



SOUTHEAST ISLAND SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION

Forum
Monday, April 24, 2023

VISION STATEMENT

Students are equipped to realize their dreams and aspirations.

MISSION STATEMENT

Together we will foster student skills to achieve their goals and thrive in an ever-changing world.

AGENDA

MEETING: 5:30 PM

LOCATION: Thorne Bay School and via Zoom
1010 Sandy Beach Rd
Thorne Bay, Alaska 99919

VIRTUAL URL:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84653387317?pwd=VExFdGFhU3FKeEVMbWJpK0tnOFVTdz09>

1. Superintendent Candidate Introductions 2
2. Question & Answer with Superintendent Candidates
3. Stakeholder Feedback

Candidate — Anji Gallanos

Ms. Gallanos works as the Elementary literacy and School Readiness Director for the Colorado Department of Education. Before that she was a graduate research assistant for the National P-3 Center at the University of Colorado Denver, and before that the Literacy Content Educational Specialists II/Early Childhood Administrator for the Alaska Department of Education. Ms. Gallanos has a Bachelor of Arts with an Emphasis in Behavioral Science from the University of Utah, a Masters of Education/Special Education from the University of Utah, and an Educational Doctorate from the University of Colorado Denver.

Impressions and Comments:



The SISD would like your thoughts on the candidates.

To comply with Federal laws a reminder that questions CANNOT be asked about:

- Birthplace, national origin, ancestry, race
- Age
- Religion or creed
- Political affiliations
- Fraternal organizations
- Marital Status or children
- Criminal record, unless relevant to work
- Health

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Please use this brochure to write your impressions and comments for each candidate, and a) give it to the meeting facilitator before you leave the forum, b) fill in comments on the Google form at this link:

<https://forms.gle/QdzzBVSR4RB3ohBz6>

or c) scan the QR code here to be taken to the online form where you can provide your comments.



Candidate — Deidre Jenson

Ms. Jenson has been the Itinerant Principal, State & Federal Grants Coordinator, Thorne Bay Principal, Special Education Director, and is currently the Interim Superintendent for the Southeast Island School District. Before that she was the PreK-12 Principal at the Northwest Arctic Borough School District, and Elementary Principal and Special Education Director at the Wrangell Public School District. Ms. Jenson has an Associate of Arts degree from the Northland Community College, a Bachelors in Science in Special Education from Minnesota State University-Moorhead, A Masters in Educational Leadership from the University of Alaska Southeast, and a Doctorate in Educational Leadership from Gonzaga University.

Impressions and Comments:

Candidate — Rodney Morrison

Mr. Morrison is the Principal in the Valdez City School District. Before that he was a teacher, coach, athletic director for Naches Valley Middle School. Mr. Morrison has an Associate of Arts from Yakima Valley Community College, a Bachelor of Arts in Social Sciences, History & Education from Central Washington University, a Masters Degree in Educational Technology from City University, and a Superintendents Certification from the University of Alaska Southeast.

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