



Dear Brighton Democratic Friends,

I am writing today to let you know about my campaign to be your next Brighton Town Board member. As you may already know, Jason DiPonzio is running to become our next Town Justice and will not be seeking a town board seat. I am a proud son of Brighton; attended Brighton High School and married my Brighton sweetheart, I am a member of Temple B'rith Kodesh, and I'm a first-time homeowner in Brighton. The people of this community have given me so much.

Now, I look to give back to my community. With your support, I plan to serve my community as a member of the Brighton Town Board. Brighton Democrats have always cared about equity and justice. After graduating from the Maxwell School of Government and returned to my hometown, I was honored to take a position in the Chief of Staff for Assemblymember Demond Meeks. Working with Assemblymember Meeks, we authored legislation that addressed many of the concerns of our community including racial and housing justice. In my current role, leading communications for the Monroe County Department of Human Services, I build on this experience to create strategies for connecting our community with much needed resources.

I spend my after-work hours coaching in the Rochester Hispanic Youth Baseball League in the City of Rochester. I find great satisfaction in coaching kids from different backgrounds play the game of baseball, gain critical life skills, develop lifelong friendships, and most importantly, have fun. I have always believed that youth sports have a lifelong positive impact and build effective, team oriented leaders.

Through the example of my family and community I know that for those who are given much, much is expected. I am fortunate to have been raised and educated in Brighton. I have learned from outstanding mentors who taught me the value of being a team player, focused on results, who will work hard to offer solutions for the issues affecting our families.

Brighton has a history of strong Democratic leadership. The next generation of leaders will build on this history, and continue to make this town a great place to live and raise a family. Our committee will be holding our candidate designation on January 23, 2023. I look forward to earning your vote and I will be reaching out to you and your family in the next few weeks. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Your Neighbor,

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