**Dr. Hans Peter Plotseneder**

Zip Code of Residence **28215** Years in Charlotte-Mecklenburg \_\_\_**15**\_\_\_\_\_ Previous place of residence **Atlanta, GA** How long? \_\_**11 years**\_     Children? \_\_\_\_**yes**\_\_\_\_\_ Their ages? **33, 30, 28, 26, 23 and 2 grandchildren**

 **If your child is/children are adults, what schools did they attend?**     Hickory Grove, Druid Hills IB ES;  Hawthorne Traditional,  J.T. Williams IB MS;  Independence HS

**What is/was your experience with those schools?**     Hickory Grove was nice because of being a neighborhood school with lots of friends;  Druid Hills, Hawthorne, and  and J.T. Williams were further away but provided the educational challenges our children needed;  Independence a great  neighborhood school with friends and school involvement

**What have you done to educate yourself about the history of Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools?**   Read the well-known book about the young African American girl being one of the first admitted to a de-segregated school -  sorry, do not remember author or title at this moment - and lots of conversations with friends and collegues.

**Which of the following books about Charlotte, its schools, and public education in general have you read?**   ( )The Dream Long Deferred by Frye Gaillard ( )Boom for Whom? by Stephen Smith     ( )Class and Schools by Richard Rothstein ( ) Schoolhouses, Courthouses, and State Houses by Eric Hanushek and Alfred Lindseth     ( ) The Shame of the Nation by Jonathan Kozol ( ) Other?   Paul tough: What Ever It Takes; Bill Miliken: The Last Dropout; Edward Davis: Lessons for Tomorrow; etc.

**Please share pertinent information about your background/experience which will inform your work on the Board of Education.**     I have 25+ years of BUSINESS experience with IBM, Bank of America, and BR International Software (WW PM, VP, CEO)  AND  11 years of teaching in CMS (currently at West Meck HS, retiring in Spring), providing a perspective no other candidate can offer. Please visit [www.DrPlots.com](http://www.drplots.com/) for more details.