

# Gary MacFadden



My wife of 50 years and I retired to Lake of the Woods from Fairfax Station, Va. in 2017. Predicated on my daughter's future family employment opportunities, I expect my elementary and middle-school granddaughters may very well become students in the Orange County Public Schools (OCPS) system.

I attended the U.S. Naval Academy and earned a bachelor's degree in electrical engineering. My post-graduate education includes the University of West Florida for aeronautical systems; the University of Virginia Continuing and Professional Studies with courses in Federal Procurement and Contracting, Contract Administration, Cost and Price Analysis, Principles of Law for Contract Formation, Principles of Law for Contract Performance, Principles of Intellectual Property Law; and the George Mason University College of Science with courses in undergraduate and advanced mathematics.

My 45-year professional career spans service as a Marine Corps officer, management positions with two Fortune 50 companies (Boeing and MCI), and a national trade association. In the course of these jobs, I developed a strong background in day-to-day business operations, program management, procurement management, and contract administration. I am competitive and I enjoyed employment with Fairfax County Public Schools for eight years as a high school varsity women's lacrosse head coach. In 2003, the team I coached went undefeated and won the Virginia AAA state championship. I serve as a lector and musician in church and enjoy practicing marksmanship and beekeeping at the Rappahannock Chapter of the Izaak Walton League.