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**TUESDAY, 12 MARCH 2019**

## **TO: THE EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBER FOR EDUCATION & CHILDREN**

I HEREBY SUMMON YOU TO ATTEND A MEETING OF THE **EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBER DECISIONS MEETING FOR EDUCATION & CHILDREN** WHICH WILL BE HELD IN **REGENERATION MEETING ROOM, COUNTY HALL, CARMARTHEN - COUNTY HALL, CARMARTHEN. SA31 1JP.** AT **9.00 AM, ON MONDAY, 18TH MARCH, 2019** FOR THE TRANSACTION OF THE BUSINESS OUTLINED ON THE ATTACHED AGENDA.

*Mark James* CBE

**CHIEF EXECUTIVE**



PLEASE RECYCLE

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**18 MARCH 2019**

<b>Executive Board Member:</b>	<b>Portfolio:</b>
<b>Cllr. Glynog Davies</b>	<b>Education &amp; Children</b>

## **Subject**

**Purpose: Appointment of LA governors**

## **Recommendations / key decisions required:**

That the Executive Board Member makes appointments to the listed vacancies.

## **Reasons:**

To meet statutory obligations of filling vacancies on Governing Bodies.

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**Declaration of Personal Interest (if any):**

None

**Dispensation Granted to Make Decision (if any):**

N/A

**DECISION MADE:****Signed:**

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBER

**The following section will be completed by the Democratic Services Officer in attendance at the meeting**

Recommendation of Officer adopted	YES / NO
Recommendation of the Officer was adopted <b>subject to the amendment(s) and reason(s) specified:</b>	
Reason(s) why the Officer's recommendation was <b>not adopted:</b>	

**EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**  
**EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBER EDUCATION AND CHILDREN**  
**18 March 2019**

**SUBJECT: APPOINTMENT OF LA GOVERNORS**

**BRIEF SUMMARY OF PURPOSE OF REPORT**

In accordance with the LA appointment policy for LA Governors, vacancies exist in certain schools and schedules of nomination for these vacancies are attached. Nominations were invited from Chairperson, Headteacher and Local Member(s) in the case of Primary Schools / the Member(s) who is/are governors of that school in the case of Secondary Schools.

LA Governors are appointed for 4 years and where the vacancy occurs as a result of an individual's term of office coming to an end, this is noted in the details for that particular person if he/she is seeking appointment.

**DETAILED REPORT ATTACHED?**

**YES**

## IMPLICATIONS

I confirm that other than those implications which have been agreed with the appropriate Directors / Heads of Service and are referred to in detail below, there are no other implications associated with this report :

Signed: **Gareth Morgans** Director – Department for Education & Children

Policy and Crime & Disorder	Legal	Finance	ICT	Risk Management Issues	Organisational Development	Physical Assets
<b>NONE</b>	<b>NONE</b>	<b>NONE</b>	<b>NONE</b>	<b>NONE</b>	<b>NONE</b>	<b>NONE</b>

## CONSULTATIONS

I confirm that the appropriate consultations have taken in place and the outcomes are as detailed below

Signed: **Gareth Morgans** Director – Department for Education & Children

**1. Scrutiny Committee - n/a**

**2. Local Member(s)**

Relevant Local Members have been notified of received nominations and invited to submit additional nominations.

**3. Community / Town Council – n/a**

**4. Relevant Partners – n/a**

**5. Staff Side Representatives and other Organisations – n/a**

**Section 100D Local Government Act, 1972 – Access to Information  
List of Background Papers used in the preparation of this report:**

**THERE ARE NONE.**

## APPOINTMENT OF LA GOVERNORS

### *List for Consideration*

**18<sup>th</sup> March 2019**

PRIMARY SCHOOL	NO. OF VACANCIES	NOMINATIONS NAME AND ADDRESS	NOMINATED BY	DETAILS
<b>Please note: CCC's 'The Appointment of LA Governors' states that, 'All County Councillors [when elected] may stipulate on which school governing bodies they will sit and their decision will take preference over 'non-elected' LA governors'.</b>				
Abergwili	1	Ms G M Adams	Mrs Elinor Jameson, Headteacher	'Experienced governor and an active member of the community. Ms Adams is a Youth Support Services Manager and has a vast knowledge of Child Protection Procedures and can share her expertise.'
Bryn Teg	1	Ms M Hill	Ms L Butler, Chair & Mr Geraint Jones, Headteacher	'Ms Hill has a passion for the local community and within the school, as two of her children attend Bryn Teg. She is part of the Llwynhendy Community Group, and her knowledge and interest in community and school would be of great value and benefit to our partnerships and standards of pupils' outcomes. I feel Ms Hill would make an excellent candidate for this role.'
Llangain	1 (from 15/07/19)	Mrs G Burson	Mrs Trefina Jones, Headteacher	'Educational background; past teacher and interested in education; involved in supporting the community; supportive of the school and its community.'  Mrs T Jones is seeking Mrs Burson's re-appointment.
Penrhos Road	2 (from 30/03/19)	Rev Capt Lowe	Mrs Non Neave, Headteacher	'Rev Captain Lowe is currently the Vice Chair of the Governing Body. He carries out his duties with commitment and dedication. He attends all relevant meetings and his contribution to discussions and the decision making process is always balanced and reliable.'

		Mr D Maxted		<p>Rev Captain Lowe attends schools on a very regular basis to take assemblies and he is by now a familiar face to pupils and staff. In addition, the school regularly links with the local parish church for various celebrations and Rev Captain Lowe is always very accommodating. These activities are well established and we hope that in the future these links will continue to strengthen for the benefit of pupils of the school</p> <p>Rev Captain Lowe is an asset to the school and I nominate him for the above reasons.'</p> <p>'Mr Maxted is a committed and reliable member of the Governing Body. During meetings, he contributes to discussions in a measured way and plays a significant part in the decision-making process.</p> <p>Mr Maxted is also a member of the Finance and Staffing Sub-committee and his background and knowledge of running his own business is of significant value to the subcommittee. During these meetings, his wealth of experiences and skills are evident and his contribution and advice greatly valued. For these reasons, I nominate Mr Maxted for a second term of office as LA Governor of the school.'</p> <p>Mrs Neave is seeking Rev Captain Lowe and Mr Maxted's re-appointment.</p>
Saron	1	Mrs L Jones	Mr M Clarke, Chairperson	<p>'Mrs Jones is a long standing Governor. She has always been very supportive of the school and Governing Body. She has undertaken all the necessary Governor Training.'</p> <p>Mr Clarke is seeking Mrs Jones' re-appointment.</p>
St Mary's Carmarthen	1	Cllr P Grice	Mrs P Scott, Chairperson	<p>'Cllr. Grice has been the LA Governor at St Mary's for some 20 years now and is currently our Deputy Chair of Governors, a position he has held for a number of years.</p>



				<p>He has been a most hard-working governor and never misses a meeting. His continuing advice on Local Authority matters has been invaluable: recently he has worked alongside Karen Draper on our school improvement programme. He has also been personally instrumental in having St Mary's appointed as a 'Childcare Offer' provider. Accordingly, we would like to nominate Cllr Grice to continue as the LA Governor at St Mary's RC School.'</p> <p>Mrs Scott is seeking Cllr Grice' re-appointment.</p>
Teilo Sant	2	Mr R Jones	Mr AL Rees, Headteacher	'Mr Jones has been a member of the Governing Body for a number of years. He has educational experience, including as a school inspector.'
<b>SECONDARY SCHOOL</b>	<b>NO. OF VACANCIES</b>	<b>NOMINATIONS NAME AND ADDRESS</b>	<b>NOMINATED BY</b>	<b>DETAILS</b>
Dyffryn Taf	2	Mr E Howells	Mrs M P Jones, Chairperson	<p>'Mr Howells has been an LEA representative on the Governing Body at Dyffryn Taf for 4 years and wishes to continue his membership.'</p> <p>Mrs Jones is seeking Mr Howells' re-appointment.</p>
<b>SPECIAL SCHOOL</b>	<b>NO. OF VACANCIES</b>	<b>NOMINATIONS NAME AND ADDRESS</b>	<b>NOMINATED BY</b>	<b>DETAILS</b>
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## EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBER DECISIONS MEETING FOR EDUCATION & CHILDREN

21 JANUARY 2019

**PRESENT: Councillor:** G. Davies (Executive Board Member).

**The following officers were in attendance:**

J. Owen, Democratic Services Officer

**Regeneration Meeting Room, County Hall, Carmarthen: 2:00pm - 2:10pm**

### 1. DECLARATIONS OF PERSONAL INTEREST

There were no declarations of personal interest.

### 2. APPOINTMENT OF L.A. GOVERNORS

The Executive Board Member considered applications received for Local Authority Governor vacancies within the county. It was noted that nominations had been invited from the Chairperson, Headteacher and Local Member(s) in the case of Primary Schools/the member(s) who were governors in the case of Secondary Schools.

It was also noted that Local Authority Governors are appointed for 4 years and where the vacancy has occurred as a result of an individual's term of office coming to an end, this was noted in the details for that particular person if he/she was seeking appointment.

**RESOLVED** that, in order to meet statutory obligations for filling vacancies on Governing Bodies and having considered the applications received, the following appointments be made to vacancies for Local Authority Governors:-

Primary School	Appointments
<b>Bro Brynach</b> (1 Vacancy – 1 Nomination)	Mr P. Walton.
<b>Bryn</b> (2 Vacancies – 2 Nominations)	Mr J. Treharne; Dr. M. Williams.
<b>Carreg Hirfaen</b> (1 Vacancy – 1 Nomination)	Mr G. Hope.
<b>Griffith Jones</b> (1 Vacancy – 1 Nomination)	Mr T. John.
<b>Gwenllian</b> (1 Vacancy – 1 Nomination)	Mrs L. Davies.

<b>Gymraeg Rhydaman</b> (1 Vacancy – 1 Nomination)	Councillor Edward Thomas.
<b>Hadfodwenog</b> (1 Vacancy – 1 Nomination)	Councillor Jean Lewis.
<b>Hendy</b> (1 Vacancy – 1 Nomination)	Mrs K. Taylor.
<b>Johnstown</b> (1 Vacancy – 1 Nomination)	Ms. N. Hopkins.
<b>Llandeilo</b> (2 Vacancies – 1 Nomination)	Councillor Edward Thomas.
<b>Llangunnor</b> (1 Vacancy – 1 Nomination)	Mr G. Rees.
<b>Peniel</b> (1 Vacancy – 1 Nomination)	Mr S. Davies.
<b>Pentip</b> (2 Vacancies – 1 Nomination)	Mr W. G. Thomas.
<b>Y Felin</b> (1 Vacancy – 1 Nomination)	Mrs M. Billington.

<b>Secondary School</b>	<b>Appointments</b>
<b>Bro Myrddin</b> (2 Vacancies – 2 Nominations)	Councillor Cefin Campbell; Rev. T. T. Defis.

<b>Special School</b>	<b>Appointments</b>
<b>Rhydygors</b> (1 Vacancy – 1 Nomination)	Councillor B. Williams.

**3. TO SIGN AS A CORRECT RECORD THE DECISION RECORD OF THE MEETING HELD ON THE 19<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2018**

**RESOLVED** that the Decision Record of the meeting held on 19<sup>th</sup> November, 2018 be signed as a correct record.

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**EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBER**

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**DATE**