

# Lake Forest Caucus

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# Lake Forest Caucus Connection

Remember to vote your support for our Candidate Nominees!  
Mail your ballot by April 15, 2018

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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



The City of Lake Forest encourages dedicated and civic-minded residents to participate in their local government. For 83 years the city has been well served by the nearly 105 non-partisan citizen volunteers serving on city council, two school boards and 20 other boards, commissions and committees.

The Lake Forest Caucus is made up of all registered city voters who annually elect members to serve on the Caucus Committee as their representatives. The 43 members of Caucus Committee are chosen equally from the city's four wards to serve a 3-year term. The committee operates independently and without the influence of outside special interest groups to identify, interview, vet and nominate candidates for election or appointment by city council. The Caucus Committee seeks citizens willing to serve the long-term best interests of Lake Forest without personal agendas.

I encourage all registered voters to carefully **review the enclosed candidate biographies and cast your vote for the Ward committee nominees** who will best serve our residents in the next Caucus term. If you have interest in serving or have a comment or suggestions, we welcome the opportunity to speak with you.

Sincerely,

Peter Clemens  
President 17'-18'

LAKE FOREST CAUCUS PROUDLY PRESENTS THE FOLLOWING CANDIDATES:

## Please vote for candidates in your Ward

### WARD 2



**Kathy Lowell** and her husband Bud have lived in Lake Forest since 1991. They have 4 children who have all graduated from Lake Forest High School. Kathy recently retired after teaching elementary school for 32-years. She obtained her undergraduate

degree in Elementary Education from the University of Wisconsin-Madison and a Masters in Administration and Supervision from Loyola University in Chicago. Both Kathy and her husband grew up in Wisconsin but have lived in Lake County since 1979. Her family has loved their years in Lake Forest and want to ensure we preserve the unique qualities of our community.



**Bill Patterson** and his wife Melanie have lived in the Whispering Oaks neighborhood of Lake Forest since 2014. Their decision was based on an appreciation of the City's commitment to building and sustaining a strong community

through infrastructure, schools, business and recreation while maintaining sound fiscal policies. Bill grew up in the Chicago area and holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Commercial Aviation Flight from the University of North Dakota. He works as an airline pilot for United Airlines based at O'Hare International Airport as a first officer on the Boeing 767/757 aircraft.

### WARD 1



**Dave Schremser** moved to Lake Forest in 1994. A graduate of Lake Forest High School class of 1996. He went on to graduate from Roger Williams University and earned his BS in Construction Management. Dave is currently the Vice President of

Alliance Companies, Inc., and Principal of Integra Builders, LLC. Dave and his wife Angela currently reside in Lake Forest with their two children. Dave is anxious to give back to the community that has given so much to him and his family over the years.



**David Hunt** is a wealth advisor with Bernstein Private Wealth Management in their Chicago office. He advises high net worth families and institutions on a wide variety of investment matters, including tax and estate planning, concentrated stock

positions, and the sale of privately held businesses. Prior to joining the firm, David was CEO and owner of a privately held healthcare manufacturing business. David and his wife, Joi, are Lake Forest residents and have 2 children. David and his family moved to Lake Forest five years ago from Chicago, and are very thankful to call Lake Forest home with all of its educational and community benefits.



**Rob Lowe** grew up in the Northwest Suburbs of Chicago. In 2001, Rob, his wife and two children moved to Lake Forest. A Graduate of Southern Illinois University, Rob holds a Bachelor of Science Degree in Aviation Management and is currently

employed by United Air Lines.



**Lindsey Welu Anderson** has lived in Lake Forest, along with her husband and three girls, since May 2009. Lindsey grew up in Lake Bluff and attended Lake Forest High School. After attending Miami University in Oxford Ohio, Lindsey attended The

John Marshall Law School and is currently in-house counsel for Abbott Laboratories.

Lindsey has served on various committees and boards and is currently a member of the Associate Board of the Lake Forest Open Lands. Lindsey is also an active participant in the Women Leaders of Abbott development committee and co-chair of the Abbott Legal Team's service based program, Serving Our Communities Together. Growing up in this area, Lindsey knows how special it is and she looks forward to this new opportunity to further serve



**Sean Jordan** is a healthcare professional with 20 years of experience in pharmaceuticals and medical devices. He has extensive experience as a leader at several Fortune 50 organizations including Johnson & Johnson, Proctor &

Gamble, and Cardinal Health. He grew up in Massachusetts and relocated his family to Lake Forest 5 years ago. Sean earned a BS in Industrial Technology at Fitchburg State University and a MS in Industrial Engineering from Purdue University. He then went onto earn an MBA with a concentration in Marketing from Suffolk University. He and his wife have two children in Lake Forest schools. He volunteers as a Certified U12 and U14 Head Coach with AYSO and is the Chairperson for the Pack the Pantry food drive program at St. Mary's Church. He believes his fair-minded management approach will be an asset to the organization.

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### WARD 3



**Terry Desmond** and his wife, JoAnn, are twenty-two year residents of Lake Forest's Third Ward. They have two married daughters and three grandchildren. He received a BA in History and Political Science and a Master's in

Administration from Northern IL University. Terry is a former educator and elected DeKalb County Board member and County Clerk. He served as a past President of the Illinois County Officials Association and Advisory Committee for the IL State Board of Elections. He is a retired VP and partner of Governmental Business Systems Inc., an election tabulation and support company. Terry has been a long time member of Rotary International and served as club presidents, including Lake Forest/Lake Bluff Rotary. He is a member of St. Patrick's Parish and Men's Club and serves as a Eucharistic minister. It is an honor to be considered for the Third Ward Caucus Committee.



**David Prell** and his wife, Andrea, moved to Lake Forest from Chicago in 2017. David seeks to join the Caucus with a specific purpose--to continue the tradition of serving the community and making it a better place to live. He works at CBRE and

represents major corporations in site selection and portfolio management of their industrial and office real estate. David's skill set of listening, understanding the definition of success, and utilizing a factual approach with clients across a diverse array of industries to solve business problems will enable him to be a valuable caucus member.



**Bob Worobow** and his wife, Michelle, moved to Crystal Point in 2016 after 40 years in Highland Park. Bob is a seasoned human resources executive, currently the Chief HR Officer at CHP Intl. He has owned his own HR consulting

company and worked for Trustmark, Quill, Baxter and American Hospital Supply Corporation. Bob was a member of the Caucus in Highland Park and was the President of the Highland Park School Board. He enjoys "giving back" and currently serves on the College of Lake County Foundation and the Rolfe Pancreatic Cancer Foundation Boards.

### WARD 4



**Stephanie Cook** and her husband Erik have resided in Lake Forest for 19 years and raised 2 children in the public schools. She is a graduate of Boston College and founder of a successful event planning business, The Creative Planners, providing social, corporate and wedding planning.

Stephanie has been active in various local organizations to include: Spirit of 67, District 67 APT, LFHS APT President, Board at Church of the Holy Spirit. Stephanie is an involved community member and is excited to extend her service to the Caucus.



**Kimberly Pfahl** and her husband Andrew have been living in Lake Forest for 8 years raising their two children. She has 20-years' experience in the information technology industry and is currently Asst. VP at Salesforce. Kimberly has Lake Forest Graduate School of

Management MBA and an honors degree in Mathematics and Info Systems from the University of Waterloo. Kimberly has enjoyed being an active participant in several Lake Forest community programs and looks forward to giving back to her community.



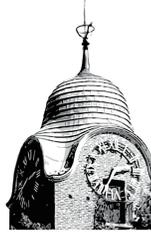
**Curt Kalousek** is a small business owner who grew up in a household where public service was ingrained at an early age. Curt grew to understand the importance of volunteering through scouting (Eagle Scout), Volunteer Search and Rescue with physically and mentally

challenged youth, and recently 9 years with Starlight Children's Foundation. Having moved to Lake Forest in 2015 with his wife Theresa and their daughter, Curt is excited to be involved with the community, leveraging his knowledge and unique skill set with the wants and needs of Lake Forest residents. When he is not growing his business, he can be found sailing the Great Lakes or at Forest Park enjoying the beach.



**Matt Bleck** grew up in Lake Forest and graduated from University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign in 2015 with a degree in Civil and Environmental Engineering. Matt now works for his family's business, Bleck Engineering, in Lake Forest as a Project Engineer. He has

worked with city staff on City developmental activities. Outside of work, Matt is actively involved in the amateur ice hockey community as an on-ice official where he works youth, high school, junior and college level games. He looks forward to giving back to this outstanding community where he grew up.



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### Executive Committee

Peter Clemens, President

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## IMPORTANT TIME SENSITIVE MATERIAL

**YOUR CHANCE TO VOTE!  
CANDIDATE BALLOT ENCLOSED**

## 2017-2018 Caucus Committee

### Ward 1

Bryan Bertola\*  
Tom Parsons  
Mike Adams  
Kevin Carden  
Tracy Barrett  
Caitlin Collins  
Matt Garrity  
Rob Robbins

### Ward 2

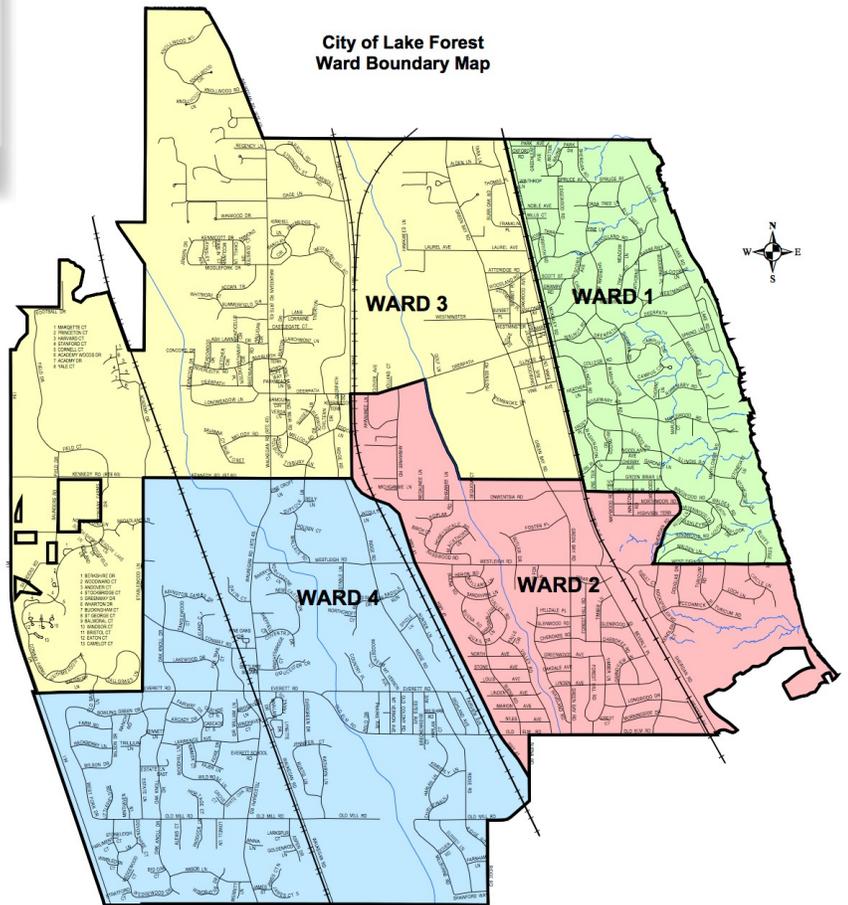
Joe Pasquesi\*  
Sheila Saegh Henretta  
Brian Driscoll  
Geoff Hanson  
Jeff Hinch  
Derek Johnson  
Kathy Lowell  
James Sykora

### Ward 3

Maureen Anger\*  
John Kelley  
Susan Kelsey  
Doug Kinney  
Ann Jones  
Elizabeth Brown  
Martha Zeeman  
Paige Newhouse  
Robert Rubin

### Ward 4

Wendy Rohrs\*  
Justin Engelland  
Erik Feldhaus  
Elizabeth Jakaitis  
Robin Norkus  
Dana Dodd Perry  
Kimmarie Munoz  
Adam Mancuso  
MaryAnn Redding



\* Indicates Ward Chair

