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CCSD Board of Trustees elects officers for 2016

Dr. Linda E. Young re-elected as president of school board

LAS VEGAS – The Clark County School District (CCSD) Board of School Trustees elected their officers for the 2016 calendar year during a work session meeting on Jan. 6. Elected as officers were Dr. Linda E. Young as president, Chris Garvey as vice-president, and Patrice Tew as clerk.

Trustee Young represents District C and was first elected to the board in November 2008 and was re-elected in 2012. She served as clerk in 2009, vice-president in 2010, president in 2012, vice president in 2013 and president in 2015. Young was a CCSD employee for more than 32 years in various roles including teacher, principal and administrator.

Representing District B is Trustee Garvey, who was first elected to the board in November 2008 and was re-elected in 2012. She also served as vice-president of the board in 2015. In addition to her commitment to education, Trustee Garvey is also a dental health professional.

Trustee Tew represents District E and was first elected to the board in November 2012. She previously served as clerk in 2014. Prior to becoming a trustee, Tew volunteered at her children's schools, mentored youth in the community, worked as a leader in Boy Scouts and advocated for children, women and families at the United Nations.

"It is an honor to serve as CCSD Board of School Trustees president," said Young. "I, along with my fellow officers and members of the board, are committed to our students, staff and schools and will continue to work together to represent the diverse needs of our parents and the community to increase student achievement."

In looking forward, Young said the district will face a number of challenges but she also expects the district to make great strides.

"We will continue to build the positive working relationship with our administrators, teachers, support staff and police department to enhance student achievement," said Young.

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