



## Executive Summary Finance Committee Meeting

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DATE: September 19, 2024

TOPIC: Resolution Authorizing Appointment of Township Trustee of Schools Representative

PREPARED BY: Courtney Whited

**Recommended for:**

- Action
- Discussion
- Information

**Purpose/Background:**

House Bill 305 was signed and is now Public Act 103-0790. This bill reorganizes the Trustees of Schools from being elected officials to being appointed officials. The effective date of the bill is August 9, 2024. Therefore, each Niles Township school district has 60 days until October 8, 2024 to appoint a Board Member or employee to serve as a Trustee of Schools. The Niles Township School Treasurer's Office plans to reorganize under the new Trustees at the October Board meeting.

Attached is Lincolnwood School District 74's resolution prepared by District legal counsel. It names SD74 Business Manager/CSBO, Courtney Whited, to the two-year Trustee position.

CSBO Whited will attend The Trustees of School quarterly meetings in January, April, July and October to review the operations of the Niles Township School Treasurer's Office.

**Fiscal Impact:**

None

**Recommendation:**

The Finance Committee concurs with the Administration's recommendation to the Board of Education to adopt this Resolution Authorizing Appointment of Township Trustee of Schools Representative, Courtney Whited, to the two-year term.