

NORTH LINCOLNSHIRE COUNCIL

CHILDREN'S SERVICES CABINET MEMBER

APPOINTMENT OF LOCAL AUTHORITY SCHOOL GOVERNORS

1. OBJECT AND KEY POINTS IN THIS REPORT

- 1.1 To consider appointing persons to serve as LEA governors.
- 1.2 The key points in this report are as follows:
 - The school governing bodies listed (appendix A) have LEA vacancies
 - The reasons for these vacancies are also listed (appendix A)

2. BACKGROUND INFORMATION

- 2.1 There are currently 23 LEA school governor vacancies. This equates to 10% of the total number of LEA governors in North Lincolnshire. The national average for LEA vacancies currently stands at 12%.

3. OPTIONS FOR CONSIDERATION

- 3.1 One option would be to appoint persons on the waiting list for their chosen school (appendix B).
- 3.2 The other option would be not to appoint the persons named on the waiting list.

4. ANALYSIS OF OPTIONS

- 4.1 If the persons on the waiting list were appointed to their chosen school this would fill the individual governing body vacancies and reduce the total number within North Lincolnshire.
- 4.2 If the persons on the waiting list were not appointed to their chosen school this would neither fill the individual governing body vacancies nor reduce the total number within North Lincolnshire.

5. RESOURCE IMPLICATIONS (FINANCIAL, STAFFING, PROPERTY, IT)

- 5.1 None.

6. **OTHER IMPLICATIONS (STATUTORY, ENVIRONMENTAL, DIVERSITY, SECTION 17 - CRIME AND DISORDER, RISK AND OTHER)**

6.1 Statutory

Education School Governance (Constitution) (England) Regulations
2003

7. **OUTCOMES OF CONSULTATION**

7.1 North Lincolnshire consults with local residents from time to time with regard to completing an application form to serve as governor.

7.2 Any details of such persons are included on the waiting list (appendix B). Copies of application forms are available from the cabinet member and from Governors' Section, Hewson House, Station Road, Brigg DN20 8XJ

8. **RECOMMENDATIONS**

8.1 It is recommended that appointments be made, to the detailed vacancies, subject to the persons being eligible to serve and CRB clearance.

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Background Papers used in the preparation of this report: N/A

Deferred from the Education Cabinet Member Briefings held on 24 July 2008

School	Governor	Reason for Vacancy
Althorpe and Keadby Primary	Mr R Lawrence	Resignation
Althorpe and Keadby Primary	Mrs J Sissons	Resignation
Berkeley Junior	Mr C Boyer	Resignation
Henderson Avenue Primary	Mrs K Masood	Resignation
Killingholme Primary	Mrs C Cole	Resignation
Oakfield Primary	Cllr Mrs M Simpson	Resignation
Parkwood Primary	Mr J Haslam	Resignation
Priory Lane Infant	Cllr Mrs M Simpson	Resignation
Riddings Infant	Mr D Keedle	Resignation
Riddings Junior	Mr D Hinchcliffe	Resignation
St Martin's CE Primary	Mrs A Mell	Resignation
Ulceby St Nicholas' CE Primary	Ms E Genney	Resignation

New Vacancies

School	Governor	Reason for Vacancy
Bottesford Infant	Miss R Batt	Resignation
Brumby Engineering College	Mrs T Cryer	Refused Position
Holme Valley	Mr N Bennett	Removed-Non Attendance
New Holland CE/Methodist Primary	Mr J Rochester	Resignation
South Ferriby Primary	Mrs S Clayton	Resignation
Ulceby St Nicholas' CE Primary	Mrs E Meldrum	Refused Position
Vale of Ancholme Technology College	Mrs G Raeburn	Refused Position
Winteringham Primary	Mrs S Czabaniuk	Resigned

End of Term of Office

School	Governor	Date	Wish to Continue
Huntcliff	Mr N Poole	16 November 2008	YES
Oakfield Primary	Mr G Taylor	31 August 2008	NO

GOVERNORS WAITING LIST
(School Alphabetical Order)

	Date Entered on List
<u>Althorpe and Keadby Primary</u> Mr R W Podmore	15 July 2008
<u>Brumby Engineering College</u> Mr A J Kennedy	12 September 2008
<u>South Ferriby Primary</u> Mrs C Tims	16 September 2008
<u>Winteringham Primary</u> Mr L S Railton	18 September 2008