

MARSEILLES ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICT #150

Board Member Application

Thank you for your interest in serving on the Marseilles Elementary School District #150 Board of Education. Marseilles Elementary School District #150 is currently accepting applications to fill a board vacancy. The individual selected will serve on the School Board from the date of appointment to the next election. Please complete the following application in its entirety and submit it by 3:00 p.m. on March 17, 2025 to Deb DeGraaf, Board Secretary at the Marseilles Elementary School District Office. Applicants can also email their completed application to ddegraaf@mes150.org.

Potential candidates must meet the following qualifications to be considered for appointment:

- ✓ Be a United States citizen.
- ✓ Be at least 18 years old.
- ✓ Be a resident of Illinois and the District for at least one year immediately preceding the appointment.
- ✓ Be a registered voter.
- ✓ Not be a child sex offender.
- ✓ Not hold another incompatible public office.
- ✓ Not have a prohibited interest in any contract with the District.
- ✓ Not be a school trustee.
- ✓ Not hold certain types of prohibited State or federal employment.
- ✓ Applicants should show familiarity with the Board's policies regarding general duties and responsibilities of a Board and a Board member, including fiduciary responsibilities, conflict of interest, ethics, and gift ban. The Board's policies are available on the District website.

I certify that I meet all of the criteria above. _____
Signature

Personal Information

Full Name: _____

Home Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Current Employer: _____ Title: _____

Do you have children or grandchildren that attend Marseilles Elementary School? Yes ___ No ___

Highest Educational Level Obtained: _____

Please check each area of expertise you feel could contribute to a board:

Community Service Education Finance Fundraising
 Law Management Marketing Personnel
 Public Relations Parent Involvement Programs Other (specify) _____

Conditions of Appointment

Will you be able to attend regularly scheduled board meetings? Yes No

Do you agree to complete the mandatory courses for School Board Members (at district expense) during your first year of your term? Yes No

Do you agree to complete a statement of economic interest? Yes No

References

Please submit three professional or business references other than family or relatives, or current members of the Board for which you are applying:

Name: _____ Relationship to you: _____

How long have you known this person? _____

Phone Number: _____

Name: _____ Relationship to you: _____

How long have you known this person? _____

Phone Number: _____

Name: _____ Relationship to you: _____

How long have you known this person? _____

Phone Number: _____

Statement of Interest

Briefly explain why you would like to be a Board Member and the strengths you bring to the position. (You may attach a separate page.)

Application Verification

I recognize that all information submitted in this application or gathered by Marseilles Elementary School District #150 as a result of this application becomes a matter of public record, subject by law to disclosure upon request to members of the general public. I agree to release, hold harmless, and indemnify Marseilles Elementary School, its employees, or authorized agents from liability for the disclosure of any information it reasonably believes is true based upon my representations or resulting from this application process.

I understand that Marseilles Elementary School District #150 is under no obligation to appoint me or any nominee to a public school board and that my appointment is subject to Marseilles Elementary School District policy.

My signature below certifies that all information provided in this application is to the best of my knowledge, true and complete. I agree that I will immediately notify the District of any changes in the information provided in this application.

Signature

Date