

# Press Release

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## WELL KNOWN ACTIVIST ANNOUNCES CANDIDACY FOR CCSD SCHOOL BOARD TRUSTEE - DISTRICT F

LAS VEGAS, NV, MARCH 2, 2010: Well known activist at school board meetings, Ken Small, has announced his candidacy for Clark County School District Trustee - District F

Ken Small is a local architect who is well known among CCSD activists as the person who has been reporting school district shenanigans and related illegal activities publicly to the school board and Bond Oversight Committee for over two years.

Small is the only Recognized Educational Facility Planner in the race and has experience running his own architectural firm "SSA Architecture, Small Studio Associates, LLC".

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Small is an advocate for proper use and management of public funding to help our children, not to line the pockets of the trustee's high level staff and friends. He has won 7 awards for his design of the John S. Park school buildings he completed in 2005 including the Council of Educational Facility Planners International South West

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Region Monarch Award. His last project, at Jacob E. Manch, was completed for the start of the 2009-10 school year to accolades of the LVRJ (September 8 2009 front page) parents and students of the area.

He is the owner of the TalkToCCSD.com website where videos are posted showing such things as how the Trustees have violated the public's trust, in building public utilities and roads that others are using (and not reimbursing CCSD) rather than spending bond money on schools.

During 2007-9 Small reported such topics as "How the CCSD facilities department organizes projects to facilitate bid rigging" and "Back room negotiated consultant deals" to the school board publicly. He also submitted an email that he received from someone else to CCSD chief investigator Monica Robles. The email ended in the words "Don't tell anyone because this is illegal." Among his latest complaints published was a complaint to the Nevada State Board of Architecture showing that CCSD requested architects to commit an illegal act in order to be considered for the CCSD architect selection process.

Ken is a former president and founding director of the Las Vegas chapter of CEFPI (Council of Educational Facility Planners International) and former President and director of Las Vegas Construction Specifications Institute. He first moved to Las Vegas in 1990. He is married to Christine Small. His daughter, Sarah Small, attends the 5th grade at C. H. Decker Elementary.

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