

## **Kathy B. Ramsey for Board of Supervisors 2025**

**Your Voice. Your Vision. Your Vote.**

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### **CAMPAIGN PLATFORM & GUIDING PRINCIPLES**

#### **LEADERSHIP WITH POWER, VISION, AND PURPOSE**

Kathy B. Ramsey is a community-first leader grounded in service, transparency, and compassion. As a candidate for the Banister District of Pittsylvania County, her mission is to elevate the voice of the people and lead with relentless dedication to progress, justice, and opportunity for all.

"The power of winning is in the voice of the people."

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#### **GUIDING PRINCIPLES**

Kathy's leadership is defined by her unwavering commitment to:

- **Humility** – Serving without ego
  - **Gratitude** – Thankful for the people and the process
  - **Resilience** – Standing strong in adversity
  - **Relentlessness** – Unyielding pursuit of progress
  - **Respectfulness** – Valuing every voice
  - **Compassion** – Putting people first
  - **Honesty** – Truth in action
  - **Reliability** – Always showing up
  - **Transparency** – Open and accountable governance
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### **PLATFORM: PRIORITIES THAT MATTER**

#### **SENIORS**

- Ensure accessible healthcare and nutritious food
- Create recreational opportunities for connection and wellness
- Support safe, stable, and affordable housing
- Respect and uplift our elders through community inclusion

#### **EDUCATION**

- Advocate for STEM and AI-integrated learning programs
- Promote safe and equitable schools for all students
- Equip teachers with resources to succeed
- Build pathways from classrooms to careers
- Develop youth advisory councils to elevate student voices
- Support after-school leadership and career exposure programs

## **VETERANS**

- Expand access to local and regional VA healthcare
- Advocate for affordable housing options
- Support services for families of veterans
- Ensure respect, dignity, and opportunity

## **PUBLIC HEALTH & SAFETY**

- Confront drug and fentanyl abuse with prevention and recovery programs
- Provide consistent support for fire, rescue, and police services
- Collaborate with local leaders for emergency preparedness

## **ENVIRONMENT & INFRASTRUCTURE**

- Preserve clean air, water, and land
- Promote wildlife conservation and outdoor recreation
- Invest in road improvements—both paved and unpaved
- Improve efficiency and access at county trash sites
- Support responsible, sustainable economic development that respects natural resources

## **FOOD ACCESS & LOCAL RESOURCES**

- Advocate for food accessibility as a basic right across the district
- Support proposals for small-scale, affordable grocery stores in underserved areas
- Promote fresh grocery delivery services to ensure healthy food reaches every resident
- Build coalitions around local farmers markets to boost local economies and connect communities to fresh food
- Expand local resource hubs to central locations in the district, creating jobs and empowering families with better access to everyday needs

## **AFFORDABLE BROADBAND & DIGITAL ACCESS**

- Champion more affordable options for rural high-speed internet access
- Support digital inclusion programs for seniors, students, and job seekers
- Bridge the digital divide to promote education, health, and economic opportunity

## **TRANSPORTATION ACCESS**

- Improve access to jobs, schools, and health centers
- Promote local shuttle services and rural ride-share solutions
- Expand transportation options for seniors and people with disabilities
- Improve road lighting and signage for rural safety

## **CIVIC EDUCATION & VOTER EMPOWERMENT**

- Promote voter registration and civic participation
- Offer voter education through town halls and informational guides
- Encourage transparency in local government processes

## **SMALL BUSINESS GROWTH & SUPPORT**

- Host small business development workshops and startup bootcamps
- Offer help navigating local permits, grants, and funding
- Encourage cooperative models and job creation through entrepreneurship

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## **A NOTE TO THE COMMUNITY**

A vote for Kathy B. Ramsey is a vote for progress, transparency, and shared prosperity. She believes when *we* vote, *we* win. As your next representative, Kathy pledges to listen, lead, and legislate with your best interests at heart.

**Vote NO to the status quo. Vote YES to the people.**

**Let's build the future together.**



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