

## **MATH AND SCIENCE ACADEMY**

*Adopted: February 20, 2024*

### **201.1 BOARD OF DIRECTORS ELECTION**

#### **I. PURPOSE**

The Math and Science Academy Board of Directors recognizes that it represents the interests of the entire community in the governance of student achievement and fiscal management. To effectively represent the community, the Board of Directors recognizes the importance of a sound election process. Therefore, the Board of Directors establishes this policy to ensure Math and Science Academy will conduct a Board of Directors election.

#### **II. GENERAL STATEMENT**

The Math and Science Academy Board of Directors shall be composed as outlined in the Math and Science Bylaws. Each board member shall serve for a staggered three (3) year term or until the member resigns or the member is otherwise unable to serve as provided by law or by Math and Science Academy Bylaws.

#### **III. PROCEDURES**

##### **Eligibility–**

All candidates must:

1. qualify for the seat at the time of the election in accordance with our Bylaws and be reasonably expected to qualify for the entirety of their elected term;
2. pass a background check prior to running for the election;
3. complete nomination paperwork and candidate statement.

##### **Campaigning**

In order to run a fair and equitable election, MSA discourages campaigning outside of the official candidate statement and nominating paperwork. Each candidate will have their candidate statements posted on the MSA Website.

##### **Elections**

Elections will be completed and newly elected members will be certified at the May Board of Directors meeting. New directors will be sworn in at the July Organizational Meeting.