

**November 12, 2020**

Good afternoon,

I would like to take a moment to express my heartfelt gratitude to those who have supported me while serving on the Springdale City Council for the last 22 years. It has been such a joy to work for such wonderful people, whose hard work, determination, vision and generous spirit have and will continue to be what makes Springdale the best city in northwest Arkansas.

As many of you are aware, I made the decision to withdraw from the election because I will be moving out of Ward 4 but proudly staying in Springdale. Unfortunately, the ballots had been printed and election law required my name had to remain on the ballot. Although my opponent, Mark Fougrousse, received the most votes, it is required by law that we have a runoff election if no one received 51% of the votes. Because there were three candidates, no one did.

There are many ways to leave public office. After 22 years of proudly serving our city, I have chosen to close this chapter of my life. How you exit is just as important as how you enter. I want to leave our city council in a way that adds value to Springdale and the best way for me to that is to cast my full support behind my friend, Mark Fougrousse.

On December 1, please take a moment to vote for Mark in our runoff election. I appreciate the efforts of all the candidates who ran in this election and I believe Mark will serve our city well. Again, thanks to all who have supported me over the last 22 years. May God continue to bless Springdale, Arkansas.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Kathy Jaycox', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Kathy Jaycox