

Questionnaire To Be Filled Out By District 300 Board of Education Candidates

This questionnaire is meant to gather information relevant to the voters of District 300 in choosing Board of Education members in the upcoming election (April 17, 2007). Each answered questionnaire will be posted on our website, advance300.org no later than March 17, 2007. If you are submitting your answers via hardcopy, either type your answers or write neatly and in black ink. We will also post a copy of this questionnaire on our website. If you would rather answer electronically, go to our website at: www.advance300.org/BOEQuestions.html.

A questionnaire has been sent to you and each of the other candidates via certified mail, hand delivery or via e-mail, if an e-mail address is available. **Responses are due no later than March 16, 2007.** No responses will be accepted after that date in fairness to candidates that answer by the March 16th deadline. Responses may be mailed to: **Advance 300 at 2303 Randall Rd., #146, Carpentersville, IL 60110-3448.** Or submitted via e-mail at advance300yes@yahoo.com.

Advance 300 will not endorse any particular candidate. A blank questionnaire with the candidate's name on it will be posted for any candidate who does not respond by March 16, 2007. This will be done simply to notify the public that the candidate was given opportunity to respond but chose not to.

While we will post each candidate's answers as they come to us, we reserve the right to reject responses that contain profanity or other offensive language.

1) Name: **CANDIDATE CHOSE NOT TO RESPOND**

Address:

Township/County of Residence:

Date of Birth:

Years living in District 300:

2) Have you had or do you currently have school-age children or grandchildren?

CANDIDATE CHOSE NOT TO RESPOND

If yes, please check the type of schooling that your children receive(d):

_____ Public School in District 300

_____ Private School in District 300

_____ Public School outside of District 300

_____ Private School outside District 300

_____ I home school my children

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_____ Other (please explain)

- 3) With regard to question #2, please explain why you chose the venue of education for your children that you did.

CANDIDATE CHOSE NOT TO RESPOND

- 4) Please describe your educational background from elementary school through post-graduate work, if any. Please include the dates of attendance and date diploma or degree, if any, that was conferred.

CANDIDATE CHOSE NOT TO RESPOND

- 5) What, if anything, about your educational background do you believe makes you a good candidate for the Board of Education?

CANDIDATE CHOSE NOT TO RESPOND

- 6) Please list your employment history for the last ten (10) years. Please include what positions you currently hold and have held with each employer and what responsibilities that position entailed.

CANDIDATE CHOSE NOT TO RESPOND

- 7) What about your employment background, if anything, do you believe makes you a good candidate for the Board of Education?

CANDIDATE CHOSE NOT TO RESPOND

- 8) Why are you running for a Board position?

CANDIDATE CHOSE NOT TO RESPOND

- 9) What is your understanding of the time commitment required of a Board of Education member? How much time are you able to commit to your position as a Board member on a weekly basis?

CANDIDATE CHOSE NOT TO RESPOND

- 10) Please list at least three positive things about District 300. In other words, what is working? Be as specific as possible and provide sources for any factual information that you rely on in forming your opinions.

CANDIDATE CHOSE NOT TO RESPOND

- 11) Please list those things that you would change about the District and why. Please be specific and provide sources for any factual information that you rely on in forming your opinions.

CANDIDATE CHOSE NOT TO RESPOND

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- 12) Have you volunteered to work with District 300 in the past? If so, please list your volunteer activities including the nature of your work and the dates that the volunteer work was performed and where.

CANDIDATE CHOSE NOT TO RESPOND

- 13) Please name three things that you would do to improve the education of the children of District 300 and explain, in detail, how your proposed improvements would be implemented.

CANDIDATE CHOSE NOT TO RESPOND

- 14) What, in your opinion, is the function of the Board of Education?

CANDIDATE CHOSE NOT TO RESPOND

- 15) What is the single most important duty of a member of the Board of Education?

CANDIDATE CHOSE NOT TO RESPOND

- 16) Are you a supporter of public education? If yes, why? If not, why not?

CANDIDATE CHOSE NOT TO RESPOND

- 17) Are you a supporter of District 300? If yes, why? If not, why not?

CANDIDATE CHOSE NOT TO RESPOND

- 18) Please set forth what, if anything, sets you apart from the other candidates running for the Board and that you feel is a good reason for the residents of District 300 to vote for you.

CANDIDATE CHOSE NOT TO RESPOND