

School Board Race Process

- GR will work with UAs to provide election information indicating all open school board races by corporation.
- Other than school board races identified as targeted by GR, the UD and/or UO will consult with the local associations in the unit regarding their interest in participating by supporting particular candidates. If accomplished by the UD, the UD will notify the UO of these additional potential school board races.
- The UO will provide candidate packets for each candidate to the local association to facilitate candidate interviews.
- UA reaches out to candidates via email with a read and delivery receipt to see if they wish to be interviewed using sample document provided by GR. Only in cases where no email address has been provided by the candidate, the UA will send the invitation via certified mail.
- UA sends the questionnaire using sample document provided by GR with a deadline to those candidates that responded they wish to be interviewed.
- UA works with UO and local association members and with candidates to schedule interviews for those candidates that submit the questionnaire by the deadline.
- UA works with UO to secure a venue and send out invitations for the interviews.
- Copies of the completed candidates' questionnaires and packets are copied for those attending the meeting and collected at the end of the meeting by the UO.
- UO attends the interviews and provide guidance to the local association regarding agenda items required to conduct a thorough and consistent candidate review. UDs are welcome to attend as well.
- Local association votes at the conclusion of the interview and UO will send the recommendation to the L-PAC.
- L-PAC votes for concurrence.
- UO will then report the outcome to GR.
- UA reports outcome to candidates using prefabricated email provided by GR.