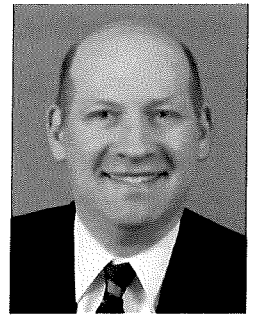




Arnold T. Davis

Local School Council Candidate Statement
Community Representative



As a Council member for the last six years, I have worked tirelessly to make Lake View High School the premier neighborhood high school in Chicago. I promise to make the next two years even better.

As vice-chair of the Local School Council and working with the many talented people in the Lake View High School community, I have played a significant role making Lake View the exciting place it is today, including:

- Hiring Principal Karafiol to lead the school
- Helped secure over \$25 million in renovations to Chicago's oldest high school building
- Helped create a highly collaborative and effective Local School Council that is one of the best in the Chicago Public Schools system
- Co-founded Lake View High School's not-for-profit fundraising organization
- Built strong relationships with elementary schools, elected officials and alumni
- Co-founded the very successful community newsletter program that reaches thousands of people, and regularly attend open houses, GROWCommunity events, beautification days, block clubs and Friends of Lake View High School events

The past six years have seen an incredible surge in interest from the community. The most gratifying part is to see that when people meet Lake View High School students, faculty and staff, they almost always become ambassadors for the school, spreading the word about our incredible school.

Working together with LSC Budget Chair Mary Lubben, who is running for the other community LSC seat, and the rest of the Lake View High School community, I could not be more excited as Lake View High School is a role model for high schools throughout the country to emulate.

I am proud to bring my experience to the Lake View Local School Council, including past chair of the Nettelhorst Local School Council, president of a large community association, board member of the Lake View Citizens Council, an MBA from Northwestern, and working for leading banks and consulting firms for the last 20 years.