



Dear Municipal Candidate,

Our AFTCT endorsement process has started for the 2021 municipal election. We are looking for candidates who are concerned with the long-term well-being of our state and towns, rather than the short-term interests of individuals or political parties. While there are many issues of great importance to AFT Connecticut members, we have chosen in our endorsement questionnaire those issues we hope will both give you the broadest view of our concerns as well as help us to get to know you.

The first step in our endorsement process is for candidates to fill out the link to the [AFT Connecticut's 2021 Municipal Questionnaire](#). This questionnaire will help to assist the Federation in selecting candidates to endorse in the municipal elections. We encourage you to fully explain your views and concerns. After we receive the questionnaire back, we will review the questionnaire and then contact you to either to schedule an interview or contact you to get more information.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact one of us below for more information. Thank you and we look forward to working with you.

Teri Merisotis
AFT Connecticut Legislative Advocate
tmerisotis@aftct.org

Jim Vigue
AFT Connecticut Legislative Advocate
jvigue@aftct.org

**AFT Connecticut is a diverse state federation of more than 90 local unions representing over 30,000 active public and private sector workers. Our members include teachers, paraprofessionals, school nurses and other school personnel, state employees, higher education faculty and staff, hospital nurses, technicians and service and maintenance workers.*