## **Request for District Athletic Director**

The ability to consolidate the athletic programs at Garrard Middle School and Garrard County High School would ensure cohesion, collaboration, and alignment and afford our students a safe and optimal experience in athletics. A district athletic director would be responsible for all athletic programs working in unity in grades six through twelve. A district athletic director would ensure coaches at GMS & GCHS are coordinating coaching philosophies and terminology to embed a smooth transition. A district athletic director would oversee all uniform purchasing to ensure school colors are utilized for uniforms. A district athletic director would not be expected to supervise every home contest at GMS & GCHS. The school administration would assist in the supervision of home events and serve as game mangers when appropriate.

Currently, the athletic director at GCHS is paid \$15,000 and the athletic director at GMS is paid a total of \$3,000. The current athletic director at GMS is planning to resign at the end of the 2020-2021 school year. Our request would be for the district athletic director to be paid a total of \$25,000. The \$3,000 at GMS would be absorbed into the extra \$10,000. The net result would be to add \$7,000.