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### **BOARD PRESIDENTS, SUPERINTENDENTS, and SUPERINTENDENT SECRETARIES in Regions with TASB Board Positions which are vacant or have expiring terms.**

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Attached is the TASB Overview: 2015 Nomination Information which lists nominees for positions on the TASB Board. These individual have been nominated by their local boards for TASB Board positions which are vacant or have expiring terms.

Between Friday, July 3, and Monday, August 31, 2015, your school board is invited to endorse a nominee for each position in your Region. An endorsement form is attached.

If a majority of the Active Members of the Region endorses a nominee, that individual will be elected to the TASB Board. If at least 25 percent, but not a majority, endorse the nominee, that individual will be included on the official ballot at the TASB Delegate Assembly. The nomination from the individual's local school board is counted as an endorsement.

The Overview contains links to bios submitted by the nominees for your information. It is also is posted to the TASB Website [HERE](#) and will be updated regularly as endorsements are received.

If you have any questions, please call or email Susan Tabbee ([susan.tabbee@tasb.org](mailto:susan.tabbee@tasb.org), 800.580.8272 extension 3573.)

cc: 2015 TASB Nominees



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### TASB Board of Directors Endorsements Received from July 3, 2015, to the August 31, 2015, Deadline

<u>TASB REGION</u>	<u>POSITION</u>	<u>NOMINEE</u>	<u>ISD</u>	<u>Districts in Region</u>	<u>Endorsements Received / Majority Required</u>	<u>25%</u>
Region 1	A	Gloria Casas ( <a href="#">Bio</a> )	La Feria ISD	38	1/20	10
Region 3		Demetrio Garcia ( <a href="#">Bio</a> )	Kenedy ISD	40	1/21	10
Region 3		John Green ( <a href="#">Bio</a> )	Nordheim ISD	40	1/21	10
Region 3		Tami Keeling ( <a href="#">Bio</a> )	Victoria ISD	40	1/21	10
Region 3		Delano Kinsfather ( <a href="#">Bio</a> )	Industrial ISD	40	1/21	10
Region 4	A	Ron Crier ( <a href="#">Bio</a> )	Spring ISD	52	1/26	13
Region 4	C	Benny May ( <a href="#">Bio</a> )	Barbers Hill ISD	52	1/26	13
Region 4	C	Ann Williams ( <a href="#">Bio</a> )	Allief ISD	52	1/26	13
Region 5		James de Garavilla ( <a href="#">Bio</a> )	Silsbee ISD	33	1/17	9
Region 6		Jason Dohnalik ( <a href="#">Bio</a> )	Cameron ISD	56	1/29	14
Region 6		Suzanne Soto ( <a href="#">Bio</a> )	Splendora ISD	56	1/29	14
Region 6		Tracy Stoudt ( <a href="#">Bio</a> )	Huntsville ISD	56	1/29	14
Region 10	A	Debbie Gillespie ( <a href="#">Bio</a> )	Frisco ISD	82	1/42	21
Region 11	D	Ann Calahan ( <a href="#">Bio</a> )	Stephenville ISD	77	1/39	20
Region 11	D	Raul Gonzalez ( <a href="#">Bio</a> )	Mansfield ISD	77	1/39	20
Region 12		Mildred Watkins ( <a href="#">Bio</a> )	La Vega ISD	77	1/39	20
Region 13	C	Vernagene Molt ( <a href="#">Bio</a> )	Pflugerville ISD	59	1/30	15
Region 17		Kay Alley ( <a href="#">Bio</a> )	Crosbyton CISD	58	1/30	15
Region 17		Cathy Box ( <a href="#">Bio</a> )	Tahoka ISD	58	1/30	15
Region 18		Lee Lentz-Edwards ( <a href="#">Bio</a> )	Kermit ISD	34	1/18	9
Region 19	B	Marlene Bullard ( <a href="#">Bio</a> )	Tornillo ISD	13	1/7	4
Region 19	B	Cynthia Ann Najera ( <a href="#">Bio</a> )	Socorro ISD	13	1/7	4
Region 19	B	Armando Rodriguez ( <a href="#">Bio</a> )	Canutillo ISD	13	1/7	4

\*\*\*Received endorsements from 25% or more of the Active Members in the Region.

### TASB Board of Directors Nominations Received by the July 31, 2015, Deadline.

Dates amended by special waiver due to TASB miscalculation for Region 16 election cycle.

<u>TASB REGION</u>	<u>POSITION</u>	<u>NOMINEE</u>	<u>ISD</u>	<u>Districts in Region</u>
Region 16				63

### TASB Board of Directors Endorsements Received from August 3, 2015, to the August 31, 2015, Deadline. Dates amended by special waiver due to TASB miscalculation of Region 16 election cycle.

<u>TASB REGION</u>	<u>POSITION</u>	<u>NOMINEE</u>	<u>ISD</u>	<u>Districts in Region</u>	<u>Endorsements Received / Majority Required</u>	<u>25%</u>
Region 16		( <a href="#">Bio</a> )		63	/32	16

**Large Districts:** According to the TASB Bylaws, Large Districts are treated as Association Regions and, therefore, do not participate in the endorsement process. A Large District's local board nomination constitutes a majority.

<u>TASB REGION</u>	<u>POSITION</u>	<u>NOMINEE</u>	<u>ISD</u>	<u>Districts in Region</u>
Region 4	F	Bob Covey ( <a href="#">Bio</a> )	Cypress-Fairbanks ISD	Large District
Region 11	C	Bowie Hogg ( <a href="#">Bio</a> )	Arlington ISD	Large District
Region 19	A	Dori Fenenbock ( <a href="#">Bio</a> )	El Paso ISD	Large District
Region 20	E	Sandy Hughey ( <a href="#">Bio</a> )	North East ISD	Large District

### TASB Board of Directors Nominations Received by the June 30, 2015, Deadline

\*Indicates Large District Director Positions

<u>TASB REGION</u>	<u>POSITION</u>	<u>NOMINEE</u>	<u>ISD</u>	<u>Districts in Region</u>
Region 1	A	Gloria Casas	La Feria ISD	38
Region 3		Demetrio Garcia	Kenedy ISD	40
Region 3		John Green	Nordheim ISD	40
Region 3		Tami Keeling	Victoria ISD	40
Region 3		Delano Kinsfather	Industrial ISD	40
Region 4	A	Ron Crier	Spring ISD	52
Region 4	C	Benny May	Barbers Hill ISD	52
Region 4	C	Ann Williams	Alief ISD	52
Region 4	F*	Bob Covey	Cypress-Fairbanks ISD	Large
Region 5		James de Garavilla	Silsbee ISD	33
Region 6		Jason Dohnalik	Cameron ISD	63
Region 6		Suzanne Soto	Splendora ISD	63
Region 6		Tracy Stoudt	Huntsville ISD	63
Region 10	A	Debbie Gillespie	Frisco ISD	82
Region 11	C*	Bowie Hogg	Arlington ISD	Large
Region 11	D	Ann Calahan	Stephenville ISD	77
Region 11	D	Raul Gonzalez	Mansfield ISD	77
Region 12		Mildred Watkins	La Vega ISD	77
Region 13	C	Vernagene Mott	Pflugerville ISD	59
Region 17		Kay Alley	Crosbyton CISD	58
Region 17		Cathy Box	Tahoka ISD	58
Region 18		Lee Lentz-Edwards	Kermit ISD	34
Region 19	A*	Dori Fenenbock	El Paso ISD	Large
Region 19	B	Marlene Bullard	Tornillo ISD	13
Region 19	B	Cynthia Ann Najera	Socorro ISD	13
Region 19	B	Armando Rodriguez	Canutillo ISD	13
Region 20	E*	Sandy Hughey	North East ISD	Large

**TASB Board Vacancies**

\*Indicates Large District Director Position

<u>TASB REGION</u>	<u>POSITION</u>	<u>ISD</u>	<u>TERM</u>
Region 6			2015-16
Region 11	C*	Arlington ISD	2015-18
Region 19	A*	El Paso	2015-17
Region 19	B		2015-18

**TASB Board Expiring Terms**

\*Indicates Large District Director Positions

(I) Incumbents that have indicated they will be seeking re-election

<u>TASB REGION</u>	<u>POSITION</u>	<u>DIRECTOR</u>	<u>ISD</u>	<u>TERM</u>
Region 1	A	Gloria Casas (I)	La Feria ISD	2015-18
Region 3		Pamela Remmers**	Nordheim ISD	2015-18
Region 4	A	Ronald Crier (I)	Spring ISD	2015-18
Region 4	C	Benny May (I)	Barbers Hill ISD	2015-18
Region 4	F*	Bob Covey (I)	Cypress-Fairbanks ISD	2015-18
Region 5		James de Garavilla (I)	Silsbee ISD	2015-18
Region 10	A	Debbie Gillespie (I)	Frisco ISD	2015-18
Region 11	D	Ann Calahan (I)	Stephenville ISD	2015-18
Region 12		Mildred Watkins (I)	La Vega ISD	2015-18
Region 13	C	Vernagene Mott (I)	Pflugerville ISD	2015-18
Region 16		Cindy Spanel (I)	Highland Park ISD-Potter County	2015-16
Region 17		Kay Alley (I)	Crosbyton CISD	2015-18
Region 18		Lee Lentz-Edwards (I)	Kermit ISD	2015-18
Region 20	E*	Sandy Hughey (I)	North East ISD	2015-18

*\*\*Remmers has reached term limit.*

**TEXAS ASSOCIATION OF SCHOOL BOARDS (TASB)  
ENDORSEMENT FORM**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

This form is to be used to endorse a nominated individual from a BOARD within your TASB Region who has completed the Tuesday, June 30, 2015, requirements.  
**Endorsements will only be accepted if acted on from July 3 to August 31. Must be received in the TASB Austin Headquarters on or before Monday, August 31, 2015.**

Dr. Faye Beaulieu, Chair  
TASB Nominations Committee  
P. O. Box 400  
Austin, Texas 78767-0400

Dear Dr. Beaulieu:

Our school board endorses the candidacy of the following individual nominated to fill a position on the TASB Board of Directors.

**CANDIDATE INFORMATION**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_  
SCHOOL DISTRICT: \_\_\_\_\_  
MAILING ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
CITY: \_\_\_\_\_, TEXAS ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

This endorsement was approved by our school district's board of trustees at a duly called meeting on \_\_\_\_\_

(Date)

Best regards,

\_\_\_\_\_  
(BOARD PRESIDENT)

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_  
SCHOOL DISTRICT: \_\_\_\_\_  
MAILING ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
CITY: \_\_\_\_\_, TEXAS ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

**Must be received in the TASB Austin Headquarters on or before  
MONDAY, AUGUST 31, 2015.**

**RETURN TO:**  
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