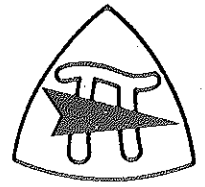


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WTEA Endorsements!

On Tuesday, November 7th, some of the most important supporters of public education are standing for election here in Woodbridge. We need your help to ensure that our friends are elected.

Following interviews with each of the candidates, the Representative Council of WTEA unanimously voted to endorse **Brian Molnar (Ballot position #1)**, **Marie Anderson (Ballot position #2)** and **Frank Della Pietro III (Ballot position #4)** for re-election to the Board of Education.

Brian Molnar has been a member of the Board of Education since 2005, where he has served as Vice President (2007) and President (2008-10, 2014). Brian has worked for the Township of Woodbridge for 33 years and is currently the Deputy Director of Recreation and Resident Services.

Frank Dell Pietro III has been a member of the Board of Education since 2011 and is currently Chairman of the Security and School Safety Committee. Frank is employed by the Fords Fire Department as a Firefighter/EMT and a Fire Prevention Official since 1991. He also works as a Fire Service Instructor at the Middlesex County Fire Academy in Sayreville.

Marie Anderson has been a member of the Board of Education since 2015 and is the Chair of the Policy and Planning Committee. Marie worked as a School Business Administrator for seven years at the JFK - You and Me School, a private school for children with autism. Currently, Marie is the Director of Human Resources at JFK Medical Center, Edison, NJ.

Our leaders have developed close working relationships with each of these incumbent members of the Board. We strongly encourage you to cast your votes for Molnar, Anderson and Della Pietro on November 7th.

NJEA has issued a strong endorsement for Ambassador Phil Murphy for New Jersey Governor. Ambassador Murphy's election is critical to the future of public education in New Jersey. We ask every member to work in support of his election.

In the 19th Legislative District, ***Senator Joseph Vitale and Assemblymen Craig Coughlin are running for re-election. They are joined for the first time by Yvonne Lopez as a candidate for Assembly.*** Vitale, Coughlin and Lopez have earned strong endorsements from NJEA for legislative seats. For local residents, we encourage your support for Mr. Vitale, Mr. Coughlin and Ms. Lopez. Members who reside outside of our legislative district will be receiving information from NJEA about other Senate and Assembly endorsements.

At this website, you may obtain a ballot by mail application:

<http://www.nj.gov/state/elections/voting-information-vote-by-mail.html>

Vote by mail applications for Middlesex County residents are being distributed by our Association Reps. If you vote outside of Middlesex County, you may use this form but remember to check the website for the address of your county clerk.

On Tuesday, November 7, 2017, please support our endorsed candidates.

***Brian Geoffroy, President
October 2, 2017***