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School Committee Seeks DeCordova Board of Trustees Candidates

The Lincoln School Committee is responsible for appointing a member of the DeCordova Board of Trustees, and is currently seeking applications from those interested in filling this three-year commitment. The term begins March 29, 2014.

DeCordova trustees are responsible for articulating the Museum's mission and determining governing policies that guide its operation toward support of that mission: "DeCordova fosters the creation, exhibition, and exploration of contemporary sculpture and art through our exhibitions, learning opportunities, collection, and unique park setting. We engage all visitors with exhibitions and programs that connect our audiences to contemporary art and culture."

As a School Committee appointee, the trustee serves both the DeCordova and Town directly, acting as a bridge between DeCordova and the Lincoln Public Schools. The appointed trustee works with the Superintendent of the Lincoln Public Schools and/or her designee(s) to facilitate curricular and other forms of interaction between students, teachers, parents and other school personnel and DeCordova. The Lincoln School Committee appointee also serves on the Learning and Engagement sub-Committee which, "...sets the direction and determines policies for all aspects of the DeCordova's educational programs." The Trustee is a full member of the Board and may serve on other sub-committees if so desired. Trustees are expected to attend [monthly?] board meetings and DeCordova fundraising events.

Applicants are invited to submit letters of interest to the School Committee at schoolcomm@lincnet.org. Submissions are due by January 31, 2014.