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MARCH 21 PRIMARY ELECTION HIGHLIGHTS

As I am sure you are aware, the winners in the eight contested races were **Judy Baar Topinka, Joe Birkett, Randy Hultgren, Mike Fortner, Gwen Henry, John Zaruba, Jerry McBride, and Mike Formento** - please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or comments concerning the primary election or the upcoming general election.

-- 38 percent or 156 of the 410 of the registered voters in Milton Precinct 9 voted in the March 21 primary election

-- 81.4 percent or 127 of the 156 who voted in our precinct, voted Republican – only 8 of the 109 Milton Township precincts had a higher percentage

-- 31 percent or 127 of the 410 of the registered voters in our precincts voted Republican -- only 23 precincts had a higher percentage -- many thanks to the 127 who voted Republican

-- Our 31 percent Republican turnout is better than it looks – the two precincts most comparable to ours, precinct 19 immediately to the west and precinct 86 immediately to the east, had only 26.8 and 21.6 percent Republican turnouts respectively

-- The Republican turnout for all of Milton Township was 24.2 percent (17,475 of 72,260) and it was 18.8 percent (97,459 of 518,275) for all of DuPage County

-- At 87.6%, the vote for **John Zaruba** in our precinct was the 3rd highest of the Milton Township precincts; at 38.5%, the vote for **Steve Rauschenberger** was 4th highest; at 63.3%, the vote for **Grant Eckhoff** was 9th highest; at 89.3%, the vote for **Randy Hultgren** was the 11th highest; and at 38.7 percent, the vote for **Jim Oberweis** was 12th highest

RACE/JURISDICTION	MILTON PRECINCT 9	MILTON RANK	MILTON TOWNSHIP	DUPAGE COUNTY	ILLINOIS
Governor					
Judy Baar Topinka	33.1%	88	39.3%	43.6%	38.1%
Bill Brady	12.9%	63	15.0%	10.6%	18.4%
Jim Oberweis	38.7%	12	30.1%	31.6%	31.8%
Ron Gidwitz	13.7%	70	15.0%	13.5%	10.9%
Andy Martin	1.6%	14	.6%	.7%	.8%
Lieutenant Governor					
Sandy Wegman	6.6%	64	6.9%	8.7%	13.3%
Joe Birkett	54.1%	102	65.7%	64.4%	50.6%
Lawrence Bruckner	.8%	92	2.3%	3.0%	6.1%
Steve Rauschenberger	38.5%	4	25.1%	23.9%	30.0%
State Senator					
Richard Furstenau	10.7%	23	13.0%	35.7%	
Randy Hultgren	89.3%	11	87.0%	64.3%	
State Representative					
Mike Fortner	61.9%	12	54.8%	58.2%	
Pamela Mitroff	37.1%	22	45.2%	41.8%	
County Treasurer					
Robert Heap	28.8%	96	36.1%	49.2%	
Gwen Henry	71.2%	14	63.9%	50.8%	
County Sheriff					
John Zaruba	87.6%	3	78.7%	71.7%	
Timothy Connell	12.4%	107	21.3%	28.3%	
County Board					
Jerry McBride	36.7%	92	52.0%	52.8%	
Grant Eckhoff	63.3%	9	48.0%	47.2%	
Forest Preserve					
Mike Formento	55.8%	71	59.9%	59.4%	
Kaaren Oldfield	44.2%	30	40.1%	40.6%	

GOP CANDIDATES FOR THE NOVEMBER 7 GENERAL ELECTION

FEDERAL

-- Representative, District 6: Peter Roskam (www.roskamforcongress.com)

ILLINOIS

-- Governor: Judy Baar Topinka (www.judyforgov.com)
-- Lieutenant Governor: Joe Birkett (www.joebirkett.com)
-- Attorney General: Stewart Umholtz (www.umholtz.net)
-- Secretary of State: Dan Rutherford (www.danrutherford.org)
-- Comptroller: Carole Pankau (www.pankau.org)
-- Treasurer: Christine Radogno (www.radogno2006.com)
-- Senator, District 48: Randy Hultgren (www.hultgrensenate06.com)
-- Representative, District 95: Mike Fortner (www.mikefortner.org)

DUPAGE COUNTY

-- County Board Chairman: Robert Schillerstrom (<http://bobforillinois.com>)
-- Clerk: Gary King
-- Treasurer: Gwen Henry (www.gwenhenry.com)
-- Sheriff: John Zaruba (www.zaruba2006.com)
-- Regional Superintendent of Schools: Darlene Ruscitti
-- County Board Member, District 4: J.R. McBride (www.votemcbride.com) and John Noel (www.noellaw.net)
-- Forest Preserve President: Dewey Pierotti
-- Forest Preserve Commissioner, District 4: Mike Formento (www.mikeformento.com)

I am very familiar with all of the candidates, especially with their qualifications and their positions on the issues. They are all highly qualified for the offices they seek. Please visit their websites. Please consider volunteering to help elect one or more of them on November 7.

MARCH 20 GOP DAY AT THE WHEATON TRAIN STATION A TREMENDOUS SUCCESS

I had the honor of arranging the March 20 GOP Day at the Wheaton train station and I am very happy to report that it a tremendous success -- the November 6 GOP Day at the Wheaton train station will be even more successful. Many thanks to the candidates who funded free gourmet coffee and delicious pastries for the commuters -- **Franco Coladipietro, Grant Eckhoff, Bob Heap, Gwen Henry, Jim Oberweis, and Kaaren Oldfield**. Many thanks to all the candidates who greeted commuters and/or spoke with the news media including **Joe Birkett, Franco Coladipietro, Mike Fortner, Ron Gidwitz, Gwen Henry, Randy Hultgren, Roger Jenisch, Jim Oberweis, and Kaaren Oldfield**. Many thanks to the news media that covered the event including **CBS2, NBC5, ABC7, WGN, and the Chicago Tribune**.

GOP CANDIDATES TO SPONSOR ROYAL AIRS DRUM & BUGLE CORP IN WHEATON AND GLEN ELLYN INDEPENDENCE DAY PARADES

I have the honor of arranging for GOP candidates to sponsor the outstanding Royal Airs Drum and Bugle Corp in the Wheaton and Glen Ellyn Independence Day parades. The Wheaton parade has always been and continues to be one of the most widely viewed Independence Day parades in Illinois. However, sadly, as many of you know, Democrats and RINOs have been badmouthing Wheaton's Independence Day parade more and more each year. Their first argument is that the parade would be much much better if elected officials, candidates, and their supporters would be banned from the parade. Their second argument is that the parade would be much much better if more marching bands, drum & bugle corps, and floats would participate in the parade. Needless-to-say, I reject the first argument and accept the second argument. The following are the 23 candidates who I have asked to walk in the parades and to help sponsor the Royal Airs:

Federal

Peter Roskam

Statewide

Joe Birkett, Carole Pankau, Christine Radogno, Dan Rutherford, Judy Baar Topinka, and Stu Umholtz,

Illinois Senate

Dan Cronin, Kirk Dillard, and Randy Hultgren

Illinois House

Franco Coladipietro, Mike Fortner, Jim Meyer, and Sandy Pihos

DuPage County

Gwen Henry, Gary King, Dewey Pierotti, Darlene Ruscitti, Bob Schillerstrom, and John Zaruba

DuPage District 4

Mike Formento, Jerry McBride, and John Noel