

<b>First Name</b>	<b>Last Name</b>
Christine	Moulaison
<b>Applicant Interest</b>	
<p>Thank you for taking the time to consider my application for Trustee of Zone 10 Somerset/Kitchissippi. I'm excited to have the opportunity to further my impact on the community and ensuring our children receive the best education possible. I have been increasingly engaged in the school board since 2012. With 4 children, it was and continues to be a priority to understand the inner-workings of the education system and help to influence positive change.</p> <p>Over the years my commitment and involvement with the board has been:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Joined South March Public School (SMPS) school council in 2012</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Voted in as the Ottawa Carleton Assembly of School Councils (OCASC) representative for SMPS in 2014</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Voted in as OCASC Liaison Officer in 2016 representing OCASC at the Committee of the Whole meetings</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Voted in as Co-chair at SMPS 2016</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Voted in as Chair at SMPS 2017 and have been re-elected every year since</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Voted in as OCASC co-chair in 2018, reelected in 2019 (current)</li> </ul> <p>As you can see, I have become an increasingly active member, but those are just the positions I've held. The real story is in the community and activities that I've been lucky enough to be a part. From coordinating food drives to assist our community when in need (2018 tornado), meeting with the Ontario Finance Minister during a pre-budget consultation in 2018, to representing OCASC over the last 2 years with local media – I am focused on bringing our children's needs and parents concerns to the forefront of important conversations.</p> <p>My family provides me insight into the different needs of families within the board. As a stay at home mom with four children ranging in age from 4 to 10 currently enrolled, it is of personal importance to support their needs and have a meaningful and positive impact on their education. Particularly as one of my children has an Educational Assistant (EA) to support special health requirements. Because of this I have forged strong personal relationships with both principals and the faculty and am well known across the community for rolling up my sleeves and taking on any challenge. Our children's education, being the voice of parents, and making a difference in our community as highlighted speak to my passion for this role. I believe it is a natural progression of my ongoing engagement and look forward to the opportunity to answer any questions you may have on February 11.</p> <p>Thank you, Christine Moulaison</p>	