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Los Angeles County's Largest Democratic Club Throws Support Behind Jan Perry's Campaign for Supervisor

Los Angeles, Calif. (December 2, 2019) – The East Area Progressive Democrats (EAPD) have endorsed Jan Perry's bid to become the Los Angeles County Supervisor for the 2nd District. EAPD is the largest Democratic Club in LA County and California boasting 1,100 members.

"East Area Progressive Democrats (EAPD) is proud to endorse Jan Perry for Supervisor. Members recognized the urgency of her focus on stopping the crisis of homelessness and Angelenos falling out of housing. Members also rewarded her record of support for public schools and separation of church and state, holding polluters and corporate bad actors implicated in patient dumping on Skid Row accountable, and her independence from machine politics as a Democrat. From arts to zoning, Jan has a grasp of policy, funding streams, and problem-solving. She will be a trusted public servant for the Second District and all of LA County," said Hans Johnson, president of EAPD.

Perry is a lifelong Democrat whose political values were formed while attending organizing meetings in church basements with her parents as a child. That is where she learned her talents were best used when she used them in service of others.

"I am proud to have earned EADP's endorsement," said Perry. "They truly uphold the democratic ideals of social justice, equality, inclusion, and that quality education and healthcare are human rights. I look forward to working with these dedicated Democrats on the campaign trail and as the next Supervisor for the 2nd District."

Jan Perry served 12 years on the Los Angeles City Council as the representative of the 9th District which encompasses Downtown and South LA. She is considered one

of the architects of the Downtown renaissance and was responsible for catalytic projects such as LA Live. During her tenure she was responsible for the creation of \$15 billion in investment, \$52 million in net new tax revenue for the City of Los Angeles, and 90,000 full-time jobs.

From July 2013 to December 2018 Perry served as the general manager of the City of Los Angeles Economic Workforce Development Department (EWDD) where she oversaw a broad range of programs offering assistance to business, job seekers and disconnected youth. During her tenure, the department enrolled 91,000 people in its training and placement programs. Currently, she serves as the executive director of the Infrastructure Funding Alliance, a national initiative to meet future infrastructure, economic development, and environmental challenges. She lives in Ladera Heights with her daughter and her rescue dog Frank.

To find out more about Jan Perry visit us at janperry2020.com or follow us on social media [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), [Instagram](#), and [LinkedIn](#).