



New Chair and Vice Chair elected for Board of Trustees

A new Chairperson and Vice Chairperson were voted in for 2007-08 at tonight's annual Organizational Meeting of the Board of Trustees.

The Board voted Cindy Olsen as Chairperson and Debbie Engel as Vice Chairperson.

Cindy was elected in the October 15th Municipal Election for her first term as Trustee for Ward Three. She has been involved in not-for-profit organizations for over 20 years and has specialized training in Governance from Alberta Community Development. Cindy has also volunteered as a Facilitator throughout the province. She is married with two adult children.

"I am honored and excited to be the Chairperson for 2007-08 and look forward to serving the District," said Chairperson Cindy Olsen.

This is Debbie Engel's third time as Vice Chairperson, and she has also served as Chairperson for three terms. Debbie was acclaimed as Trustee for Ward 1 in October's Municipal Election. This is Debbie's ninth year as Trustee for Ward 1 and she has been on many committees both internally and externally including the Alberta Catholic School Trustees' Association Board of Directors and a Director on the Alberta School Boards Association.

"I am so pleased to be serving as Vice Chairperson for 2007-08. There are two returning Trustees and five new Trustees and I look forward to all we can accomplish in the year ahead," said Vice Chairperson Debbie Engel.

The Edmonton Catholic School District educates over 32,000 students in 84 schools throughout the District.

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