

MIC3 Military Interstate Children's Compact Commission



Interstate Compact on Military Students WA STATE COUNCIL

Zoom Meeting
October 11, 2022
9:00 to 11:30

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Why the Interstate Compact?



The Goal: *To remove barriers to educational success imposed upon children of federal uniformed families because of frequent moves and deployment of parents.*

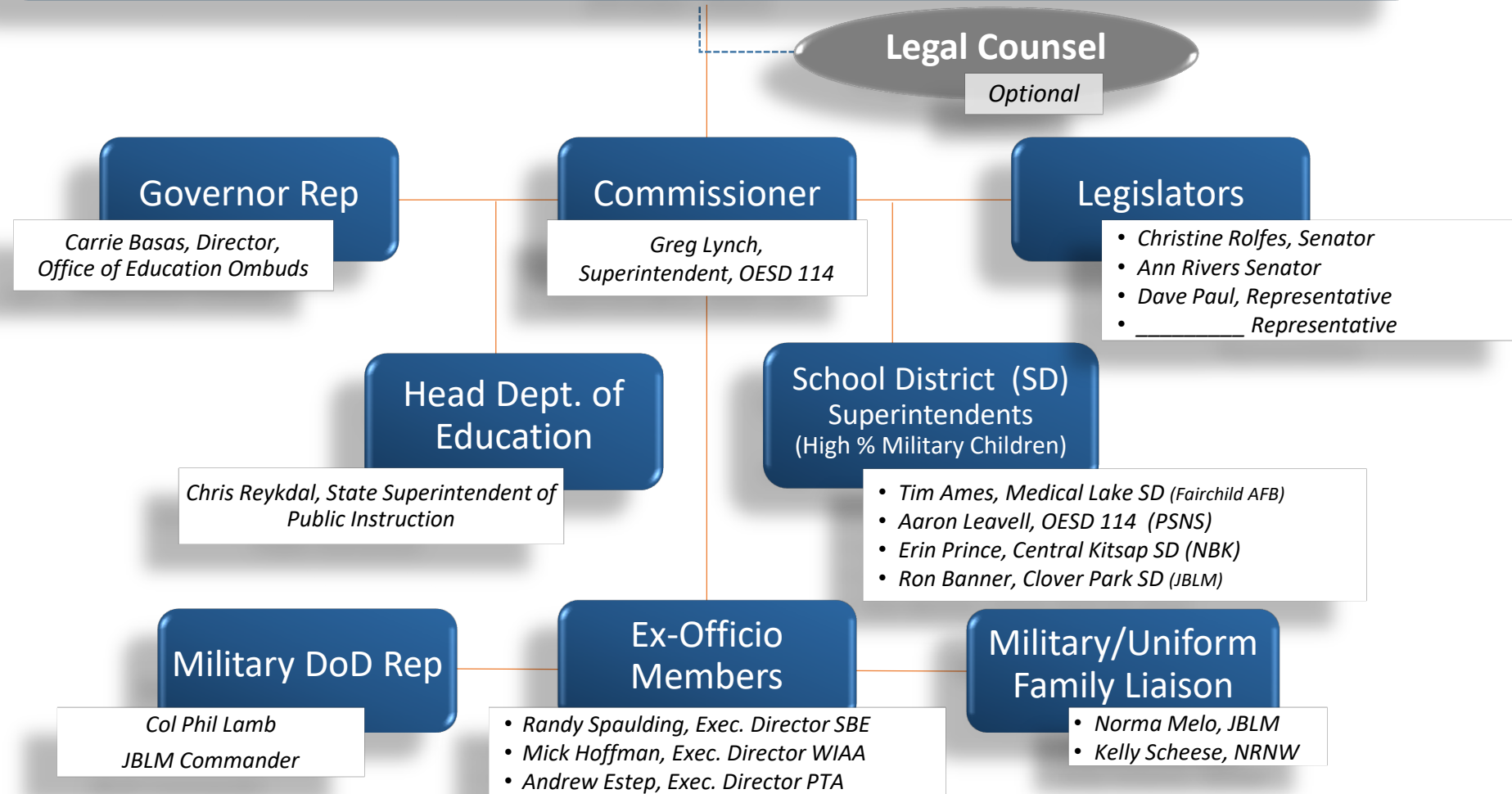


Washington Compact Involvement & History

- WA MIC3 Task Force submitted a recommendation to Legislature in Dec. 2008 recommending WA join the Compact.
- Washington State joined the Interstate Compact on Educational Opportunity for Military Children (MIC3) in 2009.
- Substitute Senate Bill 5248 (2009) was passed, placing the major components of the Compact into Washington State Law legislation included a “sunset” clause for potential renewal during the 2015 legislative session.
- State MIC3 Committee submitted report and recommendation in Dec. 2014 to Legislature to sustain Compact – “approved” during the 2015 legislative session.

State Council

(October 2022)





* 26,000



* 824



* ~116



* ~8



Uniformed Services WA

* indicates # of uniformed/military connected students in each branch

The Compact Applies To Children of:

- ▶ **Active duty members of uniformed services (includes activated/full time Guard and Reserves)**
- ▶ Medically discharged members and veterans (for 1 year)
- ▶ Members who die on active duty (for 1 year)

Does NOT apply to children of:

- ▶ Inactive members of the national guard and military reserves
- ▶ Members of the uniformed services now retired
- ▶ Veterans of the uniformed services
- ▶ Other U.S. DoD personnel and other federal agency civilian and contract employees



Compact Focus Areas



Educational Records

Immunizations

K and 1st Grade Eligibility

Extracurricular Activities Eligibility

Educational Course and Program Placement

Absences Related To Parent/Guardian Deployment

Graduation

Presentations

Will Be Provided By The Listed Commands During
The MIC3 WA State Council Meeting

- Commander, Navy Region NW
- Commander, Joint Base Lewis-McChord
- Commander, NOAA Region



Presentation and Discussion Action Item

National Guard Support & The Interstate Compact

Details included in the following references

- [National Guard & Reserve – General Counsel Memorandum](#)
- [Compact Statute Citation Correction – General Counsel Memorandum](#)
- [Compact Statute Technical Amendment Matrix – General Counsel Memorandum](#)
- The Washington National Guard will also provide additional details and impacts



MIC3 National Update

National Meeting 18 & 19 October, Baton Rouge LA.

State Commissioners will cast a vote on behalf of their respective states concerning National Guard Compact supports.

Learn more about MIC3: additional Parent and Organization Resources at <http://www.mic3.net/resources.html>

Toolkit for Schools

Toolkit for Parents

