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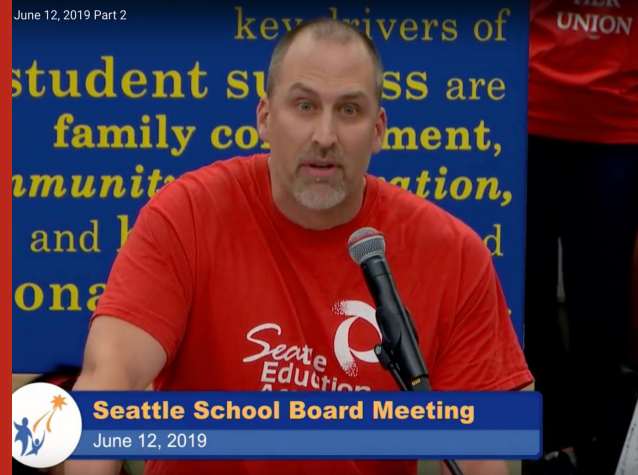
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## ENDORSED BY

**Wayne Au:** Education professor, UW Bothell, and co-editor of *Rethinking Ethnic Studies*

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## THE SCHOOLS SEATTLE DESERVES

### THE PLATFORM

#### 1. Racial Equity

- Centering ethnic studies and culturally responsive practices
- Creating equitable systems for supporting students and improving restorative practices in our schools
- Recruiting and retaining educators of color
- Eliminating standardized testing

#### 2. Fully-Funded Public Schools

- Hiring more support professionals, including family support workers, counselors, and full-time nurses in every building
- Ensuring healthy and safe school environments
- Advocating for progressive funding and budgeting at the district, city, and state levels

#### 3. Empowerment of Our Union Community

- Bargaining with transparency for the common good
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### THE SLATE

**President:** Jon Greenberg

**Treasurer:** Vallerie Fisher

**Center for Racial Equity Director:** Marquita Prinzing

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**Elementary:** (7 positions)

Kaitlin Kamalei Brandon

Danielle Woods

Amanda Hubbard

Usana Jordan

**High School:** (4 positions)

Jennifer Dunn

Michelle Vecchio

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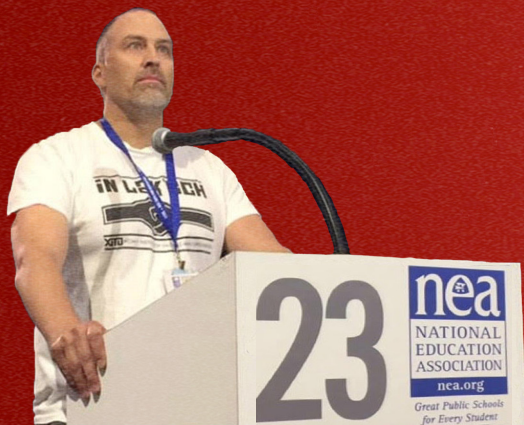
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#### Substitute Department:

**President:** Stan Strasner

**Vice President:** Peter Henry

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