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I am writing to let you know my stance on the letting go of a school superintendent. School superintendent's are hired as a rule by the local school board. The school board is elected by the citizens in that school district. the board is to be responsive to it's constituents, not to a superintendent or to the state board of education. Local control and authority needs to be maintained. If the superintendent is not leading in the direction that the citizens feel is the right direction for them, then the board and the citizens thereof have every right and expectation to let that superintendent go. This is the right of local control. There should be no conditions that "need to be met" for a board to decide that the superintendent is no longer the right fit for their school district.

Local control is elected, and represents it's people. The legislature has no business in trying to over reach into to local controlled schools.

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