

Political Hopefuls

JOAN KENNEY BIDS FOR REGENT



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Joan Kenney has announced her bid for the University of Nevada Board of Regents seat in District D.

Joan was elected to, and served on the Nevada State Board of Education since 1972. While serving as a member of the Board, Kenney was appointed to be a charter member of the National Community Education Advisory Council, by then Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare, Caspar Weinberger.

In 1976, she was appointed by President Gerald Ford to serve on the President's Advisory Council on Adult Education. While on that council Kenney served on the Governmental Affairs Committee, the Evaluation Committee, and was chairman of the Liason Committee.

Currently on the State Board of Education, Kenney is serv-

ing as liason to the Nevada State Vocational and Technical Council, and is a member of the Board's Legislative and Finance Committees.

An alumnus of Stanford University, Kenney was appointed by Governor Robert List to serve on the Nevada CETA Council in 1979, and again in 1980.

Active in Nevada's educational system, Kenney has demonstrated an ability to get things done. She was instrumental in the construction of the Community Center to serve the Moapa Indian tribe. She worked to establish classes in construction for the Indian students. Kenney also served on the committee to build the new vocational training center in the northwest section of Las Vegas.

Her active participation in the educational system led her to be recently appointed by President Ronald Reagan to his national Council on Vocational Education.

An educational system that communicates is one of Kenney's goals. "Since I have been on the State Board of Education which is responsible for elementary and secondary education, there has been little if any flow of information between us and the university system," she said. "Nevada's se-

WOODHOUSE FILES FOR ASSEMBLY



JOYCE WOODHOUSE

Joyce Woodhouse, a 16-year Clark County teacher and political activist, announced her candidacy for the Democratic nomination for the Nevada Assembly representing District 16.

Although she has many years of experience as a lobbyist and political analyst for the Nevada State Education Association, Woodhouse said she "is by no means devoted exclusively to educational concerns. Although I favor the maximum possible aid to Clark County schools, I am also committed to responsible tax policy and fiscal integrity, as well as effective legislative leadership."

Woodhouse, who teaches at Vegas Verdes Elementary

secondary schools produce the largest percentage of students attending both UNR and UNLV. The State Board needs to know what it's doing right and what it's failing to do so they can offer a more successful and productive college preparation."

School, was a lobbyist for Nevada education during the last four sessions of the Nevada Legislature, as well as serving a term as President of the state teacher's organization prior to returning to full time teaching last year.

Woodhouse said her lobbying experience "has given me an intimate knowledge of legislative process, and understanding of law-making and the ability to get things done in Carson City which could only be possessed by a veteran of many terms in office."

A graduate of Carroll College in Helena, Montana with a bachelor's degree in elementary education, Woodhouse is presently working on an advanced degree at UNLV, in addition to her other concerns.

Active in politics at both the county and state levels as chairman of Teachers in Politics (TIP) and a member of the Political Action Committee for Education (PACE), Woodhouse has been a resident and teacher in Las Vegas since 1966.

Woodhouse was recently honored as "an Outstanding Nevadan" by the Federated Firefighters of Nevada and the Las Vegas Police Protective Association. She was the recipient of the 1980-81 "Leadership in Education Award" from the Las Vegas Chapter of Phi Delta Kappa.

HORN FILES FOR STATE SENATE



NICK HORN

Assemblyman Nick Horn, who has served in the Nevada Legislature since 1977, announced he will seek election to the State Senate representing District 7.

The Senate seat is being vacated by Sen. Jean Ford, who announced recently that she will not seek re-election.

He was voted "Outstanding Freshman Assemblyman" in 1977 and has compiled a 100 per cent voting and attendance record during his six years in the Assembly.

The 36-year-old Las Vegas Democrat also served as chairman of the subcommittee on prisons, parole and probation, and was budget chairman of the subcommittee studying funding of the Department of Investigation and Narcotics.

Presently Horn serves on the Interim Finance Committee and the interim committee studying prison master planning.

During past sessions, Horn was chairman of the Elections Committee and vice chairman of the Education Committee.

Horn labels himself "a fiscal conservative whose subcommittee on prisons led the fight to cut \$2.8 million from the 1981 prison budget." The subcommittee, Horn said, "gave the money to education instead of criminals." Horn's subcommittee also eliminated free tobacco, television sets and other prison frills, a move which resulted in a saving to the state of more than \$100,000.

Horn has sponsored numerous anti-crime bills, including restitution programs, longer sentences for repeat offenders, mandatory prison sentences for crimes committed with a deadly weapon, tougher drunk driving laws and tougher sentences for crimes against the elderly.

Horn sponsored a fire safety bill during the 1981 session which included retrofitting provisions. He is also on record as voting to close the Betty Nuclear Dump Site. He also backed legislation creating an office of consumer affairs to represent users of public utilities and a bill increasing property tax benefits for senior citizens.

Senate District 7 is bounded roughly by Sahara Avenue on the north, Maryland Parkway on the west, Russell Road on the south and Nellis Boulevard on the east.



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Hawaii's main islands are the tops of the largest volcanic mountains on earth. The reason they are not known so well for this is that their bottoms lie some 20,000 feet below the surface of the sea. But they still rise another 13,000 feet, at their highest, above the Pacific. Of the dozens of islands and islets comprising the 1500-mile-long Hawaiian chain, only seven are inhabited and, of these, just four are significant tourist destinations - Kauai, Oahu, Maui, and the "Big Island" as Hawaii is called.

Eighty percent of Hawaii's population lives on the island of Oahu - most of them in Hawaii's biggest city, Honolulu. Most visitors spend most of their time on this island. Oahu surfing beaches are famous worldwide and the mere mention of Makaha or Sunset Beach will cause a surfer's toes to twitch. In all, Oahu has 53 beach parks, the most famous being Waikiki. You owe it to yourself to give Hawaii a whirl.

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