Committee(s)	Dated:
Education Board	06/02/2022
Subject: Governor Appointments Update	Public
Which outcomes in the City Corporation's Corporate Plan does this proposal aim to impact directly?	2, 3, 8, 10
Does this proposal require extra revenue and/or capital spending?	N
If so, how much?	N/A
What is the source of Funding?	N/A
Has this Funding Source been agreed with the Chamberlain's Department?	N/A
<b>Report of:</b> Director of Community and Children's Services	For Information
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# Summary

This report updates Members on the recent appointments of governors across the City Family of Schools. An updated list of the governing body membership is attached in **Appendix 1**.

#### Recommendation(s)

Members are asked to note:

• The City of London Academies Trust (CoLAT) Board of Trustees (BoT) ratified new appointments to Local Governing Bodies (LGBs) at their meeting on 15 December 2022, as detailed in paragraph 2.

#### Main Report

#### Background

 As per the Sponsorship Agreement with the City of London Academies Trust (CoLAT), the Education Board approve the appointment of Chairs to Local Governing Bodies (LGBs) and are consulted on governor vacancies and notified of governor appointments.

# Appointment of governors to CoLAT LGBs

- 2. At the CoLAT Board of Trustees meeting on 15 December 2022, the following appointments were ratified:
  - Steven Mitchell at the City of London Academy Highgate Hill

- Nneka Onyesoh at the City of London Academy Highgate Hill
- Richard Kottler at City of London Academy Islington
- Grant Aidoo Nash at City of London Academy Shoreditch Park
- Preet Singh at City of London Academy Shoreditch Park
- Hilda Cheong at Southwark Local Governing Body
- Dhruv Patel at Newham Collegiate Sixth Form College
- Debra Robinson at the City Academy Hackney
- Katie-Marie Travis at the City Academy Hackney
- Olivia Willis at the City Academy Hackney

## Governing body membership across the Family of Schools

3. An updated list of governing body membership across the Family of Schools is included in **Appendix 1.** 

## Proposals

4. This report is for information only

## Options

5. This report is for information only

## Key Data

6. The current governing body membership of the City Family of Schools is attached in **Appendix 1**.

# **Corporate & Strategic Implications**

- 7. Across all governing bodies, succession planning should be conducted in such a way as to cultivate the balance of skills and experience needed on the governing body as well as to promote greater diversity of governors so that governing bodies reflect the school communities that they serve.
- 8. Supporting good and effective governance practices across the Family of Schools is aligned the following strategies and plans:
  - The City Corporation's Corporate Plan 2018-23
  - The Education 2019-23 Strategy

# Conclusion

9. This report updates Members on the current position of appointments to CoLAT LGBs. The updated list of governors across the Family of Schools is included in **Appendix 1.** 

# Appendices

• **Appendix 1** – Governing body membership of the Family of Schools.

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