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Central Ohio school board member receives association's highest honor

COLUMBUS — A Franklin County school board member will receive the Ohio School Boards Association's (OSBA) most prestigious award.

Lee Schreiner, who has served on the South-Western City Schools Board of Education for five years, will be recognized as a 2018 All-Ohio School Board member on Sunday, Nov. 11, during the OSBA Capital Conference and Trade Show in Columbus. OSBA Chief Executive Officer Richard Lewis will introduce All-Ohio School Board members on the first day of the 63rd annual conference, a three-day convention attended by more than 9,000 Ohio public school board members, administrators and other education stakeholders.

Each year, OSBA names one board of education member from each of its five regions — Central, Northeast, Northwest, Southeast and Southwest — to the All-Ohio School Board. The award recognizes outstanding service to public education and represents the dedication shown by thousands of board members across the state.

All-Ohio School Board candidates are nominated by their respective school boards. OSBA regional committees then select the five winners.

Schreiner, a Grove City resident and retired teacher who represents OSBA's Central Region, has been elected twice to the South-Western board and currently serves as its president.

He also is OSBA's 2019 president-elect nominee. If elected by delegates at the Annual Business Meeting of the OSBA Delegate Assembly on Nov. 12 during the Capital Conference, Schreiner will become OSBA president in 2020.

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In nominating Schreiner, colleges wrote: “Lee works tirelessly for public education. He has dedicated his life to it. As a retired educator, he brings invaluable knowledge to his school board position.”

In his district, Schreiner has served on numerous levy and bond committees during South-Western’s ongoing, multiphase Ohio Facilities Construction Commission project. He also tutors South-Western students in reading, writes children’s books and has coached high school and collegiate soccer.

His work with OSBA includes serving as a member of the Board of Trustees, Executive Committee, Central Region Executive Committee, and Federal Relations Network, among others.

In its 63rd year, OSBA leads the way to educational excellence by serving Ohio’s public school board members and the diverse districts they represent through superior service, unwavering advocacy and creative solutions.

For more information, contact OSBA or your local school district.

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Note to reporters, editors: OSBA’s All-Ohio School Board honorees have been told they are receiving the award. Please feel free to contact them for feature stories, comments or photos. Schreiner’s phone number is (614) 871-1538. If you wish to cover the awards presentation in Columbus on Nov. 11, please contact Crystal Davis, whose contact information is at the top of this release.