

Darcy Dalke – Trustee Candidate Responses

1. Who are trustees primarily accountable to?

Parents

2. Have you received support from the ATA, financial, in-kind, or by participating in ATA workshops?

No

3. Should school board funding prioritize classrooms and teachers over administrative programs like DEI coordinators?

Yes

4. Should curriculum development rely on subject-matter experts rather than bureaucrats or political agendas?

Yes

5. Should sexually explicit books be excluded from school classrooms and libraries?

Yes

6. Should parents be notified and asked for consent before children are taught sensitive topics like gender identity or sexuality?

Yes

7. Should secrecy policies that prevent staff from informing parents about GSA participation remain in place?

No

8. Should school board meetings be open to the public, except where privacy is legally required?

Yes

9. Should trustees be free to visit schools and publicly share their views on board policies?

Yes

10. Should parents have the final say in decisions affecting their child's education, health, and well-being at school?

Yes

11. Should schools provide clear, objective measures of student learning (e.g., standardized tests and percentage-based reporting)?

Yes

12. Should school boards require parental consent before outside groups or facilitators access students during school time?

Yes

Thanks so much,

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