

<p style="text-align: center;">STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR EUREKA UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT</p> <p>Name: JEFF CONKLIN</p> <p>Occupation: Eureka Union School District Governing Board</p> <p>Education and Qualifications:</p> <p>Since 2018, it has been my honor to serve on the Eureka Union School District Board. Due to COVID, the last two years have been extremely difficult for our families, teachers, staff, and especially for our students. At every opportunity, I have worked very hard to find a path forward which respects individual rights while protecting our students, families, and employees. I am passionate about keeping our schools open and safe, while providing the best education possible. I will continue to focus all my efforts to be sure EUSD continues to be an outstanding school district. Three of my children attended school in EUSD and had great experiences. I want that same great experience for all our students. EUSD test scores are consistently among the best in the region. This has been, and will continue to be, an important achievement for our district. We have come through very difficult times and we still have much to do. Please vote for me so that I can continue to lead EUSD to be the best TK-8 district in Placer County.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR EUREKA UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT</p> <p>Name: J.R. PARKER</p> <p>Occupation: Attorney/Naval Officer</p> <p>Education and Qualifications:</p> <p>I am the father of three young children, Navy veteran, and attorney. Like many of you, my family and I moved to the area based on the reputation of the Eureka schools. I am passionate about improving the quality of our local schools for our current and future students. Across the country, school board members are facing intense scrutiny. Many parents feel they have little to no say regarding the environment within which their children learn. If elected, I hope to add a calm voice of analytical reason to these critically important discussions. With three young children—ages ten, seven, and four—I am fully vested in ensuring the success of our schools now and into the future. In addition to my work as an energy and environmental attorney, I am a Lieutenant Commander in the U.S. Navy Judge Advocate General's Corps—where I have served on active duty and as a member of the Selective Reserves. In 2019, I deployed to Africa in support of Operation Enduring Freedom. Public service is a central part of my life. If given the opportunity, I would be honored to work towards ensuring that our community has the very best schools possible.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">DECLARACIÓN DE CANDIDATO PARA DISTRITO ESCOLAR UNIDO DE EUREKA</p> <p>Nombre: J.R. PARKER</p> <p>Ocupación: Abogado/Oficial de la Marina</p> <p>Educación y Calificaciones:</p> <p>Soy padre de tres niños pequeños, veterano de la Marina, y abogado. Como muchos de ustedes, mi familia y yo nos mudamos al área basándonos en la reputación de las escuelas de Eureka. Me apasiona mejorar de la calidad de nuestras escuelas locales para nuestros estudiantes actuales y futuros. En todo el país, los miembros de las juntas escolares se enfrentan a un intenso escrutinio. Muchos padres sienten que tienen poco o nada que decir sobre el entorno en el que sus hijos aprenden. Si me eligen, espero aportar una opinión tranquila de razón analítica a estas discusiones de importancia crítica. Con tres hijos pequeños, de diez, siete y cuatro años, estoy plenamente interesado en el éxito de nuestras escuelas ahora y en el futuro. Además de mi trabajo como abogado en energía y medio ambiente, soy Teniente Comandante de la Abogacía General de la Marina de los Estados Unidos, donde he prestado servicio activo y como miembro de la Reserva Selectiva. En 2019, me enviaron a África en apoyo de la Operación Libertad Duradera. El servicio público es una parte central de mi vida. Si se me diera la oportunidad, sería un honor trabajar para garantizar que nuestra comunidad tenga las mejores escuelas posibles.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR EUREKA UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT</p> <p>Name: PHIL ESCAMILLA</p> <p>Occupation: University Professor/Parent</p> <p>Education and Qualifications:</p> <p>As a parent of three children in the Eureka Union School District, I am committed to supporting our students and ensuring that our schools, and the teachers and staff that serve them, are as fully equipped as possible.</p> <p>As a former public school teacher and administrator for a State Department of Education, I have worked with students, as well as teachers and local leaders, to ensure that all children receive the support and resources that they need to be college and career ready.</p> <p>As former legislative staff for California Schools Board Association, I've advocated for school districts while helping them maintain their budgets.</p> <p>As a current chief academic officer, I understand the importance of college readiness, and believe that preparation for a lifetime of success begins when a child starts their education journey.</p> <p>From the K-12 through college levels, I've successfully implemented policies to give students every opportunity to be successful.</p> <p>As a community leader, I have brought different stakeholders together in order to ensure that families and their students are supported and served.</p> <p>I have a track record of working for children and would be honored to do so on your behalf as your school board member.</p> <p>I ask for your vote. www.PhilEscamilla.com</p>