



## WLA Board of Directors Election 2024

**YOU are called to serve as a LEADER for our school! Nominate yourself as a candidate for our Board of Directors and help lead Woodbury Leadership Academy over the next exciting years.**

### **Open Seats up for Election:**

**Community Member Seat** (term June 2024 – 2027)

**Teacher Seat** (term June 2024 – June 2027)

**Parent Seat** (term June 2024 - June 2027)

The Board of Directors governs the school by setting the expectations and parameters that lead to higher levels of student achievement. Among other things, the Board is responsible for compliance reporting, strategic goal-setting, evaluating the school's Executive Director, and overseeing the finances of the school.

Service on the Board of Directors is an opportunity to provide leadership to an outstanding educational organization. While Board service requires a generous commitment of time, talent, and skills on behalf of WLA, this is balanced by the reward of serving with other dedicated individuals to ensure WLA's continued success as a public charter school.

### **Interested candidates should possess...**

- ❖ A passion for the WLA's mission and vision
- ❖ A desire to strengthen our school community
- ❖ An ability to contribute in a positive, collaborative manner
- ❖ Previous experience with strategic planning and implementation, finance, marketing, communications, legal, and/or education is beneficial but not required

More information about board member roles, duties, and expectations can be found at  
<http://www.wlamn.org/about-wla/board>

### **Complete the attached Self-Nomination Form to submit your candidacy!**

#### **Key Election Dates:**

April 25<sup>th</sup>, 2024 – Call for Board Candidate Nominations

May 17<sup>th</sup>, 2024 – Close of Self-Nomination Submission at 5:00pm

May 28<sup>th</sup> through May 31<sup>st</sup> – Voting Period (online)

May 31<sup>st</sup>, 2024 – Close of Voting at 5:00pm

June 27<sup>th</sup>, 2024 – Election Results Announced and New Members Seated



## Board of Directors Self- Nomination Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Affiliation to WLA (Parent, Teacher, or Community Member): \_\_\_\_\_

### Instructions:

1. Prepare a candidate statement that is a **maximum of one page** and includes answers to the following questions:

- a. What makes our mission and vision meaningful to you?
- b. Tell us about a time you stepped up into a leadership role.
- c. What do you think are the characteristics of a great board member?
- d. What educational innovations would you bring to WLA?

2. **Submit via email or hard copy**

- a. Email this completed form with your candidate statement to the Elections Committee at [elections@wlamn.org](mailto:elections@wlamn.org), or:
- b. Place this completed form with your candidate statement in a sealed envelope addressed to WLA Board of Directors Elections Committee and deliver it to the WLA Office
- c. The Elections Committee will confirm the receipt of your self-nomination form and contact you with any further steps.

**Thank you for your interest in serving Woodbury Leadership Academy!**