



We Value Quality (Public) Education

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Dear Colleague:

There are two important elections coming up in which we need your votes.

On November 8, the Grosse Pointe PAC Screening and Recommendation Team, made up of the presidents of the GPEA, and the other three bargaining units in our system, recommended **Dan Roeske** and **Lois Valente**.

Both Dan and Lois are committed parents with children in our schools. Dan believes the role of a school board member is to step out of the way and let the professionals do their jobs. Lois is passionate about special needs issues and has a background in strategic planning. She is calm and concerned. We hope you will support us by voting for them at the polls on November 8.

The second important election is coming in February when there may be a recall election for Representative Tim Bledsoe. Tim has been an outstanding advocate for public education, so we need your vote in February to say no to his recall.

If you value quality public education, please consider voting for these candidates and posting a GPEA sign in your lawn that states: "GPEA: We value quality public education." You can pick up these lawn signs at our office, or call and we will deliver them to you.

Thank you!

Respectfully,

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