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## Dave White Announces his candidacy for Washington State Representative in the 3<sup>rd</sup> District

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Today, March 14, 2012, Dave White announced his candidacy for Washington State Representative, in the 3rd District, potentially running against Tim Ormsby. "For the past two years we have witnessed Democrat majorities, in both the Washington State House and Senate, waste both time and taxpayer's money, addressing every other conceivable type of bill, <u>except</u> the state's budget. In past elections, they have assured the Washington State Voter they would make this their priority. However, they have been using the budgeting issues as leverage for upcoming elections, and have waited until the last days of each session to address the current problems. We are now in the 5th special session, and have yet to arrive at any solution. The House and Senate have a significant Democratic Majority and can't pass an impacting bill even with their significant majorities, which poses a real problem for <u>all</u> residents in Washington State. The budgeting problems have floated by, and currently our budget is not balanced. We keep spending money that we do not have", said Dave.

Dave White's, Republicans associates, have offered budget balancing proposals, along with issues concerning the priorities of education, public safety, and protection of the disadvantaged Washington resident. These offers fell to deaf ears, as the unpartisan Democrat Majority of the House and Senate need not listen to the opposing parties. We need to replace at least eight seats in the House to overcome this. Dave says, "The only way we can fix this is by reaching across the table with a bipartisan hand, and address the issues that are most important for Washington to thrive. We need to put our politics aside, and just do what is right. I will give the voters of the 3<sup>rd</sup> district, a viable candidate and leader, who will focus on solving our legislative woes."

Dave has worked the last 22 years of his life serving the people of Spokane, as a proud Inspector for Spokane County. His duties have included the inspection of engineering projects, roads, and utilities. Furthermore, Dave recognizes his expertise in infrastructure, and would like to benefit the legislature by bringing in practical experience, when passing infrastructure related legislation. "If elected I would like to head a committee to increase the Washington State infrastructure. This not only helps out our country and state, but it increases the amount of jobs Washington has. Which, let's be honest, is the real issue the Washington State Voter is concerned about.

For the last two years, Dave has been the Precinct Committee Officer in precinct 31-08, working with several greatly-inspiring people, of which are both Democrat and Republican. "We have successfully fought to keep the Eastside Spokane City Library open, and when elected, I will bring the same fighting mentality with me to Olympia, in January", said Dave.