



Christian Bengel, Businessman & Former U.S. Army Soldier Announces Bid for Tulsa City Council

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE / SEPTEMBER 3, 2019

Contact: ChristianBengelforCouncil@gmail.com / Josh, 918-951-9300

Tulsa, OK – Conservative Republican Businessman & Former U.S. Army Soldier Christian Bengel has formally announced his bid for Tulsa City Council. Bengel is challenging Connie Dodson for the 6th District of the Tulsa City Council.

“I served my country from 1985-1994 first in the U.S. Army, and then my community as a Reserve Deputy for the Tulsa County Sheriff’s office. I’m running for Tulsa City Council to show my love for this country in a new way. I will bring integrity, conservative values, patriotism, and love for Tulsa to our local government.”

Christian Bengel is a former U.S. Army combat soldier who stood the line of the Korean DMZ during one of the most tumultuous times to defend democracy and freedom. Bengel was also deployed to combat in Operation Desert Shield and Desert Storm. After serving, Bengel returned home and attended Tulsa Community College to pursue a degree in Electronics Technology and raise a family.

“I believe our freedoms are under attack by a radically charged leftist world. Look, I have family and friends that are Democrats, but they’re Oklahoma Democrats. There’s a big difference and I believe it is worth fighting to defend our freedoms, liberty, and conservative values, especially at the local government level.”

From 1999-2016, Bengel served his community as a Tulsa County Reserve Sheriff’s Deputy. This service provided the Sheriff’s Office, and the citizens of Tulsa County, additional force and service to the community without charge or benefit of taxpayer dollars. As an employee for the City of Tulsa, he was selected as a special project manager overseeing hiring contractors, meeting vendors, and the police equipment officer(s) to meet delivery expectations, performance, and quality assurance for the program of updating and improving the police vehicles. Among other responsibilities, Bengel’s acquired management experience with oversight grew into more than 150 vehicles and balancing a budget in excess of \$1,000,000.

“Because of the wide variety of experiences I’ve had throughout my life, I truly believe I can serve the people of Tulsa City Council District 6. First, the principles from the military engrained a love for my country nothing can replace. The Sheriff’s Office gave me the opportunity to serve my community, have a greater love for the laws of our land, and better understand Tulsa’s diverse culture. The City of Tulsa, and the corporate world, have taught me how to manage multi-million-dollar projects but also how to oversee teams, leadership, and ensure all work completed was up to code & compliant. Now, I find myself in the business world as a Team Leader for a large telecommunications company. All of these skills I intend to bring with me to the Tulsa City Council.”

Bengel is a Christian, Conservative Republican who believes in a limited government that supports the free market enterprise system, lower taxation, and promotes personal responsibility. Christian and his wife, Brynda, have four children and two grandchildren. In his spare time, Bengel likes to ride his Harley Davidson motorcycle and spend time with the grandchildren.

To learn more, please visit BengelforTulsa.com.

###