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Christie Announces Lieutenant Governor Pick

Republican Gubernatorial Candidate Chris Christie today announced his selection of Monmouth County Sheriff Kim Guadagno to run for Lieutenant Governor on the Republican ticket.

Guadagno was elected Monmouth County Sheriff in November, 2007. She previously held municipal office in Monmouth Beach, both as a Commissioner and member of the Board of Adjustment. She also spent fifteen years as an Assistant U.S. Attorney, working in both New Jersey and Brooklyn, and served as deputy chief of the corruption unit from 1990 to 1998. From 1998 to 2000 she served as Deputy Director of the Division of Criminal Justice in the New Jersey Department of Law and Public Safety.

Guadagno, 50, was born in Waterloo, Iowa. She attended Ursinus College and American University Law School. Her husband is Superior Court Judge Michael Guadagno. They have three sons.

Governor Corzine has not yet named his choice for Lieutenant Governor but must to so by July 27th.