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MARK STANOCH IS THE ONLY MANATEE SCHOOL BOARD DISTRICT 1 CANDIDATE TO SUBMIT REQUIRED NUMBER OF PETITIONS TO APPEAR ON BALLOT

Parrish, FL. Mark Stanoch, Manatee School Board Candidate in District 1, was the FIRST candidate to submit the minimum number of verified petitions to qualify for the August 20th Primary Election Ballot. And now, he remains the ONLY Candidate in ALL School Board races to have done so. As a result, and unlike every other candidate running for Manatee County School Board who must pay a fee, Mark will not "buy" his way onto the ballot.

"On February 28th, I was pleased to receive the Petition Certification Letter from the Manatee County Supervisor of Elections (SOE) informing me that I met the requirement for the minimum number of verified petitions. Last week's SOE notification was even more rewarding, confirming that our grassroots campaign has generated more than 1000 petitions that are verified and accepted. I am grateful to our diverse community for supporting my candidacy, with so many Democrats, Republicans and No Party Affiliated voters joining together to support Commonsense Academic Excellence for ALL Students!"

Mark is the only School Board candidate who is not, nor has he ever been, an employee of the School District. He has a deeper, unbiased, and independent understanding of the challenges that prevent the School District of Manatee County (SDMC) from becoming "A-rated." Mark is continuing to meet District 1 constituents to listen to their ideas and concerns, share information and secure additional support. This is a grassroots campaign, not beholden to any special interests.

"I am not bought and paid for by deep-pocketed special interests nor am I beholden to any national agendas. We must provide approaches that ensure high-quality educational opportunities and outcomes in Manatee County. We must equip and allow teachers to focus on their mission. I am committed to the Academic success of ALL children. Creatively solving challenges is necessary and avoiding distractions is critical if we are to improve and succeed."

Mark believes that People, Process and Technology combine to make complex organizations like SDMC succeed... or fail. He is the only District 1 candidate who has the knowledge, experience, and a track record of success in complex organizations that will help the School District improve.

"We must do better, spend smartly, ensure that teachers are compensated competitively for their efforts, and classrooms are appropriately equipped to be on the path towards academic excellence. Mediocre performance and its acceptance must be replaced: improving student performance and outcomes are my focus."

We WILL do better ... together! Learn more at VoteMarkStanoch.com

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