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## Anji Scalf Launches Campaign for County Commissioner in District 3

*We need innovative leadership to respond to change - for now and for our future*

**PORT LUDLOW, WA** - Anji Scalf is announcing her candidacy for Jefferson County - County Commissioner, District 3, representing Discovery Bay, Port Ludlow, Quilcene, Brinnon and the West End.

*"Jefferson County is in my DNA. Today, we face financial challenges brought on by State and Federal decisions larger than any we've ever seen. My professional skills, connections, and lifetime of experience will strengthen our community. My leadership is people centered and evidence based, and exactly what I believe we need at this transformative time."*



Scalf currently serves as the 4-H Coordinator for Washington State University Extension in Jefferson County. She is deeply connected to agricultural families in Central and South County. Living in Port Ludlow she experiences the infrastructure, land use and natural resource challenges that impact the most rural parts of our community – including access to healthcare, infrastructure and transportation, and wildfire prevention. Financial sustainability, workforce and food access are the additional critical issues she sees facing county leadership.

Raised on Eaglemount, Scalf grew up exploring the watershed with her family and has lived in every district of Jefferson County. Family is a strong influence in her life. Her parents, sisters and their families live throughout the county giving ample opportunity for family gatherings, trips to the local pool and playgrounds.

She is an alumnus of the University of Hawaii where she studied Environmental Science and Education. She engaged in post-graduate work at the University of Victoria and Harvard Business School. She holds specialized education certificates from Peninsula College and Washington State University. Scalf's career has spanned Non-Profit Management, Recreation, Tourism & Hospitality and Education. Today Scalf proudly calls Port Ludlow her home with her partner and two dogs.

Scalf has a lifetime of community service, from working on salmon recovery projects, serving on the Board of the Jefferson County Fairgrounds Association, to volunteering with the Equitese Pony Club. She is often found cheering for local sports, especially the Seattle Torrent Women's Hockey Team!

*"As your next County Commissioner, I will ensure District 3's residents are engaged in the future of our County. I prioritize the concerns of the people, and work collaboratively to build a sustainable future for all."*

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