

# NOMINATION FORM

## OSBA LEGISLATIVE POLICY COMMITTEE (LPC)

### REGIONAL MEMBER

Date September 9, 2025

TO: Dawn Watson, OSBA President-  
Elect Oregon School Boards Association  
1201 Court St NE, #400  
Salem, OR 97301  
Fax: 503-588-2813  
E-mail: [elections@osba.org](mailto:elections@osba.org)

**Nominations are due by 5 pm,  
September 30, 2025.**

Return this form and all candidate information  
forms to the OSBA office by email at  
[elections@osba.org](mailto:elections@osba.org), or mail to Oregon  
School Boards Association, 1201 Court  
St. NE, #400, Salem, OR 97301

Dear Dawn Watson:

With this letter, our board nominates the candidate named below to a position on the OSBA Legislative Policy  
Committee for the Washington Region, Position # 15.

### LPC CANDIDATE INFORMATION

Name: Tj Johnson

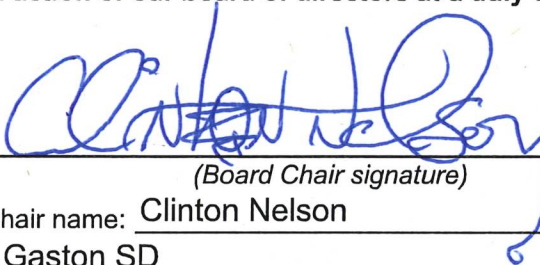
District/ESD/Community College: Gaston School District

Address: PO Box 301

City: Gaston Oregon ZIP: 97119

E-mail: Tj.Johnson@gastonk12.org Phone: 503-985-7002

**This nomination was approved by official action of our board of directors at a duly called meeting on**  
September 9, 2025  
**(date)**



(Board Chair signature)

Board Chair name: Clinton Nelson

District: Gaston SD

Address: 300 Park St.

City, State, Zip: Gaston, OR 97119

# OSBA Legislative Policy Committee

## CANDIDATE QUESTIONNAIRE

Name: Tj Johnson

Date: 9/14/2025

Address: PO Box 301

City/Zip: Gaston

Business phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Residence phone: 5039857002

Cell phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: elect.tj@pm.me

District/ESD/CC: Gaston

Term expires: 06/30/2029 Years on board: 5

Region: Washington

Position #: 15

Insert your high-resolution digital photo (head shot):  
1) Open this doc in Adobe  
2) Click on Tools tab  
3) Click Edit PDF  
4) Click on Add Image  
5) Navigate to where photo is  
6) Position photo in this frame

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I certify that if elected I will faithfully serve as a member of the OSBA Legislative Policy Committee. My nomination form has been submitted to OSBA (or is attached to this document) as evidence.



Name

9/14/2025

Date

**Be brief; please limit your responses to 50 words per question.**

1. What do you want to accomplish by serving on the Legislative Policy Committee (LPC)?  
Advocating for Education reform
2. What leadership skills do you bring to the LPC? Give an example of a situation in which you demonstrated these skills.  
An understanding of the confluence of education and child development. Lead a district conversation about it.
3. What do you see as the two most challenging legislative issues faced by OSBA?  
The definition of Education.  
Parental and community input.
4. What do you see as the two most challenging legislative issues faced by your region?  
The definition of Education.  
Parental and community input.
5. What is your plan for communicating with boards in your region about legislative issues?  
This depends on the board, their interest, and preferred method of communication.

# OSBA Legislative Policy Committee

## CANDIDATE PERSONAL/PROFESSIONAL RESUME

### Work or service performed for OSBA or local district (include committee name and if you were chair):

Former LPC member  
Health Curriculum Adoption committee member  
Contract Negotiation team

### Other education board positions held/dates:

### Occupation (Include at least the past five years):

Employers:

Self

Dates:

2020-present

### Schools attended (Include official name of school, where and when):

High school: Gaston

College: UofO, Heald College, University of Phoenix

Degrees earned: AAS x 3, BSIT x 1

### Education honors and/or awards:

### Other applicable training or education:

### Activities, other state and local community services:

Former Booster Club member  
MS/HS Youth Services volunteer  
MS/HS Youth Director

### Hobbies/special interests:

### Business/professional/civic group memberships; offices held and dates:

### Additional comments: