Jordan School District Patrice A. Johnson, Ed.D., Superintendent of Schools West Jordan, Utah

Intradistrict Communication

DATE: Wednesday, January 31, 2018

TO: High School Principals

FROM: Laura Finlinson, Administrator of Curriculum and Staff Development Ben Jameson, Director of Evaluation, Research and Accountability

SUBJECT: Research Project

The Research Review Committee has reviewed and approved a research project in which your school has been asked to participate.

Project Title: "Concept Models as Planning Tools for Practicing Science Teachers"

Applicant: Ryan Nixon, PhD, Brigham Young University

The project has been approved by the District Research Review Committee. The applicant has been directed to contact you to discuss the extent of the project and to obtain your permission to conduct the study at your school. If you have questions or concerns relating to participation, please contact Ben Jameson at 801-567-8243.

The project deals with using concept models as an instructional planning tool in the development of science lessons.

Thank you for your assistance.