MASA EXECUTIVE BOARD CANDIDATE PERSONAL DATA SHEET

Thank you for your interest in filling a vacant position on the MASA Executive Board. Please provide the following information and return the form to the MASA office.

Name:	Ronald Drzewicki		

Current Position: <u>Superintendent</u> District: <u>Mason Public Schools, Mason, MI</u>

In 250 words or less, please describe your experiences, qualifications, and why you want to serve on the MASA Executive Board.

For the past five years I have had the privilege of serving as superintendent of Mason Public Schools. Previously, I served as superintendent of White Pigeon Community Schools for six years, as middle school principal at Coldwater Community Schools for fifteen years, and taught mathematics at Vandercook Lake Public Schools in Jackson, Michigan, for six years.

Over the past eleven years I have been actively engaged in MASA at the regional and state level. I currently serve as Region VI president and served as Region VII president in 2013-14. I am a current member of the MASA Council and previously served on Council in 2012-14.

I am committed to advocating for public schools and in the best interests of the students we serve. I believe that we can accomplish much if we work and stand together to advocate for policies that add value to our work and enhance the education profession.

Our collective and individual success depends on networking and mutual support. I am highly engaged in supporting the purpose of MASA by promoting and advocating for the advancement of the professional interests of superintendents and supporting the professional spirit and growth of each and every one of us.

As a veteran superintendent, I can bring experience and perspective to the leadership conversations at MASA. In addition, I pledge to inclusively represent the opinions and beliefs of my colleagues across the state.