

Williams County School District #8 Candidate, Curt Sullivan

Curt Sullivan is an incumbent for District 8 School Board; he received his teaching degree from Black Hills State University, Spearfish, SD and has taught History, Economics, Government, and Justice in Wyoming and has lived in District 8 for 11 years.

Q. Do you support a merger of District 1 and District 8? Why or why not?

A. As a board member I try to base my decisions on what is best for our district and the students we are required to educate. Furthermore, as a board member I will support whatever my voting constituents honestly want once they truly understand the laws we as board members are required to follow.

From a personal point of view, to merge with district 1 my school taxes would increase about 55% to 58%.

NOTE: For that same increase district 8 could build 2 elementary schools and a high school, if all things being equal.

IF DISTRICT 8 WERE TO DISSOLVE: My school taxes would increase 100% or more. as the area going to district 1 will be much smaller than district 8 is presently.

Q. Do you support re-configuring the boundaries of District 1 and District 8? Why or why not?

A. I would support re-configuring boundaries "ONLY IF THE TOTAL TAXATION BASES STAY THE SAME" because district 8 needs its full taxation base to service the loan we have for our new school at Missouri Ridge.

Q. Do you support another bond referendum to pay for future school projects?

A. For district 8 I have and voted for these bonds in the past and will in the future as our student requirements dictate.