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- You may include my name in your list of supporters on printed campaign materials
- I will email and text my friends and close associates and encourage them to vote for Barbara Bunting for School Board. (Suggested Message: I am supporting Barbara Bunting for the Newton School Board and would encourage you to vote for her.)

February 2009

Dear Friends,

I am confident of my ability to act in the best interest of USD 373, which I have proven during the past eight years as a Newton USD #373 board of education member. Today, I am in the process of running for an additional four-year term – another four years to advocate for students, exercise fiscal responsibility, collaborate for student achievement and serve as a strong leader in our community.

I am running for the school board because I can make a difference. At this critical time, I have the leadership skills and experience to continue the Railers' proud tradition.

- I understand the value of collaboration and listen intently
- I am fiscally knowledgeable and responsible
- I can make complex and difficult decisions
- I know how to navigate through change
- I am experienced and insightful
- I am consistent in my words and actions
- I am an advocate for our district on a local, state & national level

My children graduated from USD 373 and I am a former teacher. Not only have I served as Board Vice President, I am actively involved and represent USD #373 in several capacities. In addition, my involvement with the Kansas Association of School Boards and the National School Board Association adds a valuable dimension to my candidacy.

I want to make sure you understand my reasons for running. Your financial support and your vote on April 7 are important to me because they are an investment in our community. I hope I have conveyed reasons that will garner your support financially, in conversations with your friends and families, and at the polls on April 7.

Best regards,

Barbara Bunting

"Community leaders are people who are truly inside the community. They don't just drop in, speak up and drop out." — J.W. Fanning

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\$100 \$50 \$25 Other _____ Cash/Check (circle one)

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- I would like to have a yard sign. Please deliver one to the above address
- I am willing to write a Letter to the Editor (or sign one if you would draft it for me)
- I am willing to distribute flyers in my neighborhood

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