

IMMEDIATE RELEASE

The Irvington Democratic Party along with Mayor Tony Vauss and the undersigned, elected officials of Irvington, New Jersey hereby officially endorse Renee C. Burgess for State Senator of the 28LD.

Renee C. Burgess has an extensive background in leadership and public service through elected and appointed positions in government as well as employment in the private sector. A lifelong resident of Irvington, New Jersey, she has served the community as a member of the Irvington Township Municipal Council since 2014. Her path to elected office began in 2000 when she became the District Leader for Irvington's South 2.

Burgess later was elected to the Irvington School Board, a position she held from (2003-2014). Her performance on the Board was acknowledged by her colleagues when she was chosen by them to become Board's President for two terms.

A successful elected official and public servant, Renee C. Burgess attributes her success to her faith and her family. She has been an active member of the Union Gospel Tabernacle in Newark, NJ for over 30 years where she serves as a member of the Usher Board and Celestial Choir. Burgess' strong foundation comes from her beloved parents, the late Sarah E. and Raymond C. Burgess, both of whom were active in the community. As a testament to his role in public service to the community, a trait passed on to his daughter, Ray Burgess has an Irvington Township Park named after him.

We are proud to say that Renee C. Burgess is honest, hard-working and has all the qualifications required to be our next State Senator.

Honorable Romaine Graham, Essex County Commissioner
Honorable Dr. October Hudley, 1st Vice President, Council Member At -Large
Honorable Charmette Frederic, 2nd Vice President, Council Member At-Large
Honorable Jamillah Z. Beasley, South Ward Council Member
Honorable Vern Cox, West Ward Council Member
Honorable Orlander G. Vick North Ward Council Member
Honorable Sean C. Evans, East Ward Council Member