

Longtime District 19 Community Activist Charlotte Crutchfield Announces Candidacy: Protecting her District 19 Neighbors

January 10, 2018 Silver Spring, MD—Longtime Montgomery County activist Charlotte Crutchfield announced today that she has filed as a candidate for the Maryland House of Delegates in District 19. She will be running in the Democratic primary on June 26, 2018.

"I know my neighbors and I know those neighbors who are the most vulnerable. I want to take their cause to Annapolis", said Crutchfield.

"I am also proud to have the respect, support and endorsement from so many highly respected Montgomery County elected officials and community leaders including our Montgomery County Executive," said Crutchfield.

In his endorsement statement, Montgomery County Executive Ike Leggett praised Crutchfield's many civic engagements and the moral compass she brings to her work and family.

"I strongly believe Charlotte Crutchfield should be your choice for the Maryland House of Delegates in District 19. It is important to have someone who truly knows District 19 and the many issues that are vital to the entire community. Charlotte has raised and continues to raise her family in the District 19 community and has been extremely active in a variety of volunteer, civic, PTA and Democratic Party activities. I have personally observed Charlotte's outstanding leadership and work as a member of the Montgomery County Merit System Protection Board and her substantial work with the Montgomery County Council. Charlotte is highly respected, uniquely qualified and will be an effective Delegate. I wholeheartedly endorse Charlotte Crutchfield for District 19 Delegate", said
Isiah "Ike" Leggett, Montgomery County Executive

Ms. Crutchfield, a 15 year resident in District 19, will focus on protecting her neighbors. Her stated campaign priorities will be the protection of children, protection of the elderly and protection of her other vulnerable District 19 neighbors.

Most recently, Charlotte Crutchfield served as Chair of the Montgomery County Merit System Protection Board, where she was appointed to a three-year term by the Montgomery County Council. She was elected to the Montgomery County Democratic Central Committee (MCDCC) in 2010, serving as Liaison for District 19, and as a member of the Rules Committee, Voter Protection Committee, Ballot Question Review Committee and Strategic Planning Committee.

Additionally, Ms. Crutchfield's leadership roles within the Democratic Party have included President of the Legislative District 19 Democratic Club and service on the Executive Board for the Woman's Democratic Club (formerly the Woman's Suburban Democratic Club). She has served in the community as a Girl Scout Leader, President of the Glenallan ES PTA, and on the Board of Directors of the Tivoli Home Owners Association. Ms. Crutchfield is a member of the

Montgomery County Bar Association, the J. Franklyn Bourne Bar Association, N.A.A.C.P. and the Howard University Alumni Club of Montgomery County.

Ms. Crutchfield is an attorney, having obtained her BA at Howard University and her JD at Boston College Law School. She is a widow and a mother to two children.

For more information on Charlotte Crutchfield's campaign events, policy issues, and biography, please visit www.VoteForCharlotte.com

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