

I am a proud 1993 graduate of Wellsville High School with a wide range of experience that lends well to a position on our USD#289 school board of education. I am a business owner, tax payer, veteran, legion member, county planning commission member, State representative, and a husband & father of 6.

Over the past 4 years that I have been on the school board, I have been a part of hiring a new superintendent, focusing on becoming more proactive in building maintenance & technology, organizing a more effective& efficient administration, and bettering communication & moral among teachers, parents, and children. It is my commitment to always be approachable and easy to talk to. It is my belief that school board members represent the tax payers of the USD#289 district and that I am your voice to hold accountable the government school system to which you pay taxes. I also believe there should be a high commitment to mutual respect & consideration between our school district, our city, and county for the ultimate betterment of all.

I was blessed to be elected as the 5th District Representative to the Kansas House in 2013 and this has opened even more opportunities for communication, insight, and foresight as it pertains to our Wellsville schools. I feel every State Representative should have the insight of having served on a school board. It is where the “rubber meets the road” in the way of Federal, State, and Local funds that are allotted for our schools. There are millions of dollars involved, and the future of our children, teachers, retirees, economy, city, and county is at stake. Our school system is better now than 4 years ago, and my goal - with your vote – is to leave it even better 4 years from now.

Kevin Jones