

Vote for Josh!

Your friend Josh is thinking about running for public office, and he asks you for your opinion. Before you answer him, you decide to make a chart of some of Josh's qualities and then decide if they are pluses or minuses. Complete the chart and then decide: Should Josh run for office?

<i>TRAIT</i>	<i>PLUS OR MINUS</i>	<i>REASON</i>
<i>Not a very good public speaker</i>		
<i>Dislikes crowds/ loves privacy</i>		
<i>Hates public ceremony</i>		
<i>Very smart</i>		
<i>Wants everyone to get along in harmony</i>		
<i>Has many popular ideas</i>		
<i>Has a gift for writing</i>		
<i>Tries to persuade people to do things rather than give orders</i>		
<i>Sensitive to criticism</i>		

<i>Would rather find a way around obstacles than face them head on</i>		
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Based on your list do you think Josh should run for office? Explain your answer in a minimum of one paragraph.