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ENDORSES STATE SENATOR JOE NEAL FOR RE-ELECTION IN STATE SENATE DISTRICT #4



THE BARBARA JORDAN DEMOCRATIC WOMEN'S CAUCUS IS PRESENTLY COMPRISED OF RESIDENTS OF THE LAS VEGAS VALLEY COMMITTED TO THE PRINCIPLES AND IDEALS THAT FORMER REPRESENTATIVE BARBARA JORDAN DEMONSTRATED TO THE NATION DURING HER TENURE IN CONGRESS. SHE CARRIED HERSELF WITH DIGNITY AND REFUSED TO BECOME A RUBBER STAMP FOR ANY SPECIAL INTEREST GROUP. SHE RESERVED THE RIGHT TO THINK, TO SPEAK, AND TO ACT IN THE BEST INTEREST OF HER CONSTITUENCY AS A WHOLE. SHE UNDERSTOOD THE POLITICAL PROCESS AND USED THE POWER OF HER OFFICE TO PROMOTE ENLIGHTENED GOVERNMENT THAT IS RESPONSIVE TO THE ASPIRATIONS OF ALL AMERICANS.

IN OUR OPINION, SENATOR NEAL HAS DEMONSTRATED THE QUALITIES IN A PUBLIC OFFICIAL THAT WE SEEK TO PROMOTE. FURTHER, HE HAS EARNED THE RESPECTED POSITION OF THIRD RANKING DEMOCRAT IN THE SENATE WHICH AFFORDS HIM A POSITION OF POWER THAT CAN AFFECT CHANGE. THIS CAN ONLY BE HOPED FOR BY A FRESHMAN. WE ARE ENCOURAGED WHEN WE SEE TRADITIONAL MINORITIES SUCH AS WOMEN, BLACKS, AND HISPANIC AMERICANS RUN FOR OFFICE; BUT, WE CANNOT ENDORSE LOSING GROUND BY REPLACING A RESPONSIBLE PUBLIC OFFICIAL WHO HAS GAINED POWER WITH A WELL MEANING ASPIRANT TO PUBLIC OFFICE.LET THOSE WHO WOULD HELP US PROGRESS DO SO BY SEEK ING TO UNSEAT INDIVIDUALS WHO HAVE NOT SERVED TO PROMOTE PROGRESS FOR THE TRADITIONALLY POWERLESS, THEREBY ADDING TO OUR POWER BASE AND NOT DIMINISHING IT!