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**Lee and Julie Beaman, Prominent Conservative Business Leaders, Named Co-Chairs for Matt Van Epps' Congressional Campaign in Tennessee's 7th District**

**NASHVILLE, Tenn.,**— Matt Van Epps, conservative candidate for Tennessee's 7th Congressional District, is thrilled to announce that distinguished Nashville business leaders and committed conservative philanthropists Lee and Julie Beaman will serve as Finance Co-Chairs for his congressional campaign.

*"I'm deeply honored to earn the support of Lee and Julie Beaman," said **Matt Van Epps**. "Their leadership in Tennessee's business community and unwavering dedication to conservative principles have made a lasting impact on our state. Their commitment to our shared values strengthens our campaign to deliver a bold, conservative vision to the 7th District."*

**Lee Beaman** stated, *"Matt is the principled conservative Tennessee needs in Congress. His background as a combat veteran, successful businessman, and public servant gives him a grounded perspective on the issues that matter most to Tennesseans. Matt's resolve to stand firm on our values makes him the leader we need in Washington."*

**Julie Beaman** added, *"We're proud to support Matt's campaign because he embodies the America First agenda. His focus on keeping our borders secure, protecting our freedoms, and promoting economic prosperity aligns with the priorities of Tennessee families. We're excited to help him bring this message to voters."*

**Background**

Matt Van Epps is a decorated Army veteran and 2005 graduate of West Point's "Class of 9/11." He served nine combat tours as an Apache and later Chinook helicopter pilot with the elite 160th Special Operations Aviation Regiment (Night Stalkers). For his valor under fire—most notably during an RPG attack where he and his crew safely landed their damaged aircraft and completed the mission—Matt was awarded the Air Medal with "V" Device, along with the Bronze Star and Meritorious Service Medals. After his military service, Matt served in several key leadership roles in Tennessee state government and worked in the private sector to improve rural healthcare. Most recently, he served as Commissioner of the Tennessee Department of General Services.

Lee and Julie Beaman are esteemed Nashville business leaders and influential conservative donors. They have raised significant funds for President Donald J. Trump, Vice President JD Vance, Senators Marsha Blackburn and Bill Hagerty, and other America First Republicans, cementing their reputation as champions of conservative causes.

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