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Tuesday, April 22, 2020

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OSERS BOARD OF TRUSTEES
SEEKS
BUSINESS REPRESENTATIVE TRUSTEE
[Term of Office: July 1, 2020 – June 30, 2024]

The Omaha School Employees' Retirement System (OSERS) Board of Trustees has posted an opening for a new business representative to serve on the retirement Board of Trustees. The Board of Trustees for the OSERS pension plan will select a candidate to recommend to the Omaha Public Schools Board of Education. The recommended candidate is subject to approval by the Omaha Public Schools Board of Education.

The Board of Trustees is made up of seven members: two active members elected by the certificated staff within OSERS membership, one active member elected by the classified staff within OSERS membership, one retired member elected by the retired members of OSERS, two business representatives recommended by the Board of Trustees and approved by the Board of Education, and the Superintendent (ex-officio). The governance structure is in accordance with Nebraska Revised Statutes section 79-980. For a complete copy of NE Rev Stat sec. 79-980 [ click here ] This is a non-paid board position. Interested candidates should complete the online application, and submit it, your essay and two letters of recommendation by Tuesday, April 22, 2020.

Trustees serve as fiduciaries and are sanctioned to administer the plan in accordance with Nebraska Revised Statutes sections 79-978 through 79-9, 118.

This is a great opportunity for a business member of the community to give back and help support public education and the men and women who are or have worked for the Omaha Public School District.

A pension is a promise to the full-time employees of the District to provide a livable retirement income after a career of public service in education. The OSERS Board of Trustees works to find solutions to make sure the promise is kept, and the trust is not broken – to make certain members of the pension plan can commit their time and talents to the responsibilities of educating the 53,000+ students in the Omaha Public School District and not worry about their retirement.

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