

ITEM FOR ACTION**NORTHWEST REGIONAL EDUCATION SERVICE DISTRICT BOARD ELECTION****SUMMARY**

The Northwest Regional Education Service District Board of Directors Zone 4 position's term will expire on June 30, 2025. Vacancies of NWRESD numbered zone positions are filled through election by the component district boards in that zone. NWRESD has completed the application process for candidates and received one application from Michelle Graham, the incumbent.

BACKGROUND

Vacancies on the NWRESD board in numbered zone positions are filled through election by the component district boards in that zone. NWRESD has divided its four-county region into five zones of approximately equal population. From each of these zones, each school district board has one vote to determine who will represent that zone on the NWRESD board. The NWRESD board has four additional appointed positions representing community populations.

Beaverton School District is represented by Zone 4 (northern part of district including Westview and Sunset High School attendance areas) and Zone 5 (southern part of district including Aloha, Beaverton, Mountainview and Southridge High School attendance areas). Zone 4 spans several districts and all participate in electing candidates to the position. In Zone 5, Beaverton is the only component district and the only vote in this election process.

The term of the board member in the Zone 4 position will expire on June 30, 2025. The person elected to fill the Zone 4 position will serve from July 1, 2025 to June 30, 2029. NWRESD completed the application process and one candidate applied for election: the incumbent, Michelle Graham.

RECOMMENDATION

The board is asked to vote on whether to endorse candidate Michelle Graham to fill the vacancy of NWRESD Zone 4 beginning July 1, 2025.

SUGGESTED MOTION

I move that the Beaverton School Board endorse candidate Michelle Graham to fill the ESD board vacancy for Zone 4, as presented.

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