**Candidate: Solange Destang** 

Running for: Snellville City Council Post 2 Website: www.solangeforsnellville.com

Where born: Netherlands

Current address: 1515 Summit Point, Snellville

Your age: 56

**Describe your family**: As a single mother, I have raised my two children to be upstanding human beings in our society, to respect the law, and pursue their education and passion for life. Both of my children have gone through, and graduated from the university system of Georgia. My son has his Bachelor's degree in Business Administrator, and my daughter is a Registered nurse.

Where did you get your education? I am a proud graduate of Florida Atlantic University where I earned a Bachelor's degree in Education. I also earned a Master's degree in English from Piedmont University.

Been in the military: No

Run for office before: No

What is your job now or if retired, when worked previously? Currently I am a Department Chair and ESOL teacher at South Gwinnett High School in the city of Snellville.

Where do you attend church: My home church is Calvary Chapel Stone Mountain.

How much do you think it will cost you to run: \$2,000

Why do you want to get elected: I believe I have what it takes to run as a perspective candidate for Snellville City Council. I was prompted to run because I'm very passionate about what is happening in our great city of Snellville. I have watched closely the progress the present council has made and believe with my background and experience, that I have much to contribute. I very much want to make sure that all the cultures of our diverse community feel included and engaged. This is an exciting time in Snellville, and I want to be a part of it."