
Memorandum

To: AESA Superintendents/CEOs
From: Nancy Hutchinson, President
Date: August 3, 2026
Re: AESA Executive Council Nominations

Dear AESA CEOs,

Each year, the Association of Educational Service Agencies (AESAs) invites leaders from across the country to help shape the future of our association through service on the AESA Executive Council. As President of AESA, I encourage you to consider this unique opportunity to serve your colleagues, strengthen our profession, and help advance the important work of educational service agencies nationwide.

The AESA Executive Council serves as the governing body of our association, providing strategic leadership and direction for nearly 500 educational service agencies across the United States. Council members help guide AESA's advocacy efforts, strengthen member services, foster meaningful Coporate partnerships, support professional learning opportunities, and ensure our association continues to meet the evolving needs of ESAs.

Serving on the Executive Council is both a significant responsibility and an incredibly rewarding experience. It offers the opportunity to collaborate with outstanding leaders from across the country, build lasting professional relationships, and contribute to decisions that have a national impact. Many former and current council members describe their service as one of the most meaningful leadership experiences of their careers.

If you are passionate about supporting educational service agencies and helping shape the future of AESA, I encourage you to submit your nomination.

In accordance with **AESA Bylaws, Article III, Section 3(b)**, each region elects council members on a rotating basis to maintain staggered four-year terms. The **Eastern Region**—including Connecticut, Indiana, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, and Vermont—has a bye this election cycle and will not elect a council member from their region this year. However, our members from those states will still have an opportunity to vote in this important national election.

Interested members from the Southern, Central and Western region may submit their nomination materials, including the nomination form, biographical statement, pledge letter, and additional election information, which can be found on the [Executive Council - Association of Educational Service Agencies | AESA](#) webpage. Please submit your completed nomination materials, including a headshot, to **Ann Fiene, Chief of Staff**, at afiene@aesas.us by **September 14, 2026**.

Thank you for your continued commitment to AESA and for considering this opportunity to serve our association in a leadership role. I hope you will consider sharing your expertise and perspective as a member of the AESA Executive Council.

Sincerely,

Nancy Hutchinson

President, Association of Educational Service Agencies