

**September 30, 2015**

**Agenda Item Summary**

**To: Dr. Anthony Brads, Superintendent  
Members of the School Board**

**From: Margery Southard, Gifted Education Coordinator**

**RE: Gifted Education Advisory Committee Appointments**

**Background Information:** Virginia Regulations Governing Educational Services for Gifted Students (8VAC20-40-60 B) require that each school division shall establish a local advisory composed of parents, school personnel and other community members appointed by the school board.

I respectfully request approval from the school board of the following candidates:

Gifted Coordinator – Margery Southard  
Gifted Specialist – Diane Frazier (PS)  
Immediate Past Chairperson – Thomas Ketcham, parent (EHES, CMS)  
Elementary Administrator – Andrea Kilby (PS)  
Secondary Administrator – Nathan Bopp (CMS)  
Elementary Guidance – Paula Taschler (YES)  
Secondary Guidance – Jillian Smith (EVHS)  
Elementary Classroom teacher – Dawn Leighty (YES)  
Secondary Classroom teacher – Claire Amico (FTB)  
Parent – Mary Joyce McDiarmid (SP)  
Parent – Alexander Csontos (EHES/CMS/CCHS)  
Parent (and staff) – Holly Lamm (CCHS)  
Parent – Margaret Simpson (FTB/PS)  
School Board Member – Anne Luckinbill (Parent - FTB/EVHS)

At the October 15, 2015 meeting, officers will be elected from the membership list.