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Little Rock attorney Wendy Wood announced today her candidacy to fill the seat that will be vacated by Arkansas Court of Appeals Judge Larry Vaught, who is retiring December 31, 2022. Wood has worked with Judge Vaught for the past fifteen years.

Today is the first day any candidate may formally announce for a judicial seat in Arkansas in advance of next year's election.

"I selected today for my announcement to underscore the fact I will be ready on day one to serve in the unique area of appellate law, having worked on more than one thousand five hundred appeals," said Wood.

"I know firsthand each case can be life changing, whether it is a criminal case having innocent victims, or a family law case where a child's well-being is of paramount importance," said Wood.

"During the first decade of my legal career, I represented clients in courtrooms across the state as a private attorney."

"I believe voters want a judge who understands hard work and equal application of the law to everyone. I promise to listen and apply the law with equal accountability," she added.

In announcing her candidacy, Wood identified on her website more than 575 campaign committee members.

"I selected a committee representing the views of everyday people and from all walks of life because I believe a judge needs a balanced approach in both life and in the law," she explained.

Wood received accolades earlier in life by earning All American honors while playing basketball at Fort Smith Southside and Vanderbilt University. She was inducted into the Arkansas, Fort Smith Southside, Tennessee, and Vanderbilt Halls of Fame.

Voters in Pulaski, Perry, and Saline counties will vote one year from today in the nonpartisan election, which is scheduled for May 24, 2022.