

CONSIDERATION OF CANDIDATES FOR INCLUSION ON APPROVED LIST AT A MEETING OF THE EDUCATION (APPOINTMENT OF GOVERNORS) PANEL HELD ON MONDAY 19th APRIL 2010

| Name, address and occupation | Is there a particular school (or schools) that you would like to serve as an L.E.A. governor? | What commitment can you give to the role of L.E.A. Governor? | Do you have any previous educational (or other) experience, which will assist you in the role of L.E.A. Governor? | Are you a member of any local voluntary groups or organisations, or are you involved in any community activities? | Are there any additional comments that you would like to make in support of your application to become an L.E.A. Governor? |
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| Rita Constance Bell 4 Lanchester Fatfield Washington NE38 8SR Retired University Lecturer | St Robert of Newminster RC School | Available morning afternoon and evenings as now retired. | University Lecturer, nursing profession, management experience, community experience and knowledge of Washington. | | I have an extremely keen interest in education at all levels and in particular the needs of young people. |
| Christopher Brien 28 Harrogate Terrace Murton SR7 9PQ Civil Servant | Hill View Junior School | I work flexible hours during the day for HM Revenue and Customs. I would also qualify for special leave to perform public duties so attending meetings during the day would not be a problem. I would also be able to attend meetings during the evening. | I do not have experience of working in a school environment but in my current role I have been responsible for staff in teams of varying sizes. I have experience in conduct and discipline, managing performance and people engagement. I also have a strong understanding of work planning, project direction and management skills. | | |
| Frederick a l'Anson 79 Broadmeadows East Herrington Sunderland SR3 3RG Retired Police Officer ICT Specialist | Grindon Infant School | I am presently between contracts and so have time on my hands but even if I were working I would have ample spare time to commit to this role. | Since retiring from the police service I have gained a degree in Business Computing and a PGCE in ICT. I have undertaken some teaching in Secondary School, Tertiary College and a public school where I taught 'A' level ICT for one year. I hold QTS but have completed the NQT year as I was not employed | My only unpaid work at this time involves supporting a nursery school in Washington where I designed, built and presently maintain the Web-site. I also repair equipment and advise staff regarding IT matters. | I am not completing this application on a whim; I have given this much thought over the last few months and feel that I could give much to this role. I have a wealth of experience and specialist knowledge in ICT and a desire to do something with this knowledge. |

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| | | | full time at the public school and so only acquired part of the NQT status. More recently I undertook a 14 month contract with a local Government agency as an ICT Application Specialist. | | |
| Tamzin McBrayne Address Supplied Lecturer in Essential Skills and Skills for Life | Diamond Hall Infant School | 5 hours per week. | I have taught in the further education sector for ten years. My current post, which I have held for six years, involves working with young adults who have poor literacy and numeracy skills. | I am a volunteer for Cancer Research. | I feel as a teacher of young adults, I understand the difficulties that schools, teachers and ultimately pupils face today. I am enthusiastic, committed and have lots of ideas which may benefit a school in Sunderland. |
| Stephen McGeorge 60 Gladstone Street Roker Sunderland SR6 0HZ Company Director | Plains Farm Primary School | An afternoon each fortnight. | Our company works in the school doing building and electrical work. I know the staff and school well. | | As frequently in the school I would be interested to support the school in their developments in all areas of education. I feel that I could offer a great deal of support as I am currently in on a regular basis anyway. I also have a young child so I am interested in the education so that I can help my own child develop. |
| Lisa Marie Patterson 11 Dinsdale Cottages Ryhope Village Sunderland SR2 0RL | | 4 hours per week | I have a degree in Early Childhood Education, as well as experience working as a nursery teacher a number of years ago. | | I am looking to go back to university to continue my studies, teaching art and design at secondary level. Ideally I would appreciate a placement in a secondary school, as this is my general interest. |

Background Papers

Application to Serve as Local Education Authority School Governor.