BOARD OF FINANCE



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Biographical Statement

I have been living in Weston for ten years and currently serve on the Board of Finance. Since moving to Weston, I volunteer with the Weston Boy Scouts including leading fundraising endeavors. I am currently employed as VP of Global Partnership & Business Development at Agility with previous experience managing my own business and working at Nestle and Kraft Foods. Educationally, I received my undergraduate degree from Rutgers University and then my MBA at Villanova.

In your opinion, what is the most significant issue facing Weston today?

I believe that the most significant issue facing Weston today is our infrastructure which includes our schools, roads, bridges, etc. We have started to make progress in these areas by securing bonds to help fund these projects including our current sidewalk project. Continuing to pursue these bonds that assist in our rebuilding our infrastructure is essential. Having the right political leaders in place that are willing to lead through our infrastructure change is critical to the future of Weston.

Why are running for this specific office and what do you bring to it?

I have been serving on the Weston Board of Finance (BOF) for the past six months and want to continue to serve in this capacity to give back to our community. I feel that this position is vital to the infrastructure and stability of Weston. As a member of the BOF, I want to continue to use my ability to listen and learn from others so that all voices are heard as decisions are made. Combining this with my financial experience and ability to work well with others, I feel that I can continue to keep Weston moving forward.

What is the most important issue this board/commission faces and how would you potentially address it?

The most important issue that the Board of Finance is facing is ensuring that our schools are properly funded while balancing that with the ability to afford it with minimal impact on the taxpayer. The main reason that most people move to Weston or stay here is the quality of education that our children receive. We need to make sure that we continue to make our school system attractive to both residents and potential residents. While doing this, we need to make sure that we continue to be mindful of our fiscal responsibilities to the Board of Finance.