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Subject: OSBA Elections - Nominations are open

Date:Fri, 1 Aug 2025 15:47:21 +0000 **From:**OSBA Information <info@osba.org>

To: Stephanie Smith < stephanie.smith@2cj.k12.or.us>

Dear Stephanie Griffith:

Autumn and a new school year are quickly approaching and with them comes your opportunity to select your representatives on the OSBA Board of Directors and the OSBA Legislative Policy Committee (LPC).

All even-numbered OSBA Board of Director Positions, plus OSBA Board positions 7, and 11, and all LPC positions are up for elections. Additional information regarding all open positions - including region names, position numbers, and current incumbents - is available on the <u>OSBA Elections Information webpage</u>.

The 2025 Elections Calendar details all nomination and election dates.

Nominations are now open!

Nominations:

Serving on the OSBA Board and LPC provides an opportunity to develop leadership skills and impact issues at the state and federal levels. School board members interested in running for a position on the OSBA Board of Directors or OSBA LPC need to be nominated by a member board within their region. Nominations require official board action. Sample language is available on the OSBA Elections Resources webpage to assist in making a motion or resolution to nominate a candidate.

Action for individual school board members:

If you want to run for a seat on the OSBA Board or OSBA LPC, ask your local board or another member board in your region to nominate you.

Action for district staff:

Please consult your board chair about adding an agenda item to your next board meeting to see if any of your board members would like to serve on the OSBA Board of Directors or the OSBA Legislative Policy Committee and providing the opportunity to take official board action to nominate an interested board member.

Candidate nomination materials, linked below, are due in the OSBA offices by **5 p.m. on Friday, September 30, 2025,** by email <u>elections@osba.org</u>, or mail to Oregon School Boards Association, Attention: Executive Assistant, 1201 Court Street NE #400, Salem, OR 97301.

Forms:

Nomination Form for OSBA Board of Directors Regional Member

OSBA Board of Directors Candidate Questionnaire

Nomination Form for OSBA Legislative Policy Committee Member

OSBA Legislative Policy Committee Member Candidate Questionnaire

Other resources

Essential duties of OSBA Board members
OSBA Board of Directors Calendar of Events
Essential duties of LPC members

Sincerely,
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