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### RE: Principalsip of Bow Valley High School announced

Rocky View Schools' (RVS) Superintendent of Schools Greg Bass is pleased to announce the appointment of Rob Kimura as Principal of Bow Valley High School in Cochrane, effective August 26, 2010.



“As the current Assistant Principal of Bow Valley High School, Rob has proven to be an effective administrator,” said Bass. “He has made a number of inroads in enabling the school’s programs to evolve to meet the needs and challenges of 21<sup>st</sup> Century learners. As well, he has sought to forge and strengthen relationships with the community and businesses of Cochrane.”

Kimura has worked as a teacher, curriculum leader, and assistant principal in the jurisdiction since 1991. Over the years, he has served as a teacher at Meadowbrook Middle, Springbank Middle and Manachaban Middle. In 2005, Kimura moved into the position of Assistant Principal at Bow Valley High.

Kimura is a graduate of RVS’ Administrative Leadership Program, Part One and Two. He also has participated in a number of leadership initiatives in the jurisdiction, including membership on the Leadership Institute Planning Committee, the INAC Advisory Committee and the Superintendent Working Committee on Leadership Development and Distributed Learning. In 2008, he served as RVS’ High School Level Chair.

Kimura holds a Bachelor of Education in Secondary Education from the University of Alberta, a Bachelor of Science from Northeastern University in Boston and a Masters of Education from the University of Portland.

“On behalf of the Board of Trustees, I extend my congratulations to Rob,” said Board Chair Sylvia Eggerer. “We look forward to his continued leadership at Bow Valley High School.”

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