

**2<sup>nd</sup> November 2020**

**Agenda Item: 12**

**REPORT OF THE SERVICE DIRECTOR, EDUCATION, LEARNING AND  
SKILLS**

**LOCAL AUTHORITY GOVERNOR APPOINTMENTS TO SCHOOL  
GOVERNING BODIES DURING THE PERIOD 13 FEBRUARY TO 27  
SEPTEMBER 2020**

**Purpose of the Report**

1. To update the Committee on the appointment of Local Authority (LA) governors to school governing bodies for the period 13 February to 27 September 2020 in accordance with the requirements of the Constitution.

**Information**

2. Under the School Governance (Constitution) (England) Regulations 2012, as amended by the School Governance (Constitution and Federations) (England) Amendment Regulations 2014, governing bodies of maintained schools were required to reconstitute to a skills-based model of governance by September 2015, and are allowed one LA governor on the reconstituted governing body. For this model of governance, governing bodies may set eligibility criteria for, and appoint, the Local Authority governor.
3. Under these Regulations the County Council is responsible for nominating individuals as prospective governors. Nominations are made by the County Council, in accordance with the eligibility criteria provided by the governing body. When nominating new governors or re-nominating existing governors, the County Council must consider the skills and experience the governing body needs in order to be effective.
4. Local Authority governors nominated by the County Council and appointed by school governing bodies during the period 13 February to 27 September 2020 are as follows:

<b>ASHFIELD</b>	
Jacksdale Primary School	Mrs Betty Dixon <b>Re-appointment to the category of LA Governor</b>
Leen Mills Primary school	Joanne Denyer <b>New appointment to the category of LA Governor</b>

Sutton Road Primary School	Mrs Rebecca Jackson <b>New appointment to the category of LA Governor</b>
Holgate Primary School	Mrs Rebecca Jackson <b>New appointment to the category of LA Governor</b>
Dalestorth Primary	Mr Robert Barsby <b>Re-appointment to the category of LA Governor</b>
Annesley Primary	Mr James Lawrence <b>New Appointment to the category of LA Governor</b>
<b>BASSETLAW</b>	
Haggonfields Primary	Councillor Sybil Fielding <b>Re-Appointment to the category of LA Governor</b>
Prospect Hill Infant and Nursery	Mrs Rebecca Yahia <b>New appointment to the category of LA Governor</b>
East Markham Primary	Mrs Josephine Bridge <b>New appointment to the category of LA governor</b>
<b>BROXTOWE</b>	
Springbank Primary	Mr Mark Bayliss <b>New appointment to the category of LA Governor</b>
Round Hill Primary	Mrs Hilary Craik <b>Re-Appointment to the category of LA Governor</b>
Brinsley Primary & Nursery	Mr Richard Chamberlain <b>New appointment to the category of LA Governor</b>
<b>GEDLING</b>	
Coppice Farm Primary	Miss Mica-May Smith <b>New Appointment to the category of LA Governor</b>
Woodthorpe Infant School	Miss Sarah Spencer <b>New Appointment to the category of LA Governor</b>
All Hallows C of E Primary	Mr Amar Hussain <b>New Appointment to the category of LA Governor</b>
Lambley Primary	Mr Wayne Stephen Bright <b>New Appointment to the category of LA Governor</b>
Woodborough Wood's Foundation C/E V/A	Mrs Sharon Johnson <b>New Appointment to the category of LA Governor</b>

<b>MANSFIELD</b>	
Heatherley	Mr Robert Lyons <b>Re-Appointment to the category of LA Governor</b>
Leas Park Junior	Mr Ian Dentith <b>Re-Appointment to the category of LA Governor</b>
St Peter's CofE Primary Academy, Mansfield	Mrs Christine Bacon <b>Re-Appointment to the category of LA Governor</b>
<b>NEWARK</b>	
Ravenshead Primary	Mrs Sue Hunt <b>Re-Appointment to the category of LA Governor</b>
Kneesall CofE Primary	Ms Nicola Mills <b>New appointment to the category of LA Governor</b>
King Edwin Primary and Nursery	Mr Richard Empson <b>Re-appointment to the category of LA Governor</b>
The Mount C of E Primary School	Mr Richard Haig <b>Reappointment to the category of LA Governor</b>
<b>RUSHCLIFFE</b>	
Orston Primary	Mr Daniel Gooding <b>New appointment to the category of LA Governor</b>

### **Other Options Considered**

5. No other options have been considered.

### **Reasons for Recommendation/s**

6. The constitution requires the Corporate Directorate to report governor appointments to Committee on a quarterly basis.

### **Statutory and Policy Implications**

7. This report has been compiled after consideration of implications in respect of crime and disorder, data protection and information governance, finance, human resources, human rights, the NHS Constitution (public health services), the public sector equality duty, safeguarding of children and adults at risk, service users, smarter working, sustainability and the environment and where such implications are material they are described below. Appropriate consultation has been undertaken and advice sought on these issues as required.

## **Data Protection and Information Governance**

8. The information contained within this report is already within the public domain and a privacy impact statement is therefore not needed.

## **RECOMMENDATION/S**

- 1) That the Committee receives further updates regarding future appointments on a quarterly basis in accordance with the Constitution.

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## **Constitutional Comments (SS 30/09/20)**

9. It is appropriate for the Children and Young People's Committee to consider this report and request further updates quarterly.

## **Financial Comments (SAS 02/10/20)**

10. There are no financial implications arising directly from this report.

## **Background Papers and Published Documents**

Except for previously published documents, which will be available elsewhere, the documents listed here will be available for inspection in accordance with Section 100D of the Local Government Act 1972.

None.

## **Electoral Divisions and Members Affected**

### **Ashfield**

Selston  
Hucknall North  
Hucknall West  
Sutton North  
Kirkby South

Cllr David Martin  
Cllr Ben Bradley  
Cllr Kevin Rostance  
Cllr Helen-Ann Smith  
Cllr Rachel Madden

### **Bassetlaw**

Worksop West  
Worksop North  
Tuxford

Cllr Sybil Fielding  
Cllr Alan Rhodes  
Cllr John Ogle

**Broxtowe**

Eastwood  
Beeston Central and Rylands  
Greasley and Brinsley

Cllr Tony Harper  
Cllr Kate Foale  
Cllr John Handley

**Gedling**

Arnold North  
Arnold South  
Carlton West  
Calverton

Cllr Pauline Allan & Cllr Michael Payne  
Cllr John Clarke & Cllr Muriel Weisz  
Cllr Jim Creamer & Cllr Errol Henry  
Cllr Boyd Elliott

**Mansfield**

Mansfield East  
Mansfield North

Cllr Vaughan Hopewell & Cllr Martin Wright  
Cllr Joyce Bosnjak & Cllr Parry Tsimbirdis

**Newark**

Newstead  
Muskham and Farnsfield  
Sherwood Forest  
Farndon and Trent

Cllr Chris Barnfather  
Cllr Bruce Laughton  
Cllr John Peck  
Cllr Sue Saddington

**Rushcliffe**

Bingham East

Cllr Francis Purdue-Horan

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