



The Edgemont Community Council, Inc.

Founded in 1947 to determine community opinion on civic matters and coordinate community action thereon and to plan and promote the general welfare of the community embraced within Union Free School District #6.

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Edgemont Residents are invited to volunteer for the School Board Nominating Committee

The Edgemont School District is the crown jewel of our community, but maintaining the quality and affordability of an Edgemont education in these challenging economic times requires volunteers to serve not just on the school board, but also on the School Board Nominating Committee (“SBNC”).

The Edgemont Community Council (“ECC”), the umbrella organization for Edgemont’s civic associations, sponsors the SBNC. We provide an impartial chairperson and we underwrite the costs. The SBNC interviews and recommends residents for the annual election of members of the Board of Education. The SBNC consists of two voting members as well as up to two alternate members from each of Edgemont’s eight civic associations and one member from the high school student body. Each voting member may serve for a term of two consecutive years. Alternates are called upon to serve in the event a voting member cannot complete a term. To qualify for membership on the SBNC, a person:

- Shall be a resident of the school district for at least three years
- Shall not be the spouse of a current school board member
- Shall not be the President or Vice President of a civic association
- Shall, if the spouse of a prior member, wait until a period of one year has passed from the date of service of such prior member
- Shall not have served a consecutive two year term within the last three years

The SBNC membership year begins on July 1 and ends on June 30. During that time all members are required to attend a minimum of three school board meetings before the start of the candidate interviews in order to be eligible to participate in the nominating process. A member must also attend all of the nominee interviews in order to be eligible to vote at the meeting when recommendations for candidates are made.

As the sponsor of the SBNC, the ECC encourages all residents, whether or not they have children in the schools, to consider volunteering for this committee or to submit names of residents they would like to nominate for membership. All submissions should be sent to one’s neighborhood civic association president or to the ECC by March 15th in order to be voted in at your civic associations annual meeting.

Member Associations

The Central Park Avenue Association
Greenridge Association

The Cotswold Association
Longview Civic Association

Edgemont Association
Northern Greenville Association

Fort Hill Association
Southern Greenville Association

Civic association presidents and their contact information are listed below:

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Edgemont	William Darger	EA@EdgemontAssociation.org
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Greenridge Assn	David Cautin	GreenridgeGroup@gmail.com
Longview Assn	Tom Agoglia	EdgemontLCA@gmail.com
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Currently the Central Park Avenue Civic Association and the Northern Greenville Civic Associations are currently inactive. The ECC would very much like these civic associations to become active again. However, in the meantime, the ECC Bylaws permit the Board of Directors to "accept nominations to fill any such [SBNC] vacancy directly from residents of the area represented by the affected civic association; and thereafter select an individual to fill each vacancy from the nominations received" to be voted on at the ECC Annual Meeting for a one-year term. I invite anyone from those areas who wishes to volunteer for SBNC to contact me or Bob Bernstein.

The strength of the nominating process depends on our community's willingness to invest the time and effort to serve on the SBNC. Please consider participating in this important and rewarding effort.

Sincerely,



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