

Downers Grove Community Advocates



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DOWNERS GROVE COMMUNITY ADVOCATES ANNOUNCES ENDORSEMENTS

The Downers Grove Community Advocates announced the candidates they have endorsed for the election on April 5. "After listening to the candidates' presentations and answers to our questions at our caucus, studying the background questionnaires submitted by each candidate, and discussing each candidates position on the issues, our choices were unanimous," said Stephen Daniels, DGCA president

Candidates have been evaluated by the ability to serve, the knowledge of issues, and the commitment to represent the entire community fairly and honestly. The DGCA is endorsing three candidates for village council: Marilyn Schnell, Martin Tully, and William Waldack.

Marilyn Schnell has proven her integrity during her years on the council. She is knowledgeable and she does her homework. Her responsiveness to citizens' interests has made her a valuable member of the council.

Martin Tully frames the issues before the council for the public. He is well-prepared and experienced. He has shown leadership on important, complex issues, and is a conscientious member of the council.

William Waldack would be an independent voice on the council. He has experience and knowledge gained from years as a volunteer in community and village affairs. His professional experience in finance and budgets would bring a useful expertise to the council.

The DGCA is endorsing two candidates for the Downers Grove Park Board: Bob Gelwicks and Cathy Mahoney.

Bob Gelwicks, appointed to the park board, shows a deep understanding of the Park District's mission. He brings a careful and reasoned approach to the issues facing the parks. He has vision and new ideas for the future.

Cathy Mahoney has a strong commitment to the parks. She is knowledgeable about park issues. She will be an enthusiastic advocate of all facets of the park district: organized recreation, passive parks, and programs.

The Downers Grove Community Advocates is hosting a reception for the endorsed candidates, and the candidates endorsed by the School Board Caucus on Sunday, March 20 at 2:00 p.m. at the Downers Grove Public Library, 1050 Curtiss. For more information, please visit DGCA website at www.dgcadvocates.org.

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