Equity and Access Advisory Committee

2017-2018 Nomination Form

The deadline to participate in the Equity & Access Advisory Committee is Friday, September 15th, 2017. This volunteer committee advises the Pasadena Unified School District staff on issues of equity and access. To nominate yourself or another person to become a member of this committee, please answer the following questions and submit the completed form by Friday, September 15th, 2017.

Individuals selected for the committee will be notified by Wednesday, September 20th, 2017.

Key information for your consideration includes:

**Committee members**: The committee will be comprised of students, parents/guardians/family members, community leaders, community based organization representatives and PUSD staff who represent the diverse population of Pasadena Unified Schools.

**Committee team**: The initial committee term is October 2017 – September 2018.

**Committee meetings**: Minimum of one meeting per month, at a time yet to be specified. Members are asked to attend the majority of meetings. Sub-committee working teams may hold additional meetings when necessary.

**Committee reporting relationship**: This committee is staffed by the Coordinator of Equity and Access for the District and directly advises the Superintendent.

This Advisory Committee will:

- Represent diverse voices and perspectives across the education system and community on issues of equity.
- Address authentic concerns with the current systems and recognized disproportionality, and communicate progress
- Collaborate with District leaders to create the Pasadena Unified School Equity and Access Blueprint as well as making thoughtful and timely policy, procedures and school support recommendations for the 2018-2019 school years.

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Please answer the following questions below (recommended answer length is 150 words).

1. How do you define equity in education?

2. Please describe your work either within or outside the public schools to increase equity in education:

3. What interest you the most about becoming a member of the Equity and Access Advisory Committee to the Superintendent?

4. Please name a barrier to effective and equitable teaching and learning at PUSD you would like to change and why? Please name three things you would do to change it.

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Please provide the following information:

Name: ________________________________________________________________

Organization Affiliation(s): ____________________________________________

School: ______________________________________________________________

Address: ______________________________________________________________

Phone: __________________________   Email: ______________________________

Please submit contact information for two references:

Name: ________________________________________________________________

Phone Number: _________________________________________________________

Relationship to Applicant: ______________________________________________

Name: ________________________________________________________________

Phone Number: _________________________________________________________

Relationship to Applicant: ______________________________________________

Please return this form by Friday September 15th, 2017 to:

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