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Former State Senate Candidate Snodgrass Announces Campaign for State Assembly

APPLETON, WI-- Lee Snodgrass, who ran a competitive campaign for state Senate against Roger Roth in 2018, announced she will be running for the state Assembly in District 57. The Assembly District 57 seat will be open as Representative Amanda Stuck announced Sunday she will challenge Congressman Mike Gallagher in the 8th Congressional District.

Snodgrass resides in Appleton and has called the Fox Valley her home for 25 years. She has updated her campaign committee, is forming her team, and will have a formal campaign kick-off later in the fall of 2019.

"Assembly District 57 has a legacy of tenacious female leadership and I am excited about the opportunity to continue the fight for economic, social, and environmental justice serving the district as former Representative Penny Bernard Schaber and Representative Amanda Stuck have done. Both women fought for their constituents and what was right for families and businesses in the Fox Valley, not just what was dictated to them in Madison, and I'll do the same," Snodgrass said.

"While campaigning last summer for state Senate I met so many neighbors still struggling to make ends meet, whether it be the need for affordable healthcare or good paying jobs. There is a deep frustration with inaction in Madison and I have built a reputation in my work as someone who gets things done." Snodgrass continues, "I love our state, I love the Fox Valley and I want to help make it a place where all our residents have equal opportunity to thrive--not just get by."

Assembly District 57 spans both Outagamie and Winnebago County and includes the city of Appleton, City of Menasha, the town of Menasha, and the Village of Fox Crossing. Snodgrass carried the district by 57.5% in her race for state Senate in November 2018.

Snodgrass is the current chair of the Democratic Party of Outagamie County and 2nd Vice Chair of the Democratic Party of Wisconsin. She works as the Director of Communications at Girl Scouts of the Northwestern Great Lakes and is mother to two children, a daughter attending University of Minnesota-Twin Cities, and a son attending the University of Wisconsin-Madison in the fall.