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After thirty-four years in public education, the last 31 years with the Houghton Lake Community School District, I have retired as of June 30, 2009. During my career, I served as a classroom teacher, coach, athletic director, Federal and State Program Director, and high school principal. Through out my career, particularly the last nineteen as an administrator, I was involved with continuous school improvement at the building and district levels.

My five years as our districts Federal and State Program Director, gave me the needed experience in completing Comprehensive Title Plans and administrating schoolwide title programs. I have also recently completed the Title I Schoolwide Providers Workshop Training Program and was a former member of the Michigan Association of State and Federal Program Specialists (MAS/FPS). I have also been a member of the Michigan and National Association of Secondary School Principals (MASSP/NASSP), Michigan and National Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development (MASCD/NASCD), and am a Lifetime Member of the Michigan Interscholastic Athletic Administrators Association. In addition to writing Title I Program Grants, I have also written grants for Homeland Security, Community Foundation Grants, and Michigan Council for Performing Arts Grants, and have completed Career and Technical Compliance Programs for the Office of Civil Rights. My goal in retirement is to continue to work with schools to help provide quality education programs for students statewide.