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**Subject:** Re: Grand Rapids Board of Education - 2008

Paul:

I couldn't help but overhear your conversation with Arnie today, and she is full of it. We have three people that are in Union and Central High Schools, and only one of them actually teaches, and only teaches two total classes between both schools. That person also makes 38,000, which is much more than a new teacher. I had to clarify her statements, I hate when people intentionally lie to support their side of the case. Also, Arnie barely works 20 hours per week, this is more of that do as I say, not as I do attitude that persists on the board. Please do not be fooled. My home number is 616-477-0379.

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Derrick

Please contact me soon. My cell number is 821-5931. We will set up a screening and recommendation group for you ASAP. I need to know where you are in the process right now, as well as discuss a few other concerns that have recently cropped up.

Thank you,

Paul

P.S. For those who do not know, the office has been unofficially considering Derrick for some time. I will be in touch re: our School Board recommendations before Feb 9. Feb 13 is the filing deadline.

-----Original Message-----

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My name is Derrick P. Martin, and I am running for a seat on the Grand Rapids School Board for 2008. Please see the attached sheet for more information about me, and where I stand on the issues. If you have any

questions, please feel free to contact me. Thanks.

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