

**Candidate Response Form**  
**General Election, November 8, 2011**  
**League of Women Voters, Charlottesville/Albemarle**

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Political Party: democrat

**BIOGRAPHY: (Occupation, education, experience – 50 words maximum)**

I was raised in Albemarle County and graduated from Connecticut College. I wear many hats in life - farmer, biologist by training, elementary school teacher, parent, grandparent - all provide me with the skills to represent the citizens of my district and represent the County on many boards and committees.

How will you address the two issues you think are most critical for Albemarle County over the next four years? **(100 words maximum)**

Two critical issues will be transportation and environment. I support completion of parallel road connections and seeking outside funding for transit expansion. State leaders want to assign responsibility for roads to localities. We must oppose this change, which would burden local budgets and create higher property taxes.

Some say environmental protection and land use regulations interfere with economic recovery. I disagree. A 'green' business plan for our County enhances economic recovery. I support strong environmental rules to protect our soil, air and water, as these enhance quality of life, create lower health care costs, and build a strong 'green' economy.