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Good afternoon. I am delighted and thrilled to be back with the school system that I called home for 31.5 years, just in a different position. I keep saying that I am going to slow down in my retirement, but I seem to get busier. That is okay as long as I continue to make an impact on two things I love: Education and Workforce Development.

As the Foundation Director, I feel I can now use my talents to merge these two and assist students and teachers in raising awareness of the impact one has on another, advocate that career pathways should be crafted based on a student's interest, and that everyone's version of success is measured in his/her own way. That being said, I will be calling on my workforce friends to help me in this effort. I am an educator at heart and will always do whatever possible to help students succeed.

I am proud of the place where I began my teaching career- Enka High School. They are expanding their Agriculture Program and will be raising funds to build a barn this year. I am reaching out to you because I know you love to see students succeed and you believe in education as well. Would you please consider helping them either though a financial or in-kind gift. We all would greatly appreciate it.

Again, I thank you for always supporting me and my many hats and thank you for being a great friend to the workforce. Take care and have a great day. Christy