

Financial/District Information

Total valuation	\$1,707,968,590	
Mills		
Inside	4.80	
Outside (voted)		
<i>(excludes inside, PI and bond)</i>	52.44	
<i>(includes inside, PI and bond)</i>	61.89	
Outside (effective)		
Res/Ag <i>(includes inside, PI and bond)</i>	46.84	
Other <i>(includes inside, PI and bond)</i>	48.53	
Bond (voted)	3.99	
Permanent Improvement (voted)	1.30	
School income tax	N/A	
Appropriations*		
General fund	\$102,707,202	
Total — all funds	\$194,138,800	
Expenditures per pupil	\$12,456.75	
Receipts*:	General Fund	All other funds
Local taxes	68.31%	8.03%
Local other	3.91%	82.90%
State	27.78%	2.87%
Federal	0.00%	6.20%
Bond rating		
Moody's	Aa3	
Enrollment	7,661	
Number of employees		
Certificated	564	
Non-certificated	394	
Administrators	44	
Average teacher salary	\$71,665	
Bachelor's degree	24%	
Master's degree	76%	
Average years experience	15.64	

*As of May 31, 2020

Terms of Employment and Compensation

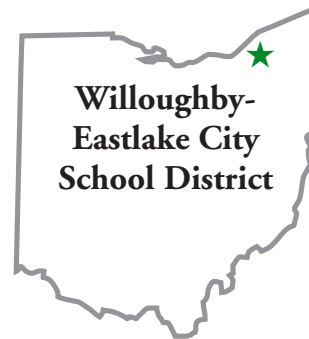
The successful candidate will be offered a multiyear contract. Salary and benefits will be competitive and commensurate with experience and qualifications.

Board of Education

Thomas Beal, president	3 years
Amy Zuren, vice president	7 years
Brian Jones	3 years
Mike Merhar	1 year
John Roskos	1 year

Tentative Search Timetable

Official launch	June 8
Application deadline	July 6
Interviews begin	July 13
Second round interviews	July 22
Action to employ	Late July
Employment begins	As negotiated



Application Process

Visit OSBA's secure, online application system at <https://osba.myrevelus.com> to apply. First-time applicants must create a new account to complete and maintain an online profile. If you already have a profile established, sign-in or reset your password and choose from the open positions.

The following items should be included when completing your profile: the necessary certifications and licenses; credentials and transcripts; an up-to-date résumé; and at least five OSBA reference forms. Additional materials you would like to include can be uploaded as well. **Please note:** Completion of your profile is required but does not constitute an application. You must choose from the open positions and follow the application instructions.

Your profile information may be altered, updated and submitted at any time for any advertised OSBA opening.

Application materials are subject to Ohio's public records laws.

Note: Applicants should not make personal contact with board of education members. For information about the search, contact the OSBA search consultant.

Questions about the online application process may be directed to Heather Lantz, OSBA administrative assistant of board and management services, at (614) 540-4000 or HLantz@ohioschoolboards.org.



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Willoughby-Eastlake City School District

is seeking qualified applicants for the position of

Treasurer/CFO

www.weschools.org

Application deadline
July 6, 2020

The Search

The Willoughby-Eastlake City School District's Board of Education is seeking qualified applicants for the position of treasurer. The new treasurer will replace Bill Parkinson, who has been the district's treasurer and chief financial officer (CFO) for eight years. The Ohio School Boards Association's Cheryl W. Ryan is assisting the board in facilitating the search.

In addition to providing leadership and responsibility in managing the district's finances and assisting the superintendent in some operational capacities, the board is seeking an individual who will serve as a model of professionalism. The successful candidate will be capable of articulating the district's financial status and advocating on its behalf with civic and government leaders and legislators.

The Willoughby-Eastlake School District's treasurer is the CFO of the school district. It is his or her responsibility to serve as the board's official secretary, advise board members on fiscal matters, execute policies and decisions made by the board, and partner with the superintendent in the transparent, efficient and effective administration of the district. The board strives to maintain a collaborative and positive professional relationship between all members of the leadership team.



The District

The Willoughby-Eastlake City School District (W-E), whose mission is "Teach, Learn, Grow," represents high-quality learning in a caring environment." Nearly 8,000 students attend school in this Lake County, Ohio district that is located east of Cleveland and bordered on the north by Lake Erie. W-E students reside in one of seven communities, including the cities of Willoughby, Willoughby Hills, Eastlake and Willowick as well as the villages of Timberlake, Lakeline and Waite Hill.

W-E is home to a preschool, five elementary schools, three middle schools, two high schools, the Northern Career Institute, the W-E Success Academy and the W-E School of Innovation. The district and its more than 900 teachers and staff members are proud of the substantial effort to build, renovate and improve all of its physical facilities within the past decade. Numerous extracurricular, fine arts and athletic options are available to provide each student within the district a complete K-12 experience.

The district's superintendent and educational leader is Steve Thompson. The board of education members, Mr. Thompson and other central office administrators who represent the district's Cabinet look forward to developing a strong partnership with the new treasurer.

The Community

The town was permanently named in 1843 for Dr. Westen Willoughby, Jr., a public health official instrumental in the Medical College that was located there. The Medical College later merged with Western Reserve Academy, which was a precursor to today's Case Western Reserve University.

Downtown Willoughby is known for some striking examples of 19th century architecture, particularly those located along Erie street. Willoughby is one of the oldest communities in Ohio and is known as "The Courtesy City." It is the only town in America to have belonged at one time or another to six different counties.

Though not officially named a city until 1951, Eastlake also has a long history, having been a settlement in the mid-1700s. Eastlake is well known for its "Boulevard of 500 flags," begun as a tribute to honor veterans of the Eastlake area year-round (see www.500flags.org/our-history). The Boulevard now stands as a tribute to local veterans and houses an eternal flame, which commemorates the Olympic Torch arriving in Eastlake in 1996.



Qualifications

The Willoughby-Eastlake City School District's Board of Education is searching for a CFO with a broad educational background, proven leadership capabilities, a developed sense of vision, unquestionable honesty and integrity and superior interpersonal and communication skills. A person able to lead the district in advocating and caring for its financial resources will be welcomed. A background in and understanding of public-school finance is strongly preferred, as is the ability to demonstrate:

- Willingness and ability to develop and maintain strong, positive relationships with the superintendent and central office Cabinet members.
- Proven track record or experience in structuring and managing funds associated with school district levies.
- Enthusiasm and ability to work collaboratively with members of the treasurer's office staff.
- Strong understanding of and ability to stay current with Ohio public school law, legislation and public-school financing.
- Familiarity with the funding, accurate management and retirement of district-related bonds.
- Strong multi-tasking skills paired with the ability to gather and synthesize information and data accurately and to share it with board members, administrators and community members in ways each audience can understand.
- Willingness and enthusiasm to utilize board and other community engagement opportunities to advance the financial messaging of the district.