

MULTNOMAH COUNTY CANDIDATE'S STATEMENT FOR COUNTY VOTERS' PAMPHLET

ELECTION DATE: May 15, 2007 Original Statement
 Amended Statement

Name of Candidate (as it will appear on ballot) Michele Schultz Address 708 SE 15th Avenue 97214

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Filing for: Office of Director
Name of County/City/District Portland Public Schools
Number of Position/Zone if applicable Zone 2

This information furnished by (Name of Candidate or Committee as it should appear in voters' pamphlet)
Michele Schultz

- Attached to be included in the Candidate's Statement for the candidate listed above:**
- Required information (see Page 3)
 - Occupation (present employment paid or unpaid), or the word "None"
 - Occupational Background (previous employment paid or unpaid), or the word "None"
 - Educational Background, or the word "None"
 - Prior Governmental Experience (elected or appointed), or the word "None"
 - Optional Information (see Page 4)
 - Statement(s) of Endorsement, if applicable (number filed: 4)
 - Photograph

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By signing this document, I hereby state:
All information provided by me on this form (MCED 009) is true to the best of my knowledge and the photograph I have provided, if any, is less than four (4) years old.

Michele Schultz 3/19/2007
Signature of Candidate or Agent on behalf of Candidate Date Signed

Phone Number of Agent (if applicable) _____
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**Michele Schultz – PPS Board of Education Candidate – Zone 2
Voter's Pamphlet Information – 3/19/2007**

Occupation – Present Employment: (paid and unpaid)

Consultant, The Northwest Academy (Development); President, PTSA, Winterhaven School;
Parent of two PPS students

Occupational Background: (paid and unpaid)

Non-Profit Executive (6 years); Mental Health/Crisis Triage – Management & Training (6 years);
Special Education Advocate (6 years); Parent Educator (5 years);
School Volunteer Leader (5 years)

Educational Background:

Boston College, MSW in Administration; Wesleyan University, BA

Prior Government Experience – Elected or Appointed:

Maine - Interdepartmental Coordinating Committee for Preschool Handicapped Children;
Bureau of Children with Special Needs; County Committee on Transition

Optional Information:

Michele will bring to the Portland School Board:

- ◆ **an authentic voice for parents & their children**
- ◆ **20 years experience in social work**
- ◆ **excellent communication skills**
- ◆ **commitment to “bottom-up” instead of
“top-down” decision-making**

I would be honored to serve the 46,350 students in PPS by volunteering my time for the School Board. ~ Michele Schultz

Advocate of the Year ~ Maine Assn. of Directors of Services for Children with Exceptionalities

WE ENDORSE MICHELE!

“With her long history of community service, she is a natural fit for PDX School Board. She brings the **leadership skills, experience and dedication** essential to the success of our kids, our schools and the Board.” (Melissa Rowe-Soll, PPS Parent)

“Michele brings a **calm perspective and steadying influence** to any group. I have long been impressed with her political and organizational prowess.”
(Leslie Jones, Realtor; Managing Broker, Former Winterhaven Site Council Chair)

“Michele has a style that is **effective, efficient and collaborative**. Her skills and personality proves she is a natural leader!” (Diane Lia, Former Colleague)

“In order to create the most effective change in an organization, everyone in the organization needs to understand where there is dissatisfaction, what the future vision is and what the next steps will be. Michele’s understanding of the **importance of community involvement** when making decisions about public education would be of great benefit to the Portland School Board.” (Mark Hamilton, Consultant)

MICHELE SCHULTZ
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