

## Re: Bristol Town Councils Request of Commission Representative Consideration

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Melissa -

Apologies for the delay. But I am writing to recommend BWRSC member, Jessica Almeida, as a representative on the Bristol 250th Semi-quincentennial Commission.

Ms. Almeida wrote about why she is interested in this post, and I fully support her representing the BWRSD.

"First and foremost, I love our town's pride and gratitude for Independence Day. I too, along with my family, take part in all of the festivities in Bristol, leading up to the celebration of America and our freedom. Not only am I passionate about the holiday and its true meaning, but I enjoy planning and organizing events that are near and dear to my heart. My time thus far on the Bristol/Warren Regional School Committee, I have become well versed in the district's process/policies along with its priorities to putting our students' needs at the forefront. As a publically elected member of the community, I make myself available to those wanting to reach out to discuss concerns, feedback, applauses and/or suggestions; I tend to think of myself as assertive but at the same time, I work well with others and am able to join forces to contribute to successes.

Being vested in the community, not only as a taxpayer, but as the Treasurer of the School Committee member, I believe I can lend my expertise while collaborating with others and their views on this special 250<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of events."

Please do not hesitate to reach out with questions, or for further information.

Many thanks,

Nicky Piper

On Wed, Nov 8, 2023 at 8:00 AM Melissa Cordeiro <[mcordeiro@bristolri.gov](mailto:mcordeiro@bristolri.gov)> wrote:

Dear Chairwoman Piper and Superintendent Riley,

I hope this email finds you well. I am writing to bring to your attention the Bristol Town Council's request for the appointment of one representative from the Bristol Warren Regional School to serve on the newly established Bristol 250th Semi-quincentennial Commission. This commission has been formed in commemoration of Bristol's rich history and upcoming milestone celebration.

The Bristol 250th Semi-quincentennial Commission will be responsible for organizing and overseeing the various events and initiatives to mark this significant occasion in our town's history. The council believes that the diverse perspectives and expertise of representatives from different organizations will greatly enrich the commission's ability to plan and execute a memorable and inclusive celebration.

In selecting the representative from your respected committee, please consider recommending an individual who is not only well-versed in the interests and objectives of your organization but is also passionate about celebrating our heritage and dedicated to commemorating the 250th anniversary of events throughout history that have shaped the ideals of freedom, equality, and independence in our country.

In light of this, I kindly ask that the Chairperson in collaboration with the Superintendent send a formal recommendation (or complete the attached recommendation) of the chosen member to the Clerk's Office, for final appointment by the Council. The

recommendation should include the representative's full name, address, phone number, and email address, along with a brief description outlining the reasons why they have been selected to represent your organization.

Please communicate this request to your respective organization and encourage them to consider participating in this prestigious opportunity. Their involvement will not only contribute to the success of the commemorative events but also showcase the collaborative spirit of our community.

If you have any questions or require further information, please do not hesitate to contact me directly.

Thank you for your attention to this matter and for your continued support in making Bristol's 250th Semi quincennial a momentous occasion for all.

Recommendations can be emailed to [Mcordeiro@Bristolri.gov](mailto:Mcordeiro@Bristolri.gov) or  
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