

Agenda Topic: Minnesota School Boards Association Delegate Assembly
Meeting Date: September 25, 2025
Contact Person: Director Mike Boguszewski

Background:

New elections for the 2025-2026 MSBA Delegate Assembly will be held in September 2025. All 135 Delegate seats will be open for election.

To ensure broad statewide representation and engagement, MSBA has created 30 Delegate Areas within their 13 Director Districts. Each Delegate Area will elect at least one school board member to serve as a Delegate. The remaining seats will be filled by additional Delegates elected within each Director District. The top runners-up will be named Alternates.

Each December, Delegates discuss and vote on various legislative resolutions submitted by school boards. Those resolutions that receive a majority vote, as well as positions adopted during previous years, become the basis for MSBA staff lobbying efforts on behalf of all public school board members in the state.

Key dates in the Delegate selection process are listed below:

- September 2 to September 30: Nominations open. Any currently serving MSBA member may nominate a fellow board member or submit a self-nomination.
- October 1-October 15: If more candidates than seats are nominated, MSBA will hold online elections within each Director District.
- Late October: Election results announced.

The board does not need to take action on this item, as any board member may nominate a colleague or self-nominate and elections will be held within each Delegate Area.

Recommendation:

☐ Action Required

☒ Informational – No Board Action Requested