



***I am ...Charmaine Madukolum***

***“A vote for Madu...***

***is a vote for YOU!”***

The best of me says “I care” about you, our students, and our community every single day! I work hard every day, to ensure that students and my co-workers are getting the best that Gwinnett County Public Schools has to offer, by way of their learning experiences, their needed skills developments and nourishing. I have dedicated my life to empowering the next generation. You see, I have the opportunity because I wake up every day and go to a place where students matter, especially at this early learning stage. ***How lucky am I!*** And I can constantly encourage early educators, lift-up seasoned educators, one-by-one, when they get tired or discouraged. As well, I can celebrate those who have given their all through the years and learn from them! ***How lucky am I?*** At the end of the day, I can look back at my day-to-day engagements and think, “I was able to touch someone - a teacher or student or family and I know I made a difference in some way, shape or form”. ***HOW LUCKY AM I!*** As your upcoming 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President, I will continue to ensure all educators enjoy the respect and benefits of this noblest profession, which is the ***BEST*** profession in the world. Just in case you did not realize it – one reason it is the ***BEST*** profession is because Education has the responsibility of molding and contributing to the development of the ***GREATNESS*** of the world! Every day, as these students pass through our classrooms, stand at our lunch counters and ride on our buses is a day closer to their success and You did it!

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