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Becca Rausch Declares State Senate Candidacy

Democratic Records and Health Law Attorney Raises over \$5,000 in First Weekend

(NEEDHAM) - Becca Rausch, progressive Democrat from Needham, declared her candidacy for the Norfolk, Bristol, and Middlesex District the evening of November 30th at the most recent Needham Democratic Town Committee meeting. Rausch is currently a Needham Town Meeting Member.

"I decided to run because there couldn't be a more important time for an effective progressive voice to represent our values and take seriously our concerns in the state legislature, including much needed support for families, upgraded voting rights, and an improved system for healthcare," Rausch said when declaring her candidacy.

In the weekend since entering the race, Rausch has raised over \$5,000 with pledges for thousands more. Her campaign has also drafted plans to run an aggressive grassroots effort, hiring a campaign manager and experienced pollster early on.

"I am humbled by the broad support I'm receiving to run by the people who know me best," said Rausch. "I look forward to introducing myself and my candidacy throughout the District as we discuss ways to make government more transparent, accountable, and accessible for everyone."

Rausch is currently on leave as eDiscovery Attorney and Assistant General Counsel from the Massachusetts Executive Office of Health and Human Services (EOHHS) in order to run for State Senate. In that role, she helped EOHHS and other government offices and agencies produce information to the public in response to a variety of different requests, such as subpoenas and public records requests. Rausch also served on and, for some time, managed the team tasked with implementing the new Public Records Law for EOHHS and its agencies. The team won Citations for Outstanding Service for this work. Rausch has over a decade of experience as an attorney and educator.

The Norfolk, Bristol, and Middlesex District includes Wayland, Sherborn, Millis, Norfolk, Wrentham, Plainville, North Attleborough, and parts of Needham, Wellesley, Natick, Franklin, and Attleboro. To learn more about the campaign, voters can visit www.beccarausch.com.

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