



Monongalia County Democrats Endorse Christina Fattore Morgan for Board of Education

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(Morgantown, WV) The Monongalia County Democratic Executive Committee endorses Christina Fattore Morgan for Monongalia County Board of Education.

The Monongalia County Executive Committee rarely provides endorsements for nonpartisan races, but K-12 public education around the country is under attack. As the Committee, we have an obligation to speak up during times like this. We must help elect candidates who will safeguard students' free speech, quality education, and inclusivity. Our schools need more funding, more mental health and social services. Our educators deserve the freedom to actually teach – not subjected to the restrictive policies other school boards around the country are enacting to stifle public education. EVERYONE in our school system deserves a safe environment to learn and work. Who we elect will determine the future for our community.

Christina Fattore Morgan is a clear choice for Monongalia County Board of Education. She is a true believer in safe, quality public education for all: at-risk students, honors students, LGBTQIA+ students, neurodivergent students, students of all religions, and more. Fattore Morgan stands up for teachers and librarians against harmful book bans. She has spoken publicly against the proposed WV legislation that will require schools to allow teachers to carry guns in classrooms – even if local parents and school boards object. She believes in following research – not headlines – to make public education even better. Most of all, she herself is an educator and a mom of two local schoolchildren.



Fattore Morgan says that last part is why she's running for office. "We need more parent representation on the Board. Parents need to have a voice – it's OUR school system. I promise to be that thoughtful voice for parents and students alike because there is absolutely nothing more that I value than our children's education. Public schools are the foundation of a community, and we need to work to keep ours strong."

"Local elections matter and this May's primary election is especially important for Monongalia County," Cal Carlson, County Democratic Chair, says. "It's critical that voters educate themselves on the candidates – and vote for ones like Christina Fattore Morgan who will lead our community towards a better future for ALL our residents. We are proud to endorse Christina for Board of Education."

If you're interested in running for office, supporting a candidate, or for more information, please visit MonCountyDems.org or contact County Democratic Chair, Cal Carlson, at MonCountyDems@gmail.com.

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