NAME: Fran Millar PARTY: Republican

**SEEKING: State Senate, District 40** 

## Why are you seeking your office?

To continue my work on the issues important to the 40th Senate district and the state

# What do you expect to accomplish if elected?

To be involved in helping solve our problems in education, healthcare and transportation

## What distinguishes your candidacy?

Experience, knowledge and ability to get things done

### What are the key issues in your race?

My record of accomplishments versus my opponent's non-record.

#### Pick one issue. Expand on how you will address it.

I will chair a Senate Study Committee on the escalating costs of higher education. We will be looking at the percentage of lottery proceeds for HOPE and the cost structure in our various colleges. Do we have administrative overload? Do we with achievement criteria provide needs based aid to meet our goal of 200,000 graduates in the next five years with degrees or credentials?

#### Give a 100 word summary of your background.

- State Senator 6 years
- Named a most influential Senator by "James Magazine"
- Current Chairman Senate Higher Education Committee
- Chairman Senate Education and Youth Committee 2 years
- Chairman Senate Retirement Committee 2 years
- Secretary Senate Health & Human Services Committee 4 years
- House Education Committee 12 years
- Appointed member Governor's Education Reform Commission
- Appointed member Governor's Welfare Reform Commission
- Chairman for the Lieutenant Governor's Foster Care Reform Working Group
- City of Peachtree Corners sponsored and carried the legislation creating the city

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- United Peachtree Corners Civic Association active member
- Community driven