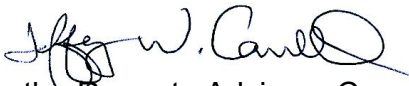


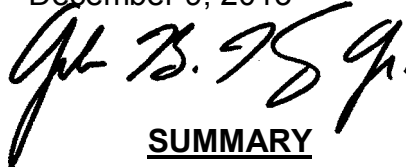


THE STATE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT / THE UNIVERSITY OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK / ALBANY,
NY 12234

TO: Cultural Education Committee
FROM: Jeffrey Cannell 
SUBJECT: Appointments to the Regents Advisory Council on
Libraries

DATE: December 9, 2013

AUTHORIZATION(S):


SUMMARY

Issue for Decision

The appointment of two new members to the Regents Advisory Council on Libraries is needed to provide continuity of library policy development and implementation.

Reason(s) for Consideration

8 NYCRR 3.12(a)(3) establishes an Advisory Council on Libraries and provides for the appointment of members.

Proposed Handling

This item will come before the Cultural Education Committee meeting at the December meeting for decision. It will then come before the full Board for final action in December 2013.

Procedural History

The members of the Regents Advisory Council on Libraries are appointed by the Regents for five-year terms.

Background Information

The Regents Advisory Council on Libraries, the oldest continuing Regents advisory council, 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 Claudia Depkin and Colleen Sadowski be appointed to the Regents Advisory Council on Libraries for five-year terms beginning January 1, 2014 and ending September 30, 2018.

Timetable for Implementation

January 1, 2014 -- September 30, 2018.

Attachment

Recommended Appointee: Claudia Depkin

1. Term of Office: January 1, 2014 to September 30, 2018
2. a. Address: 4 Kelly Lane
Cornwall-on-Hudson, NY 12520

b. Place of Employment or Business:
Haverstraw King's Daughters Public Library
10 W. Ramapo Road
Garnerville, NY 10923
3. a. Education at College Level:
 - Advanced Certificate in Public Administration, Long Island University
 - M.L.S., Archives and Records Management, SUNY Albany
 - B.A., English and General Literature/History, Binghamton University
b. Experience Related to Appointment:
 - Director, Haverstraw King's Daughters Public Library
 - Director, Tuxedo Park Library
 - Director, Woodbury Public Library
 - Project Manager, Performing Arts Processing Project, The New York Public Library
 - Research Assistant, Preservation Office, SUNY Albany University Libraries
c. Professional Activities Related to Appointment:
 - Chair, Directors Association of the Ramapo Catskill Library System
 - President, New York Library Association Leadership and Management Section
 - Member, New York Library Association Council
 - Past Vice-Chair, Directors Association of the Ramapo Catskill Library System

Recommended Appointee: Colleen D. Sadowski

1. Term of Office: January 1, 2014 to September 30, 2018
2. a. Address: 63 Foster Road
Rochester, NY 14616

c. Place of Employment or Business:
Rochester City School District
131 W. Broad Street
Rochester, NY 14614
3. a. Education at College Level:
 - Doctoral Student, Educational Admin., University of Rochester
 - Educational Leadership Program, School District Leader Certification, University of Rochester
 - M.L.S., School Media Specialist Program, Syracuse University
 - B.S., Organizational Mgmt., Roberts Wesleyan College
 - A.A.S., Criminal Justice, Monroe Community College
d. Experience Related to Appointment:
 - Instructional Director of School Library System and Media Services, Rochester City School District
 - Library Media Specialist, Rochester City School District
 - Teacher, Honeoye Falls-Lima Central School District
e. Professional Activities Related to Appointment:
 - American Library Association
 - American Association of School Librarians
 - Association of Supervision and Curriculum Development
 - International Reading Association
 - Rochester Area School Librarians