

DAVID AXNER ED.D.
SUPERINTENDENT, DUBLIN CITY SCHOOLS

Dr. David E. Axner began his tenure as Superintendent of Dublin City Schools on August 1, 2007. Prior to this time, Dr. Axner served as Assistant Superintendent and then Superintendent with the Chagrin Falls Exempted Village School District, in northern Ohio. He also has prior experience as a High School Principal and Middle School Principal with that same district. His earlier years were spent with the Sandusky City Schools as a Principal, Assistant Principal, Athletic Director, Special Education Teacher, and coach.

After receiving his superintendent certificate from the University of Akron in 1994, Dr. Axner went on to receive his Ed.D. from the University of Akron in 1997. He received his BS in Education and Masters in Education from the University of Akron in 1978 and 1984, respectively. Dr. Axner has served, and continues to serve, as an adjunct professor for the University of Akron, Ashland University, and The Ohio State University during the course of his career. In addition, the Fellowship Scholarship was awarded to him, while he was attending graduate school, and he is a member of the Lambda Theta Honors Society. Dr. Axner also received the Norm Petro Football Scholarship and served as captain of the University of Akron football team.

Professional involvement for Dr. Axner includes the Ohio Schools Council; Buckeye Association of School Administrators; Ohio School Boards Association; American Association of School Administrators; Ohio Association of Local School Superintendents; Ohio School Leadership Institute; Alliance for Adequate School Funding; as well as being a past member of the Ohio Educators Standards Board. He also participates in various Ohio Department of Education committees, as opportunities arise.

During his time in Dublin, Dr. Axner has formed several community groups designed to facilitate and enhance communication with the community. These include the Senior Citizens Council, Superintendent's Teachers Advisory Committee, Superintendent's Student Advisory Committee (made up of high school and middle school students), Dublin City Schools Today Television, and the Dublin City Schools Alumni Association, including a Hall of Fame.

Dr. Axner's community participation and memberships include the Dublin Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors, the Dublin Education Foundation Board of Directors, Dublin Counseling Center Board of Directors, and the Dublin AM Rotary.

