Board of Education Agenda Item

Item: L. Date: June 22, 2005

Topic: First Review of Nominations to Fill Vacancies on Board of Education Advisory Committees: Advisory Committee on Adult Education and Literacy, State Special Education Advisory Committee, Virginia Advisory Committee for Career and Technical Education, and the Virginia Advisory Committee for the Education of the Gifted

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___ Topic presented for information only (no board action required)
___ Board review required by
   ____ State or federal law or regulation
   ____ Board of Education regulation
   X ____ Other: Board of Education By-laws
___ Action requested at this meeting
X ___ Action requested at future meeting: Final appointment of the nominees: July 27, 2005

Previous Review/Action:

X ___ No previous board review/action
___ Previous review/action:
   date:
   action:

Background Information: Article Nine, Section 2 of the Board of Education’s by-laws states the following:

Advisory Committees. Advisory committees may be created by the Board for special purposes to include, but not be limited to, federal and state-mandated committees. An advisory committee shall be composed of persons who represent the views and interests of the general public and who are known to be qualified to perform their duties. Personnel of the Department of Education may be appointed to the committee, as members or as consultants. All appointments to an advisory committee shall be made by the Board upon the recommendations of the Superintendent of Public Instruction. . . . .
Summary of Major Elements: Nominations to fill vacancies on the Board of Education’s advisory committees are made quarterly. Nominees would be appointed to a three-year term, and the members of all advisory committees except the Student Advisory Committee may be re-appointed to a second three-year term, as permitted under the Board of Education’s by-laws.

Four of the Board’s six advisory committees have vacancies for which names are being placed in nomination at this time.

- Advisory Committee on Adult Education and Literacy
- State Special Education Advisory Committee
- Virginia Advisory Committee for Career and Technical Education
- Virginia Advisory Committee for the Education of the Gifted

Nominations and supporting information were gathered by the Department of Education staff using a statewide solicitation process. Staff also reviewed the qualifications of each of the nominees to ensure that they met the membership requirements that may be required either by the Board of Education or by state or federal law or regulations.

The names of the nominees and a list of the current advisory committee members and their term of service are listed in the attachment.

Superintendent's Recommendation: The Superintendent of Public Instruction recommends that the Board of Education receive the list of nominees for first review.

Impact on Resources: The operating expenses and other costs associated with the meetings and functions of the Board of Education’s advisory committees are provided through the Department of Education’s operating funds. Where applicable, federal funds are provided to support the expenses and the work of an advisory committee.

Timetable for Further Review/Action: Final appointment of the nominees will be requested at the July 27, 2005, meeting of the Board of Education. The appointments would be retroactive to July 1, 2005.
Advisory Committee on Adult Education And Literacy

Nominees:

**Dr. Yvonne Brandon – Reappointment**
Associate Superintendent for Instruction
Richmond City Public Schools
TERM: July 1, 2005 – June 30, 2008

**Steve F. Clementi – Reappointment**
Director, External Affairs
Verizon Virginia, Inc.
TERM: July 1, 2005 – June 30, 2008

**Dr. Rose H. Johnson**
Vice Chancellor for Workforce Development Services
Virginia Community College System
TERM: July 1, 2005 – June 30, 2008

**Honorable Kenneth R. Plum - Reappointment**
The Virginia House of Delegates
TERM: July 1, 2005 – June 30, 2008

Current Members of the Advisory Committee on Adult Education And Literacy

**Dr. Mark E. Emblidge, Chair**
Executive Director
Virginia Literacy Foundation
TERM: July 1, 2004 – June 30, 2007

**Carolyn Baker**
Coordinator Federal Programs and Early Learning Center
Charlotte Public County Schools
TERM: January 1, 2003 – December 31, 2005

**The Honorable Emmett W. Hanger, Jr.**
The Senate of Virginia
TERM: July 1, 2004 – June 30, 2007

**Dr. Gary L. Jones**
Member, Virginia Board of Education
TERM: July 1, 2004 – June 30, 2007

**Marilyn Milio**
The Read Center
TERM: January 1, 2003 – December 31, 2005

**David Red**
English for Speakers of Other Languages Program
Fairfax County Public Schools
TERM: January 1, 2003 – December 31, 2005

**Rebecca Scott**
Regional Adult Education Program
Wise County Public Schools
TERM: January 1, 2003 – December 31, 2005

**Susan Utt**
Northern Shenandoah Valley Adult Education
Frederick County Public Schools
TERM: July 1, 2004 – June 30, 2007

**Scott Leath**
Senior Vice President and Business Manager
Richmond Newspapers, Inc.
TERM: July 1, 2004 – June 30, 2007
Virginia Advisory Committee for Career and Technical Education

Nominees:

Parker Johnson - Reappointment  
School Board Member  
Acomack County Public School Board  
Parksley  
TERM: July 1, 2005 – June 30, 2008

Dr. Brenda D. Long - Reappointment  
Career and Technical Education Director  
Stafford County Public Schools  
Stafford  
TERM: July 1, 2005 – June 30, 2008

Dr. Daisy Stewart - Reappointment  
Program Leader  
Career and Technical Education  
College of Liberal Arts and Human Sciences  
Virginia Tech  
Blacksburg  
TERM: July 1, 2005 – June 30, 2008

Ray Tate - Reappointment  
President and CEO  
Old Dominion Glass Company  
Richmond  
TERM: July 1, 2005 – June 30, 2008

Current Members of the Virginia Advisory Committee for Career and Technical Education

Caroline Martin, Advisory Chairperson  
Executive Vice President  
Nurse Works For You  
Suffolk  
TERM: July 1, 2003 – June 30, 2006

Franklin D. Harris, Advisory Vice-Chairperson  
Manager of Public and Member Relations  
Southside Electric Cooperative  
Crewe  
TERM: July 1, 2003 – June 30, 2006

Craig Balzar  
President  
Balzer and Associates, Inc.  
Roanoke  
TERM: July 1, 2004 – June 30, 2007

Theresa Bryant  
Vice President  
Workforce Development  
Tidewater Community College  
Norfolk  
TERM: July 1, 2003 – June 30, 2006

Johnny Cates  
Executive Director AYES Program  
Virginia Auto Dealers Association  
Richmond  
TERM: July 1, 2003 – June 30, 2006

Mike Mills  
Corporate Distribution Manager  
American Woodmark Corporation  
Winchester  
TERM: July 1, 2004 – June 30, 2007

Toney Rigali  
Lead Organizer  
Virginia Pipe Trades Association  
Richmond  
TERM: July 1, 2004 – June 30, 2007

Judy Sorrell  
Director  
Shenandoah Valley Regional Program  
Fishersville  
TERM: July 1, 2004 – June 30, 2007
Virginia Advisory Committee for the Education of the Gifted

Nominees:

Nancy C. Adams
Parent, Local Advisory Committee for the Education of the Gifted
Newport News City Public Schools
TERM: July 1, 2005 – June 30, 2008

Dorren Brown
Principal, Johnson Elementary
Charlottesville City Public Schools
TERM: July 1, 2005 – June 30, 2008

Sandra Foddrell
Gifted Education Coordinator
Loudoun County Public Schools
TERM: July 1, 2005 – June 30, 2008

Dr. Kate (Kitty) Richmond
Director of Curriculum and Academic Services
York County Public Schools
TERM: July 1, 2005 – June 30, 2008

Sheila Roalfl
Gifted Education Coordinator
Prince George County Public Schools
TERM: July 1, 2005 – June 30, 2008

Lisa Swope
Gifted Education Lead Teacher
Radford City Public Schools
TERM: July 1, 2005 – June 30, 2008

Current Members of the Virginia Advisory Committee for the Education of the Gifted (VACEG)

Jennifer Flint-Green
Director
Shenandoah Conservatory Arts Academy
TERM: July 1, 2004 – June 30, 2007

Cris Chilton
President
Virginia Education Association
TERM: July 1, 2003 – June 30, 2006

Kathryn Bremner
Virginia Middle School Association
TERM: July 1, 2004 – June 30, 2007

Dr. Cy Dillon
Director, Stanley Library
Ferrum College
TERM: July 1, 2003 – June 30, 2006

Dr. Catherine Brighton
President
Virginia Association for the Gifted
TERM: July 1, 2004 – June 30, 2007

Clint Estes
Gifted Education Coordinator
Orange County Public Schools
TERM: July 1, 2003 – June 30, 2006

Dr. Elissa Brown
Director
Center for Gifted Education
The College of William and Mary
TERM: July 1, 2004 – June 30, 2007

Dr. Lowell Frye
Parent, Local Advisory Committee for the Education of the Gifted
Prince Edward County Public Schools
TERM: July 1, 2003 – June 30, 2006

Dr. Virginia Carey
Board of Directors
Virginia Counselors Association
TERM: July 1, 2004 – June 30, 2007
Dr. Marjorie Hall-Haley  
Professor  
George Mason University  
TERM: July 1, 2003 – June 30, 2006

Meg Hardt  
Director of Instruction  
West Point Public Schools  
TERM: July 1, 2004 – June 30, 2007

Patricia Lynch  
Teacher of the Gifted  
Fredericksburg City Public Schools  
TERM: July 1, 2003 – June 30, 2006

Elizabeth Mebane  
Parent, Local Advisory Committee for the Education of the Gifted  
Chesterfield County Public Schools  
TERM: July 1, 2003 – June 30, 2006

Dr. Frank Morgan  
Superintendent  
Goochland County Public Schools  
TERM: July 1, 2003 – June 30, 2006

Marion G. Roark  
Board Member  
Virginia Association of School Boards  
TERM: July 1, 2004 – June 30, 2007

Dr. Thomas Shortt  
Executive Director  
Virginia Association of Elementary School Principals  
TERM: July 1, 2003 – June 30, 2006

C. Earl Snyder  
Director of Laboratories  
Northrup Grumman-Newport News  
TERM: July 1, 2004 – June 30, 2007

Avery Wyatt  
Gifted Education Coordinator  
Pittsylvania County Public Schools  
TERM: July 1, 2003 – June 30, 2006
State Special Education Advisory Committee

Nominee:

Peter Noonan Squire
Dahlgren
Represents: Individuals with disabilities
TERM: July 1, 2005 — June 30, 2008

Current Members of the State Special Education Advisory Committee

Dr. Michael M. Behrmann
Fairfax
Represents: local school division
TERM EXPIRES: March 23, 2008

Charlene Christopher
Norfolk
Represents: teachers
TERM EXPIRES: April 30, 2006

Susanne Conroy
Marion
Represents: Parent Region 7
TERM EXPIRES: October 31, 2007

Emily Dreyfus
Charlottesville
Represents: Parent Region 5
TERM EXPIRES: October 31, 2007

Stacie Ellis
Spotsylvania
Represents: Parent Region 3
TERM EXPIRES: September 17, 2007

Anne Fischer
Suffolk
Represents: Parent Region 2
TERM EXPIRES: April 1, 2006

Heidi Lawyer
Richmond
Represents: Parent Region 1
TERM EXPIRES: April 30, 2006

Dr. J. David Martin
Warrenton
Represents: Local Education Official
TERM EXPIRES: June 30, 2005

Cindy Mills
Norfolk
Represents: Private Schools
TERM EXPIRES: January 2006

Linda Richardson
Emporia
Represents: Parent Region 8
TERM EXPIRES: February 28, 2007

Robert F. Richardson, Jr.
Ashland
Represents: Local Director of Special Education
TERM EXPIRES: October 31, 2007

Shirley G. Ricks
Richmond
Represents: State Agency
TERM EXPIRES: October 31, 2007

Carmen M. Sanchez
Fairfax
Represents: Parent Region 4
TERM EXPIRES: April 30, 2006

Leslie T. Snyder
Newport News
Represents: Person with Disability
TERM EXPIRES: June 30, 2005

Michael G. Wong
Harrisonburg
Represents: Transition/Vocational Education
TERM EXPIRES: October 31, 2007