

PETERSBURG SCHOOL DISTRICT

CALL FOR LETTERS OF INTEREST; INTERIM SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER (1-Year Term)

The Petersburg School District is accepting **letters of interest** from qualified community members wishing to serve as an **interim School Board member** for a one-year term, beginning immediately and ending in October 2026.

Responsibilities & Expectations

The interim board member will:

- Attend regular School Board meetings (and special meetings as needed)
- Participate in policy review, budget oversight, district governance, and other board duties
- Engage with district staff, students, and community stakeholders
- Serve in a fiduciary capacity, acting in the best interests of all students and the school district

Eligibility

Applicants should meet the following criteria:

- Residency within the Petersburg School District or the Borough
- Ability to commit time to attend meetings, preparation, and community engagement
- No conflict of interest or disqualifying factors under Alaska law or district policy

How to Apply

Interested individuals should submit a letter of interest that includes:

1. A brief biography or resume (education, work experience, civic involvement)
2. Reasons for wanting to serve on the School Board
3. What strengths or perspectives they would bring
4. Any previous experience with boards, education, or public service
5. Contact information (mailing address, phone, email)

Letters may be submitted to:

Petersburg School District (or Borough Clerk)
PO Box 289, Petersburg, AK 99833
or via email to exec@pcsd.us

Deadline

All letters of interest must be received **no later than Nov 1**. Late submissions may not be considered.

Selection Process

The School Board will review all submitted letters, conduct interviews if necessary, and appoint a qualified candidate to fill the interim position. The appointment is expected to be made by Nov. 18 at the School Board meeting.

For questions or clarification, please contact Mara Lutomski, BOE Assistant, exec@pcsd.us

We encourage all interested, qualified citizens to consider this opportunity to serve Petersburg's students and community.