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## FORMER STATE CONTROLLER DONNA JONES SAYS MCGRANE RIGHT CANDIDATE FOR THE JOB

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**BOISE** — The Phil McGrane for Secretary of State campaign today announced that former State Controller and Legislator Donna Jones had joined a growing number of stalwart Republicans who have endorsed McGrane's candidacy.

"The Secretary of State's office plays a vital, daily role for Idaho and there is no time for someone without genuine experience to master the steep learning curve this position entails. From his first day on the job our next Secretary of State needs to be ready to oversee the elections process, lobbyist and campaign reporting, business filings and work with the other constitutional officers on the land board to make the best decisions for our state. Phil McGrane's background and experience makes him the only qualified candidate in this race that can get the job done," said Donna Jones.

Commenting on receiving today's endorsement, Phil McGrane said, "Donna Jones is a stalwart in Republican politics and someone who has dedicated many years of her life to public service. She has been a role model not only for Republican women, but for all who want to serve in public office. Her sincerity and devotion to the people of Idaho are examples for me to follow when I am elected. I am grateful for her endorsement."