2022 Education Minnesota Election Voters Guide for District J

*Education Minnesota is your organization. Be sure to vote.*

Education Minnesota is your organization. Members set policy and determine organizational goals—at the local, state and national level. That is why it is important to vote in election district-level elections.

Members will be electing election district governing board representatives and state-credentialed delegates to the NEA Representative Assembly, which will be held July 2-6, in Chicago. Election district-level elections will be conducted during a 15-day window (weekdays only) beginning Feb. 7 and ending Feb. 25. The number of delegates allowed from each election district will be posted on the ballot. In accordance with the election rules, if the number of candidates is equal to or less than the number of positions to be filled, the candidate(s) shall be declared elected.

Listed in this guide are candidates running for governing board or state-credentialed delegate positions from your election district. All candidates had the opportunity to submit a 300-character statement and/or photograph. The statements of candidates who chose to submit them are listed on this page. If the candidate did not submit a statement or photograph, we have included their name and local.

If you have questions, please contact the elections committee at elections.committee@edmn.org.

Lori Best, chair
Education Minnesota Elections Committee

**Education Minnesota Governing Board**

**Todd Andrix**
Owatonna Education Association
I appreciate your vote for re-election to the Governing Board. As a servant-leader, I want to visit locals/IOs to hear your voices/concerns/new ideas. From Cannon Falls to Zumbrota-Mazeppa; newest teachers to veterans; I will carry your voices and visions to Ed MN. Vote for Todd. Thank you.

**Angela Pedace**
Faribault Education Association
I am excited for the opportunity to return to the EdMN Governing Board as a voice for outstate/rural schools. I teach in Faribault and serve as member rights chair, and I am the president of Cannon Valley Uniserv. I look forward to representing your ideas and concerns at the state level!

**NEA RA State-Credentialed Delegates**

**Angela Pedace (elected)**
Faribault Education Association