

School Improvement Advisory Committee

Background:

Iowa Code 281—IAC 12.8(1)(a)(2) requires all public schools to have a School Improvement Advisory Committee (SIAC) that reviews students achievement data, makes plans for improvement, and evaluates the school's improvement efforts. The SIAC must be comprised of faculty and staff, along with students, parents, and representatives from the local community.

To the extent possible, SIAC membership should have balanced representation of race, gender, national origin, and disability (281—IAC 12.2).

At least annually, the SIAC must make recommendations to the board with regard to progress achieved with annual improvement goals for the state indicators that address reading, mathematics, and science, progress achieved with other locally determined indicators, and annual improvement goals for the state indicators that address reading, mathematics, and science (281—IAC 12.8(1)(a)(3)).

If the school district uses the SIAC for other mandated committees (i.e., vocational advisory), the required representation for these committees must be indicated on the SIAC roster.

For the current year there is a vacancy that needs to be filled.

I recommend the following individual is approved as a School Improvement Advisory Committee member:

- Raelynn Thilges

Recommended Action:

I recommend the board approve the above list of people as this year's School Improvement Advisory Committee for the Belmont-Klemme Community School District.