

Perry Lessing
Alternate VSTRS Representative
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Perry Lessing, appointed by the Vermont State Teachers' Retirement System (VSTRS), is a retired teacher living in Weybridge. He was on the VSTRS board 2016-2020 and again since 2021. He was a teacher for thirty years, including nineteen in a math classroom at Middlebury Union High School. As someone without formal training in the workings of financial markets his role on the board is to ask for clarity and comprehensibility from the professionals working with VPIC. He has degrees from New York University and California State University, Los Angeles. His licensures are to teach math and social studies in grades 7-12 and to teach in an elementary classroom.