

BARRY HOLLICK In-City Subdivision

I am seeking re-election to the Public School Board because I believe my educational background and experience are valuable assets that allow me to contribute to the ongoing success of our school division.

I am a lifelong resident of Prince Albert and I have had a lengthy association with our Public School system – as a student, as a teacher, and presently as a trustee.

Having attended the University of Saskatchewan, I received my Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Education, and Master of Education degrees. During my career, I have acquired valuable experience through my involvement in educational organizations. Locally, I served as President of the Prince Albert Teachers' Association; provincially, I served as a councillor with the Saskatchewan Teachers' Federation; and nationally, I acted as a children's advocate for the Canadian Teachers' Federation. Presently, I am a member of the University of Saskatchewan Senate.

Being active in one's community provides a trustee with a broad perspective of local needs. I served for four years on the Cuelenaere Library Board and five years on the City Transit Advisory Committee. I am a member of the Kiwanis Club and the local Superannuated Teachers' Chapter. I have also served on the Music Festival Board and have been a Meals-on-Wheels volunteer for eleven years.

For the last five years, I have had the honor of serving as Chairman of our Public School Board. During that time, we have introduced initiatives that will benefit our students and our community, such as the introduction of student trustees and the creation of a registered Foundation. This year, our provincial government has put forward "transformational change", currently undefined. I will devote my energies to ensure that any change that occurs will be positive for our students.