

**FORM 4-26 LSC CANDIDATE STATEMENT**

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**SCHOOL:** PEIRCE - 610122**CANDIDATE NAME** Roberto C. Menjivar

Hello Peirce School Community! I am Roberto Menjivar, and I am seeking your support as a candidate for Community Representative on the Peirce Local School Council (LSC). I strongly support neighborhood schools and believe in a community school approach that brings educators, families, students, and community stakeholders together to foster an engaging learning environment with opportunities and resources for every student to succeed.

As a proud parent of a CPS graduate now studying at the University of Michigan, I have had the opportunity to serve on both elementary and high school Local School Councils. In my role as an LSC member, I have worked with school leaders and student organizations to support student voice and engagement. For instance, I worked with student groups to revise the school dress code policy to protect students' civil rights and promote a positive learning environment. I also worked with student groups and school counselors to expand the opportunities for students to take AP classes or accelerated programs. I have worked collaboratively with school leaders and LSC members on important matters such as the school budget, student achievement and growth, instructional needs, health and safety, and after school programs.

Based on my experience with school councils and educational initiatives, I am prepared to contribute to the Peirce School LSC through collaboration and constructive conversations. I welcome the opportunity to work with fellow LSC members, the Administrative Leadership Team, and the Peirce School Community to strengthen conditions for student growth and healthy development. And I am committed to advocating for decisions and policies that support the best interests of both students and staff.

Please vote for me to be a member of the Peirce School LSC. Thank you.

Roberto C. Menjivar - LSC Candidate for Peirce Elementary School

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