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Governor Otter Claims Victory in Gubernatorial Race

Boise, Idaho – November 3, 2010 – Early this morning, Governor C.L. “Butch” Otter claimed victory in his re-election bid as Idaho’s Governor. At 12:36am, Keith Allred called Governor Otter to concede defeat. They spoke for a couple minutes about the campaign and the upcoming legislative session.

“I give credit to my opponent, Mr. Allred, for running a very tough race,” said Governor C.L. “Butch” Otter. “In the end, Idahoans spoke loudly that strong conservative leadership is what they wanted during these tough times.”

Governor Otter has worked for almost a year to get his message out to all Idahoans. The people of Idaho continue to let the Governor know that the direction we’re headed is one they agree with.

“I could not do this alone,” said Governor Otter. “I owe a huge thank you to my campaign staff, the hundreds of volunteers, donors, and especially all of you who went to cast your vote today. I am extremely grateful for your continued support.”

“We have a lot of work ahead of us,” said Governor Otter. “I will continue to grow this economy and get all Idahoans back to work so that our state will be the example for the nation.”

*****Governor Otter will address the media and supporters tomorrow at noon on the Statehouse steps as part of the Idaho GOP Victory Rally. *****

About Governor C.L. “Butch” Otter

Before becoming Idaho’s Governor, Butch served three terms in Congress representing Idaho’s 1st District. He was Idaho’s only four-term lieutenant governor and previously served two terms in the Idaho House of Representatives. The father of four and grandfather of five is a Caldwell native, College of Idaho graduate, and veteran of the Idaho Army National Guard’s 116th Armored Cavalry.

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