

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

What kind of school board do you want?

As a candidate for the school board, I am disappointed to learn the current school board president has two DUIs but remains in office.

Voters have asked me for my “qualifications” for the job and I attended a forum to field questions about my “qualifications.” So, now I ask the voters, what do you think of the current school board? There have been three incidents that question the board’s integrity in the past few months.

First, we have a teacher using her students to send a very vulgar and questionable message. Second, the principal who was hired to bring accountability to the high school resigned when she attempted to do what she was hired to do. And now, we learn that back in 2016, the school board did nothing regarding the current school board president’s first DUI.

What kind of message are we sending to our community and to our children? How do you explain right and wrong to your children if those who lead our educational community are lacking in judgment? Sadly, I personally know two young children who are no longer on the planet due to a DUI driver so I have a different view of how this should be handled. The question is, what type of board members do you want?

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