**CALL FOR NOMINATIONS**

**MDS School Governing Board – One (1) Seat**

The Moencopi Day School Board calls for Regular Election to fill One (1) Board seat expiring date: December 31, 2022. The “Call for Candidacy” is issued to solicit names of individuals qualified to serve in this capacity. See criteria below:

**ELIGIBLE NOMINEES ARE:**

1. Must be a member of the Hopi Tribe

2. Must be 18 years of age or older on or before the date of the election

3. Must reside in the Villages of Upper or Lower Moencopi or reside in the Moencopi Day School twenty (20) mile attendance area.

4. Cannot be an employee of Moencopi Day School

5. Not a former Moencopi Day School Board member who has resigned from the MDS Board in the three (3) years prior to the date of the election.

6. Cannot be an officer of the Moencopi Day School Family/Teacher Organization

7. Cannot be an employee of the Hopi Tribal Department of Education

8. Cannot be a member of the Hopi Tribal Council

9. Cannot be a member of the Moencopi Village Council or Moencopi Lower Village Board

10. A person is not eligible to be a Board Member if his or her spouse works for the Moencopi Day School

11. No (2) two immediate family members, as defined in “School Board Policies” may serve on the Board concurrently

12. A Board Member must successfully pass a fingerprint and background check as required by P.L. 101-630 as soon as possible after the election and in any event, within the first 90 days of their term. If a Board Member is not able to successfully complete the background check, they will be automatically removed from the Board. If a Board Member is subsequently convicted of a crime barred by P.L. 101-630, he/she must immediately resign.

**Individuals eligible to nominate;**

1.If you are a parent or legal guardian of a student currently enrolled at MDS or

2. A member of the Village of Upper or Lower Moencopi; or a Moencopi Village member residing within the Moencopi Day School twenty (20) mile attendance area or

3. A Moencopi Day School employee

4. Must be 18 years of age or older

5. Not a former Moencopi Day School Board member who has resigned from the Moencopi Day School Board in

the (3) three years prior to date of election.

6. A person may nominate himself or herself, who meets the qualifications set forth in 15.12(C).

A Nomination form for the School Board Election is attached. In nominating an individual, you may notify the Nominee, however, follow up with ALL nominations received by deadline date will be conducted by the Moencopi Day School Election Commission.

**Nominations due date:** If submitting your completed form by mail send to: Moencopi Day School, P.O. Box 185, Tuba City, AZ 86045, or hand carry to Moencopi Day School office by or before Date: November 29, 2022, at 4:30 p.m. (MST)

**Election Day** is December 28, 2022; Precinct location will be open from 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. (MST). Voting place will be at Moencopi Day School.