

**PEIRCE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

**EILENE A EDEJER**

**Spring 2018**



Hello! My name is Eilene A Edejer and I am running for Local School Council for Peirce Elementary School for a second term! My children, Beatrix and Baxter (twins) are in the fifth grade. Six years ago, they really won the lottery by getting into Peirce and have enjoyed their experience there ever since.

The best way I can continue to serve you is to be active in the Peirce community:

- *Member Peirce FOP Board for past 6 years, Vice-president past 2 years*
- *Current member and Vice-Chair of Peirce LSC*

And bring my professional experience:

- Work with central office
  - *7 years as Senior Research Analyst with Chicago Public Schools Office of Early Childhood; Research & Evaluation*
  - *2 years as Research Analyst with Boston Public Schools Early Childhood*
  - *Navigating district data*
- Current Clinical Assistant Professor at Loyola University Chicago School of Education
  - Exposed to current educational issues: local to the national levels

We live just down the street on Bryn Mawr and the lake and I recognize the importance of building relationships with the community – of parents and caregivers and with the neighborhood surrounding Peirce. This is a strong point for Peirce and I want to help continue developing these connections.

If you vote me in for a second term, I will work to:

1. Explore and ensure vertical and horizontal curriculum alignment
2. Work on communications and policies to ensure student safety
3. Strengthen parent – student – school connections

Please consider me when you cast your vote for this year's Local School Council elections.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Eilene A Edejer". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.