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MEMORANDUM

January 27, 2021

To: Board of Education**From:** Shanthi Gonzales**Subj:** AUDIT COMMITTEE
Appointment - Jason Joseph
Reappointment - Alton Jelks, Elizabeth Ross

Legislative File Id No.: 21-0223

Introduction Date 1/27/2021

Enactment No: 21-0144

Enactment Date: 1/27/2021

By: er

ACTION REQUESTED

Ratification by the Board of Education of President of Board's appointment of Jason Joseph (1st term); reappointment of Elizabeth Ross (2nd Term) and Alton Jelks (3rd Term), each, to the Audit Committee, effective February 1, 2021 for term ending January 31, 2023.

BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION

The duties of the Audit Committee, as defined by Board Bylaws 9131, is to recommend to the Board of Education selection of independent auditors, review and advise Board on all audit findings regarding District Budget, Parcel Taxes and General Obligation Bonds, adequacy of financial controls, concerns and perform other duties enumerated in said Bylaw.

The Audit Committee is composed of five members, with staggered terms, appointed pursuant to membership criteria established by Board Bylaw 9131, with an individual's terms of appointment limited to a maximum of three two-year consecutive terms or the fulfillment of unexpired terms thereof.

The appointment of Jason Joseph and the reappointment of Alton Jelks and Elizabeth Ross will maintain the full membership of the Audit Committee at five (5) members.

Board of Education

AUDIT COMMITTEE

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RECOMMENDATION

I, pursuant to Board Bylaw 9131, hereby nominate Jason Joseph, as a member, and re-nominate Alton Jelks and Elizabeth Ross, the latter having effectively served, as a member of the Audit Committee, each for a term commencing February 1, 2021 and ending January 31, 2023.

SG:ER:lf

Attachment: Application – Jason Joseph (Redacted In Part)

Profile

Jason

First Name

Joseph

Last Name

jason_joseph@csumb.edu

Email Address

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

None Selected

Street Address

Suite or Apt

Oakland

City

CA

State

94605

Postal Code

Which Board of Education election district (1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, or 7) do you live in? *

☒ District 6

Home:

Primary Phone

Home:

Alternate Phone

Oakland Unified School District

Employer

Teacher

Job Title

Education

Occupation

Employer's Street Address

1000 Broadway #300

Employer's City

Oakland

Employer's State

California

Employer's Zip

94607

Work Phone

(510) 879-8200

Work Email

Enroll@ousd.org

Demographics

Choosing not to answer any of the questions in this section will not disqualify you from consideration or serving.

Ethnicity

☒ African American

Gender

☒ Male

Socio-Economic Group

[REDACTED]

Interests and Experiences

Verification

Please indicate your agreement with the following statement

I have reviewed and understand the duties of the Commission or Committee for which I am submitting this application. I agree to perform said duties. I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

☒ I Agree

Your application must be **completed and submitted on-line via this web form**. For assistance, if needed, or response to questions, please contact Edgar Rakestraw, Jr., Executive Assistant, Board of Education, Oakland Unified School District, 1000 Broadway, Suite 300, Oakland, CA 94607-4033 or 510/879-8658 or via email at Edgar.Rakestraw@ousd.org. Your application must be **submitted** by the applicable deadline, if any.

Note: This application and your responses are a Public record and subject to disclosure.

Interests & Experiences

Please explain briefly your interest in serving on this Committee, Commission or Board:

As parent, resident, and educator in our great community, I am interested in the maintenance and wellbeing of this community. If appointed and thereafter confirmed I would like to review district policies with independent auditors to ensure proper oversight, while working to make recommendations to the Board based on the guidance outline for the Audit Committee's focus.

Please indicate your other community involvement (work with public agencies, volunteering, other Committees, Commissions, Boards, groups, etc.):

When the District moved to distance learning I volunteered to process food goods for our students' families. Presently I am a part of the PPE Coalition which provides free face masks and gloves to at-risk community members. I am also an active board member of the Committee for the Solidarity of South Africa (COSAS), which sends otherwise discarded educational materials to The Western Cape, Pretoria, and Durban, South Africa.



Upload a Resume

Question applies to multiple boards

Educational Background – e.g. college and/or university, degree/major, vocational and/or training, certificates, technical training, etc.

I attained my Degree in Global Studies at the Monterey Bay State University.

PHONE [REDACTED] • E-MAIL JASON_JOSEPH@CSUMB.EDU

JASON D. JOSEPH

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2010 – Present Oakland Unified School District Oakland, CA
K – 12 Teacher

- Implement facility methodologies as indicated.
- Improvise or develop daily lesson plans when applicable.
- Student behavioral management via best instructional practices.

2008 – 2010 Learning For Life Oakland, CA
Global Social Studies Teacher /P.E. - Self Defense Instructor

- Enhanced daily lesson plans and yearly curriculum for grades K -5.
- Designed global social studies coursework and exams for grades K - 5.
- Educated students physical health and mental discipline.

2006 – 2008 Making Waves Educational Program Richmond, CA Bus
Monitor/Lead Tutor

- Ensured M.W.E.P Student Enrichment Services procedures and regulations.
- Assisted 5th and 6th grade students in all subject areas.
- Actively role modeled for student success.

2005 – 2008 Oreck Corporation San Francisco, CA
Lead Oreck Sales Representative

- Managed employee hours and provided solutions for employee concerns.
- Analyzed record of sales for corporate logistics.
- Educated customers about Oreck products and their benefits.

2004 – 2006
BayCal Financial Corporation Burlingame, CA
Mortgage Assistant

- Assessed market strategies with regional director.
- Tracked mortgage points for potential borrowers.

2002 - 2003
CSU Monterey Bay Panetta Institute Seaside, CA
America Reads Mentor

- Taught K - 3rd grade reading comprehension skills.
- Charted student progress.

EDUCATION

BA in Global Studies attained at CSU Monterey Bay August, 2004
Certified in Basic Cruise Awareness, CSU Maritime Academy July, 2004
Graduate of Berkeley High School June, 1999

Graduate of University of California at Berkeley Upward Bound July, 1999
Graduate of Berkeley High Computer Academy June, 1999
Graduate of UC Berkeley Chemistry Academy May, 1998
Attended Southern University Laboratory School at Baton Rouge, 1994-96
Attended HAWK Leadership Training Program, 1993

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES/ ORGANIZATIONS/ VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

2007-2010. Ella Baker Center, Oakland, CA.
2002-2004 CSU Monterey Bay Forum for International Issues, Seaside, CA.
2002-2003 The Panetta Institute America Reads Program, Seaside, CA.
2000-2004 CSU Monterey Bay Black Students United, Seaside, CA.
2000-2000 Monterey County AIDS Project, Salinas, CA.
1999-2001 CSU Monterey Bay Resident Hall Association, Seaside CA.
1999-2001 CSU Monterey Bay Multicultural Club, Seaside CA.
1999-2001 President of CSU Monterey Bay Wrestling Club, Seaside CA.
1996-1999 Berkeley High School Black Student Union, Berkeley CA.
1997-1999 The Berkeley High School Wrestling Team, Berkeley CA.
1994-1999 Upward Bound Program-Southern University at Baton Rouge (1994-1996), UC Berkeley (1996-1999)

AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS RECEIVED

President of the Monterey Bay Forum for International Issues, Seaside, 2003 & 2004
Vice-President of the Monterey Bay Forum for International Issues, 2002
Most Supportive Resident Advisor Award, Seaside CA, 2001
President of CSU Monterey Bay Wrestling Club, Seaside CA, 2000
City of Berkeley Mayors Award, Berkeley CA. 1999

References:

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Oakland Unified School Dist.	Making Waves Educational	Program Professor Ret. UC Berkeley
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