

**ITEM FOR ACTION****BUDGET COMMITTEE MEMBER SELECTION****SUMMARY**

The budget committee has three vacancies, in Zones 3, 5 and 6. The school board will appoint community representatives from these zones to serve three-year terms on the committee.

**BACKGROUND**

The BSD budget committee is composed of the seven school board members and seven appointed community members, one from each board electoral zone. Budget committee members serve three-year terms, staggered so that two or three committee members' terms expire each year. Members who previously served on the budget committee are not excluded from appointment.

Candidates for the openings were solicited, reviewed and recommended following the process established by the board:

- Applications were accepted between September 18, 2024, and February 3, 2025. Openings were publicized using the district's communication channels.
- Candidates were requested to submit a letter of interest and résumé through an online application form.
- The board member from each zone with an open position (Dr. Melissa Potter in Zone 3, Ugonna Enyinnaya in Zone 5 and Justice Rajee in Zone 6) reviewed applications submitted for their zone and recommended a candidate for appointment.
- Recommended appointees are presented for board approval in the business meeting on February 11, 2025.

**RECOMMENDATION**

It is recommended that the school board approve appointing three applicants to fill the vacant budget committee positions with terms ending June 30, 2027. The applicants recommended by the board member in each zone are:

- Zone 3: Dr. Jasmine Sears
- Zone 5: Rekha Sridhar
- Zone 6: Amy Webb

**SUGGESTED MOTION**

I move to approve appointing the three budget committee members as recommended.

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