MEMORANDUM TO: Directors of Education

FROM: Joan Fullerton
Regional Manager

DATE: September 18, 2009

SUBJECT: Regional Environmental Education Contact Position (REEL)

The new position of Regional Environmental Education Lead (REEL) is intended to support the implementation of *Acting Today, Shaping Tomorrow: A Policy Framework for Environmental Education in Ontario Schools*. I understand from Martyn Beckett that you have agreed to follow the same process as was used for the Regional E-Learning position last spring.

The Barrie Regional Office will coordinate the selection of the Barrie Region REEL. Attached is the application form and the original August 14, 2009 memo from Sue Durst. The REEL will remain a full time employee of his or her board, assigned to fulfilling the roles and responsibilities of the REEL. The position will be paid by the board at his/ her current level of salary and benefits, with the Ministry reimbursing the board. All necessary travel expenses will also be reimbursed. The Ministry will work with the REEL’s board to determine appropriate office accommodation in the region.

The interview team will be made up of Supervisory Officers from the Barrie region.

Please share the attached application and role description regarding the REEL position with your staff members.

*Applicants are asked to submit, electronically, a letter of interest and a resume to the attention of Joan Fullerton joan.fullerton@ontario.ca at the Barrie Regional Office, 20 Bell Farm Road, Unit 9, Barrie L4M 6E4 by noon on Friday, October 2, 2009. Applications will be reviewed by the interview team. Interviews are expected to take place shortly thereafter at the Barrie Regional office.*

Should you have any questions about the position or the process, please do not hesitate to contact Debra Hyland or Bob Stones at debra.hyland@ontario.ca 705-725-7632 or Robert.stones@ontario.ca 705-725-7156.

Regional Manager

Attachments