



STEPHENVILLE

INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT



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Administration

July 8, 2015

Dear Region 11 Superintendent:

I am writing this letter to encourage your school district (at your July Board Meeting) to consider endorsing Stephenville ISD's Board President, **Dr. Ann Calahan, to fill the vacant seat on the TASB Board of Directors – Regional 11, Position D.**

On June 15th, the Stephenville ISD School Board voted unanimously to give Dr. Calahan their full support for this endeavor. She is an extremely innovative yet grounded leader serving on our Board of Trustees since 2001. She also has served as our Board President since 2004.

In addition to volunteering her time to serve on the school board, Dr. Calahan is the Department Chair of Curriculum & Instruction (Education Department) at Tarleton State University. Her leadership and insight to the Pk-16 progression is a crucial component to consider with this nomination.

In order for you and your school board to become more familiar with Dr. Calahan, I am attaching a copy of her abbreviated resume and biographical sketch. As you can see, she has given much to the field of education in her career. She has served our school district, Tarleton State University, and TASB very well for many years.

Dr. Ann Calahan is fully committed to this venture if re-elected to Region 11, Position D of the TASB Board of Directors. I feel that you will be well pleased with her representing you, your school board, and our region in that capacity. Please consider completing the TASB Endorsement Form and submitting it to TASB between today and August 31st.

Thanks in advance for your support.

Sincerely,

Matt Underwood