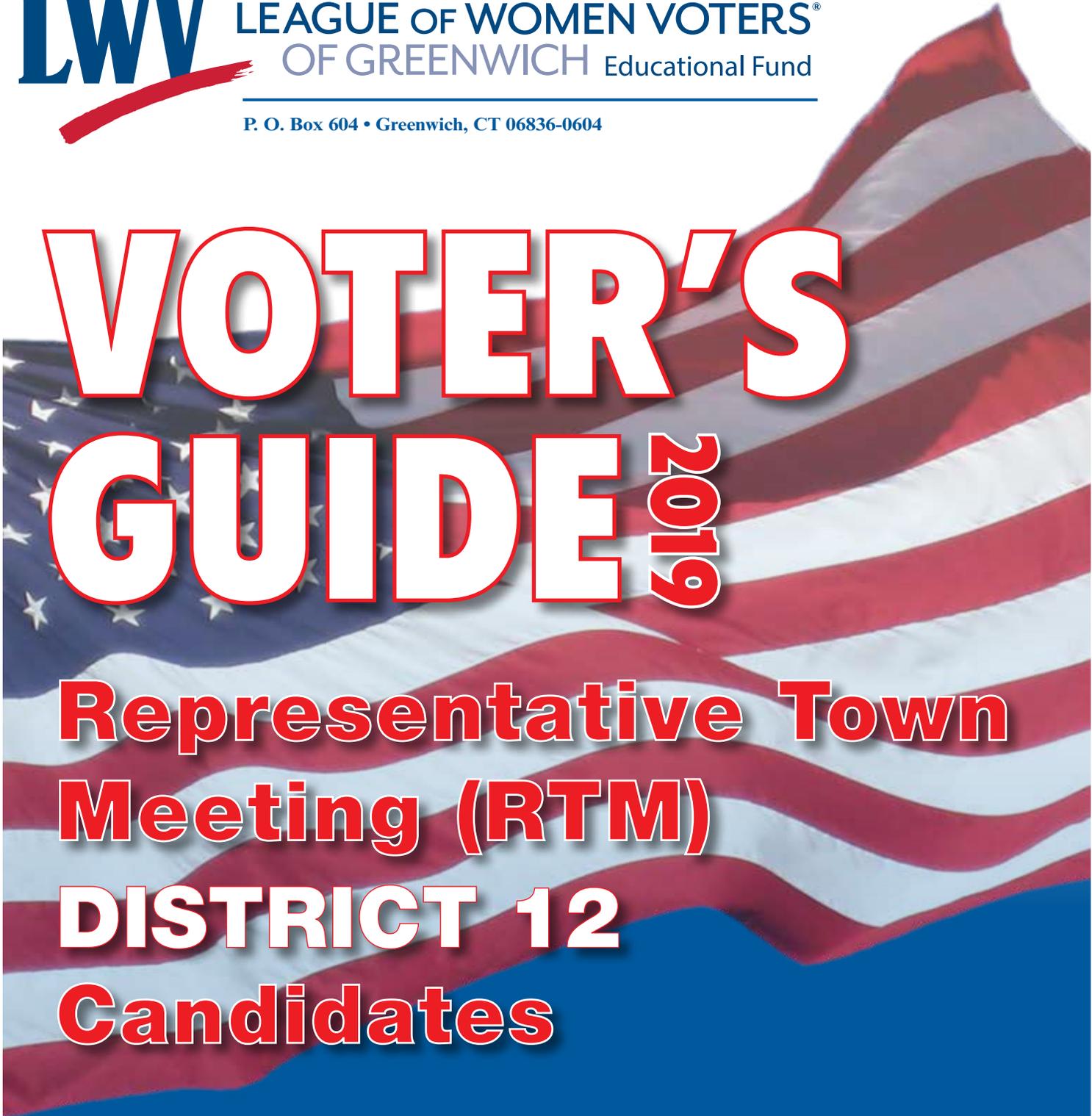




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Representative Town Meeting (RTM)

DISTRICT 12

Candidates

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Representative Town Meeting

2-YEAR TERM (UNSALARIED)

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DISTRICT 12 - Havemeyer

Polling Place:
North Mianus School Gymnasium
309 Palmer Hill Road
Riverside

Vote for 22 or Less

Hajime J. Agresta **P-NEW**
Thomas Agresta
Francia Alvarez **Petition**
Craig W. Amundson
Glen A. Canner
Jeffrey W. Crumbine **P-NEW**
David de Milhau
Ryan M. Fazio **P-NEW**
Mary C. Flynn
Barbara Galton Hindman
Mary A. Keller
Paula Legere Mickley **P-NEW**
Aaron J. Leonard
Robert T. May
Miriam Mennin
Ellen Murdock
Jocelyn Y. Riddle **P-NEW**
Joseph S. Smith, Jr. **P-NEW**
Jane S. Sulich **P-NEW**
Donald T. Whyko
Andrew S. Winston **Petition**

See detailed candidate information on following pages.



Agresta, Hajime J.

674 River Road
Cos Cob 06807

Occupation: Software Engineer

Biography: I was born in Greenwich Hospital. I have lived here my whole life so I came up through the Greenwich Public School system. I then went to the Rochester Institute of Technology to

learn how to code and now I work full-time up in Ridgefield.

Q: Why are you running for RTM?

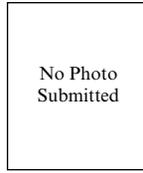
I love this town, I have lived here my whole life and I would like to keep living here. I hope that being in the RTM I can do my part to serve District 12 and Greenwich as a whole. I have attended some town meetings in the past and I would like the chance to be more involved in the process so I can help keep Greenwich one of the best places to live in the United States.

Q: What are the three most important issues facing Greenwich voters today?

Our schools are some of the best in state and making sure they stay top notch and up to date should be a top priority. Our parks are amazing and are part of what make Greenwich so attractive, so we should make sure we take good care of our parks. Making sure we both spend to improve the town and spend responsibly so we can keep improving on what we have while making sure current residents can still afford to live here.

Current RTM committee assignment:

Number of terms served on RTM: 0



Agresta, Thomas

North Mianus
Greenwich 06807

Occupation: Employed

Biography: I've enjoyed living in North Mianus with my wife for over 25 years. Our three children attended Greenwich Public Schools K-12: North Mianus,

Eastern, and GHS.

Q: Why are you running for RTM?

I am running for the RTM because I want not only to maintain, but help make necessary improvements to our town.

Q: What are the three most important issues facing Greenwich voters today?

Schools

Facilities

Taxes

It is important for us to maintain the excellence of our public schools, move forward with facility improvements, and continue the predictability of our taxes without creating an undue burden on the taxpayer.

Current RTM committee assignment: Budget Overview Committee

Number of terms served on RTM: 2

Alvarez, Francia

Did not reply



Amundson, Craig W.

27 Riverside Lane
Riverside 06878

Occupation: Financial Advisor. I own and operate a retail financial advisory firm located in Westport, CT.

Biography: I am a long time resident of the Town of Greenwich, having resided in various parts of town since 1977. For the past thirty four years, I have lived in the Riverside section of town, where we raised our three children. My wife is a Registered Nurse at Greenwich Hospital.

Q: Why are you running for RTM?

For many years I had an interest in serving in some way within the Town of Greenwich and giving back to our community. In the past, I have served as a volunteer Insurance Counselor for the Greenwich Commission on Aging. I have served on the RTM for the past two terms and been part of the Public Works Committee as well as serving as the Public Works liaison to the MISA Building Committee. I would like to continue my involvement with this important body as we participate in the continued growth of our community.

Q: What are the three most important issues facing Greenwich voters today?

1. We must continue to make the needed infrastructure updates and improvements throughout town, with particular attention paid to our schools, bridges and emergency services.
2. As our beloved town continues to evolve, we must make sure that our elected officials support the work to preserve the character and charm that made Greenwich the place we chose to make our lives.
3. As with other communities, we must continue to move forward applying the same principles of fiscal responsibility that have helped us maintain the quality of life and financial stability we so enjoy.

Current RTM committee assignment: Public Works Committee

Number of terms served on RTM: 2



Canner, Glen A.
1465 East Putnam Avenue #123
Old Greenwich 06870
Occupation: Attorney At Law
Biography: Tufts University B.A. 1975. University of Connecticut School of Law J.D. 1979. Resident of Greenwich since 1981. RTM member since 2009.

Q: Why are you running for RTM?
Community service. I've been a lawyer for 40 years. Serving on the RTM Legislative & Rules Committee and Claims Committee for past 10 years has allowed me to give back to the community I've called home since 1981.

Q: What are the three most important issues facing Greenwich voters today?

- 1. Ensuring that Greenwich Public Schools remain the best in the State.
- 2. Preserving our wonderful parks and recreation areas.
- 3. Keeping taxes low.

Current RTM committee assignment: Legislative & Rules Committee / Claims Committee

Number of terms served on RTM: 5



Crumbine, Jeffrey W
28 Loading Rock Rd
Riverside 06878
Occupation: Firefighter and Small Business Owner
Biography: Hello! I was born in Greenwich Hospital, raised in Glenville, and now my wife Elise DiVincenzo Crumbine (also a Greenwich Native) and I are raising our two boys Hunter

and Chase in District 12. I'm a professional firefighter with the Greenwich Fire Department and a small business owner. Thanks!

Q: Why are you running for RTM?

I'm running for one very simple reason: I love my hometown. I want the best for my town and those that live within it. I feel that it's my turn to give back to the town that has given me so much. I'm 41 years old, a professional public servant, a father of two boys, and I feel it's my turn to step up and lend a hand.

Q: What are the three most important issues facing Greenwich voters today?

- 1) Appropriate spending
- 2) Planning and zoning
- 3) Public Safety

Current RTM committee assignment:

Number of terms served on RTM: 0



de Milhau, David
94 Silo Circle
Riverside 06878
Occupation: Retired, Investment Banker specializing in municipal bonds
Biography: I grew up in Greenwich, Riverside. I attended Riverside School and Brunswick and graduated from Gettysburg

College. After completing my education, I worked as an investment banker specializing in municipal finance. I am retired. I also advocate for voter rights.

Q: Why are you running for RTM?

The members are really good people. It is an uplifting experience for me to participate with them in a grassroots representative government. I believe that the Greenwich community and culture is outstanding. I want to work to preserve the traditional character and culture of Greenwich. I am excited about the changes the RTM Town Legislature is making. The changes will make it easier for citizens to get information and participate in town government. This initiative was prompted by a league of women Voters of Greenwich survey.. I can be reached at DEMILHAU@icloud.com.

Q: What are the three most important issues facing Greenwich voters today?

- One, Keeping taxes low.
- Two, Getting good value for our tax dollars.
- Three, Preserving and enhancing the traditional character of Greenwich.

Current RTM committee assignment: Town Services Committee, Deligate. Budget Overview Committee, Alternate

Number of terms served on RTM: 6



Fazio, Ryan M.
25 Cary Road
Riverside 06878
Occupation: Commodity Trader
Biography: I am a Greenwich native and product of our public schools. I played baseball, edited the newspaper, and debated at the High School. After college, I moved back and have worked

seven years trading commodities, volunteered for local schools, studied and written about state and local public policy.

Q: Why are you running for RTM?

I am running for RTM because I love my town and want to help preserve what is good about it and make it even better for the future. We will face headwinds going forward due to a stagnant state economy and increasing taxes and regulations coming down from Hartford. In order to keep our town strong, civic leaders and town government will need to be vigilant and innovative in supporting all residents. I will work together with anyone and everyone to find solutions to the issues facing our town and improve it for years to come.

Q: What are the three most important issues facing Greenwich voters today?

- There are at least three policy imperatives for Greenwich:
First, to keep the mill rate and debt levels low and manageable. Fiscal responsibility will support home values and reduce cost of living.
- Second, to support the local economy and revitalize downtown, while simultaneously maintaining quality of life and the basic character of the town. These policies will broaden the tax base and also keep Greenwich a destination.
- Third, to find innovative solutions to improve public assets and social services in town and protect our great environmental resources, which will help all residents across our town.

Current RTM committee assignment:

Number of terms served on RTM: 0



Flynn, Mary C.
64 Northridge Rd
Old Greenwich 06870

Occupation; Real Estate Agent

Biography: My family (husband, two kids) has lived in Greenwich for 23 years. Raised in Garden City and Mattituck, N.Y., I earned a Mathematics B.A. from Holy Cross and am a

licensed real estate agent with Berkshire Hathaway. I've volunteered extensively in our schools, Greenwich Hospital and now on the RTM.

Q: Why are you running for RTM?

Our town is a wonderful place to live but it is facing critical issues and the RTM, one of the largest municipal legislative bodies in the U.S., is an essential, citizen-based tool for addressing them. In the coming years, we'll need to remain fiscally responsible as we undertake projects such as ensuring the sustainability of the Nathaniel Witherell skilled nursing facility and rehabilitating our aging public school infrastructure. For example, the renovation of Cardinal Stadium into a safe, modern arena will be complicated and I'm committed to providing informed, reasonable oversight that represents the interests of the people I serve.

Q: What are the three most important issues facing Greenwich voters today?

1. The Witherell has long been a vital support for town residents as they age. We need an economically viable model to secure its future and reduce the \$1 million shortfall now covered by the town. But the answer is not to sell the facility to a for-profit entity, as some propose. Any short-term gain would be offset by a loss of control and potentially higher costs for the residents it now serves.
2. The redevelopment plan for the Greenwich railroad station needs to be re-negotiated to better protect the town's interests.
3. School renovations are needed throughout the district.

Current RTM committee assignment: Education Committee

Number of terms served on RTM:



Hindman, Barbara Galton
59 Hillcrest Park Road
Old Greenwich 06870

Occupation: Realtor, Sotheby's International Realty

Biography: Greenwich resident for 32 years, District 12 RTM member since 1996 (currently Vice-Chair), Greenwich Realtor since 1996. Community volunteer past/present: PTA Boards of

North Mianus Elementary, EMS, GHS; Greenwich Scholarship Association Board; Pacific House; Meals-on-Wheels; American Red Cross disaster services. Graduate of Harvard College and Harvard Business School.

Q: Why are you running for RTM?

I am invested in preserving the vibrancy and character of Greenwich as my husband and I both work in in this town and have raised three children here. I recognized the importance of the Greenwich RTM while Co-President of the North Mianus School PTA. I have built my knowledge of our town through my RTM Service on the Education Committee, ISD Building Committee, 2009 Moderator's Committee on Governance, and in my current position representing District 12 on the Appointments Committee. As a realtor, I have an interest in maintaining Greenwich as the best place to live.

Q: What are the three most important issues facing Greenwich voters today?

Education. Provide funding to keep Greenwich at the forefront of educational excellence. Priorities are attracting/retaining the highest quality teachers and administrators, maintaining class size, and utilizing technology. Infrastructure. Commit capital to replace obsolete facilities, and to improve and maintain public buildings. Investment in infrastructure is key to supporting property values and attracting new residents. Public/private partnerships should be utilized when appropriate.

Environment: Allocate resources to keep our air, water and soil clean. Investments should be made in public transportation, preservation of open space, and clean-up of toxic soil. Recycling and banning plastic bags are examples of our environmental focus.

Current RTM committee assignment: Appointments Committee

Number of terms served on RTM: 12



Keller, Mary A.
20 riverside lane
Riverside 06878

Occupation: Registered Nurse Public Health

Biography: 27 year resident of Greenwich working in the community and raising a family. Graduate of Columbia University. Graduate of Mailman School of Public Health

Columbia University

Q: Why are you running for RTM?

To represent the Riverside community and Greenwich in choosing wise paths for the future of our community and for our children

Q: What are the three most important issues facing Greenwich voters today?

- Education
- Environment
- Fiscal Responsibility

Current RTM committee assignment: Health and Human Services

Number of terms served on RTM: 1



Legere Mickley, Paula
5 Nimitz Place
Old Greenwich 06870

Occupation: Accountant

Biography: I've lived in town for 24 years, and have two daughters Lauren and Sarah who were born and raised here. My husband, Brian, grew up in Greenwich and his family has been a

big part of this community for about 45 years.

Q: Why are you running for RTM?

In my time here I have found the spirit of this community is in those who volunteer their time to better the town. My family is who we are partially because of the people we've met and worked alongside while volunteering in this community. I decided to run for a position on the RTM because this is who we are, a community that flourishes when all of us come together to build a stronger community for our young, old, families, as well as the business community that make us so unique.

Q: What are the three most important issues facing Greenwich voters today?

For me a success story for a town is when those who are raised there want to come back and raise their children there. I have many neighbors that fall into that category, as well as my husband, this is a story that I hope we continue to hear in the future. With this mindset in mind, I think the town needs to focus on our schools, having a friendly economic environment, and safety, those things that keep Greenwich as the town that people and companies come to and want to stay, not just for now, but for generations.

Current RTM committee assignment:

Number of terms served on RTM: 0

Leonard, Aaron J.
Did not reply



May, Robert T.
6 Nimitz Place
Old Greenwich 06870

Occupation: Retired sales executive.

Biography: I have spent most of my life living in Havemeyer Park. My wife, child and I were educated in the Greenwich Public Schools. After graduating college I served in the military.

Returning to Connecticut, I commuted to NYC and worked as a sales executive in the cosmetic and pharmaceutical industry.

Q: Why are you running for RTM?

I have found that serving on the Greenwich RTM has been a meaningful opportunity to give back to the community which has provided such an excellent quality of life for my family and I.

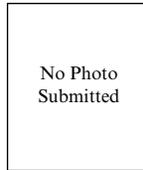
Q: What are the three most important issues facing Greenwich voters today?

1. Supporting and maintaining the quality of life issues, including education, public safety and recreation, which make Greenwich the great community it is to live in.
2. Keeping property taxes at a reasonable level and any increases to a modest, predictable rate.
3. Adopting and enforcing a Plan of Conservation and Development (POCD) which preserves and enhances the character of the town we enjoy today.

Current RTM committee assignment: Finance

Number of terms served on RTM: 18

Mennin, Miriam
Did not reply



Murdock, Ellen
110 Hillcrest Park Road
COS COB 06807

Occupation: Retired Educator

Biography: Employment: Greenwich Board of Education - Teacher at Hamilton Avenue and Cos Cob Schools, PepsiCo/ Pepsi-Cola - Benefits/Pension Analyst. Education: Southern

Connecticut State University - Sixth Year Degree Educational Leadership, Manhattanville - Masters in Education, Pace University - Bachelor Business Administration. Volunteering: President Hillcrest Park West Association, Community and Police Partnership

Q: Why are you running for RTM?

As an incumbent member of the RTM, I want to continue to ensure and enhance: Quality of life for all residents; Preservation of the health of our unique natural environment; An exemplary public school system that optimizes the educational outcomes of all students; High caliber of services provided by the public safety departments for town residents; Demonstration of fiscal responsibility for taxpayers in Greenwich; Communication between constituents and the representatives of the RTM; Advocacy for the best interests of the town and residents

Q: What are the three most important issues facing Greenwich voters today?

- The three most important issues facing Greenwich voters today are:
- Monitoring the financial impact on Greenwich's budget and taxpayers as a result of the continuing dire financial situation of the State of Connecticut.
 - The Town's budget process will continue to be an annual challenge to keep taxes low while determining the essential priorities that are necessary to provide a quality of life for all residents.
 - The Town must remain vigilant to continue to protect our natural resources as well as monitoring proposed structures that may or may not fit within our neighborhood community.

Current RTM committee assignment: Health and Human Services

Number of terms served on RTM: 2



Riddle, Jocelyn Y
37 Sheephill Rd #4
Riverside 06878

Occupation: Brand & Marketing Consultant

Biography: Born in NYC to Chinese immigrant parents; moved to Greenwich 8+ years ago with my husband and children for a better family environment. Since graduating from FIT, I've had

20+ years of marketing experience and increasing responsibility on building brands, businesses and teams at private equity start-ups to major corporations.

Q: Why are you running for RTM?

Like almost 40% of Greenwich voters, I'm unaffiliated. The best future is through partnership and not making decisions by party lines but based on what is best in the short & long term for the district 12 registered voters and for the Greenwich Town. The non-partisan RTM provides me the opportunity to give back to the town that's become our home, be active in our community to help maintain what makes this town great and ensure the future for our children. I'm also on the board of local non-profit organizations - Chinese Language School of CT and OCA of Fairfield.

Q: What are the three most important issues facing Greenwich voters today?

The top three issues align with what makes the town great - our schools, parks & recreation and low taxes. The education of our children needs to be top priority, they are our future. Second is maintaining the services the town offers from the parks, beaches, recreational sports and facilities, having safe and healthy environment is also important, its what sets us apart from some other towns. Third is and just as important is fiscal sustainability to keep mill rates low. There needs to be clear priorities, efficient investment and allocation as well as continued accountability for long term growth.

Current RTM committee assignment: Board of Education Alternate (fill vacancy in 2019)

Number of terms served on RTM: 0.5

Smith Jr., Joseph S.
Did not reply



Sulich, Jane S.
11 Elizabeth Lane
Riverside 06878-1302

Occupation: Legal Assistant

Biography: I've been a resident in Town for 30 years and I've been employed by the Greenwich Town Attorney's Office as a Legal Assistant for 20 years. Prior to that, I worked in the

Westchester District Attorney's Office.

I graduated from Skidmore College with Honors and I'm active as an alumni.

Q: Why are you running for RTM?

I'm extraordinarily interested in the various issues occurring in Greenwich. I would like to be able to be involved in the important matters that face us in Greenwich and also be instrumental in making a difference.

Q: What are the three most important issues facing Greenwich voters today?

Greenwich has a real problem with the increased traffic and difficulty parking in Town. It has become a real concern for the businesses and residents and needs to be improved upon.

Education is an extremely important issue. It's imperative that Greenwich maintain and continue improving upon its excellent school system.

It's important that we make sure that the financial responsibility and accountability is handled in the best way possible for all Town residents.

Current RTM committee assignment:

Number of terms served on RTM: 0

Whyko, Donald T.
Did not reply

Winston, Andrew S.
Did not reply