

Dick Hoy

Dick Hoy is a lifelong East County resident. He has made his home in La Mesa since 1961. Married for 43 years to his wife, JoAnne, he has two children, both Helix graduates.

A Helix High School graduate, Mr. Hoy earned a Bachelor of Arts degree from San Diego State with a major in Social Science in 1966. In 1974, he earned Masters degree in History from the same institution.

Mr. Hoy taught for 34 years, 3 years at Lemon Grove Junior High and the final 31 years at Santana High School in Santee. He has also been an income tax preparer and a Realtor.

During his teaching career he earned numerous awards including the Golden Apple, Santee Teacher of the Year, the PTA's Golden Oak service award, and the Golden G for exemplary service to the Grossmont District. Dick served in many leadership positions with the teacher's association and was honored with 2 WHO awards from the California Teachers Association.

After retirement he served as a coordinator for the Grossmont District's Academic League and Decathlon programs and as a support provider for new teachers.

Dick Hoy was elected to the Grossmont Union High School District Governing Board in 2006 and is currently serving as its Vice President. He believes in a quality education for all students and supports both a challenging college preparatory program and an extensive career tech program that will prepare students for the 21st century economy.