

# Voting Guidelines for Board of Education Candidates



The Hudson City School District Board of Education has three (3) Board seats open for re-election on the May 17, 2016 Budget Ballot.

Only two candidates submitted petitions to the school district, therefore voters have the option to cast votes for write-in candidates to fill the third seat (up to three write-in candidates are allowed).

## How to vote for a write-in candidate:

Voters can “write-in” candidates for the Board of Education by writing a candidate’s name in any of the boxes **below the listed candidates** (see example below). Voters can write-in up to three (3) candidates. Voters can select a maximum of three (3) candidates.

OFFICE	1	2	3
	<b>Member of Board of Education</b> (Vote for Three)		
	Candidate 1    1 ○	Candidate 2    2 ○	
	Write-in	Write-in	Write-in

There is one 5-year term (effective 5/17/2016), one 3-year term (effective 06/30/2016) and one partial term seat (effective 5/17/2016 through 6/30/2018). Terms will be decided based on the number of votes received by candidates (i.e., the candidate who receives the highest number of votes will be awarded with the 5-year term, the second most votes will determine the 3-year term, and so on).

Dr. Maria Lagana Suttmeier, Superintendent of Schools  
Leslie Coons, Board Clerk