Empowering Minds Academy Trust

Trust Governance Structure Academic Year 22/23

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Members = 3

Sheila Bean, Kate French, Kim Kellett

Members appoint the Board of Directors (Trustees)

7 vote + 1 ex officio + 1 associate

Kim Kellett (Chair and Link Trustee), Sarah Cairns CEO (ex-officio), Charlie Wright (parent and Vice Chair), Mark Skelton (parent), Emma Fox, Rachel Carney, Robert Mellor, Robert Pegg, Sarah Lindsay (associate)

The Board of Trustees is chosen by the members on the basis of their relevant skills and experience in education, facilities management, HR, legal matters and finance and business, as well as their understanding of our schools and communities.

The Board appoints the CEO.

The Headteachers have full responsibility of their own schools. The CEO works with all of the Headteachers and is the link between the schools and the MAT Board.

The Board has the following Committees:-

Finance and Audit Committee

K Kellett, C Wright, R Pegg, S Cairns, Associate S Lindsay

Teaching and Learning Committee

K Kellett, R Carney, R Mellor

Strategic Committee

K Kellett, E Fox, C Wright

Academy Committees

Each academy has its own Headteacher and Academy Committee. The Committee's remit is school improvement, safeguarding, health and safety/premises and community cohesion. Each Committee has a link Trustee assigned. *Details of the Committees are published on the individual academy website.*

Academy Committee Chairs

Bessacarr – A Edmonds Hawthorn – Diane Dunn

Highwoods – J Burkinshaw Southfield – S Morton

Tranmoor – M Stewart