

Air Taxi Committee

History: We have had one board member, a parent, the superintendent, and a trusted veteran pilot in our South communities on the committee in the past. Mr. Ricci has served on this Committee and is a veteran pilot in the northern portion of LPSD. Mrs. Samantha Jones, a parent in Chignik Lagoon, served on the Committee last year and is interested in continuing to serve. In 2021-2022 and 2022-2023, we had Mr. Billy Tolbert, a long-time veteran Pen Air Caravan pilot, on our committee. He wants to pass his membership on to a younger, less retired pilot in our region. I recommend Mr. Dan Pepin as our experienced South pilot committee member. Dan has been in aviation in our region for over a decade, flying beside Bill Tobert and George Tibbitts. He currently flies for the US Fish and Wildlife Service; his wife and two children live in King Salmon.

Committee Work: The committee approved air taxis that apply to fly for LPSD. The school district lawyer, Mr. John Sedor, has vetted the application process. Annually, we require air carriers to update their insurance documents listing LPSD as insured.

Current LPSD + BBRCTE approved Air Carriers are:

- Iliamna Air Taxi
- Lake & Pen Air
- Lake Clark Air
- Dena'ina Air
- Coastal Air
- King Air
- Northern Aero/Air Madura/Rapids Camp
- Trygg Air
- ACE
- Antler Aviation & Wildlife Service
- Bay Air Inc.

Scholarship Committee

History & Committee Work: The committee reviews the Linda Johnson Memorial Scholarship applications for quality and completeness. They determine awards and timeline for fundraising and distribution and manages scholarship amounts. Amber Christensen-Fox served alongside Valerie Heinrichs, LPSD's Accountant.

BBRCTE Governing Board Member

History: BBRCTE - Bristol Bay Regional Career and Technical Education Program's governing board consists of a Board member and the Superintendent of the four consortium school districts, including the Lake and Peninsula School District, Bristol Bay Borough School District, Dillingham City School District, Southwest Region School District. The BBRCTE Governing Board meets twice a year in person. Ms. Shannon Johnson served on the Governing Board in prior years.