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Springfield School Board Candidate Survey

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Public funds should be reserved for schools that are governed by a publicly accountable and elected board - How much do you agree with this statement?

Public funds must follow the interests of the public. Elections are how that is accomplished.

Every school should be equipped with the resources to deliver quality education that prepares every child for the future, no matter their color, their background, or their zip code. - How much do you agree with this statement?

ALL students deserve a quality education.

School district employees and students should be safe, respected, appreciated, heard, and have the resources they need to succeed. - How much do you agree with this statement?

It is impossible to foster academic success without these things.

The right of workers to join unions to negotiate fair wages, benefits, and working conditions without employer interference should be protected. - How much do you agree with this statement?

The teachers union is a way to consolidate voices of many teachers into one productive voice.

All workers should earn a living wage of at least \$15 per hour. - How much do you agree with this statement

We are seeing the average hourly rate surpass that number already. Mandating businesses to comply is not something i support. The market will dictate wages.

Workers should have access to earned sick time and family leave to care for themselves and loved ones in times of crisis. - How much do you agree with this statement?

Every Springfield resident should have a safe, accessible, and truly affordable place to call home. - How much do you agree with this statement?

We should take care of our neighbors.

Springfield Public Schools should prioritize contracts with businesses who pay at or above prevailing wage rates and have a proven track record of respecting and protecting workers on the job. The district should prioritize contracts with businesses that employ local workers who have access to apprenticeship training. - How much do you agree with this statement?

Springfield Public Schools has a fiduciary duty to the district. This means making whatever decision is best for the district.

School district leaders should champion policies that eliminate racial disparities/injustices in hiring and employment practices, educational opportunities, curriculum, and discipline, as well as in income, public health and safety. - How much do you agree with this statement?

We must hire people that are the best at their job. We must eliminate any discrimination based on the criteria above.

Is there anything else you would like for us to know?

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