

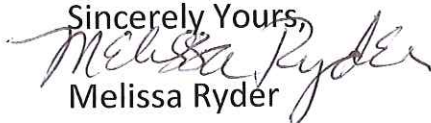


April 16, 2013

Dear Gallatin County Board of Education,

I regret to inform you of my resignation from the Gallatin County Board of Education. Although this has been a very tough decision for me, this is something that I have to do. I have been working 2 jobs for quite some time to help make ends meet and my old body can no longer continue at that pace. I have thoroughly enjoyed my 14 years working for the Gallatin County School System and especially working with children with Special Needs. I have enjoyed every minute of every year working for the school system and I will not only miss the children I will also miss the staff and the atmosphere as well. I've made some really good friends along the way. I always said when my youngest daughter graduated from Gallatin County that I would quit and go elsewhere...she graduated in 2010. As you can see it took me a little while. Thank you for allowing me to part of such a great team as the Special Education Team.

Sincerely Yours,


Melissa Ryder