



Ocean View School District

# Press Release

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## **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

### **SUPERINTENDENT APPOINTED FOR OCEAN VIEW SCHOOL DISTRICT**

On Tuesday, Nov. 16, 2010, the Board of Trustees of the Ocean View School District appointed William V. Loose, Ed.D. as the District's Superintendent, effective June 21, 2011. Dr. Loose has been with the District since January 2008 serving as the Assistant Superintendent of Administrative Services. Current Superintendent Alan Rasmussen, Ed.D, has announced his retirement at the conclusion of his current contract on June 20, 2011. Dr. Rasmussen is looking forward to his retirement by spending more time with his family and soon-to-be-arriving grandchildren, as well as returning to his consulting services enterprise.

Dr. Loose brings more than 36 years of experience in K-12 education including 3 years as a Superintendent. His previous educational experience includes seven years as a teacher, and over 29 years in administration in the roles of district level coordinator in an instructional division, middle school administration, Personnel Director, Assistant Superintendent of Human Resources, and Deputy Superintendent for Fiscal and Human Resources. Dr. Loose holds a Bachelor's and Master's Degree from Long Beach State University, a Master's Degree in Educational Administration from Cal State Los Angeles, and a Doctoral Degree from Pepperdine University. Dr. Loose's dissertation, "The Utilization of Corporate Management Techniques in Educational Administration" looked at the possibility of using corporate management techniques in school district management and focused on California public school superintendents. This work provided the foundation for his work in both school finance and the Superintendent positions. Dr. Loose also actively teaches as an adjunct professor for Azusa Pacific University in the educational leadership credential program.

Dr. Loose is active in his professional associations and has served as a recent president for the Southern Section of the California Association of School Business Officials (CASBO). He is also a regular presenter for the Association of California School Administrators (ACSA) Personnel Academy concerning Business Services and Human Resources issues.

Married for over 35 years, Dr. and Mrs. Loose have two sons and two grandchildren. Tim, the eldest, is an attorney, married, and has two children - Hannah and Steven. Troy is an accountant and is engaged to be married to a teacher this coming March. When asked, Dr. Loose stated: "I am so excited to be working in Huntington Beach. I student taught at Edison High School in 1974 and I always wanted to be back where 'I started from.' Ocean View is a fabulous District and it is a career highlight to be Superintendent in this District that has a progressive and successful team that is committed to the academic achievement of all students. Despite the current economic challenges that we have, the overall morale and spirit is high for employees and parents, and it is my goal to continue to move the District forward to even greater achievements."

Tracy Pellman, President, Ocean View School District Board of Trustees, shared the following, "We are very pleased and excited to welcome Dr. Loose as our next Superintendent. We look forward to working with Dr. Loose as we embark on a new era for Ocean View School District!"

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