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# NEWS RELEASE

## Board of Trustees Chair and Vice-Chair Appointments at the Northeastern Catholic District School Board for 2010

**Timmins, January, 2010:** The Northeastern Catholic District School Board held elections at their annual inaugural meeting on Friday, December 18<sup>th</sup>, for the position of Chair and Vice-Chair.

Rick Brassard was acclaimed Chair of the Board for the 3<sup>rd</sup> year in a row and Martin *Drainville* was elected as Vice-Chair for the period of 2009-2010.

Rick Brassard stated "I want to thank all of you for your on-going support and the trust that you have placed in me to once again have the opportunity to lead our Board. I look forward to working with each of you and the entire Board staff to grow and develop Catholic education in our region and to enhance our programs and our schools that carry out the valuable work of delivering the Catholic education and values that we are entrusted with."

Glenn Sheculski, Director of Education, offered his congratulations on behalf of all Board employees when he stated, "Congratulations to both Rick and Martin on your position as Chair and Vice-chair of our Board. I look forward to working closely with each of you over the upcoming year. On behalf of the entire Board team and myself here at the Northeastern Catholic District School Board please accept my congratulations. I know that through your leadership we will all prosper in 2010."

Rick Brassard went on to thank Colleen Landers, Board Trustee and past Vice-Chair, when he stated "Colleen please accept my thanks for all of your assistance over the past year as Vice-Chair; your 22 years of dedication and experience as a School Board Trustee, and in serving as both Chair and Vice-Chair over the past 10 years. Your years of service are an example to all of us and your commitment continues as you represent us as the Regional Representative for the Northeastern District for the Ontario Catholic School Trustees' Association and as the Ontario Provincial Representative for Catholic Trustees on the Canadian Catholic School Trustees' Association."

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