

Education

I have a post high school education , however I have completed each year of my education in the Woodland Hills School District including pre-k.

Work Experience

I am a current board member I am coming up on completing my 1st full 4 year term, and there is no prep for this position, its a position that you learn as you go simply because you never know what challenges your going to have to address.

Community Involvement

Several, church, community, school and local business owner

Why are you running for School Board?

I would like to opportunity to serve another term to see some of the projects in progress completed , ex Swissvale Library

Why is quality public education important to you and your family?

I recognize the many benefits, through the outcomes of my children (whom all 3 went thru the Woodland Hills District) and I feel its important to give children as many life changing opportunities as possible and that is what Quality Public education provides.

What are 2-3 strengths of WHSD you would work to support & maintain?

AP and Honor course programs, as well as our health and language programs and Athletics , I will continue to do what I am doing know support our administrators

What are 2-3 challenges WHSD is facing and what potential solutions do you have for those challenges?

Student retention, and special education , continue what I am doing now , work w/ the admin on retention strategies and try to improve our special ed model

When faced with conflicting interests, how would you find balance between stakeholders (teachers, administrators, parents, community members, students, Board members) and make decisions?

Always do what is right in the best interest of the students.

Explain the role the school board should play in determining the curriculum and what is taught in the classroom.

Region 2 Candidate
Terri Lawson

We work closely w/ admin and teachers to assure the curriculum is teachable, and up to date and the standard for all students to have a successful outcome.

If elected, at the end of your term, what lasting impression would you hope to have left behind?

The importance the Parental Involvement makes in the success of our community and our students.