

## John W. Morosani

### Education:

A.B. Economics 1974 Middlebury College, Middlebury, VT

M.B.A. 1976 Amos Tuck School at Dartmouth College

### Work History:

I grew up in Litchfield. After receiving an MBA, I lived in Kansas for one year before moving to New York City and beginning a career in the investment business. I spent 32 years working in the investment banking and investment management business in New York. While living in New York from 1977 to 2006, I returned to my family's farm in Litchfield every weekend. In 2006 I moved to Litchfield and have lived and worked here since then.

I continue to manage Laurel Ridge Realty LLC, a family real estate management company, and am the founder and principal owner of Laurel Ridge Farm, a grass fed cattle business. Both companies are located in Litchfield, CT.

### Civic Involvement (as Member of the Board ):

. White Memorial Foundation and White Memorial Conservation Center 1991 to present.

Litchfield Pension Commission 2010 to 2017.

Oliver Wolcott Library 2016 to present.

Litchfield Board of Education 2017 to present.

Town Facilities Review Committee 2020 to present.

Sustainable Litchfield 2020 to present.

Litchfield Broadband Commission 2021 to present.

Temporary Regional Study Committee 2021-2022.

### Reason for wanting to be a member of Region 20 Board:

I became a Litchfield Board of Education member in 2017 and have been actively involved in getting Litchfield and Region 6 to work more closely together, initially as the Chair of the Ad Hoc Collaboration Committee. That committee initiated regular meetings between the Litchfield and Region 6 Boards, work that resulted in shared classes and shared employees and a joint Central Office. The Ad Hoc Committee was replaced by the Long Term planning Committee, which I also chair. Our work with the Region 6 Board led to the two Boards agreeing to examine merging the two districts to form Region 20. I served on the Temporary Regional School Study Committee that produced the plan that was approved by the Connecticut State Board of Education in May and that authorized the referendum that was recently passed by all four towns. I very much want to continue the work that will result in the creation of a school district combining the schools, the administrators, the teachers, the staff, and the students in the four towns to form Region 20.