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February 13, 2012 – New Deputy Director of Education for Saskatoon Public Schools

Saskatoon Public Schools is pleased to announce the appointment of Mr. Barry MacDougall as Deputy Director of Education, effective August 1, 2012. Mr. MacDougall has served Saskatoon Public Schools for 24 years as a teacher, assistant principal, principal, and most recently as Superintendent of Education. He succeeds current Deputy Director Avon Whittles who will assume the duties of Director of Education in August.

“I extend sincere congratulations to Mr. MacDougall on behalf of the school division,” said Mr. George Rathwell, Director of Education. “His knowledge of Saskatoon Public Schools, of the learning process, of our Pre-Kindergarten – Grade 12 staff combined with his analytical abilities, will be critical as Saskatoon Public Schools continues to evolve and change in the 21st century”.

Mr. MacDougall has led many recent educational initiatives within Saskatoon Public Schools. These include his continuous work as a staffing Pre-Kindergarten – Grade 12 superintendent, co-leading the increased utilization of technology in our schools and classrooms, and implementing a new emphasis upon career education. Mr. MacDougall has also led the school division’s “Future of our Schools” process.

Saskatoon Public Schools is the largest school division in the province. We operate 43 elementary schools, 10 secondary schools, and two associate schools. We serve almost 21,300 students and employ approximately 2,300 professional and support staff. Learn more at www.saskatoonpublicschools.ca

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