

OSBA Legislative Policy Committee

CANDIDATE QUESTIONNAIRE

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District/ESD/CC: Roseburg School District


Term expires: 2027 Years on board: 2

Region: Douglas County RSD

Position #: 5



I certify that if elected I will faithfully serve as a member of the OSBA Legislative Policy Committee. My nomination form has been submitted to OSBA (or is attached to this document) as evidence.


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Be brief; please limit your responses to 50 words per question.

1. What do you want to accomplish by serving on the Legislative Policy Committee (LPC)?
Communicate the issues/concerns with rural school districts in Oregon.
2. What leadership skills do you bring to the LPC? Give an example of a situation in which you demonstrated these skills.
I have taken on many leadership roles in my life. I was captain of the swim team at Sunset High School in Beaverton School District, General Manager of a food service company, led several security teams, and have served on multiple boards in a volunteer capacity.
3. What do you see as the two most challenging legislative issues faced by OSBA?
I see the most challenging hurdle is our legislation attempting to leave parents out of the information and transparency of the health and well-being of their own children. There needs to be more transparency in the process.
4. What do you see as the two most challenging legislative issues faced by your region?
The federal policies that directly conflict with state policies that threaten funding to our schools is a serious issue. Each school district should have the sovereignty to reflect the values of their own community.
5. What is your plan for communicating with boards in your region about legislative issues?
To be transparent and honest about what i see in my community and what is best for the health, safety, and well-being of the students in our district.

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CANDIDATE PERSONAL/PROFESSIONAL RESUME

Work or service performed for OSBA or local district (include committee name and if you were chair):

RSD - Budget Committee member, Chair of Building and Sites Committee, Chair of Policy Committee

Other education board positions held/dates:

None

Occupation (Include at least the past five years):

Employers:

Liberty Mutual

MGM Grand

Dates:

2013 to present

2011 to 2012

Schools attended (Include official name of school, where and when):

High school: Sunset High School

College: Western Oregon University

Degrees earned: BS in Criminal Justice; minor in Business

Education honors and/or awards:

Summa Cum Laude

Other applicable training or education:

N/A

Activities, other state and local community services:

Polk County Fire Department Volunteer, Beaverton Police Department Volunteer, YMCA Flag Football Coach

Hobbies/special interests:

Raising my 3 sons to be positive contributing members of society

Business/professional/civic group memberships; offices held and dates:

Insurance Designations -

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Additional comments:

Thank you for your consideration for this position.