

	London Borough of Hammersmith & Fulham CABINET MEMBER DECISION JULY 2014
APPOINTMENT OF LA GOVERNOR – BRACKENBURY PRIMARY SCHOOL	
Report of the CABINET MEMBER FOR EDUCATION – Councillor Sue Macmillan	
Open Report	
Classification - For Decision Key Decision: No	
Wards Affected: ALL	
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The Cabinet Member has signed this report.

DATE: 29 July 2014

1. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

- 1.1 This report records the Cabinet Member's decision to appoint LA Governors which falls within the scope of her executive portfolio.

2. RECOMMENDATIONS

- 2.1. That the following LA Governor appointment be made:

That Ms Danielle McMullan be appointed as LA Governor for Brackenbury Primary School for a four year term with effect from date of signature.

3. REASONS FOR DECISION

- 3.1 The Cabinet Member gives the following reasons for the following appointments:

Ms Danielle McMullan has lived in Hammersmith & Fulham for the last 9 years and has chosen to settle here with her family. She is strongly committed to the local community and has a particular interest in child welfare and educational issues. She has worked in the charity sector for the last 7 years. While working as a lawyer for a refugee charity she represented vulnerable children in their claims for asylum and she has also researched child rights as part of her current role researching business impacts on human rights internationally. Locally she has been an active campaigner and contributed to the save the hospitals campaign.

Based on her professional experience and close community ties she would make a positive contribution to the work of the Governing Body of Brackenbury Primary School.

4. INTRODUCTION AND BACKGROUND

4.1 The Council is entitled to appoint governors to school governing bodies. This power is delegated to the Cabinet Member.

5. PROPOSAL AND ISSUES

5.1 As above

6. OPTIONS AND ANALYSIS OF OPTIONS

6.1. Not applicable

7. LEGAL IMPLICATIONS

7.1 The Council Constitution gives the Cabinet Member for Education the power to appoint LEA governors. Item 3.6 ('Scope of portfolio') states the following: "Appointing or nominating and where appropriate removing the Authority's representatives on appropriate organisations (including school governing bodies) that fall within this portfolio".

7.2 Implications completed by: Tasnim Shawkat, Bi-Borough Director of Law tel 020 8753 2088.

8. FINANCIAL AND RESOURCES IMPLICATIONS

8.1. Not applicable.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 2000
LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS USED IN PREPARING THIS REPORT

No.	Description of Background Papers	Name/Ext of holder of file/copy	Department/ Location
1.	None		