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Julie Farnam Announces Campaign for Arlington County Board

(Arlington, VA) – Julie Farnam of Arlington Ridge announced today that she will be running for Arlington County Board. Farnam serves on the board of the Arlington Ridge Civic Association and volunteers her time with several organizations in the community.

"I am proud and excited to announce my candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Arlington County Board," said Farnam. "I believe in a community where residents feel safe, where the needs of our community are placed above the desires of developers, and where no resident must wonder if they are being heard."

Farnam, who served in leadership positions in both the Department of Homeland Security and the United States Capitol Police, has committed her career to making communities safer. "As a woman who has spent her career in security and law enforcement, I know what it takes to address the unique safety challenges Arlington faces in years and decades ahead.

"I am a small business owner and a single mother of students in Arlington. I know just how difficult it is to afford to live and support a family in Arlington, and what needs to be done to ensure Arlington is a place where people of diverse backgrounds can thrive." said Farnam. "I am running to ensure our community flourishes into the future for my daughters and for generations to come."

Farnam's website, <u>www.julieforarlington.com</u>, outlines her plans for keeping our community safe, for planning and growing with the best interests of our residents in mind, and improving communication and transparency between the County Board and the people of Arlington.

Farnam will be holding a kick-off event on Monday, December 4, 2023, at The Freshman (2011 Crystal Drive, Arlington).