

# The Unions of U-46 are proud to announce our endorsed candidates for the April 2 School Board Election

*Mark your calendars – early voting begins March 18!*

## Kate Thommes

“I am a teacher, parent, and active member of the U-46 community who works to support our district, its staff, students, teachers, and parents. As a special needs parent, I firmly support inclusion as the first option for all students.”



- Mother of three U-46 students (currently in Dual Language, ILP, and Academy programs at Streamwood High, Larkin High and Otter Creek)
- ELL instructor at Elgin Community College
- Co-chair of two Citizens' Advisory Council committees

[kate4u46.com](http://kate4u46.com)

## John Devereux

“I will continue to be your voice on the U-46 Board.”



As a Board member, John has advocated for equity in education focusing on at-risk and underperforming populations. John believes that supporting teachers = supporting students.

- U-46 Board member since spring 2018
- Father of two sons who graduated from U-46 schools
- 25 years living in the U-46 community
- 30 years experience as an actuary

[jd-u46board.org](http://jd-u46board.org)

## Eva Porter

“My years of dedication to education are a testament to my love of teaching and the well-being of all children.



To be given the opportunity to contribute on the School Board level would be both a personal and professional pleasure.”

- 30 years of classroom teaching in Schaumburg and Elgin school districts
- Current Union member as a retired teacher
- Popular Creek Library Board, Secretary of Finance Committee (overseeing budget of \$5.8 million)

[evaporter4schoolboard.com](http://evaporter4schoolboard.com)

## Sue Kerr

Sue was endorsed by the U-46 unions in 2014, and during her 4-year term, Sue has provided a consistent voice for the students, employees and community members of U-46.



- U-46 Board member since spring 2014
- Prior to serving on the Board, co-chaired a number of Citizens' Advisory Council committees
- Worked as a computer programs analyst at the University of Chicago (now retired)

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