

**UTAH STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION
NOTICE OF VACANCY/CALL FOR NOMINATIONS**

Name of organization: Utah Schools for the Deaf and the Blind Advisory Council

Date nominations are due: Thursday, June 25, 2020

Brief background of what the organization does and the reference in statute or rule establishing the organization: The USDB Advisory Council advises and makes recommendations to the Utah State Board of Education, USDB Superintendent and USDB Associate Superintendents regarding staffing, policies, enrichment funding recommendation and budget and operations of USDB.

Who the group advises: USDB administration/students, Utah State Board of Education

Number of vacancies: 4

Specific representation needed for each vacancy and terms of appointment:

- (1) Individual with interest or knowledge of blind, deaf and deafblind – 2 yr term
- (2) Individual who is Deaf or Hard-of-hearing – 2 yr term
- (3) Individual who is Deafblind or parent of a Deafblind child – 2 yr term
- (4) Deafblind teacher – Non-voting position – 2 year term

Meetings (specific dates or how often the group meets, where, and for how long):

The USDB Advisory Council meets monthly on the fourth Thursday of each month (excluding July and December). The November meeting is held on the third Thursday due to the Thanksgiving holiday.

Contact for questions: Tamara Flint, tamaraf@usdb.org

Nomination and Bio Submission: If you are interested in serving on this organization, please submit the attached application and a brief bio or resume to Tamara Flint at tamaraf@usdb.org.



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COUNCIL MEMBER NOMINATION FORM

PLEASE FILL OUT FORM COMPLETELY

PLEASE RETURN COMPLETED APPLICATION & DOCUMENTATION BY JUNE 25, 2020

Individual completing the nomination:

1. ___ Self
2. ___ Other individual.
 - a. Name of Person Making this Nomination:
 - b. Home Phone:
 - c. Work Phone:

NOTE: Prior to submitting this nomination the above named individual must be contacted regarding serving on the Advisory Council. Do not make this nomination until this person has been contacted and agreed to have his/her name submitted for membership on the Advisory Council. For more information please contact Tamara Flint (801] 629-4712 or tamaraf@usdb.org).

NOMINATION FORMS MUST INCLUDE:

1. *Letter that explains your interest in and knowledge of the needs and education of those who are blind/visually impaired, deaf or hard of hearing, or deafblind. Please limit to two pages.*
2. *Biography or Resume (including background information relating to individual interest in and knowledge of the needs/education of those who are deaf or hard of hearing, blind or visually impaired, or deafblind). Please limit to one page.*
3. *Three letters of support.*



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The nominee is applying for a position on the Advisory Council representing the following category:

Individual who is Blind or Visually Impaired

Individual who is Deaf or Hard of Hearing

Individual who is Deafblind or Parent of Deafblind Child

Individual who has an interest in and knowledge of the needs and education of students who are deaf, blind or deafblind

Teacher of the Blind/Visually Impaired; Deaf or Hard of Hearing; or Deafblind

Nominee Name:

Home Address:

City:

Zip:

Home Phone:

Work Phone:

E-Mail Address:

Place of Employment:

Address:

City:

Zip:

Employment Title:



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Please list two references (include contact information) of individuals who are familiar with the nominee's interest in and knowledge of the needs and education of those who are deaf or hard of hearing, blind or visually impaired, or deafblind (may be the same individuals as those providing letters of support).

1. Name:

Home Phone:

Work Phone:

2. Name:

Home Phone:

Work Phone:

Mail or e-mail this completed form and the required attachments to:

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