

**Report to:** Children and Young People's Panel

**Date:** 13 September 2007

**Subject:** Appointment of Local Authority Representative Governors

**Report of:** Director of Children & Young People's Services

**Contact officer:** Jackie Fowler 01942 486090

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**Purpose / summary:** To inform panel of Local Authority Governor vacancies at schools in the Borough.

**Alternative options considered and reason for selecting the one recommended:** N/A

**Recommendation / decision:** That the Governor vacancies be notes and any recommendations for candidates be forwarded to the Governor Services Team.

**Key Decision:** This report does not involve a key decision. The decision made as a result of this report will be published within **48 hours** and cannot be actioned until **seven working days** have elapsed, i.e. before

**Risks / Implications:**

Financial:	None
Staffing:	None
Policy:	None
Equal Opportunities - Has a Diversity Impact Assessment been conducted?	Yes
Wards affected:	All

**Property – Does the proposal involve a reduction, addition or change to the Council’s asset base or its occupation?**

No

**Does this proposal have significant implications for the Council and the local population?**

A diversity impact assessment is not necessary at this stage, however, equality and diversity implications have been considered when producing this report.

**Does this proposal involve a new policy or procedure or significant changes to an existing policy or procedure?**

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Has the Director of Legal and Property Services confirmed that the recommendations within this report are lawful and comply with the Council’s Constitution? **Yes**

Has the Director of Finance and IT confirmed that any expenditure referred to within this report is consistent with the Council's budget? **Yes**

Are any of the recommendations within this report contrary to the Policy Framework of the Council? **No**

\* delete which applicable

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Categorisation of the report:	<b>X</b>		<b>X</b>
Discussion leading to a decision		Discussion	
Monitoring		Decision	
Sharing for corporate understanding		Information	<b>X</b>

**Tracking/Process:**

	Consultation	Ward Members	Partners
Panel	Overview & Scrutiny	Cabinet	Council
13.9.07			

**Background:**

List of Background Papers in accordance with Section 100D of the Local Government Act, 1972:

Document	Date	File Reference	Place of inspection
Instruments of Government -  Various schools	Various		Children & Young People’s Services Progress House Westwood Park Drive Wigan WN3 4HH

Proper Officer \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

## Governor vacancies

Following the appointments due to be made by Council on 5 September 2007 the schools listed below continue to require Local Authority Representative Governors.

If there is any interest in these vacancies please contact Governors Services who will advise the prospective governor of the appointment procedure.

<b>Establishments</b>	<b>Date of vacancy</b>	<b>Number of vacancies</b>
<b>Schools</b>		
Ashton- Landgate School	5/07	1
Ashton – RL Hughes Primary	7/07	1
Atherton – Meadowbank Primary & Nursery	7/07	1
Atherton – New Greenhall	9/06	1
Atherton – Parklee Community Primary	3/07	1
Hindley SureStart Nursery (Governing Body re-constituted to make provision for the inclusion of Members of the Partnership Board within the Governing Body, the number of LA Governors has been increased to 4)	5/07	1
Leigh CE Junior	7/07	1
Leigh – St Peter’s CE Juniors	8/07	1
Orrell Newfold Community Primary	7/07	1
Shevington Vale Primary	9/05	1
Tyldesley – Garrett Hall Primary	7/07	1
Tyldesley - Highlea	5/06	1
Wigan – Beech Hill Community Primary	7/07	1
Wigan – Highfield St Matthew’s CE Primary	2/07	1
<b>Temporary Management Committees</b>		
Pupil Referral Unit	5/07	1
<b>Temporary Governing Bodies</b>		
New EBSL School	7/07	1

# LEA Vacancies for the period November 2005 to July 2007

Wigan LA Vacancies currently stand at 5.41%

NW LA Vacancies currently stand at 10.1%

National LA Vacancies currently stand at 15% (figure issued annually)

Metropolitan LA Vacancies currently stand at 14% (figure issued annually)



