

The Executive Committee invites applications for the position of

Executive Director / CEO

Public School Boards' Association of Alberta

The Public School Boards' Association is the leading advocate for public school education in Alberta. Consequently, it provides training, orientation, and advice to its member boards in governance, advocacy, mentorship, and leadership, which enable boards and trustees to be effective stewards of an inclusive, diverse and innovative ECS-12 public education system.

The successful candidate, a proven leader in public education, will work with the Executive Committee, advocating for public education in Alberta. The Executive Director will inspire the members of our advocacy and service organization, modelling the highest standard of professional skills, demonstrating the ability to build and use a political network at the executive level. Integral components of Association operations for which the Executive Director is ultimately responsible include liaison with government at the ministerial/senior executive level, building leadership capacity for member trustees to prepare them for successful roles in governance, media relations and public speaking, youth mentorship and student leadership.

We are seeking an experienced leader in the above-mentioned areas of authority, one who thrives in a collaborative corporate environment and delegates accountability yet takes responsibility and makes difficult decisions. This position will be of interest to leaders in executive-level public sector administration and to senior-level school system administrators, including but not limited to superintendents, associate superintendents and directors. Personal and professional aptitude and experience will be considered in the same context as academic and professional credentials.

For further information and to apply please contact: David Johnson, Executive Search Consultant on behalf of the Executive Committee 10123 – 136th St. NW Edmonton, AB, T5N 2E3, or <u>dave@davejohnsonconsulting.com</u>

This search will continue until an excellent candidate is found and has accepted this position, however applications received on or before Friday, January 24 at 4:30 p.m. will receive primary consideration. Short-listed candidates are required to meet the Executive Committee for interview in Edmonton, AB. By applying for this position candidates are agreeing to provide professional references who may be called in the short-listing process. Only candidates who are short-listed can expect to be contacted by the Executive Committee or its representative. The successful candidate must provide a current Criminal Record Information Disclosure and a current Child Welfare Record Check prior to appointment. Position to commence at a mutually agreeable date, but in any event, no later than April 1, 2020.