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MAYOR JOE FRANK ENDORSES MCKINLEY PRICE FOR NEWPORT NEWS

NEWPORT NEWS - Dr. McKinley Price, candidate for Newport News Mayor, announced a major endorsement today from longtime Mayor Joe Frank. Dr. Price and Mayor Frank served together on the Newport News City Council in 2004. Frank recognized Price's commitment to Newport News and his preparedness to continue to move the city forward.

"McKinley Price would serve Newport News with distinction," said Frank. "He has an extraordinary commitment to public service: as a member of City Council, Chairman of the School Board, President of the Riverside Health System Charitable Foundation, President of the Thomas Nelson Community College Board of Visitors, to name but a few. In every case, he has shown a deep concern for our community and its people. A devoted family man, he is a person of vision, commitment, hard work, and personal integrity. No one is as well prepared to serve our City with dignity, unity and a clear voice for our future prosperity. I am pleased to support McKinley Price as our next Mayor."

Dr. Price stated, "Joe Frank has been a pillar of the Hampton Roads community. His leadership over the last 14 years is indeed special. We have been fortunate to benefit from Joe's guidance and ability to make Newport News the premiere community on the Peninsula. I am truly honored that he has endorsed me to continue to move Newport News forward. "

Mayor Frank has served on City Council since 1988. He served as Vice Mayor from 1988 to 1990, and again in 1996. In May 1996, Frank became the first directly elected Mayor of Newport News and has honorably served the city for 14 years in this role.

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"I love this City, it is my home."

Authorized by McKinley Price for Mayor