Jeff Marsigli from Wilson County Announces Campaign for District Attorney

Today, Jeff Marsigli has officially announced his campaign for District Attorney for the Eighth Prosecutorial District, which includes Edgecombe, Nash, and Wilson Counties. After being raised in Rocky Mount, Marsigli went on to earn his law degree from Campbell University in 2002 and has been practicing for almost nineteen years. He has worked both as an Assistant District Attorney and a defense attorney in Nash, Edgecombe, and Wilson counties during his career.

"Crime rates in our districts have risen and remain high. Our largest city has consistently been ranked as one of the top fifty most dangerous places to live in the United States. It is time to elect a District Attorney who will lead from the front and focus on getting the violent repeat offenders who have been plaguing our district for far too long off the street once and for all. Criminals are not welcome in our district, and as District Attorney I will make sure they know that."

As a former prosecutor, Mr. Marsigli knows what needs to be done to make the district a safer place. A District Attorney's number one job is prosecuting criminals, and Marsigli has the knowledge and experience to make sure this is done properly. Marsigli will manage the District Attorney's Office in a way that enables cases to be prosecuted in a timely manner, because victims and witnesses should not have to wait three, four, or five years for justice to be served. Keeping violent and repeat offenders behind bars is one of Marsigli's main priorities, and he will work with the community to fight crime together.

Marsigli added, "It's going to take a unified effort to make a real difference in our district. We will work together *with* law enforcement, other members of the judicial community, and *with* the people in the community itself to make our district a safe place for families to live. I will be *personally* involved in the day-to-day operations of our Courts to make sure that we are prosecuting cases in an effective and efficient manner."

Jeff Marsigli and his family are residents of Wilson County, where his two children attend school. He currently works at Lusby Law, PA where he handles criminal law.

The incumbent District Attorney is Robert A. Evans who was appointed to the position in 2009 by Governor Beverly Purdue.