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## Representative Myers:

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We represent the Minnesota Association of Secondary School Principals and the Minnesota Elementary School Principal Association. On behalf of both associations, we want to extend our support of your bill. We would be thrilled to welcome legislators into our schools to showcase the incredible work taking place with our students.

We should add that many legislative representatives currently would fulfil this requirement on the basis of their participation in our annual "Principal for a Day" initiative where legislators are invited to our schools for the day. Over the past two years we have had over one hundred visits from legislators in our Minnesota schools. We believe that fostering strong relationships with local legislators will help raise awareness of the needs of our students across the state.

Good luck with the bill. You have our full support.

Michelle Krell, Executive Director, MESPA

Bob Driver, Executive Director, MASSP