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District 3, Board Director
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“I will guarantee OUSD designs, delivers, and assesses student experiences and learning opportunities using a racial and social equity lens. Recruit and retain educators of color.”

“All Oakland schools must be held to the same standards, whether OUSD or charter...I support a charter moratorium.”

“Conduct an audit, monitor financial data to reduce mismanagement of OUSD funds, and to restore to a trustworthy budget. Share budget planning and findings with stakeholders regularly and clearly. Ensure the budget process includes an equity lens and adequate for all schools.”

Relevant Experience
- SFUSD teacher
- SF teachers’ union treasurer
- Member of California Teachers’ Association (CTA)
- Leads Black, Indigenous, and People of Color mentoring program (BIPOC)

OUSD Committee Assignment
- Board Liaison to Audit Committee
- Youth Ventures Joint Powers Authority
- Budget and Finance Committee

Schools in District 3
- American Indian Public High School (9-12)
- Civicorps Academy (12-Adult Ed)
- Emiliano Zapata Street Academy (9-12)
- Envision Academy of Arts and Technology (9-12)
- Hoover (TK-5)
- KIPP Bridge Charter Academy (5-8)
- Lafayette (K-5)
- Martin Luther King, Jr. (K-5)
- McClymonds (9-12)
- Oakland School for the Arts (6-12)
- Place @Prescott (TK-5)
- Ralph J. Bunche (11-12)
- Westlake (6-8)
- West Oakland Middle (6-8)
- Vincent Academy (K-5)

GO’s Summary & Hopes
Director Williams did not participate in GO’s endorsement process, but we are hopeful about some of his stated priorities including increased budget transparency and common quality standards for both district and charter schools. We look forward to finding ways to work together.