Nick Wagenknecht for President-Elect

Thank you for considering me for the position of President-Elect. I am sure you'd like to know a little more about me! I started my journey into real estate in 2016 when I started my career as a part-time agent while also teaching, coaching and working a few other jobs. I quickly discovered a love and passion for real estate and by 2018 I was full-time!

My business quickly grew from there, and I was soon tasked with a leadership role within my brokerage, training new agents! I have been in that role for a few years now and truly love helping agents learn the ins and outs of real estate while also continuing to learn myself.

One of the many lessons I learned during my teaching career was that you have to stay sharp and involved to teach others and that is why I decided to get involved with the association. I have been a member of the St. Charles REALTORS® since I joined real estate in 2016 but didn't really plug in until I joined the Leadership Academy in 2022. I jumped at the opportunity to apply for the program and learned a great deal about the association, our industry, and what being involved does to help our industry as a whole.

In 2023 I became a major investor in RPAC and will be again each year moving forward! For the last two years I have served on the Board of Directors for St. Charles REALTORS as well as serving on various committees. Some of the committees I have served on include Leadership Academy (past chair/current member), Finance Committee (member) and Member Engagement (member). I have also attended the Strategic Planning Session for St. Charles REALTORS. My past experience as an educator is also displayed in my passion for helping others, desire to learn and ability to work as a team. I am truly excited to continue my involvement within the association and show up for everyone as our industry continues to evolve!