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***If not now, then
when?*** Now is the

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time to become more involved! There is **SO** much change in education and I need your support as I pursue the position of **DSEA/NEA Director**.

My experience includes:

- Being part of a leadership team of teachers that turned around a failing school.
- Recruited to help start a charter school. Saw first hand that charter schools are not the “answer” to the concerns in our public schools.
- A thorough understanding of how neighborhood schools, choice and charter schools have increased the gap between the “haves” and the “have-nots.”
- Witnessing the sadness from students who do not have a parent or guardian advocating for them.
- Leadership positions as Secretary of local (RCEA), member of the DSEA Executive Board, two time NEA-RA delegate, RCEA Negotiations Team

I understand the concerns that affect our districts and wish to represent **DSEA** in this conversation that affects **ALL** of our students. I feel my experiences match up with the issues we are facing and hope, with your help, to become our voice as the next **DSEA/NEA Director**.
Thank you.