

NEWS RELEASE

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Newfoundland and Labrador English School Board Holds Annual General Meeting

The Annual General Meeting of the Board of Trustees for the Newfoundland and Labrador English School District was held at Waterford Valley High on Saturday, September 30, 2017. As required by the by-laws, trustees voted for the role of Chair and Vice-Chair of the board, as well as elected the Executive Committee.

The positions of Chair and Vice-Chair were elected are as follows:

- Chair - Goronwy Price (Zone 2)
- Vice-Chair - Wayne Lee (Zone 6)

The Executive Committee of the Board is composed of both the Chair and Vice-Chair as well as one trustee from each of the four regions of the Newfoundland and Labrador English School District.

The elected Executive Committee is as follows:

- Labrador - Lester Simmons (Zone 3)
- Western - Bruce Cluney (Zone 5)
- Central - Winston Carter (Zone 9)
- Eastern - John Smith (Zone 17)

“Our Board of Trustees has experienced one full year as representatives elected to enhance the educational needs of our students. While we have grown in that period, there remains much work to do and I look forward with great optimism to the year ahead,” said Chair Price. “As work begins to implement the new strategic plan of the Board of Trustees and also review and put into action the recommendations of the Premier’s Task Force on Improving Educational Outcomes, I am confident our trustees and staff will play integral roles in enhancing the public education system of Newfoundland and Labrador and ensuring student success and achievement. We must also continue to ensure student attendance and engagement remain a priority for every member of the school community and work together to support our students in this objective.”

The Board of Trustees for the Newfoundland and Labrador English School District is composed of 17 elected trustees, responsible for the governance of 66,300 students and 10,000 employees.

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