125 - Land Trust Committee Policy



The Land Trust Committee's purpose is to oversee State Funds that are allocated through the Land Trust program. The committee is made up of the following positions based on state guidance:

The Land Trust Chair, a secretary that must be a parent, the George Washington Academy (GWA) Executive Director and any other parent or GWA employee that gets elected. The committee must have 2 more parent representatives than GWA employees. The committee will meet at least 3 times a year to ensure that the current school plan is being followed and to provide ideas and insight for the future school plan and how money will be allocated.

For new potential committee members:

- 1. Call for applications will take place the first week of October.
- 2. Applications and Bios will be due the last Friday of October.
- 3. Bios will be sent out to all GWA Families the first week of November.
- 4. Online elections will be held the third Thursday of November.
- 5. Results will be posted on the GWA website no later than the Thursday following the election.
- 6. Members may be reelected indefinitely. (Set by law)
- 7. The following are to be posted on the GWA website:
 - Yearly history of Trust Lands income starting from school inception (Set by law)
 - Names of parent committee members and school employees.
 - Minutes of meetings
 - Proposed meeting schedule for the year (Set by law)
 - Copy of current year's plan for use of funds
 - Report outlining how funds were spent for the previous year
 - Rules of order and procedure used to conduct meetings

At least one week prior to the Land Trust Committee Meetings the following need to be posted:

- Notice of time, place and date of meeting
- Meeting Agenda
- Draft Minutes of previous meeting