

## Sandra Hutton

### Write-In Candidate for South Middleton School Director



I'm running as a write-in candidate for South Middleton School Director for one simple reason, to ensure our district continues to provide the best education possible so *all* students have an opportunity to succeed.

As the mother of a SMSD graduate and grandmother to a current elementary student, I care deeply about the quality of education our students receive and want to do more to support the teachers, staff, and parents who make it possible.

As a single mom, I instilled in my kids the belief that a good education was key to their success. We found that in South Middleton. My son, for example, received an education here that allowed him to go on to college and have a successful career in the culinary arts. Now, I want to make sure my granddaughter, and *all* our students, have the same opportunity to succeed by offering the best educational experience we can.

I also want voters to have meaningful choices when they consider new school directors, not just partisan candidates running to promote personal political agendas. As a local small business owner, I pride myself on getting things done through creative problem solving, being held accountable to my customers, and making ends meet by living within my means. My husband is retired, which adds another perspective to my candidacy since we are closer to being taxpayers living on a fixed income. I intend to bring all of these perspectives with me to the School Board while working to find common ground and offer common-sense solutions.

If elected, my priorities will be:

- Return students and teachers to safe, in-person learning;
- Ensure SMSD continues to be the best and provides a quality education for *all* students;
- Make decisions based on what's best for students, teachers and parents—not political parties;
- Give parents and taxpayers an advocate and voice on the School Board;
- Ensure SMSD remains on sound financial footing and make smart financial decisions that are accountable to students and taxpayers.

There is already too much division and political discourse in our society—we don't need more of it on the School Board. I'm running as a non-partisan candidate and to give back to the community and school district that gave my family the opportunity to succeed. I would appreciate your consideration and vote as a write-in candidate for School Director in the May 18<sup>th</sup> Primary.



To support Sandra Hutton as a **write-in candidate** in the **May 18<sup>th</sup> Primary**, check the "write-in" candidate box under the **School Director** section of your ballot and write/type her name as "**Sandra Hutton.**" Be sure to spell it exactly as it appears above. **Democrats and Republicans** can write in Sandra on their ballot.