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From: Ruth Melton <FSBA@embrams-mail.com>
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To: Pattullo, Melanie
Subject: *REMINDER* FSBA Legislative Committee Representative



[NOTE: As a follow-up to our original notice sent last month, this email is being sent as a reminder to school board chairs, district school superintendents, and selected district staff on behalf of FSBA Legislative Committee Chair Carol Cook and Vice Chair Clarence Thacker. If you have not done so already, please review the memo below, select a Legislative Committee Representative and Alternate, and submit your district's form by July 1, 2017.]

Ladies and Gentlemen:

In order to encourage equal representation of all school boards in our legislative efforts, Article XI, Section 1 of the FSBA Bylaws calls for each district school board to annually designate a member and an alternate to serve on the FSBA Legislative Committee. These Legislative Committee members serve as the key architects of the FSBA Legislative Platform and as essential advocates in our local, state, and federal lobbying efforts.

In accordance with the timeline set forth in the FSBA Bylaws, during any school board meeting between now and June 30, 2017, we ask that your board select a school board member and an alternate to serve on the FSBA Legislative Committee. Any member of your school board is eligible to serve as your representative, but please also be aware that your current representative is eligible to serve consecutive terms. Once your Legislative Committee representative and alternate have been selected, please complete and submit, by **July 1, 2017**, our Legislative Committee Representative Reporting Form. The Reporting form is available in Word, PDF, and online formats on the FSBA Legislative Committee page at <http://fsba.org/legislative-committee/>.

Also, please note that this special selection process applies **ONLY** to the Legislative Committee representative and alternate who will serve on the main FSBA Legislative Committee. **All** school board members are welcome to sign up to serve on either or both of the Legislative Committee Subcommittees – the Advocacy Subcommittee and the Federal Relations Network Subcommittee.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

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