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## Cast your vote for Moffitt in the Republican primary

Like David Moffitt, we are enjoying the fact that candidates have thrown their hats into the ring to challenge his almost 16-year domination of the 18th District Oakland County Commission seat.

In the Aug. 8 primary election, Republican Moffitt is challenged by political newcomer Todd Levitt, an articulate attorney known for his cable and radio shows, and as publisher of *The Legal Advertiser*.

Levitt should be lauded for his enthusiasm and openness. But for this primary election we believe incumbent **David Moffitt** has earned our support and the trust of voters in the district.

Without a doubt, Moffitt is exceptionally knowledgeable about county issues and puts his heart into his work. He approaches his efforts intellectually and with the intention of making good and fair public policy.

Moffitt deserves the Republican nomination. If elected, he will square off in November against Democrat Ryan Gesund of Farmington Hills, who challenged the incumbent in 1998.

Moffitt has chaired a number of county committees, including Public Services, Zoning Coordinating, Court Reform Study and Rules Revision Study, and has served on the Electrical Energy Evaluation Task Force and Personnel Appeals Board.

While he is heavily involved in his county work, our admonition to Moffitt is that he needs to keep in better touch with his constituents. He needs to be seen and not just at the Farmington Hills City Council.

We look forward to an autumn race



David Moffitt

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between Moffitt and Gesund, who has worked tirelessly to bring himself up to speed on county issues and the workings of the board of commissioners.



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## Quality, not q

Twelve years ago, residents of the city of Farmington expressed their concerns about the quality of building (and its related problems) inspections, zoning codes, today these are still recurring problems in the city, along with problems previously presented as:

1) Our concerns about building certificates of occupancy (which was an issue about 10 years

## GUEST OPINION