



THE STATE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT / THE UNIVERSITY OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK / ALBANY,
NY 12234

TO: The Honorable The Members of the Board of Regents
FROM: Jeffrey Cannell
SUBJECT: Appointments to the Regents Advisory Council on Libraries
DATE: August 16, 2011
AUTHORIZATION(S):

SUMMARY

Issue for Decision (Consent Agenda)

The appointment of three new members to the Regents Advisory Council on Libraries.

Background Information

The members of the Regents Advisory Council on Libraries are appointed by the Regents for five-year terms. The Regents Advisory Council on Libraries advises the Board on issues concerning library policy, works with the officers of the State Education Department in developing a comprehensive statewide library and information policy, and makes recommendations to the Regents for implementing library programs and initiatives.

Recommendation

I recommend that the Regents take the following action: That John Hammond be reappointed and Steven M. Manning be appointed to the Regents Advisory Council on Libraries for five-year terms beginning October 1, 2011 and ending September 30, 2016. It is also recommended that Sharon E. Orienter be appointed to fill a partial term for a three-year period beginning October 1, 2011 and ending September 30, 2014.

Recommended Appointee: John Hammond

1. Term of Office: October 1, 2011 to September 30, 2016
2. a. Address: 6721 US Highway 11
Potsdam, NY 13676

b. Place of Employment or Business:
Northern New York Library Network
6721 US Highway 11
Potsdam, NY 13676
3. a. Education at College Level:
 - M.A., Management, Central Michigan University
 - M.S., Library Science, Southern Connecticut State University
 - B.A., History, University of Rochester
b. Experience Related to Appointment:
 - Executive Director, Northern New York Library Network
 - Associate Director, Kansas City Public Library, Missouri
 - Director, Dorchester County Public Library, Maryland
 - Director, Town of Ledyard Libraries, Ledyard, Connecticut
c. Professional Activities Related to Appointment:
 - Past President, New York Library Association
 - President, North Country Public Library System Board of Trustees
 - Founder and Treasurer, New Yorkers for Better Libraries Political Action Committee
 - Member, New York State Board of Regents Commission on Libraries
 - Member, New York State Public Employment Relations Board (PERB)

Recommended Appointee: Steven M. Manning

1. Term of Office: October 1, 2011 to September 30, 2016
2. a. Address: 60 Crestview Drive
Pine City, NY 14871

b. Place of Employment or Business:
Greater Southern Tier BOCES
Regional Information Center
459 Philo Road
Elmira, NY 14903
3. a. Education at College Level:
 - M.B.A., Logistics Management, Florida Institute of Technology
 - B.S., Business Administration, Arizona State University

b. Experience Related to Appointment:

- Director, Regional Information Center/Computer Services Center, Greater Southern Tier BOCES
- Contract Administrator, Program Office, Dresser-Rand Corporation, Painted Post, NY
- Program Management Office, Administrator, Harris Corporation, Government Systems Division, Melbourne, FL

c. Professional Activities Related to Appointment:

- Board Member, Southern Tier Network, Inc.
- New York State Council for Universal Broadband
- Chemung County Public/Private Steering Committee on Advanced Infrastructure and Telecommunications
- BOCES Statewide Regional Information Center – Co-Chair of Directors Technical Committee

Recommended Appointee: Sharon E. Orienter

1. Term of Office: October 1, 2011 to September 30, 2014

2. a. Address: 116 Browncroft Blvd.
Rochester, NY 14609-7832

b. Place of Employment or Business:
Doyle Marketing Communications
116 Browncroft Blvd.
Rochester, NY 14609-7832

3. a. Education at College Level:

- M.S., Rochester Institute of Technology
- B.F.A., Rochester Institute of Technology
- A.A.S., Rochester Institute of Technology

b. Experience Related to Appointment:

- Senior Graphic Designer, Communications Bureau, City of Rochester
- Library Promotions Department Head, Rochester Public Library
- Art Teacher, Rochester City School District

c. Professional Activities Related to Appointment:

- President, Board of Trustees, Rochester Public Library
- Member, Board of Trustees, Rochester Regional Library Council
- Member, Board of Directors, National Heisey Glass Museum
- Mayor's Literacy Initiative