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Lakewood Local School District Elects Jacki Mitchell to Board of Education



Lakewood Local School District has selected Jacki Mitchell to fill a vacancy on its Board of Education, replacing Dave Lohr, who did not seek re-election.

Mrs. Mitchell, a proud Hebron resident and Lakewood alumna, has deep roots in the Lakewood community. Alongside her husband, Keith, she has raised four children – all of whom attended Lakewood Schools – and is now a proud grandmother of three.

A retired letter carrier with 30 years of dedicated service to the United States Postal Service, Mrs. Mitchell also spent more than two decades serving as a union steward and currently holds an officer position within her local union. Her lifelong commitment to leadership, fairness, and service has shaped her belief in the power of strong community institutions. Mrs. Mitchell brings a wealth of experience and a collaborative spirit to every role she takes on and has completed numerous training and leadership programs.

“A successful school is the foundation of a successful community,” said Mitchell. “I want to thank the Board, staff, students, and community for the warm welcome. I am dedicated to helping Lakewood Schools thrive through the combined efforts of parents, teachers, and students alike, and ensuring decisions we make promote the greater good. I look forward to collaborating with everyone involved to ensure Lakewood consistently fulfills and surpasses our vision, mission, core values, and strategic objectives.”

Mrs. Mitchell was one of three candidates for three open seats on the board. She will be sworn in at the January organizational board meeting. The other two open positions were filled with incumbents Jon Lynch (President) and Kelly Rayburn. Each candidate ran unopposed.

"We are excited to welcome Jacki to the school board,” said Lakewood Superintendent Scott Coffey. “Her energy, combined with her history within our district, make her a great fit for this position.”

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