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How long have you lived in Prosper?

My family has lived in McKinney and the Prosper ISD for 13 yrs.

Do you currently have children attending Prosper ISD schools?

I have 2 boys in Prosper ISD, oldest at Rock Hill and the youngest at Hays.

Do you have children who graduated from Prosper ISD?

That is the plan.

What is your history of involvement in the district/community?

Watch Dog

Baker Elementary

Hays Middle

Rock Hill High

Hays parent advisory

Voice of the 7th and 8th football (when my son was in the respective grade)

Attended Prosper University

Currently part of Superintendent Advisory Council

Graduate of Leadership McKinney

McKinney Community Development Corporation

Served 6 years, 2 as board chairman

McKinney Economic Development Corporation

In my 3rd year of service.

Why are you running for school board?

Since the formation of the ISD, no one has ever run for the School Board on the East side of the District. Recently my neighbors and friends have expressed not feeling as though they had a voice within the ISD.

As the District has experienced and continues to see significant growth, I believe it is time to be mindful of geographical diversity. To effectively do that, we need Trustees that SEE/FEEL/EXPERIENCE the different areas of the District as they are all unique.

In your opinion, what is the most important decision facing the district today? How would you address it?

Growth is the biggest thing that the District is facing as we are the 2nd fastest growing district. It will take a 7 member board that is geographically diverse, uses a common sense pragmatic approach to solving the problems that come up all while focusing on making sure our children are college, career or military ready when they graduate. Attracting and retaining the best educators is the key to that.

Prosper is one of the fastest-growing districts in the state and nation. What is the best way to address that growth and how do we fund the needed buildings to accommodate students

The previous board was forward thinking to see the growth and request a bond that can help fund the construction of our new facilities. The administration has also looked to increase the size of the new facilities to ensure they accommodate the student growth and to be the most cost effective.