

Title of Report	Appointment of Local Authority Governors		
Key Decision No	Non Key Decision		
For Consideration By	Cabinet		
Meeting Date	12 September 2022		
Cabinet Member	N/A		
Classification	Open		
Ward(s) Affected	Hackney North and Stoke Newington		
Key Decision & Reason	No	The appointment of Local Authority Governors do not impact two or more wards, and do not incur expenditure over £1 million.	
Implementation Date if Not Called In	N/A		
Group Director	Jacquie Burke, Group Director of Children and Education		

1. **Recommendations**

1.1. Cabinet is recommended:

To approve the following nominations as set out below:

Governing Body	Name	Date Effective
Benthal Primary School	David Jones	01/09/2022

2. **Background**

2.1 The School Governance Constitution (England) Regulations 2012 (the Constitution Regulations) require that for each maintained school the Governing Board has one Local Authority Governor (LA Governor). LA Governors are nominated by the Local Authority and appointed by the Governing Board. The Governing Board must provide

the Local Authority with eligibility criteria for a vacant LA Governor position. These must include the credentials and skills candidates should possess. The school may wish to put forward an individual to be considered by the Local Authority for nomination. The Governing Board decides first if the proposed candidate meets the specified criteria and is eligible to be an LA Governor. The Local Authority then nominates the candidate. The Governing Board then appoints the nominee at a meeting of its full Governing Board. Once appointed, LA Governors must govern in the interests of the school.

- 3. Comments of the Group Director of Finance and Corporate Resources.
- 3.1 There are no budgetary implications to these nominations.
- 4. Comments of the Director of Legal, Democratic and Electoral Services
- 4.1. Legal comments have been incorporated into the body of the report.

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