



NORTH SLOPE BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT
MEMORANDUM

TO: John Hopson Jr., President
Members of the Board

THROUGH: David Vadiveloo, Superintendent DSV

FROM: Chelsie Overby, Executive Assistant to the Superintendent

DATE: December 19, 2024

SUBJECT: **Provisional Appointment of Seat A**

Memo No. SB25-106
(Action Item)

NSBSD Policy Manual:

BB 9223, Board Vacancies: Appointment to the Board – A vacancy on the Board shall be filled within (30) days of the vacancy by a Board appointment. When making an appointment to the Board, the Board desires to draw from the widest possible number of candidates.

The Board shall:

1. Advertise the vacancy in suitable local media;
2. Solicit applications or nominations of any legally qualified citizen interested in serving on the Board;
3. Provide candidates with appropriate information regarding Board member responsibilities;
4. Announce names of candidates and accept public input either in writing or at a public meeting;
5. Interview the candidates at a public meeting;
6. Select the provisional appointee by majority vote at a public meeting.

The person appointed shall hold office until the next regularly scheduled election for district Board members and shall be afforded all the powers and duties of a Board member upon appointment.

NSBSD Strategic Plan Summary:

N/A Operational

Issue Summary:

The Board of Education, after the interview and deliberation of candidates, will appoint a candidate that previously submitted a letter of interest prior to the December 17 submission deadline.

Those candidates are Corrine Danner, Esther Evikana, Forrest Deano Olemaun, Marie Stackhouse, and Martina Hopson.

Background:

The School Board accepted the resignation and declared Seat A in District 3 (Utqiagvik) vacant at the December 4, 2024 Special Meeting.

Public input was accepted prior to the special meeting.



Proposed Motion:

“I move that the NSBSD Board of Education appoint _____ to Seat A and hold office until the next regularly scheduled election for the district.”

Moved by _____ Seconded by _____

Vote _____

Signature: *Ds Vadiveloo*
Ds Vadiveloo (Dec 20, 2024 00:22 AKST)

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