

IACC Elections 2024

Qazi Osama Biography



About Me

Assalamualeykum Dear Respected Community Members,

All praise belongs to Allah (SWT). My name is Osama Qazi and I was raised up in the Suburbs of Chicago since I was 2 years old and 3 years ago I moved to Plano with my wife and 2 sons aged 9 and 6. I have been involved in 5 Masajid's in my life including IACC. Alhamdulillah Allah (SWT) has blessed me to experience all sizes of Masajid's.

At IACC, since 2020, I have been blessed to be the Vice Principal of our Sunday school and the operations team. With over 90 teachers and over 460 Students, I am well aware of how difficult it is run a volunteer organization. By the Grace of Allah (SWT), IACC Sunday school was functional during the pandemic and we were only down for 2 weeks to switch over to Virtual. Allah (SWT) has blessed this community with so many dedicated volunteers, Alhamdulillah.

What do you think are the two most important issues facing this community and how do you propose to address with them?

The biggest issue I see is that the funds of IACC are not being used wisely. If I am elected, I will speak up and make sure we use the funds wisely insha Allah.

Secondly, I would like to focus on the youth, especially the elementary school ages. We need to have a playground and other programs for them. Our gym is there for the older kids but nothing is there for the younger kids.

What do you consider are your strengths that can help you get elected?

My experience with Sunday school, operations team and other Masjid's are a big strength for me. Alhamdulillah I am able to work and communicate with others who are more senior or junior than me.

How do you propose to help the IACC community?

I would like to create an environment to allow the community to feel a sense of belonging. I would also like to empower the youth to have more leadership positions in the departments of the masjid. Also I would like to make IACC less dependent on donations.