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Physicians endorse Minnick

Boise, ID - One of the state's oldest and most respected professional organizations is endorsing Congressman Walt Minnick's bid for re-election.

The Idaho Medical Political Action Committee (IMPAC) and American Medical Political Action Committee (AMPAC) announced the endorsement today. IMPAC is the bi-partisan political arm of the Idaho Medical Association.

"IMA appreciates Congressman Minnick's extensive efforts to reach out to the medical community on an ongoing basis," said IMA CEO Susie Pouliot. "He consistently reflects the values of his constituents and has shown the courage to vote accordingly."

Throughout the ongoing debate over health-care reform legislation, Walt reached out to a wide spectrum of medical professionals, even hosting them for a roundtable discussion on the health care bill, which Walt ultimately opposed.

"I know this has been a tumultuous year for Idaho physicians," he said. "But they have my ongoing commitment to work with them and others in a collaborative, bipartisan fashion to help find solutions to problems such as Medicare reimbursement and a lack of rural providers."

IMPAC describes itself as a group that "works to protect physicians, their practices, and their patients in this challenging political and economic landscape. IMPAC works in conjunction with AMPAC to ensure that elected officials in Idaho and Washington, D.C., understand the issues most important to maintaining and improving our state's rural health system."

[Click here](#) to learn more about the Idaho Medical Association, which was founded in 1893.

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