

Endorsed Candidates for Hatboro Borough Council

Robert “Bob” Hegele



Bob is a 30 year resident of Hatboro. He was born and raised in the Kensington section of Philadelphia. After graduation from Olney High School he joined the military and served with the 377th Security Forces Squadron in Vietnam. He joined Baltimore’s City Police Department and served as a patrol officer until 1979, when he joined the Hatboro Police Department. He retired in 2005 as a Sergeant. Bob lives in Hatboro with his wife Diane. Their children are grown and they are now awaiting the arrival of their first grandchild.

As a veteran, Bob is committed to helping veterans. He is a member of several veterans’ organizations including the VFW and American Legion. At the Legion, he holds the position of Finance Officer and Vice President of the Legion’s Crooked Billet Home Association.

Bob is a member of the Montgomery County Fraternal Order of Police (FOP) where he has served in various capacities, including President for several years. He currently serves as Secretary for the Borough of Hatboro Civil Service Commission. His dedication to public service and involvement with these organizations gives him insight he will use in budgetary, legislative, labor and community matters.

David “Dave” Rich



Dave was born and raised in the Olney section of Philadelphia. He graduated from Olney High School and Palmer School of Business with a degree in Accounting. He worked for a railroad labor organization as an auditor for 40 years. Dave has served as a member of Hatboro Borough Council, chaired the Public Works Committee, and served on the Zoning Hearing Board. He currently serves as a member of the Main Street Hatboro Committee. He is interested in pursuing recycling, energy conservation, and storm water management opportunities to benefit the Borough and its residents.

Dave feels that his experience with finances and his ability to maintain positive personal relationships during his career are important personal traits that he will bring back to Council when elected.

Dave is an avid sports fan and spends his free time following all of the Philadelphia professional sports teams. He also enjoys his daily walks through Hatboro with his dog.

Mark Sheedy



Mark and his wife Marie live in Hatboro with their children. He has a desire to give back to his community through service as Councilman. Mark is a respiratory therapist at The Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia (CHOP). He serves on various committees at CHOP that support the continuous improvement of the quality of services provided by the Respiratory Therapy group. His experience as a front line caregiver has helped him develop communication skills and ability to work as a member of a team.

Mark feels his strong emphasis on teamwork and equally strong interpersonal skills will be important to his work on Council. He has a desire to work with all of Council to build the vision and plan for moving Hatboro forward. His sense of community is evident in his volunteer work with the American Lung Association and the Muscular Dystrophy Camp. His commitment to children and community is further evidenced by his membership in Kiwanis International and the W.K. Bray Lodge.