

## By-Laws

**Mount Pleasant Cottage School Union Free School District****SUBJECT: BOARD OF EDUCATION MEMBERS: NOMINATION**

The Board of Directors of the Jewish Child Care Association appoints members to the Mount Pleasant Cottage School Union Free School District Board of Education for three (3) or four (4) year terms or to fill unexpired terms. The Mount Pleasant Cottage School Union Free School District Board will recommend to the Jewish Child Care Association, the names of persons to be considered for the position of Board member.

Whenever an opening on the Mount Pleasant Cottage School Board of Education is anticipated or occurs, it shall be announced at a Board meeting by the President of the Board. The announcement of an opening shall be accompanied by a timeline that indicates:

- a) A date, at least one (1) meeting after the announcement, for nominating possible candidates.
- b) A date, at least one (1) meeting after the nominating date, for Board discussion.
- c) Exceptions to the above timeline shall be permitted upon a majority vote of Board members present.

The Board will accept nominations from any member of the Board and from any other interested party. All non-member nominations are to be channeled through either Mount Pleasant Cottage School's Superintendent or the Board's President. For each opening, the Board will recommend one (1) candidate. The announcement of nominations and the review of candidates shall occur in executive session. Board action on nominees shall follow whatever procedure the Board determines appropriate. The Board's President shall transmit the Board's recommendation(s) to the Jewish Child Care Association Board President in a timely fashion.

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