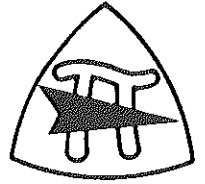


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WTEA Endorses Molnar, DellaPietro, Anderson and Zullo

On September 10, 2014, a committee of WTEA leaders interviewed each of the candidates for election to the Woodbridge Township Board of Education. At our September meeting, the WTEA Rep Council voted unanimously for endorsements of the candidacies of **Brian Molnar, Frank DellaPietro III, Marie Anderson and Eileen Zullo** for election to the Board.

Mr. Molnar, Mr. DellaPietro and Mrs. Anderson are running for three year terms. Mr. Molnar and Mr. DellaPietro are incumbents, and Mrs. Anderson is running for the first time. Mrs. Zullo is running for a one year term to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Judy Leidner earlier this year.

Mr. Molnar has served on the Board for many years with distinction. He is an employee of Woodbridge Township and a long time activist in our community. Mr. Molnar brings a positive and cooperative energy to all of his endeavors.

Mr. DellaPietro is running for a second term on the Board, after serving successfully for the past three years. He is a long time resident of Woodbridge Township and works for the Fords Fire Department and as a leader of municipal fire fighters.

Mrs. Anderson is a newcomer to the Board of Education but certainly not to active engagement in our schools and community. She has held leadership roles in youth athletic groups, schools for special needs children and medical volunteers. We welcome her commitment to serving on the Board.

Before her retirement, Mrs. Zullo was a highly regarded teacher for many years in our schools and served as an active leader of the WTEA during that time, along with extensive involvement in our community. This is also her first run for the Board.

In our interviews with the candidates, they each seemed well informed about the challenges facing our schools and committed to working cooperatively with WTEA leaders in the search for solutions. We look forward to forming or continuing productive relationships with each of them. Election of our endorsed candidates will help us continue to build a strong pro-education coalition in Woodbridge.

NJEA has also endorsed the re-election bids of **Cory Booker to the U.S. Senate and Frank Pallone to the House of Representatives.**

Our endorsements and the work of our members to get out the vote in favor of pro-education candidates have never been more critical. Please help us by ensuring that family members and friends are registered to vote and know of our support for these outstanding candidates.

***Brian Geoffroy, President
October 1, 2014***