

Application to MEA Commissions/Committees/Task Forces

Each year the MEA president has the opportunity to fill vacancies and appoint members to Committees, Commissions and Task Forces (CTFs). If you are interested in serving or recommending someone for consideration, please complete this form and have it submitted through one of your region Board members to: **Office of the Vice President**, Michigan Education Association, PO Box 2573, East Lansing, MI 48826-2573.

Please print

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip code _____

Preferred phone with area code _____

Email _____

MEA Region _____

MEA Coordinating Council _____

Employing Institution/District _____

Educational Position _____

Local Association _____

Female

Male

EA Position

ESP Assignment

African American

American Indian/Alaska Native

Asian Pacific Islander

Caucasian

Hispanic

Other

Current Association Position(s)

Local President

Other Local Officer
office _____

Coordinating Council Officer
office _____

Region Officer
office _____

MABO Officer
office _____

MEA RA Delegate

NEA RA Delegate

Grievance Chair

Association
Representative

Bargaining Team

School Improvement
Committee

MEA-Retired

Association background and experience:

Local: _____

Coordinating Council: _____

Region: _____

National: _____

Areas of interest:

Please review the committees listed and fill out the application.

Please fill out the application to the best of your ability to be considered for a committee appointment, and feel free to attach any supporting documents as necessary.

You may apply to be on more than one committee in case we are unable to place you on a committee for any reason.

Many committees have guidelines within our governance documents that ensure we have adequate representation from all regions and different interest groups within our organization, which often does not allow a member to be placed on a certain committee at any given time.

We will strive to place members who are qualified, experienced, and motivated to be on all committees. This application does not guarantee placement on the committee in which you are applying; however, we will work to provide you an opportunity to be engaged and serve our organization.

For what committee are you applying? _____

I am applying to be a

- Chair of the Committee
- Vice Chair of the Committee
- Member of the Committee

What qualifications do you have that make you a qualified candidate for this position?

Describe your experience related to this committee and any related projects/work that you have been a part of.

What ideas do you have for this committee and how do you think you could be an asset to this committee?

If you are not chosen for this committee for any reason, what other committees would you be interested in and why? Please indicate any qualifications, experience and ideas that you may have to be considered for any additional committees.

Recommended by: _____

Region _____ Board Member Date: _____

- I have notified other region Board members and they concur.
- I have notified the nominee's local president and she/he concurs.
- I have notified the member nominated and she/he is willing and available to serve, if appointed.

List of MEA Committees and Commissions for Application

I. Standing Committees

- A. MEA Representative Assembly Committees
 - 1. Credentials Committee*
 - 2. Elections Committee*
 - 3. Resolutions Committee*
**Appointed by MEA President and confirmed by the MEA Representative Assembly. Applications are for vacancies only.*
- B. NEA Representative Assembly Committee
 - 1. Resolutions Committee*
 - 2. Strategy Committee *(NEA RA Ad hoc committee. Appointed by the President.)*
**Nominated and elected at the NEA RA. Must be a RA delegate.*
- C. Organizational Commissions & Committees of MEA
 - 1. Board of Reference Committee
 - 2. Long Range Planning Committee
 - 3. Executive Committee (Composed of elected MEA Board of Directors)
 - 4. Long Range Bargaining Committee
 - 5. Legislative Commission*
 - 6. Local Affiliates Commission*
**Two positions nominated and elected at the MEA Representative Assembly. Applications are for vacancies only.*
- D. Political Action Committees
 - 1. MEA-PAC Council
 - 2. MEA-PAC Governing Board
 - 3. MEA-PAC Statewide Screening & Recommendation Committee

II. Administrative Committees

- A. MEA Administrative
 - 1. Communications Subcommittee
 - a. Media
 - b. Digital
 - c. Political Action
 - 2. Budget and Finance Committee
 - 3. State Crisis Assistance Program Committee
 - 4. Governance Review Committee *(Composed of elected MEA Board of Directors)*
 - 5. Conference Planning Committee
 - 6. Distinguished Service Awards Committee
 - 7. Statewide Anti-Privatization (SWAP), ESP Committee *(Applications will be given to ESP Caucus President)*
- B. Program Committees
 - 1. Aspiring Educators
 - 2. Social Justice
 - 3. Professional Development
 - 4. Art Acquisitions Committee

III. Advisory Boards

- A. MEA Financial Services Board of Directors
- B. MESSA Board of Trustees and Officers
- C. Staff Retirement Plan Board of Directors
- D. Scholarship Fund Trustees