by this Board to be the exclusive bargaining representative for the employees of Columbus Community School District a public employer, in the following bargaining unit

INCLUDED. Classroom teachers, librarians, school nurse, special or remedial education personnel hired by the Columbus Community School District, part-time teachers under contract

EXCLUDED Non-professional staff, secretaries, clerks, teacher's aides, guidance counselor, teacher associates, cafeteria, bus drivers, maintenance and custodian employees, administrators, and all others as excluded by Section 4 of the Act

DONE by the Public Employment Relations Board

By Edward F. Kolker
Edward F. Kolker, Chairman