



Catherine Perretta, Fourth Ward Alderwoman

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Background

Catherine was elected to the current Lockport City Council in 2017. She lives in Lockport with her husband Robert and their daughter Julie. In the past, she has worked at Espo Engineering in sales in the Technical Placement department and then also worked for Humana in insurance sales for five years. She decided to trade in her Fortune 100 job to be a stay at home mom with their daughter. Also, for five years she worked seasonally at HR Block. She has been a Lockport volunteer for the past eleven years and has volunteered at both St. Dennis and St. Joseph church. At both Butler and Hadley schools, she has been an art mom and helped with many PTO events. Other volunteer occasions have been with the following organizations: Will County Health Department Emergency Preparedness & Response, Lockport Citizens Police, Lockport Resource Center, Lockport Love, an AYSO soccer coach, a HAC basketball coach, and a Girl Scout Cookie mom. When a volunteer was needed, she has always been able and willing to step up to help.

Educational History

Catherine attended Hinsdale South High School in Darien, Illinois. After high school she attended University of Illinois at Chicago, where she received a Bachelor of Science in Finance. During her undergraduate studies she studied a summer semester abroad in Warsaw, Poland. She also graduated from the UIC Honors College. She then continued her education to pursue a Master in Business Administration from the University of Illinois at Chicago. During that time she spent a semester abroad at HHL Leipzig Graduate School of Management in Leipzig, Germany. She was also a Resident Assistant on campus at the University of Illinois at Chicago for three years. She graduated in 2000 with her MBA and has maintained her license in Health/Life Insurance since 2001.