Peter Riggs Launches Campaign for Idaho House of Representatives

(Coeur d'Alene, ID) Peter Riggs has announced his candidacy for the Idaho House of Representatives for District 3B. He issued the following statement:

"As a lifelong resident, I have a deep-rooted passion for this area. I am a conservative Republican; however, I don't believe that has to be synonymous with obstructionist behavior. It is common sense that a vibrant, free economy and quality education are two vital "Pillars of Freedom" that must be protected and enhanced to ensure the success and continuing existence of this country.

"Three other "Pillars of Freedom" that must be unequivocally protected are Freedom of Speech, Freedom of Religion, and the People's Right to Keep & Bear Arms. The freedom to speak your mind, especially in the form of prayer, must be protected from those who would attempt to twist the First Amendment in an effort to remove God from America. It is critically important that we not only protect ourselves from those who would limit what we think and say, but also those who would limit our ability to protect ourselves and our families.

"America is at a crossroads, and Idaho has an important role to play in protecting States Rights. I believe Idaho can lead the way for other states in how to deal with Federal over-reach. As Idahoans, we are confident in our personal liberties and our state's rights. I will protect and preserve those Idaho Values that define us.

Peter Riggs, Candidate for Idaho House of Representatives, District 3B

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About Peter Riggs

Peter Riggs was born and raised in North Idaho. He graduated from Lake City High School before becoming a proud Vandal, getting his undergraduate degree and then his MBA from the University of Idaho. His wife, Tyree was also raised in North Idaho, and together they have two sons, ages four and one. His family has over 80 years of history in this part of the state, and they are proud to be residents of this area and members of the greater Idaho community. Peter has more than a decade of experience in the franchising industry, both as a franchisee and a franchisor, developing businesses and employing people. He first became a Pita Pit franchisee in 2003, and then was part of the team that took the reins of Pita Pit USA in 2005. Peter is active with the International Franchise Association through their Legislative Action Group and Franchise Action Network. He also participates locally on the Board of Directors for the Coeur d'Alene Chamber of Commerce and the Coeur d'Alene Downtown Association. For more information, visit PeterRiggs.com and find him on Twitter @PeterRiggs and Facebook.