



To
MCDP County Executive Leadership Council
Attention: Wesley Harris


Date : September 11, 2025

Cc
Erik Daniels
CEC Members (Precint Chairs and Vice Chairs)

MCDP County Executive Leadership Council (and CEC Members),

Thank you for your recent survey and the opportunity to participate in the local democratic party's endorsement process, which has been made available to ensure that the Republican Candidate does win this seat for his party. As we proceed through this process, I would like to address the elephant in the room that will likely interfere with our party's ability to hold on to the School Board District 6 seat that Summer Nunn flipped to our party during the 2022 election. Unlike my democratic opponent, Summer Nunn, did not have a scandalous cloud over her campaign and she did not face any conflict of interest allegations from the Republican Party or news media outlets.

- In a conflict-of-interest case involving an elected official in Davidson County, the North Carolina Supreme Court, quoted Matthew 6:24: "No man can serve two masters. For either he will hate the one and love the other, or he will be devoted to the one and despise the other," to make clear the moral and legal error of any individual who attempts to govern in public office while serving in a contradictory role in private sector. Such is the case with my Democrat opponent (hereafter "Opponent"). Additionally;
- North Carolina's conflict of interest law, N.C. Gen. Stat. § 14-234(a) (2001), mandates that an elected official cannot enter into or benefit from contracts for their own pecuniary gain. This statute was enacted to prevent public officials from using their positions for personal profit and to ensure the ethical use of taxpayer funds. This issue has been spotlighted by multiple media reports since June, connecting my Opponent to a scandal involving questionable CMS contracts tied to Charlotte Works Board Chairman, Raki McGregor, who accompanied my Opponent when she filed for election on July 7, 2025. My opponent is quoted as saying that she entered after being requested to by others in her workforce community.




Currently, there has been a lack of transparency from my opponent and the Charlotte Works Board of Directors regarding how they plan to address this conflict if my opponent is elected to the school board. Specifically, I question whether my opponent intends to resign from HER position at Charlotte Works and forgo her six-figure salary, including profit sharing, on all current and future contracts with CMS, Charlotte Works and their affiliated organizations.

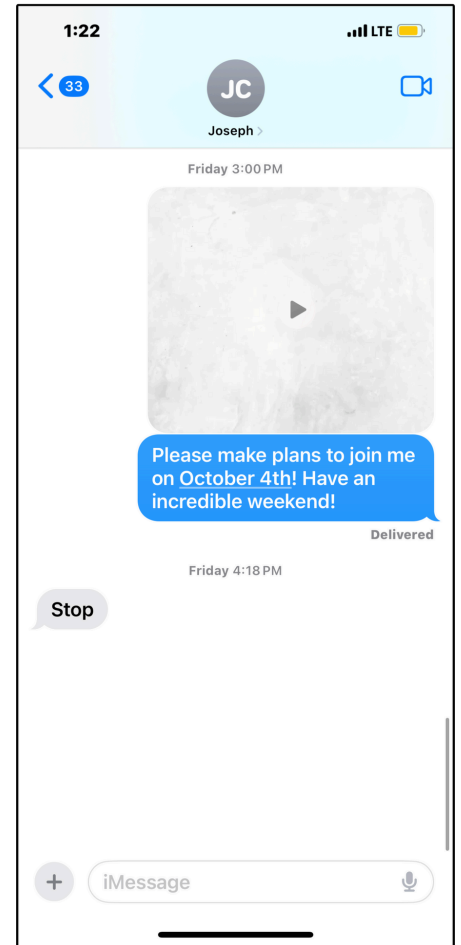
I believe it is imperative that both MeckDems and CEC members understand whether the Charlotte Works board has discussed additional measures to avoid the appearance of impropriety, or if they are seeking a loophole. While Charlotte Works may not prioritize public perception, I believe MeckDems and CEC members should.

The financial risk to Charlotte Works could be substantial if a court determines that the conflict-of-interest law has been violated. I urge thorough consideration of these concerns to uphold public trust and accountability.

Attached, you will find my response to your questionnaire with supporting documentation that demonstrates the importance of addressing the obvious elephant in the room that needs to be resolved as part of this process.



All things considered, it would not be wise for me to share my campaign strategy in this setting.



On September 5th I sent the above invitation to a sitting CEC member to share with members of his precinct.

His response was STOP.

I understand that some members of the CEC may have committed their support of my opponent's campaign at a time when there was no other candidate in the race. However, a person's inability to reconsider the quality of their decision has the odor of cronyism and can have a SPOILER EFFECT on a campaign.

I AM IN THIS CAMPAIGN TO WIN IT and I am our party's best chance of holding onto the non-democratic voters that Summer Nunn brought to our parties campaign in 2022.

School Board Questions: [Toni Emehel, School Board District 6 Responses](#)

1. Please tell us your background and what skills you will bring to the Board?

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2. Why did you decide to run for School Board and not another elected seat?

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3. Do you have a fundraising goal for your campaign?

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- b. Have you received or plan to receive any funding from any Republican or right leaning organizations or individuals? Let's first address the current situation with my opponent. My Democrat opponent enters this race with a scandalous undercurrent that is not easily dismissed. Republicans know it, and the news media is openly discussing it.

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4. How many active volunteers do you have working with your campaign? Let's first address the current situation with my opponent. My Democrat opponent enters this race with a scandalous undercurrent that is not easily dismissed. Republicans know it, and the news media is openly discussing it.

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5. Have you hosted any community events for the district in which you are running?

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6. With the Federal cuts to the Department of Education and USDA what will be your approach to the cuts to the school lunch program?

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Do you have any ideas or plans to find alternative funding streams in order for CMS to be able to continue to provide breakfast and lunch to their students? Let's first address the current situation with my opponent. My Democrat opponent enters this race with a scandalous undercurrent that is not easily dismissed. Republicans know it, and the news media is openly discussing it.

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7. How will you improve the accessibility of education and after school programs, clubs and sports to students in lower income areas, who are mostly black and brown students.

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- c. How can we consistently include students who may not speak English as their first language? Let's first address the current situation with my opponent. My Democrat opponent enters this race with a scandalous undercurrent that is not easily dismissed. Republicans know it, and the news media is openly discussing it.

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8. With threats of gun violence recent reports of ICE staging outside of schools, what plan is to protect both the students, parents and teachers.

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9. With the removal of DEI from many federal programs and departments, what is your vision to keep these important frameworks in CMS schools for both students and staff.

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- b. What does CMS need to do to recruit more teachers of color?

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10. If you are elected to the Board of Education, what committees would you prefer to serve on?

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11. If you were elected to the Board of Education, what would be your number one priority on day one? Please explain.

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12. Why should Mecklenburg County voters vote for you?

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ELECTED OFFICIALS MUST NOT HAVE CONFLICTS OF INTEREST!



ENDORSE

TONI EMEHEL

SCHOOL BOARD DISTRICT 6
Alumna | Parent | Volunteer

Endorsing Toni's Democratic opponent, who also serves as the President and CEO of a CMS Partner organization, could inadvertently pave the way for the Republican party's candidate to win. The Aim High with Toni Campaign is the only Democrat-led campaign in the District 6 race that does not have a scandalous undercurrent or extremist ideals driven by external corporate initiatives.


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FACTS SURROUNDING THE ELEPHANT IN THE ROOM

July 7, 2025 – Democratic opponent files for office and state's her why... "experience in workforce development prompted encouragement from others to run for office."

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Anna London and her niece answer questions from Charlotte media after filing for the District 6 seat on the Charlotte-Mecklenburg Board of Education. Justin Vick/CMG photo

CHARLOTTE – Anna London held her niece as she answered questions from a huddled group of reporters July 7 at the Mecklenburg County Board of Elections about her campaign to become District 6 rep of the Charlotte-Mecklenburg Board of Education.

London, a Pineville resident who serves as president and CEO of Charlotte Works, said her experience in workforce development prompted encouragement from others to run for office.

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A CMS contractor, with close ties to Crystal Hill and Charlotte business leaders, is raising eyebrows by publicly supporting challengers; political payback against critics?

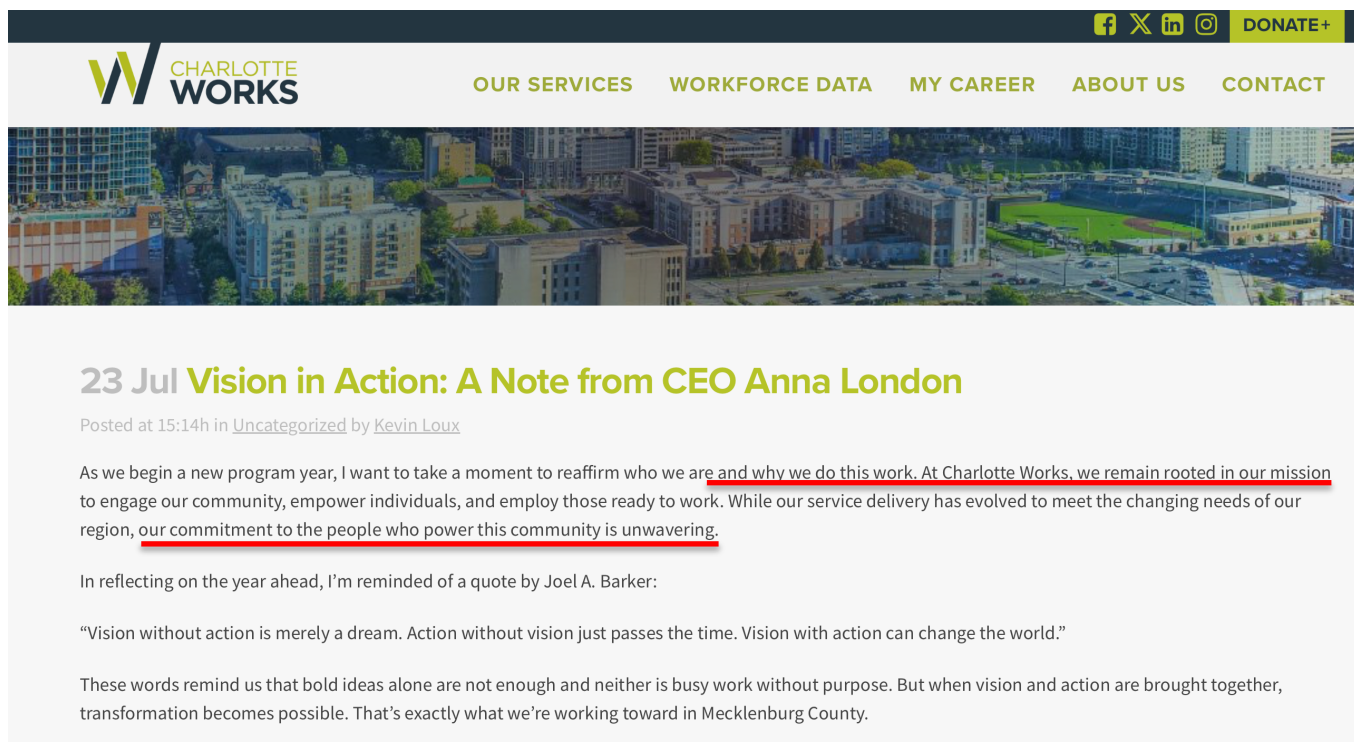
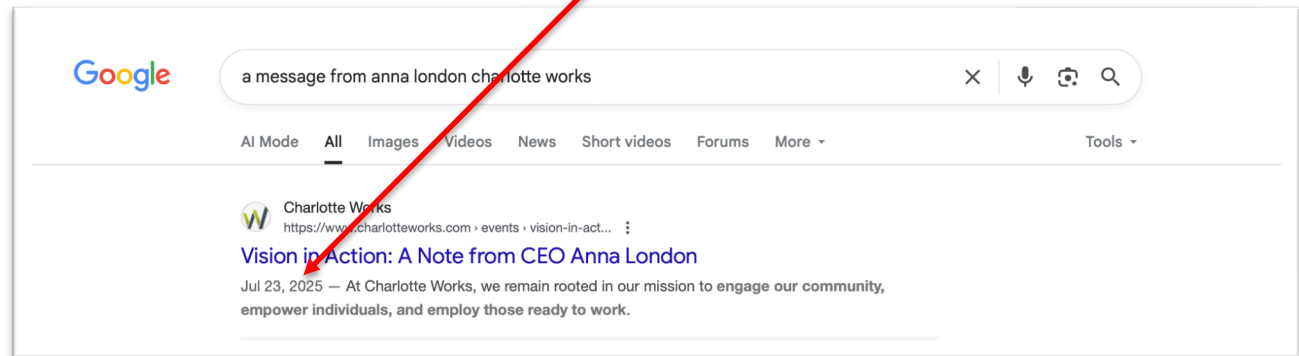


The Charlotte-Mecklenburg Board of Education voted in March to increase the amount of a contract for executive coaching to \$500,000. The husband of the firm's owner is a key advisor to Superintendent Crystal Hill, has ties to key business executives and is publicly supporting two school board challengers in districts where incumbents had opposed the increase to the contract.

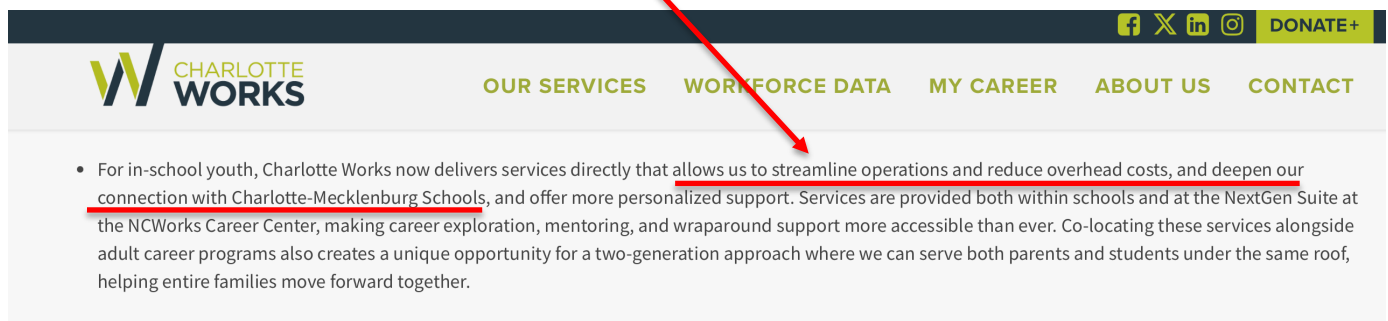


(Raki McGregor of SYDKIMYL Educational Consulting and my opponent on July 7th at the Board of Elections.)

Days after filing for office and on the heels of **three years of declining revenue** for Charlotte Works, my opponent releases the following vision as President and CEO for CMS Partner Organization, Charlotte Works. (Link to full message: <https://www.charlotteworks.com/events/vision-in-action-a-note->



My opponent's focus is her employer Charlotte Works. It is not our schools continuing to be underfunded by our state and federal government. It is not teacher pay. It is getting another contract for Charlotte Works. Her priority two weeks after filing for the school board remains increasing revenue for her employer, Charlotte Works, and reducing overhead for Charlotte Works.



Vision: The PATH Forward

Our action is not without vision and it is designed to impact real change not just pass the time. That's why we are aligning our work with the real-time needs of local employers through a groundbreaking partnership with the Charlotte Executive Leadership Council (CELC).

Through Pipeline Acceleration for Talent & Hiring or PATH, we're connecting hiring managers directly with the ecosystem of partners preparing talent. This isn't just another meeting or data set. It's about building relationships, exchanging insights, and shaping a workforce system that actually works for both employers and job seekers. This initiative is our vision in motion at the intersection of strategy, relationships, and our purpose.

Together, We Can Change the World

Charlotte Works has existed for nearly 30 years. Workforce programs have existed in some form in this country for more than a century. But the real test of our impact isn't longevity, it's progress.

We are not here to pass the time.

We are here to build a better system, but we cannot do it alone. A system where employers and workers meet without barriers. One where career paths are clear and accessible. One where economic mobility isn't just a buzzword, but a reality for families across Mecklenburg County.

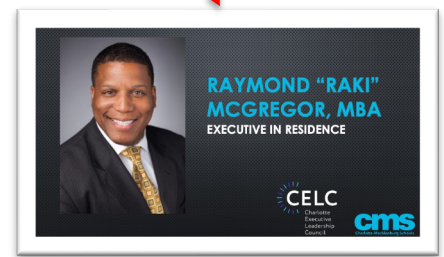
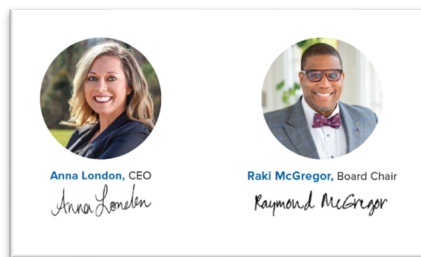
So let us not dream alone, nor act without direction. Let us walk forward, together with a shared vision and with unity in action to truly change the world.

In Service,

Anna London

President & Chief Executive Officer

Charlotte Works



2023 Charlotte Works Tax Returns: Total revenue, \$6,495,210.00 Salaries and compensation \$3,781,513.00 and Total Expenses \$6,556,307.00. My opponent's "reportable" compensation prior to becoming President and CEO of Charlotte Works was \$128,186.00 not including profit sharing or other benefits.

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F Name and address of principal officer: Anna London 8601 McAlpine Park Drive Charlotte, NC 28211		H(a) Is this a group return for subordinates? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No H(b) Are all subordinates included? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If "No," attach a list. See instructions. H(c) Group exemption number			
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Part I Summary					

		Prior Year	Current Year
Revenue	8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	7,586,115	6,495,210
	9 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)		0
	10 Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)		0
	11 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	270,038	270,375
	12 Total revenue—add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	7,856,153	6,765,585
Expenses	13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1–3)		0
	14 Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)		0
	15 Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5–10)	4,206,982	3,781,513
	16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)		0
	b Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) 0		
	17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a–11d, 11f–24e)	3,442,627	2,774,794
	18 Total expenses. Add lines 13–17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	7,649,609	6,556,307
	19 Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12	206,544	209,278

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC/1099-NEC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC/1099-NEC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(1) Anna London COO	40.00 0.00			X				128,186	0	6,284
(2) Danielle Frazier President & CEO	40.00 0.00							114,446	0	3,959
(3) Shemia Williams Chief Programs	40.00 0.00			X				99,497	0	8,459
(4) James Bolling Board Member	1.00 0.00	X						0	0	0
(5) Melissa Wilson Balknight	1.00	X						0	0	0

Board member and Deputy Superintendent of CMS

Board Member	0.00									
(6) Raki McGregor Chairman	1.00 0.00	X		X				0	0	0

Chairman of the Board, Ownership in CMS Partner Sydkimyl Educational Consulting, and Paid CMS' CLEC Executive

Link to Charlotte Works full filing for fiscal year ending June 2024:

<https://projects.propublica.org/nonprofits/organizations/562098251/202403119349300700/full>

CHARLOTTE WORKS

Three years of Declining Revenue

(- \$1,763,601.00)

2021, 2022 and 2023

Schedule A (Form 990) 2023

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Part II Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Sections 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part III.
If the organization failed to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part III.)

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2019	(b) 2020	(c) 2021	(d) 2022	(e) 2023	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grant.") . . .	8,243,407	8,259,732	8,258,811	7,464,115	6,495,210	38,721,275
2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						0
3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge..						0
4 Total. Add lines 1 through 3	8,243,407	8,259,732	8,258,811	7,464,115	6,495,210	38,721,275
5 The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f)						0
6 Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4.						38,721,275

Section B. Total Support

The connection between these parties and the vote against a contract increase for SYDKIMYL Educational Consulting contributed to District 6 losing their school board representative, Summer Nunn.

Aligning The Workforce System For Success

"We are now faced with the fact that tomorrow is today. We are confronted with the fierce urgency of now." Dr. King's words flare up in our minds each day at Charlotte Works, driving us to bring clarity to a once-tangled workforce landscape. Our mission is simple yet bold: **engage, empower, and employ our community.**

In the past year, we've sharpened our vision. We start at the source with employers pinpointing skill demands before linking them to training providers and job seekers ready to rise to the opportunities. This laser-focus on real opportunity eliminates the guesswork, setting the stage for rapid hires and genuine economic mobility.

Yet our work is far from finished. By harnessing technology, data, and a robust network of partners, we aim to forge an ecosystem that lifts every corner of Charlotte-Mecklenburg. Each success story, every barrier broken, every job secured ultimately furthers our conviction that tomorrow's promise must be claimed today. Thank you for standing with us as we push forward, determined to create a city that truly works for all.



Anna London, CEO

Anna London



Raki McGregor, Board Chair

Raymond McGregor



OUR SERVICES

Our Board of Directors

Raki McGregor (Chairman)
SYDKIMYL Educational Consulting

Brandi Newman (Vice Chair)
Atrium Health, now a part of Advocate Health

Cassandra Triggs-Tucker
(Treasurer/Secretary)
Hearst Communications

Monica Allen
City of Charlotte

Melissa Balknight
Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools

Duke Energy

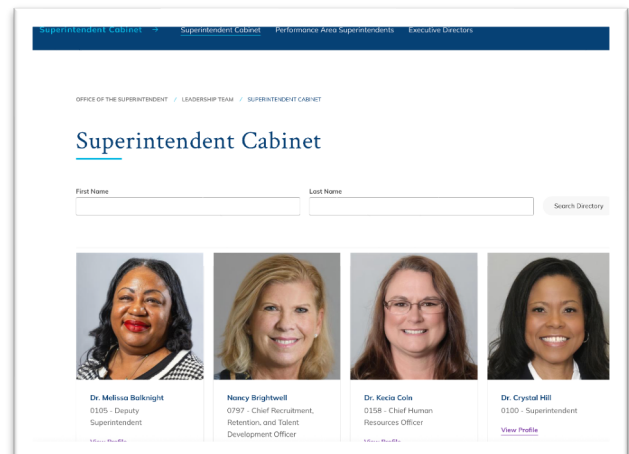
Christine Hollanshead
PSA Airlines

William Haygood
Boundary Street Advisors

Heather Hill
Central Piedmont Community College

Stephanie Hurren
Hornets Sports & Entertainment

Chris Jackson
Goodwill Industries of the Southern Piedmont



Link for full article:
<https://www.wfae.org/education/2025-08-29/charlotte-mecklenburg-schools-signs-new-contract-with-consultant-who-prompted-board-questions>



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Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools has signed a new contract with SYDKIMYL, an education consulting firm whose previous \$500,000 contract with the district prompted questions from some school board members last year.



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Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools signs new contract with consultant who prompted board questions

Link for full article:

<https://www.charlotteobserver.com/news/local/education/article312046183.html>

Republicans are talking about ethics, accountability and my Democrat opponent in the same breathe... and not in a positive way.

EDUCATION

Tensions rise among CMS board members over contract controversy

By Rebecca Noel

September 10, 2025 6:30 AM |  Gift Article





Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools board members in March questioned the effectiveness of a \$500k contract for a consultant. The board OK'd a pay raise in March that brought the contract to its current dollar amount.
Rebecca Noel rnoel@charlotteobserver.com



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 Accountability and Ethics in CMS 

WFAE has reported that Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools signed a \$180,000 contract with consultant SYDKIMYL, owned by the wife of Raki McGregor. Here's why this matters:

1. Raki McGregor serves on the board of my opponent, Anna London's company
2. Anna London is a current candidate for school board
3. McGregor is actively supporting London's campaign

When a school district awards a lucrative contract to the spouse of someone so directly tied to a candidate's business interests, it raises serious ethical concerns. Even if no laws were broken, the appearance of political favoritism and insider influence is undeniable.

Our community deserves better. Contracts of this magnitude, even below the \$250,000 threshold, should be reviewed publicly by the board. Candidates and their close associates must not be tied to CMS financial dealings. Every CMS dollar should be spent for the benefit of students, not to enrich those with political connections.

I oppose this contract and the ethical cloud surrounding it. Charlotte-Mecklenburg families deserve leadership that puts integrity and accountability first.



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Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools signs new contract with consultant who prompted board questions

ANALYSIS OF THE ELEPHANT IN THE ROOM

THE ROLE OF A BOARD MEMBER

My opponent's platform, specifically her passion and emphasis on workforce education starting in kindergarten, demonstrates a significant misunderstanding of the core purpose and role of the CMS school board and its members. Her attempts to cross-pollinate the corporate vision of an external organization, as a workforce development executive, and her desire to carry her employer's vision forward by having a more influential position on the CMS school board has the propensity to confuse constituents. The primary responsibility of the Board is to ensure a comprehensive and foundational education for all students, which prepares them for a wide range of future pathways. The view embodied by my opponent in this space is best described below.

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23 Apr Diplomas in Doubt: Is Education Leading to Employment?

Posted at 13:55h in [Jobs](#), [News](#), [NextGen](#), [Uncategorized](#), [Youth](#) by [Kevin Loux](#)

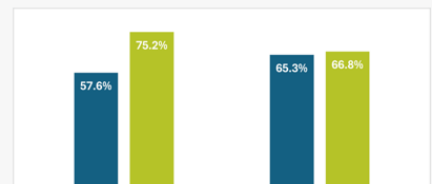


“While we understand that [a good job is no longer sufficient](#), recent data from the Bureau of Labor Statistics also [illustrates that a solid education does not guarantee a secure career](#). This revelation jolts the foundational myths of our economic narrative, exposing a chasm between academic achievements and their economic dividends.


As the data unfurls, it becomes clear that the journey from diploma to employment is fraught with inconsistencies and inequalities. While 61.4 percent of recent high school graduates have pursued higher education, their transition into the workforce remains precarious, with only 70.2 percent of bachelor's degree holders securing employment. This decline in employment rates from the previous

year of 76.4 percent reflects not just an economic downturn but also a systemic failure to align educational outcomes with job market realities. This decline also highlights a growing anxiety among the nation's youth about their futures.

The data also sheds light on the gender disparities in college enrollment and subsequent employment. Women continue to surpass men in college attendance, with 65.3 percent of recent female high school graduates enrolled in higher education institutions compared to 57.6 percent of their male counterparts. However, the employment scenario flips post-graduation, where 75.2 percent of men find employment compared to only 66.8 percent of women, exposing a persistent gender gap in job acquisition despite higher educational engagement among women.




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WHO WINS WHEN BOTH MASTERS EXPECT A STRENGTHENED COMMITMENT [Opponent Follows Her Passion and Students Continue to Lose]

If elected, my opponent would face a conflict of interest due to her dual roles. Her duty to the School Board would require a genuine commitment to ensuring every student is prepared for success at the post secondary level, which includes ensuring that all students meet or exceed academic proficiency standards.

On the other hand, her position as President and CEO of Charlotte Works, a role her organization describes as creating an ecosystem, could inadvertently incentivize creating policies and programs that would wrap success around our students who consistently perform below academic proficiency standards, and are therefore not prepared for success at the post secondary level, with no choice but to enter the school-to-labor-ready pipeline. This would conceal the systemic failure of our educational system to properly educate all students.





I am confident that my platform and approach align perfectly with the core expectations of all families and students in District 6, regardless of party affiliation.

Through extensive conversations with constituents, it has become clear that workforce education is not the primary concern for their students, despite it appearing to be the focus of my opponent's campaign. My understanding of the School Board's role, duty, and responsibilities is clear, and I am committed to upholding the integrity of its function, free from any pursuits that might undermine the quality of our students' education and resources that provide a direct benefit to all students in CMS.

As a parent with students currently attending schools in District 6, I share the concerns of families regarding their children's needs in the learning environment. My engagement as a CMS volunteer further demonstrates my vested interest and commitment to our community, ensuring my service is not tied to the vision of any external partner organization. Furthermore, as a retiree, I am able to dedicate my full attention and time to the vital work of the School Board without competing professional obligations.

Our shared commitment to educational excellence empowers parents in District 6 to look beyond party lines to identify me as the strongest candidate to represent their interest on the school board. My constituents and I are united in our opposition to cronyism in school board decisions and our unwavering demand for a high quality of education for our students.

Therefore, I am the Democratic Parties best hope of defeating the Republican Candidate in this race.

Respectfully,




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