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Yavapai County School Superintendent Tim Carter is pleased to announce the appointment of **Mr. Scott Cray to the Seligman Unified School District Governing Board**. The appointment is effective Tuesday, March 3, 2015 and will conclude on December 31, 2016. The vacancy was created due to the resignation of Board Member Ken Dobson due to unspecified reasons. Mr. Dobson's service to the community is greatly appreciated.

Mr. Cray previously served on the Governing Board from 2009 until December 21, 2014. The position had been posted for three (3) weeks with no applicants. The position was re-posted with a closing date of February 20th. Mr. Cray was the sole candidate. We appreciate the fact that Mr. Cray was willing to return to public service, after being off of the Board for only a couple of months.

Prior to making the appointment, Superintendent Carter spoke individually with each currently seated Governing Board Member and the District Superintendent to receive their feedback. Mr. Carter was contacted by some community members who offered their insights into the appointment as well.

Superintendent Carter stated that "Mr. Cray is familiar with the operations and scope of governing bodies. He has served on this Governing Board and on a City Council for a community in eastern Arizona. He should be an excellent resource to his fellow Board Members. Since the voters have already placed him in office once, it seems he has their support. His experiences as a parent, a businessman, and in working with people in various settings should be a benefit as he carries out his responsibilities."

Mr. Carter may be reached at 928-925-6560 (cell) and Mr. Cray may be reached at 928-699-4112.