

Mike is deeply rooted in Southern Indiana, having spent his entire life as a proud resident. He is a graduate of Mater Dei High School and the University of Southern Indiana.

With a rich history as a long-time educator and coach at Mater Dei High School, Mike's commitment to his community is evident. He previously served 17 years as Social Studies Department Chairman. His contributions as head coach of both the football and wrestling programs at Mater Dei have been remarkable, earning him numerous accolades, championships, and widespread recognition. Most recently, he was honored as the National Football Coach of the Year for the 2022-2023 season.

Beyond his career in education and coaching, Mike has served Vanderburgh County with distinction as a member of the Vanderburgh County Council for two decades. His voting record and his ability to work across the aisle with his fellow council members to do what is right for Vanderburgh County residents are pillars of his service, of which he is very proud.

As County Commissioner, Mike will continue to represent the County with a straightforward and fair approach, prioritizing taxpayer protection from unnecessary expenses and supporting long-term plans that promote economic growth while providing good paying jobs and business expansion. He will also support efforts to maintain and improve our local roads, streets, and bridges for safe and efficient travel throughout Vanderburgh County. Mike faithfully advocates for the support of law enforcement and first responders. Most importantly, Mike values community input and pledges to listen to the concerns and ideas of Vanderburgh County residents that are relevant and important to the future development of our County.

Mike and his wife Melanie have five grown children and ten grandchildren.