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Hi there!

I saw in Paper 432-25 that Jeffrey Donahue is being recommended to be part of the Northeast Metro Tech School Committee. However, this man appears to be pretty problematic. Here are some things I found:

- On Facebook, he referred to some Maldonians as "twtwaffles" and that he "will end up punching someone in their sht spewing pie hole" (1)
- He verbally attacks O'Malley during his 2021 Ward Councillor forum closing statement (2)
- He objected to the nomination of Dawn Macklin as Ward 4 School Committee Member claiming she doesn't live here (3, 4)
- Yes, he recently ran for the Malden School Committee, but he got last place (5). I don't think Ward 4 would want him on this committee based on that.

One last thing -- I couldn't find any answers to these, so I have two questions: How many years has Jeff Donahue served the City of Malden, and how many years do you need to serve the City of Malden to qualify for their pension plan? (Because I'd understand doing this if he's that close to getting it but being unaware of his problematic tendencies.)

In short, I'm pretty upset Donahue is being recommended to this committee because ...yikes. I just... he might punch a committee member in their pie hole. Not good. That's '80s Malden, not 2020s.

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