

## 2021-23 - State Board Committee Assignments

<b>Committee / Organization</b>	<b>State Board Representative</b>
Agriculture in the Classroom	Ben Jones
Charter and Virtual Education Advisory Council	Michelle Dombrosky
Confidence in Kansas Public Education Task Force	Janet Waugh
Coordinating Council	Ann Mah, Jean Clifford
Education Commission of the States	Jim McNiece
Kansas Alliance for Arts in Education	Melanie Haas
Kansas Assoc, for Conservation & Environmental Educ.	Melanie Haas
Kansas Council for Economic Education	Betty Arnold
Kansas Fdn. for Excellence / Kansas Teacher of the Year	Deena Horst
Kansas Learning First Alliance	Michelle Dombrosky
Kansas Master Teacher Award Selection Committee	Ben Jones
KSD/KNEA Bargaining Team (School for the Deaf)	Michelle Dombrosky
Liaison to Kansas State School for the Blind	Melanie Haas
Liaison to Kansas School for the Deaf	Michelle Dombrosky
Professional Standards Board Liaison	Jean Clifford
School Mental Health Advisory Council	Jean Clifford
School Redesign Advisory Committee	Betty Arnold, Ann Mah

Special Education Advisory Council	Jim McNiece
Teacher Vacancy and Supply Committee	Betty Arnold, Jean Clifford

<b>Appointments by Either Commissioner or Governor</b>	
Governor's Education Council	Jim McNiece, Jim Porter
Interstate Migrant Education Council	Jean Clifford
Kansas Advisory Committee for Career and Technical Education	Ann Mah
Kansas Alliance for Educational Advocacy	Jim Porter
Kansas Volunteer Commission	Ben Jones

<b>Nationally Chosen Positions Held by Board Members</b>	
NASBE Government Affairs Committee	Jim McNiece
NASBE Public Education Positions (PEP) Committee	Deena Horst
NASBE Whole Child Study Group	Betty Arnold

<b>Misc. and Short-Term Assignments</b>	
Attorney General's Juvenile Justice Oversight Committee	Janet Waugh
Capital Improvement (Bond & Interest) State Aid Review	Jim Porter
Communications Committee for State Board	Jim McNiece, Melanie Haas
E-Cigarette / Vaping Task Force	Michelle Dombrosky

ESSA / ESEA Board Representative	Ann Mah
Kansas Fire Marshal Advisory Committee	Jim Porter
Kansas Prescription Drug & Opioid Advisory Committee	Deena Horst
Legislative Broadband Committee	Jim McNiece
Student Voice Committee for State Board	Ann Mah, Betty Arnold, Melanie Haas
Transition Work Group addressing underserved populations of adults	Jim Porter

<b>Elected Positions</b>	
Chairman	Jim Porter
Vice Chairman	Janet Waugh
Legislative Liaisons	Deena Horst, Ben Jones
Board Policy Committee	Jean Clifford, Deena Horst, Betty Arnold
KSHSAA (Kansas State High School Activities Association)	Deena Horst, Jim McNiece (terms expire June 30)

## **Summary**

Janet Waugh: Vice Chair, Confidence in KS Public Education Task Force, Juvenile Justice Oversight

Melanie Haas: KS Alliance for Arts in Education, KACEE, School for Blind, Communications, Student Voice

Michelle Dombrosky: Charter / Virtual Schools, Kansas Learning First Alliance, School for the Deaf liaison, KSD Bargaining, E-Cigarette / Vaping Task Force

Ann Mah: Coordinating Council, School Redesign, KACCTE, ESEA rep., Student Voice

Jean Clifford: Coordinating Council, Professional Standards Bd., School Mental Health, Teacher Vacancy, Migrant Education, Board Policy

Deena Horst: KTOY selection, Kansas Prescription Drug, NASBE Public Ed. Positions, KSHSAA, Board Policy, Legislative Liaison

Ben Jones: Agriculture in the Classroom, KS Volunteer Commission, Master Teacher Selection Committee, Legislative Liaison

Betty Arnold: Kansas Council for Economic Education, School Redesign, Teacher Vacancy, NASBE Whole Child Study, Board Policy, Student Voice

Jim Porter: Chairman, Gov's Education Council, Capital Improvement (Bond/Interest), KS Fire Marshall Advisory, Transition Work Group, Kansas Alliance for Educational Advocacy

Jim McNiece: Education Commission of the States, SEAC, Gov's Education Council, NASBE Gov't Affairs, Communications, Legislative Broadband, KSHSAA