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Q1

What is your full legal name?

Travis Lawrence Price

Q2

Where do you live? Please provide full home address (no post office box).

Address	134 E. Circle Drive
City/Town	Lexington
State/Province	SC
ZIP/Postal Code	29072

Q3

What is your telephone number?

803-917-0368

Q4

What is your email address?

travispriceusc@gmail.com

Q5

Bachelor degree

What is the highest level of school you have completed or the highest degree you have received?

Q6

What is your job title and place of employment?

Territory Business Manager / New Holland Agriculture

Q7

Please list previous community involvement.

2000-2002 USC Young Alumni Board; 2007-2015 USC Rich/Lex Alumni Board; 2007-present Youth Baseball/Basketball Coach; 2014-2018 F3 Nantan (leader); 2018-present Lexington One Mentor; 2019-present SAFE Lexington Founder and Chairman

Q8

Do you have children currently attending and/or children who will attend Lexington District One schools in the future? If so, how many?

2: 9th grader at Gilbert High School and 7th grader at Gilbert Middle School

Q9

Have any of your children graduated from Lexington District One schools? If so, how many?

no

Q10

Why do you think you would be a good Lexington District One board member?

I am very active in the Lexington and surrounding communities, leading several community organizations, all with the mission to make our community better and/or safer. I have a heart for children as exemplified by my years of coaching youth baseball and mentoring within our school district. I believe teaching is the most important job on the planet and I want to advocate for all educators. I have 20+ years experience in the business world interfacing with all levels of professionals, strategizing for the future growth, working with budgets, and working within a team environment.

Q11

Why are you running for a seat on the Board of Trustees?

I want to serve my community. I believe firmly that our community is strong because our school district is strong. I want to work to ensure our district remains among the best in the state. We need common sense leadership to help the district stay ahead of growth projections. We need level-headed leadership to take on budget challenges the pandemic has created. We need thoughtful leaders to help close the academic gap exposed by the pandemic. Not only do I have a vested interest in that I have 2 sons being educated in Lexington District One, but I also plan to be a resident of Lexington County for the rest of my life. I want to see us prosper. We prosper when our school district prospers.

Q12

What is the single most important issue facing public education today?

The pandemic has exposed even further the academic gaps among our student population. Special needs students are regressing by not getting the necessary face-to-face time with their specially trained teachers. Socioeconomically disadvantaged students are falling behind because they lack the same resources as their peers. Elementary students are not getting the proper introduction to education and the socialization necessary for success. Our district has a responsibility to educate ALL students. The most important issue is twofold: 1) We need to catch those students back up to stop the regression, and 2) We need to close these gaps for this generation and future generations so ALL students have the ability to design their own future.
