

Carol Thompson
Candidate for Dagsboro Town Council

Dear Friends and Neighbors in Dagsboro,

It is with great pleasure to have the opportunity to serve another term on the Dagsboro Town Council as I am up for election on Saturday December 6, 2025 at the Dagsboro Volunteer Fire Department at 28331 Clayton Street. Polls open from 1:00-5:00 pm.

I moved to Dagsboro 11 years ago with a small-town appreciation since I grew up in a small town in Northeastern Pennsylvania. During my earlier years, I served on the council for this small town and learned to balance maintaining a small town's rich heritage, enduring appeal, vibrant community spirit and how to embody the essence of a small-town charm along with recognizing growth where needed.

My leadership contributed to making this small town win the award as the second most enchanting small town in the Northeast. I will use this experience to support the town of Dagsboro in maintaining what is important to the long-time residence and for the new residence as they come looking for the small-town charm.

It has been my pleasure to support the community while serving on the council in so many ways through volunteerism and experience. My Bachelor of Science and Master's Degree in Administration/Education has provided me with knowledge of how to manage and lead various nonprofit and for-profit organizations/businesses. I was a Vice President for a National Non-Profit Organization in Washington DC with over 50,000 members. Also, I was a Regional Manager for McGraw Publishing Company, one of the largest publishing companies in the United States and Internationally, along with being a Principal and Assistant Superintendent of Schools. These experiences and degrees have provided me with the acumen for the ability to use good judgement, clear thinking and deep perception to make sound decisions along with a combination of strategic thinking, problem-solving through understanding of how the business side of the town operates and to handle complex situations that arise in managing the business side of the town's operations with the best interest of the town in mind.

Thanks to the American Legion for awarding me the **American Legion Award** (School Medal Award) for my demonstration of character and good citizenship. It also recognized me as one who exemplifies courage, honor, leadership, patriotism, scholarship and service. Additionally, I have received the **Outstanding Young Women of America Award** in recognition of significant achievements and dedicated service in one's profession and community.

My volunteer experience has been used to support various communities where I have lived. They include serving School boards, Church councils and ministries. In Dagsboro I have served for two years as a volunteer on the town council, secretary/ treasurer for the Pepper's Creek Tax Ditch and Prince George's Chapel Cemetery Committee along with serving on the Planning and Zoning Committee. Also, I have been a volunteer to serve for 6 years as the President of the COA for the Woodlands of Pepper's Creek and

worked closely with developers to implement a Three Phase Construction project of new homes in Woodlands of Pepper's Creek.

Presently, I am giving back to the community by working at Lighthouse Christian School both in administration and as a teacher to support families and their children in our community and surrounding communities.

I trust you will take time to come out to the polls and vote for me so I can continue to support you and the town in a very meaningful way. Your support has been appreciated and is what is needed to continue to make a difference for you and your Town of Dagsboro.

Sincerely,

Carol L. Thompson

