



## Long-Time Waterford School District Board of Education Member Stanley Kurzman Retires

**February 5, 2004 Waterford, Mich.** - Stanley W. Kurzman, Board of Education Member, announced his retirement from the Waterford School District Board of Education. Kurzman was appointed on February 5, 1970 and has served on the Waterford School District Board of Education consecutively for 34 years. Kurzman's current appointment expires in 2006.

Kurzman has accepted a position of counsel with the firm Freeman, Cotton, and Norris. Mr. Cotton of that firm is the Waterford School District's General Education and Special Education Counsel. Kurzman said "I don't know if that's a conflict or not but it raises a potential appearance of conflict, so that's the reason for my decision.

Per state law, the board must appoint a successor within 30 calendar days of the receipt of the retiring member's dated letter of resignation. Kurzman officially resigned on February 5, coincidentally this day is 34 years to the date that he was appointed. Upon approval, the appointee would be sworn into office and would immediately assume the position. The term of the appointee would expire Tuesday, June 15, the day after the annual school board election. Board application information is available at the Waterford School District Administration Building, 6020 Pontiac Lake Road, or by calling 248.666.4000.

The June 14 ballot would include three available positions: two four-year terms and one two-year term, which is the balance of Kurzman's unexpired term.

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