



Nomination Procedures for Candidates Interested in Serving on the Tolleson Union High School District Governing Board

Local school boards are a uniquely American institution and at the heart of this country's public education system. A board's existence is based on the belief that lay control of public education makes schools flexible and responsive to the needs of the local community.

The Tolleson Union High School District (TUHSD) currently has a vacancy on the Governing Board and is seeking candidates to fill the position. We encourage residents of the community who are interested in becoming a nominee for the TUHSD Governing Board to provide the following information:

1. A Cover Letter that includes:
 - a. Your name
 - b. Your current physical address
 - c. Your phone number
 - d. Your email address
 - e. Why you believe you are the best candidate for this position, and what you have to offer as a Governing Board member.
2. Your Resume/Bio

Please submit your cover letter and resume on or before Friday, August 21, 2020 to:
Judith Jameson, Executive Assistant to the Superintendent and Governing Board
Judith.jameson@tuhsd.org

Board Member Qualifications

A person who is a registered voter of this state and has been a resident of the District for one (1) year immediately preceding the day of election is eligible for election to the office of Governing Board member.

No employee of the District, including a person who directly provides certificated or support services to the District as an employee of a third-party contractor, or the spouse of such employee may hold membership on the Governing Board of this District.

A Governing Board member is ineligible to serve simultaneously as a member of any other school district governing board, except that a Governing Board member may be a candidate for nomination or election for any other governing board if serving in the last year of a term of office.

Five-Member Board Same Household Limitation

By legislative restriction applicable to five (5) member Boards, persons related as immediate family and having the same household within four (4) years:

- A. Shall not serve simultaneously on the Governing Board.
- B. Are ineligible to be a candidate for nomination or election to the Governing Board, except when a member is serving in the last year of a term of office.
- C. Are ineligible to be simultaneous candidates for nomination or election to the Governing Board.