

## RYAN MIDDLETON FOR COUNTY COUNCIL

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### RYAN MIDDLETON LAUNCHES CAMPAIGN FOR PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY COUNCIL, DISTRICT 5

*A Native Prince Georgian, Ryan is Running to Be a Partner in Government Attuned to the Needs of Residents and Committed to Creating Opportunity for All*

**BLADENSBURG, MD** — Today, Prince George's County native Ryan Middleton, launched his campaign for the District 5 seat on the Prince George's County Council. The attorney and public servant, who worked in the United States Senate before serving as a senior level director in the Office of the County Executive, shared his family's journey to the County and why he sees the Council as the venue to continue serving his community.



“Prince George’s County is my home, and I take great pride in growing up in a time where you could see yourself in your government, your teachers, your faith leaders, and your neighbors,” said Ryan. “I believe in the promise that brought my parents to Prince George’s County, and I am running to ensure that even greater opportunity awaits our next generation.”

Ryan was raised in Prince George’s County. His parents moved to the County to start their careers as attorneys and guided Ryan through activities like the Boy Scouts and martial arts to teach him the values of discipline, leadership, and service to his community.

A career public servant, Ryan has served his community in a variety of roles. He was a law clerk in 7th Judicial Circuit Court of Maryland, working cases in the Veterans and Drug specialty court programs. Ryan worked for United States Senator Ben Cardin, handling constituent service matters, pushing to replace the County’s shuttered veterans clinic in Greenbelt, and advocating for the FBI Headquarters coming to Prince George’s County. Ryan also served as President of the J. Franklyn Bourne Bar Association, the largest minority organization of its kind in Maryland.

In 2018, he joined the administration of Prince George's County Executive Angela Alsobrooks, where he secured the County's first ever federal RAISE Grants totaling nearly \$50 million to be invested in New Carrollton and the Blue Line Corridor, he managed the County's 2020 Police Reform Work Group, and he cut the County's COVID-19 vaccine equity gap in half in 2021. Today, as CountyStat Director, he transforms raw data into actionable insights to improve delivery of government services and is regularly present in communities to ensure the work is reflected on the ground.

Ryan lives in Bowie with his wife Dr. Jasmine Reed-Middleton and their son, Rowen. Ryan believes District 5 residents deserve a Councilmember who will listen to their concerns and welcome their input as to how we move Prince George's County forward, and when they pick up the phone seeking help, they will always be met with a swift response.

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