

## Dear Friend:

As your neighbor in a City I have called home for more than 40 years, I care very much about making it the best place to live in Northern Virginia. I want to invest my time in making that happen and that is what has led me to the decision to run for the City of Fairfax Council in May, 2006.

You may know me simply as Hildie, your friend, who has lived in Country Club Hills for the past 40 years. Or you may know me as an active member of City commissions in the last 20 years; from the Commission for Women in the early '80s to my most recent Presidency of Historic Fairfax City, Inc. In whatever role you know me, it is you who inspire me and motivate me to take this next important step in providing leadership in the City of Fairfax. As a member of the City of Fairfax Council, I plan to support:

- Continued involvement in maintaining the historical integrity of the City of Fairfax throughout the re-development process
- · Ensuring that our senior citizens can afford to retire in the City
- · Maintaining the lowest tax rate in Northern Virginia
- Continued excellence in education
- Keeping our City safe

Thank you in advance for your support of my campaign. As you know, it takes money to fund the behind-the-scenes work that is needed to make the first crucial step into the public arena. With this letter, I am not only asking for your vote, I am asking for whatever financial support you feel you can contribute at this time. I have enclosed a contribution card and envelope for your convenience.

My campaign kick-off is Sunday, January 29th and I hope that you can come and show your support. I am very interested in knowing what issues are important to you. Please call or e-mail me with your questions or if there are any issues you would like to discuss.

Yours very truly,

Hildie Carney

Please join us for Hildie's Official Campaign Kickoff Sunday, January 29, 2006 -- 2-5PM The Farr House -- 10172 Main Street - Fairfax City