School Board Nominating Commission Of Anne Arundel County

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<u>SCHOOL BOARD NOMINATING COMMISSION</u> OF ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY TO MEET ON NOVEMBER 17, 2015

School Board Nominating Commission of Anne Arundel County Chairman Jamie Falcon announced today that the Commission will meet on Tuesday, November 17, 2015. The meeting will be held at 7 p.m. in the Board Room of the Carol Sheffey Parham Building, located at 2644 Riva Road in Annapolis.

The meeting will be the first for Falcon, who represents District 33, and three other new commissioners – Kam Gast (District 21), Kemp Hammond (District 30), and Susannah Kipke (District 31) – since their appointments to the 11-member Commission by Governor Larry Hogan last month.

At the meeting, the Commission will address the recent request from Governor Hogan to solicit more candidates for the District 30 and District 31 seats on the Board. Terms for both seats, currently occupied by Solon Webb of Annapolis and Deborah Ritchie of Pasadena, respectively, ended on June 30. Both continue to serve on the Board until a replacement is named.

Webb and Ray Leone of Edgewater had their names forwarded to the Governor for consideration by the most recently constituted Commission. Ritchie and Lisa Shore of Pasadena had their names forwarded to the Governor for the District 31 seat. All are still under consideration.

The Commission will also consider action on some administrative tasks, including electing a vice chair and secretary, establishing voting rules, and creating a process to publish minutes of meetings.

Open sessions of the Commission are broadcast live on AACPS-TV, which can be found on Channel 96 on Comcast and Broadstripe, and Channel 36 on Verizon. High definition broadcasts can be seen on Channel 996 on Comcast and Channel 496 on Broadstripe. The meeting can also be viewed live on the Internet <u>here</u>.

More information on the Commission can be found at <u>www.aacps.org/sbnc</u>.

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