Lakeshore School Division
Recruitment for Ward 5 & 6 Trustee

Are you interested in helping make your community a better place? Lakeshore School Division invites interested community members to submit their name for consideration by the newly elected Board of Trustees, to fill the vacant **Ward 5 - Fisher Branch Area (1 Trustee position) & Ward 6 - Inwood/Poplarfield Area (1 Trustee position)**.

In order to qualify as a candidate for the school board, a person must be:

- A Canadian Citizen
- At least 18 years of age –
- A resident of the Division for at least 6 months –
- Not subject to disqualification under the Public Schools Act (Sec. 22(1) PSA)
- Provide a statement of disclosure of any offence that you have pleaded guilty to or been found guilty of under:
  a) The Criminal Code (Canada)
  b) The Controlled Drugs and Substances Act (Canada); or
  c) The income Tax Act or the Income Tax Act (Canada) or any other law related to financial dishonesty that the Lieutenant Governor in Council has, by regulation, designated for the purpose of this section.

Trustee candidates must be a resident of Lakeshore School Division but not necessarily of Ward 5 & 6.

Trustee candidates will be required to collect 15 nomination signatures from the Ward they are submitting for. (Submission Package are available through the Lakeshore Office)

Recommended qualifications for a school board trustee include:

- Being representative of the local community population
- Experience as a community board member
- Participation as a volunteer in the school or community
- Experience in areas such as education, governance, finance, and strategic planning

Trustees attend scheduled Tuesday meetings twice per month from September to June, from approximately 6:00 pm to 9:00pm at the Lakeshore School Division Office. Trustees are also expected to attend additional meetings or events such as budget meetings, committee meetings and upon invitation, PAC meetings, graduation ceremonies, and special school and/or divisional events. Trustees are compensated for time and expenses.

Please submit your name, contact information, a letter outlining why you should be selected as a school board trustee for Lakeshore School Division, as well as your 15 nomination signatures, to the following address or via e-mail no later than 12:00pm on November 20, 2026.

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The Lakeshore Board of Trustees will undertake a selection process with a target to fill the vacant seat by the end of November 2026.