

Fellow Neighbor:

I am running because we need someone who will fight for the issues that matter to HD79.

My opponent spends a lot of time touting his bill for a Dunwoody school district... that never saw a vote. Why does he feel pride in this legislative non-accomplishment? Why not author a bill that will garner support without harming the intent, such as letting other cities take advantage of the same provisions we desire?

Perhaps a different bill would have been more successful. My opponent personifies the "showing up is good enough" mentality that has brought DeKalb County schools to the brink of losing accreditation. Our district cannot continue down this path. We must explore every option available for fixing our schools, until we find solutions that make progress. I will fight for better schools for our children by creating a strategy to reach out to legislators throughout the state.

I give you a new vision of representation for House District 79.

Leadership - I will seek viable fixes and I will work to get that them enacted.

Education Focused - Our children deserve better.

Honest - I won't float dead-on-arrival bills to pad my resume for re-election. I won't play games to distract voters. I will act with intent and integrity.

Accountable - I will reach out to you, the voters, directly by mail, email, and my website. You will always be able to read why I make each choice first hand. In fact, I have ensured my personal phone number is printed on my campaign flyers.

I will work diligently to address the concerns of my constituents. I respectfully request your support May 20, 2014.

Sincerely,



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