

OSBA - Oregon School Boards Association Elections

Every two years the OSBA has elections for their Board of Directors to represent school districts, education service districts and community colleges. Oregon is divided into a number of regions for this purpose, and elections for our Board of Directors is held during odd numbered years. We are in the Gorge Region, Position 2. Candidates for election must have their Boards endorse then by a vote and must fill out a candidate questionnaire as to their qualifications and positions on a number of issues pertinent to education. These papers are then filed with the OSBA by September 30th, along with an endorsement from their districts. Ballots are issued by the OSBA by October 15th and voting takes place in component districts between October 15 and December 15 by a vote from each participating district at a regular Board meeting.

I, Paul Zastrow, am a candidate for Position 2, Gorge Region for the OSBA Board of Directors. You will find my candidate information in this mailing, explaining something about my background, my ideas going forward, my educational experiences, and what I would like to accomplish representing you – the different districts in our region, and for the students we serve. I taught middle and high school science for over 30 years, retiring some 28 years ago. As an ESD Board member I always consider the impact of decisions on the kids we serve as paramount and most important. Then, component districts come next. Equity and access must allow all students the opportunity to succeed, regardless of location, socioeconomic level, number of students in a district, geography or other factors.

Please consider my candidacy and experience when you vote. My years in the classroom, as a Board member, community member and advocate for others – as a Lion, firefighter, senior advisory member and retiree all demonstrate who and what I am. I will represent you and fight for our collective ideals at the OSBA Board.

Thanks for your consideration.

Vote Paul Zastrow!

Please share with your fellow Board members.

Thanks

Paul