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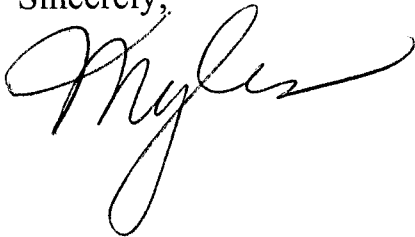
Over the past few weeks you have been swamped with campaign material. I had hoped that this campaign would not get personal but some classless people only know how to throw mud when they are losing the race.

What my divorce ten years ago has to do with this election and who you vote for is beyond anyone's imagination. My opponent, the Mayor, and her cronies have failed to tell you the truth about what really matters in this election because they simply can't do it.

The attached web pages will give you a glimpse of where your money may have gone. Since taking public office, this is what Mayor Paula Noble has been involved in.

In short, I will say, "Once a thief....always a thief."

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Myles". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long, sweeping underline that extends to the right.

VOTE

Myles Spires
Ward II Council

Vote to protect your wallet and your home.



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On August 29, Washington DC ACORN members protested in the lobby of a Riggs Bank, shutting the branch down and stopping traffic in the area. ACORN served a subpoena to Paula Noble, a lending officer at Riggs and the principal owner of EZ Home Mortgage Corp., a notorious predatory lending company that preyed on many DC and Maryland borrowers before recently declaring bankruptcy. Riggs Bank chief operating officer Bob Roane allowed ACORN to serve the subpoena, expressed concern about the allegations against Noble, and promised to meet with ACORN to talk about what Riggs bank and others could do to fight predatory lending in the district. ACORN is demanding that the DC City Council close a huge loophole in its anti-predatory lending bill that leaves victims of EZ Home (and other lenders that sell loans or go out of business) with no one to hold accountable. For information [click here to learn more](#) or contact Will Ward at [dcacorn\(at\)acorn.org](mailto:dcacorn(at)acorn.org) or call 202-547-9292.

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On November 7, Prince George's County, Md., along with Washington, D.C., ACORN filed a class action lawsuit against, and demonstrated in the front yard of Forest Heights Town Council Member Paula Renee Noble, owner of the notorious predatory lender, EZ Home Mortgage. The suit charges Noble with stealing equity from hundreds of area homeowners. ACORN members plastered Noble's neighborhood with posters reading "Warning: Loan Shark in the Neighborhood" and detailing her role in driving families toward foreclosure. For information contact Jessica Lehman at mdacornpgro@acorn.org or call 301-641-2173.

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2 local elections dogged by controversy

By Tarron Lively
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Two upcoming elections in the area have been underscored by controversy as much as issues -- including charges of misappropriations of funds and candidates snubbing public forums.

Forest Heights, a small town in Prince George's County with a population of about 2,600, will hold its mayoral election Wednesday. Incumbent Paula R. Noble is being challenged by Ward 2 council member Joyce A. Beck, who said she decided to run because of her dissatisfaction with Miss Noble's performance and following years of clamoring from residents.

"I have no doubt that I will be elected," Miss Beck said. "The incumbent raised taxes last year, saying we need the money to repair streets. Now we have a \$1.8 million budget -- the highest we've ever had -- and she has not begun to repair the streets, or explain what happened to that money."

Miss Beck said she supported appointing Miss Noble as mayor when Sue McGinnis resigned from the position in October 2003, but became dismayed with what she sees as Miss Noble's misleading the residents.

"What is most important to the voters is an honest official," Miss Beck said. "You can't get a vote to raise taxes to repair the streets, then five minutes later say, 'I'm going to use the money for something else.'"

Miss Noble was unavailable for comment.

Council seats also are up for grabs. In Ward 1, incumbent C. Lynn Smith-Barnes will face Alice E. Hoskins.

Tommy Lee Davis and Myles Spires are battling for Miss Beck's vacated seat in Ward 2, while Worthington S. Ross is running unopposed in Ward 3.

Friendship Heights, an affluent Northwest neighborhood north of Tenleytown, will hold its elections tomorrow.

The seven incumbents on the town council face challenges from three candidates and possible voter backlash for refusing to take part in a public forum.

Mel Krupin, Anne White and Gene Gessert are challenging incumbents Melanie Rose White, Francis R. Valeo, Maurice J. Trebach, Elizabeth Demetra Harris, Alvan M. Morris, Robert M. Schwarzbart and Leonard E. Mudd.

Barbara G. Tauben, president of the Friendship Heights Village Civic Association, cancelled a May 2 candidates forum after all seven incumbents chose not to participate.

Mayor Melanie Rose White declined on behalf of the council, calling the forum potentially "divisive" to the community and counterproductive to "the affirmative action atmosphere" of the council meetings. Council members serve two-year terms and pick their own officers, including the mayor.

On Tuesday, three other elections will be held in area municipalities -- Landover Hills in Prince George's County and Brookville and Chevy Chase Section 3 in Montgomery County.
