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February 1, 2018

Dr. William R. Duffy II, President  
Upper Iowa University  
605 Washington Street  
Fayette, IA 52142

Dear President Duffy:

I am pleased to inform you that on January 25, 2018, the State Board of Education granted full approval of the teacher preparation programs offered by Upper Iowa University. This action follows an on-site review and evaluation of how the programs meet Iowa's Standards for Practitioner Preparation. The approval continues until the next full approval visit during the 2023-2024 academic year.

Congratulations to the entire Upper Iowa University community for offering and sustaining a high quality practitioner preparation programs.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "W. David Tilly".

W. David Tilly  
Deputy Director

cc: Dr. Gail Moorman Behrens, Dean of the Andres School of Education  
Dr. Lawrence R Bice, Iowa Department of Education

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