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BARING FOR U.S. CONGRESS



CONGRESSMAN WALTER

U.S. Congressman Walter S. Baring, announced that he will seek re-election to the House of Representatives from the State of Nevada.

"I do, once again, renew my pledge to Nevada and all America to continue to strive for the best government and life for everyone in this nation," the ten term incumbent said.

Baring, a Native Nevadan who maintains his home in Reno, has served as Nevada's only Congressman in the House of Representatives for ten terms. He is a ranking Member of the House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee and the Veterans Affairs Committee.

Baring stated, "I have conscientiously concerned myself with the opinions, the wishes and the needs of the people of Nevada whom I have served over the years. I am deeply grateful for the loyal and overwhelming support and trust they have given me in the past. I sincerely hope that I have the privilege of continuing to serve Nevadans and the country in the future, as I have in the past, with sustained honesty, dignity, and perseverance."

Baring said he knew of no other greater honor than to continue to serve in Congress, which he promised today, if re-elected to do his very best to uphold Nevada's rights, the principles of the American way of life, and the U.S. Constitution.

"The U.S. Constitution is the mainstay of our democracy and it must be protected and supported at all costs."

Baring continued, "I am a strong advocate of keeping the U.S. prepared to halt any aggression alien to our ideals and principles that might come from sources in or outside the country."

"Likewise, I also am against any ultra-liberal ideas of socialistic programs which take away the individual rights of American citizens, or heavily burden Americans, and which would cause extravagant unrealistic expenditures by government and force the U.S. further into debt," he said.

Congressman Baring is married to the former Geraldine Buchanan and is the father of four sons.

He was born in the historic Nevada mining boom town of Goldfield and was educated in Nevada schools. He graduated from the University of Nevada with a Bachelor of Arts degree and Bachelor of Science degree in Mathematics.

The veteran Congressman is a former Nevada Federal tax agent, Washoe County deputy constable, Reno businessman and was a member of the Nevada State Legislature in the Assembly prior to his enlistment in the U.S. Navy in World War II.

Following the war and upon his return home, Baring was elected to the Reno City Council from which he resigned to run for the U.S. House of Representatives from his home State in 1948 when he successfully began his career as a public

GEORGE BAXTER FOR ASSEMBLY



GEORGE

George L. Baxter, 47, has filed as a Republican candidate for the Nevada State Assembly from District #11.

A 25 year resident of Nevada, Baxter served as Correctional Officer at the Nevada State Prison and, later, as a Vocational Instructor, conducted the first vocational class at the maximum prison.

Presently employed at the Bonanza Hotel, Baxter served as Senior Inspector with the Taxicab Authority, from 1969-1971. Baxter, a member of the Clark County Republican Central Committee and a member of the Nevada Peace Officers Association, and served with the U.S. Navy during World War II and with the Air Force in Korea.

Deeply concerned with the continuing rise in the crime rate, Baxter would seek to restructure the bail system, and provide a new maximum security prison.

Baxter also took a firm position on consolidation of government services.

Baxter and his wife, the former Ruth Russell a native Nevadan, are the parents of six children. The Baxters reside at 1512 Lucilee in Las Vegas.

Baring has been President of various Nevada Democratic political organizations and was Chairman of the Washoe County democratic Central Committee in 1936. He also was one of the founders of the Nevada Young Democrats in 1933.

Baring served in the Nevada Jaycees and is an honorary member. He is a member of several Nevada fraternal organizations and public service clubs in Nevada.

Congressman Baring is the third ranking member of both the Interior and Veterans Committees in the House.

On the Interior, he is Chairman of the Public Lands Sub-Committee and serves as a Member of the Reclamation and the Mines and Mining Sub-Committees. He is a Member of the Environmental Sub-Committees and is a ranking member on the newly formed 1972 Interior ad hoc Committee on Fuels and Energy, which concerns itself with the fuel resource shortages the U.S. is facing in the next few years.

On the Veteran's Affairs Committee, Baring himself a veteran of World War II, serves on the Housing Sub-Committee. He has served on several special Veteran's ad hoc committees.

"I am proud to be a ranking member of the important House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee. I will continue to work for the responsible and orderly development of Nevada."

"I intend to conduct my campaign in a very positive manner discussing the issues and the problems facing Nevada," Congressman Baring concluded.

CANDIDATES INVITED TO SUBMIT RESUMES

KEITH FOR STATE ASSEMBLY

Sam Keith, Las Vegas Businessman and democratic candidate for the Nevada Legislature Assembly district 5 seat, said he will propose needed legislation for the revision of statutes governing consumer protection laws. Keith an advocate of states' rights quoted, "The public is being bilked by overrides and overcharges by some title insurance firms. Title insurance definitely has a meaningful purpose, but as it now stands, the home purchaser and owner pays heavily for small returns. Solution to this problem will require new legislation with more coverage for the consumer."

Keith, an engineer, commented, "Legislation also must be imposed to stop the excessive overload of interest and credit life insurance now being charged against the consumer on automobiles, furniture, and money lenders. As a member of the lower house, I intend to see that legislation will be passed to protect the consumer in these fields of 'Unorthodox overcharges'."

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ROSEMARY CLARKE FOR ASSEMBLY

Rosemary K. Clarke, member of the Nevada State Board of Education has filed as a candidate for assembly District No. 13.

Mrs. Clarke, democrat, is a graduate of the University of Iowa. She has long been active in the fields of special education and mental health. She was first appointed by Governor Laxalt to the State Mental Hygiene and mental Retardation Advisory Board for four years and reappointed by Governor O'Callaghan. For the past two years she has been chairman of the board.

Mrs. Clarke is presently a member of the statewide exceptional pupil committee. This committee is preparing proposed legislation in this field. She hopes that many of the educational programs needed in the past can now be instituted using the revenue from the slot machine tax rebate. Legislative reform aimed at more economical, efficient and responsive legislature is also of concern to Mrs. Clarke.

Mrs. Clarke is the Nevada delegate to the National Assn. for Mental Health, a member of the Valley league of Women voters, the Ameri-



MRS. CLARKE

can Assn. for University Women, the Consumers League of Nevada and has been the treasurer of the Auxiliary of the home of good shepherd. She is a member of the friends of the Library & Interested in Expansion of Library Services.

Mrs. Clarke, with her husband, Dr. James Y. Clarke have resided in Las Vegas for 13 years, seven years at present address in paradise valley. They have three children, all of whom graduated from Las Vegas High Schools. Kathleen is employed with the National Institute of Health, Bethesda, Maryland. James Jr. is a student at the University of Oregon and Carol married, living in St. George, Utah.

FRANKLIN FOR COUNTY COMMISSION



JERRY

Jerry Franklin, 32 year old Henderson City Councilman, has filed as a Democratic candidate for a seat on the Clark County Commission, from District #A.

Elected to the Henderson City Council in June 1971 Franklin serves as a member of the Clark County District Board of Health and its Air Pollution Control Board, and Budget & Personnel Committee.

Franklin also sits on the Clark County Board of Equalization and presides as chairman of the powerful Clark County Regional Planning Com-

mission.

Deeply involved in civic and community affairs Franklin, an Air Force veteran, is a member of the American Legion Post 40, President of the Basic Booster Club, past officer of the Henderson Jay Cees, and is a board member of the Southern Nevada Museum. He is a member of the Southern Nevada Democratic Club and a member of the Clark County Democratic Central Committee.

In a statement to key supporters, made just before filing, Franklin expressed gratitude to the many persons and organizations throughout Clark County for their show of confidence in his ability to bring new direction and a fresh approach to government, by urging him to be a candidate for the county commission.

Franklin resides at 251 Chaparral Drive in Henderson, with his wife the former Marcia Lunzmann, and two daughters, Tracie, 3, and Christine, 18 months.