



St. Elias School Community Committee Opportunity

CAFN is seeking applications for the community-based, committee for the St. Elias Community School. The establishment of the Community Committee is intended to take back jurisdiction over how education is carried out in our community. CAFN is looking to appoint 4 members to the committee – at least 3 positions to be filled by CAFN Citizens – to sit as the inaugural committee members along with one of the Trustees of the First Nation School Board.

The term of service is for no more than three years, with the first term to be staggered to allow for continuity, orientation and accessibility for successive members and terms.

Community Committee members have responsibility for a wide variety of duties including but not limited to:

- Co-creation and approval of school plans
- Co-creation, approval of school policies for administration, management and operation of the school, including student attendance policies.
- Authorizing locally-developed courses, local First Nation language programming, and the use of textbook and other instructional materials, together with the school board and Minister of Education.
- Support the school board for school staff selection, management and Principal evaluation
- Guidance for the school board on localized policies for dispute resolution

Eligibility:

- Any person who is a resident of the school's catchment area (Haines Junction and area)
- Close relative to a student attending the school.

DEADLINE TO APPLY: Wednesday, September 6, 2023.

CAFN Boards and Committees applications are available at:

BOARDS-COMMITTEES-APPLICATION-FILLABLE-FINAL.pdf (cafn.ca)

or at CAFN offices in Whitehorse and Haines Junction.

Please submit your application form and resume to:

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