

CHARLOTTE KELLY

FOR SOMERVILLE CITY COUNCIL AT-LARGE



Throughout Charlotte's life, **she has built coalitions and communities around the most pressing issues of our time.** From winning \$1.5 billion for public schools across Massachusetts to helping re-elect Senator Pat Jehlen as her 2016 Field Director, she has fought to improve the lives of people in her community. Now, Charlotte has the support of local, state, and national organizations and leaders as she works towards justice for everyone who calls Somerville home.



Varshini Prakash
Executive Director and
Co-Founder of the
Sunrise Movement

"After organizing with Charlotte to make UMass the first public college system in the country to divest from fossil fuels, I personally know that she will bring the urgency, ideas and movement commitment to City Hall! I trust Charlotte's experience, values, and knowledge as we work to tackle the climate crisis at every level of government — especially on a local level."



Pennie Taylor
Community organizer and
housing advocate

"I've been organizing to put people over profits in Somerville for years. Together, we've worked to improve life in so many ways - to make sure our neighbors get their full wages each week, stay housed each month, and that we can all live and work in our community for years to come without displacement. Charlotte gets it. I know she will stand with her neighbors as we continue this work, and I ask you to join me in voting for Charlotte!"



Darlene Lombos
Executive Secretary-Treasurer
Greater Boston Labor Council

"The Greater Boston Labor Council is proud to endorse Charlotte Kelly for Somerville City Council. We endorse Charlotte not just for her pro-union values but for her track record as a community leader and fighter for justice. Charlotte has the skills and passion to be a champion for the working people of Somerville at City Hall. Join us in supporting Charlotte Kelly for City Council."

PROUDLY ENDORSED BY:



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What Charlotte's fighting for:

- Expand housing stability efforts to fully connect renters and homeowners with resources to keep people housed and bills paid
- Resource departments like Inspectional Services and Public Works to end the rat problem, plow sidewalks, and better address other health and safety issues
- Improve our roads, traffic calming measures, bike lanes, and sidewalks to make our streets safer and more accessible
- Redirect non-emergency issues out of SPD and build an unarmed emergency response team for mental health crises, substance use, and homelessness



Ward One Councilor Matt McLaughlin

"I've watched Charlotte become a true leader in the progressive movement. She has dedicated her time not only to political campaigns but also to important issues such as labor and education. Charlotte became the Executive Director of the MEJA at 23 years old after years of fighting for education justice. I am fully confident that if elected, Charlotte will go beyond the political rhetoric and do the hard work needed to ensure this city remains one of the most progressive cities in America."



Congresswoman Ayanna Pressley

"Throughout her life, Charlotte Kelly has followed the work — the work of advancing justice and equity. From electoral organizing to leading the Massachusetts Education Justice Alliance, Charlotte has invested her time, her energy, and her sweat equity in building grassroots power and community. As a Somerville City Councilor At-Large, I know Charlotte will continue that commitment to lift up proximate voices and find effective, inclusive solutions. I'm proud to endorse her campaign."



State Representative Erika Uytterhoeven

"Somervillens deserve a City Council that is fighting vigorously for them. Charlotte is a leader who has a proven track record of bringing marginalized people to the center of fighting for the change we need. Working with her on the Fund Our Future campaign, I know Charlotte has the experience and know-how to transform our values for equity and justice into policies that shape our lives. That is why I am proud to endorse Charlotte."



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