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APPLICATION FOR SERVICE
ON RUTHERFORD COUNTY BOARD OR COMMITTEE

NAME: Garey Eakes
ADDRESS: 819 Trinity Dr., Murfreesboro,
TN, 37129 PHONE: 615-890-6965
E-MAIL ge446ev@gmail.com DISTRICT # 15

BOARD APPLYING FOR: School Board

NEW APPLICANT: ? REAPPOINTMENT: ?

IF REAPPOINTMENT, YEARS SERVED: Dec 13 - Aug. 14

EXPLAIN WHY YOU WOULD LIKE TO SERVE: Have served with board, made positive contribution & have had many constituents of that zone ask me to continue

QUALIFICATIONS & EXPERIENCE: B.S. education with teaching certification. Prior board service. Spent numerous hrs volunteering as math tutor during last 4 yrs. School PTA & PTO President.

EDUCATION: B.S. with 24 master degree hours

OCCUPATION: Retired

EMPLOYER: _____ PHONE: _____

REFERENCES: 1. Rick Wise

2. Don Embree Supt. Bedford Co. Schools

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APPLICATION FOR SERVICE
ON RUTHERFORD COUNTY BOARD OR COMMITTEE

NAME: Echell Eady

ADDRESS: 310 Elderberry Way

PHONE: 615-427-0446

E-MAIL echelleady1@yahoo.com DISTRICT # _____

BOARD APPLYING FOR: School Board

NEW APPLICANT: REAPPOINTMENT: _____

IF REAPPOINTMENT, YEARS SERVED: N/A

EXPLAIN WHY YOU WOULD LIKE TO SERVE: I feel my experience with the schools and my community knowledge will be useful.

QUALIFICATIONS & EXPERIENCE: I am an education professional with extensive community leadership and volunteer experience.

EDUCATION: Masters in Education; Bachelors in Political Science

OCCUPATION: Academic Advisor

EMPLOYER: Middle TN State University PHONE: 615-898-5685

REFERENCES: 1. Ms. Terri Sterling 615-945-4794

2. Mr. Eric Meriwether 615-691-2378

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Sept. 4, 2014
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The Honorable Ernest G. Burgess, Mayor
Rutherford County Courthouse
Room 101
Murfreesboro, TN 37130

Dear Mayor Burgess, Steering Committee, and County Commissioners:

I am interested in serving Rutherford County as the County School Board Member for Zone 6. I have attached a resume for your review. An educational administrator by profession, I have the knowledge to speak effectively on topics related to our schools. As the mother of three children who are currently attending (or have recently graduated) Rutherford County schools, I have the dedication borne of wonderful experiences at Blackman Elementary, Middle, and High School as well as McFadden School of Excellence and Central Magnet. I have benefitted, and continue to benefit, from the strong leadership and wisdom that the Rutherford County school district enjoys. I look forward to giving back through service on the School Board.

Currently an Academic Advisor for Middle Tennessee State University, I keep abreast of innovations and challenges to our schools. My reputation as a fair-minded consensus builder will be an asset to our School Board. In addition to the sample of accomplishments below, I urge you to reach out to community leaders and others who will attest to my work ethic and devotion to this community.

Member – TN State Workforce Development Board

Graduate – Leadership Rutherford

Chair – Youth Leadership Rutherford ‘Education Day’

Member – Rutherford County Chamber of Commerce Workforce Taskforce

Past President - Murfreesboro Youth Symphony Orchestra Board

Member – Blackman Elementary P.T.O.

Member, Chair – Blackman Middle School Percussion Fest

Member, Fundraising Chair – Blackman H.S. Band Boosters

Volunteer – Junior Achievement at Blackman Elementary

Member, Volunteer – McFadden School of Excellence P.T.O.

Member, Volunteer – Central Magnet School P.T.O.

Graduation Keynote Speaker – Tennessee College of Applied Technology at Murfreesboro

Volunteer – Big Brothers / Big Sisters of Middle Tennessee

Graduate – F.B.I. Citizens' Academy

Graduate - Young Leaders, Nashville

The above list is merely a sample of my ongoing commitment to youth and to our community-at-large. Therefore, I would appreciate your consideration for my appointment to the Rutherford County School Board for Zone 6. Should you have any questions for me, kindly contact me at 615-427-0446. Thank you for your time and attention, and thank you for your service to Rutherford County.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Echell Eady". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, sweeping initial "E".

Echell Eady, M.Ed

Certified Career and Education Advisor

Echell Eady
310 Elderberry Way • Murfreesboro, TN 37128
(615) 427-0446 • echelleady1@yahoo.com

SUMMARY

- Nationally Certified Career and Education Advisor
- Accomplished in Student Support and Retention Programming
- Experienced in Traditional and Non-Traditional Student Advising

EXPERIENCE

MIDDLE TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY **05/11-05/14**

Graduate TN Adult Student Coordinator

Advocated for adult students at MTSU, Columbia State, and TCAT-Murfreesboro
Identified critical areas for improving adult/non-traditional student success
Recommended changes to policy within and between institutions
Developed career opportunities for adult/non-traditional student population

INTERN MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS, Murfreesboro, TN **11/07-5/11**

Founder

- Created and managed internship programs for area companies
- Advised colleges and universities regarding internship opportunities
- Coached private clients seeking employment

FISK UNIVERSITY, Nashville, TN **08/05-11/07**

Director, Career Services

- Counseled students regarding graduate, scholarship, and fellowship application
- Designed and negotiated internship agreements with local, national, and international companies
- Increased department revenue by 155%
- Supervised career advisor, volunteers, work-study students, and admin. assistant

NORTHWESTERN BUSINESS COLLEGE, Chicago, IL **03/04-01/05**

Associate Dean of Faculty

- Gathered and reviewed performance data on faculty
- Provided feedback to instructors based on data and observation
- Received and addressed student and faculty grievances
- Directed institutional effectiveness surveys at campus level
- Planned, coordinated, and hosted campus events

PRAIRIE STATE COLLEGE, Chicago Heights, IL

01/98 –06/02

Director, Workforce Training and Services/Coordinator, Career Training

Programs

- Developed and implemented the on-campus Illinois Employment Training Center
- Developed and implemented the College's first Commercial Drivers License, Fiber Optic Technology, and Health Unit Coordinator programs
- Promoted continuing education outreach campaign to area businesses
- Recruited and supervised instructors and staff
- Designed, marketed, and facilitated off-site corporate training modules

Coordinator, Workplace Literacy

- Promoted project throughout business community
- Wrote successful grant proposals for FY '99 and FY '00 Secretary of State Literacy Grants
- Conducted on-site assessments at area companies

PUBLICATIONS

Writing in the Disciplines Guide, Chapter: Writing for Life After the University
The Collegian Magazine, Maximizing Career Center Use (partial)
CollegeGrad.com, What Employers Seek in Graduates (partial)

AWARDS AND HONORS

Outstanding Professional Service, Career Guidance Center, Region 8, Illinois State Board of Education, Department of Adult, Vocational and Technical Education

Chicago Southland Chamber of Commerce Ambassador of the Month

EDUCATION

- **Master of Arts in Educational Administration**, Governors State University, University Park, IL – 2001
- **Bachelor of Arts in Political Science**, DePaul University, Chicago, IL -1992

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NAME: EDWIN "JEFF" JORDAN

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PHONE: 907-3244

E-MAIL JJORDANfamily@bellsouth.net DISTRICT # 13

BOARD APPLYING FOR: Rutherford Co. School Board - Dist. 6

NEW APPLICANT: REAPPOINTMENT:

IF REAPPOINTMENT, YEARS SERVED: _____

EXPLAIN WHY YOU WOULD LIKE TO SERVE: My only interest is in helping Rutherford Co. students, teachers AND staff be best they can be.

QUALIFICATIONS & EXPERIENCE: TAUGHT 31 years - All levels - Asst. Principal / County Comm. 8 years - see page 2.

EDUCATION: Campus School - Rockvale Elem. - CENTRAL High. BS & MASTERS & + 45 from TTTSU - see page 2

OCCUPATION: Retired from full time work

EMPLOYER: _____ PHONE: _____

REFERENCES: (1) Joyce Ealy (3) Ben Cates

(2) Dr. Mark Byrnes (4) Butch Campbell

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I taught school for 31 years including 24 weeks of summer school. My assignments included 11 years as a High School teacher, 3 as a High School administrator and 16 as an elementary and middle school teacher. Teaching economics, English and various other social studies subjects were my primary duties. One year of teaching was in Murfreesboro City.

School related activities include numerous committees on school improvement, textbook selection, curriculum studies and school calendars. I also served on at least 5 Southern Assn. Committees and chaired the School and Community Committee. I also wrote the Civics curriculum outline and served on a committee which wrote the Economics curriculum outline.

I was an REA Building Representative 11 times, a delegate to the TEA Convention 7 times and to the National Education Assn. Convention twice. I am presently a member of the Rutherford County Retired Teachers Assn.

Over the past 8 years I have served as County Commissioner of District 13. I served on the Public Safety Committee for 2 years and the Steering Committee for 6 years. I have also been a Committee member on Health / Education for 8 years and was honored to be the chairman for 5 years.

My own education was Campus School, Rockvale and Central High along with 2 degrees and a + 45 from MTSU, with an emphasis on education, history and political science.

I have lived in Rutherford County for all but four years of my life. My wife, Daune, and I have been married for 50 years and have two daughters and three grand - children.

I am a Special Olympics Partner and a past member of the Read to Succeed Board and am presently a member of their One Book Committee. The mission of Read to Succeed is community literacy.

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APPLICATION FOR SERVICE
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NAME: Eva Jane Jameson Reeder (Janie)

ADDRESS: 1021 Woodline Circle

Murfreesboro, TN 37128 PHONE: 615-896-3817

E-MAIL reederjan@comcast.net DISTRICT # 13th

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BOARD APPLYING FOR: School Board

NEW APPLICANT: yes REAPPOINTMENT: _____

IF REAPPOINTMENT, YEARS SERVED: _____

EXPLAIN WHY YOU WOULD LIKE TO SERVE: To help Rutherford County students to be first in the state.

QUALIFICATIONS & EXPERIENCE: 30 years teaching

EDUCATION: BS. Degree M. T. S. U. + 20 graduate hours

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OCCUPATION: Retired

EMPLOYER: Rutherford Co. Bd. of Ed PHONE: (615) 893-5812

REFERENCES: 1. Regina Hunsicker (615) 406-6038

2. Shirley Parks (615) 896-3134

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Eva Jane Jameson Reeder (Janie)
1021 Woodline Circle
Murfreesboro, TN 37128
(615) 896-3817 Home
(615) 618-0726 Cell

Objective: To help all principals, teachers, and students receive the best possible education. I want Rutherford County School System to be top in the State of Tennessee.

Education: B.S. Degree Middle Tennessee State University
twenty graduate hours
A.A. Degree Martin Methodist
Lebanon High School Lebanon, Ohio

Experience: Thirty years in elementary and middle school
Endorsements 001,101,400,401,402,499,440, and
highly qualified in elementary

Accomplishments: selected for teacher of the year at Smyrna West
sponsored by Rutherford County to present in
Tronto, Canada at an international reading conference
chosen by Governor Sundquist and Governor
Bredesen to participate in Tennessee Arts Academy
attended the National Magnet School Convention
with my principal and two other teachers in St. Louis
Jr Beta Club sponsor and coached girls soccer
coached several students who won first in John
Scott Spelling Bee

Retirement: president of Cason Crossings H.O.A.
co-chaired the #1 club after school program at
Bethel United Church
worked the backpacking program with the city
schools (children who would not have any food
over the weekend)

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NAME: ROBERT S. WARDEN

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MURFREESBORO, TN PHONE: 615-604-3505

E-MAIL ROBERT.S.WARDEN@gmail.com DISTRICT # 6

BOARD APPLYING FOR: BOARD OF EDUCATION

NEW APPLICANT: Yes REAPPOINTMENT: No

IF REAPPOINTMENT, YEARS SERVED: N/A

EXPLAIN WHY YOU WOULD LIKE TO SERVE: Education standards are important to the future of the County. I want to contribute to the future of our County.

QUALIFICATIONS & EXPERIENCE: Perussion education @ Hickman County; Macon Co High. Board of Murfreesboro Youth Orchestra, Murfreesboro Young Professionals, Rutherford County Chamber of Commerce Diplomats

EDUCATION: MBA; Economics; Marketing; MTSU.; BACHELORS POLITICAL SCIENCE (PRE-LAW) MTSU.

OCCUPATION: Hospitality Management

EMPLOYER: TGI FRIDAYS PHONE: 615-907-3086

REFERENCES: 1. GABRIEL FAWCHER 615-445-5073

2. SCOTT KIMBERLY

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APPLICATION FOR SERVICE
ON RUTHERFORD COUNTY BOARD OR COMMITTEE

NAME: WILLIAM P. HARPER

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MURFREESBORO TN 37128 PHONE: 727 421 0177

E-MAIL Bill@dwhsix@gmail.com DISTRICT # 16

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BOARD APPLYING FOR: RUTHERFORD COUNTY
BOARD OF EDUCATION

NEW APPLICANT: REAPPOINTMENT:

IF REAPPOINTMENT, YEARS SERVED: N/A

EXPLAIN WHY YOU WOULD LIKE TO SERVE: TO SERVE THE CHILDREN,
PARENTS, AND THE PEOPLE OF THIS COUNTY

QUALIFICATIONS & EXPERIENCE: 58 YRS IN EDUCATION AS
A CERTIFIED TEACHER AND SUBSTITUTE TEACHER

EDUCATION: BA HISTORY MS ELEM. EDUC

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OCCUPATION: RETIRED TEACHER SUBSTITUTE
NY 34 YRS FLA 4 YRS RUTHERFORD TO PRESENT

EMPLOYER: ADVANTAGE XPD PHONE: 615 278 2062

REFERENCES: 1. REV AL THOE

2. ROBERT KING

William P. Harper
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