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Dear Friend,

I am sending this letter and campaign flyer to let you know that I'm running for office—the Montana State Legislature, House District 85—and why.

I have been a conservative small business owner in the Bitterroot Valley since 1992. I have considered it a true blessing to be able to live in such a beautiful environment and make my living pursuing my passion in horsemanship and breeding a fine line of performance horses. My little piece of the American dream served me well for many years. I own TNT Paints and Performance Horses, and in addition to earning 23 state, regional and national championships in my chosen discipline of Reining, I'm also the founder of the Cow-kids for Christ Youth Horsemanship Program, and of Willing Servants Horse Rescue and Rehoming project, which focuses on preserving horse welfare AND owners rights and choices. In 2009 I was awarded Business Person of the Year by the Bitterroot Chamber of Commerce.

I support:

- * Constitutionally Limited Government, but oppose the overreach we currently have.
- * The Bill Of Rights – The only rights we have are those we're willing to fight for.
- * Agriculture - I've served on the Agri-Business Committee since its inception.
- * State Sovereignty - We must work toward being self sufficient.
- * Utilization of Natural Resources for Job Creation and Economic Prosperity.
- * Parent's choice for school aged children, and oppose Common Core.
- * Health care reform, but oppose Obamacare as a bad solution is no solution at all.

When I moved here in 1992, Montana was in the top 10 states for economic prosperity. Unfortunately, we have slipped to the 48th position. WHY? Why has making a living wage in the beautiful Bitterroot Valley become so difficult? Why has the 2014 Darby High School Graduating Class dwindled to 7 students? My opinion is that it's due to a complete government "runaway." Restrictive environmental polices and unfriendly business over-regulation has not only halted growth, but has also driven many out of business and sent our citizens out of state in pursuit of work.

It's time for me to bring my common sense, business experience, and good ol' cowgirl determination to the fight in an effort to serve the people of the Treasure State that has supported me so well.

From where I stand, there is only one solution big enough, and that is the proper management and utilization of Montana's abundant natural resources. They are the life blood our economy, our schools and our future. That is the key to the return of healthy forests; a productive, contributing, citizenry; healthy schools; and the economic prosperity we seek, not to mention the elimination of "smoke season."

Montanans love our wildlife, scenic vistas and expansive parks and trails for hiking, riding, camping, hunting and fishing. But our issues are far bigger than just recreation. We also want to take advantage of our God-given landscape for JOB CREATION! The Treasure State is so richly blessed, we CAN, and MUST do BOTH : produce and preserve.

I strongly support the state of Montana in taking ownership of our public lands toward that rightful remedy. For additional information of this issue, please review this link from The American Land's Council. <http://americanlandscouncil.org/categories/videos/> A proposed resolution, supported by the Republican National Committee, is already underway and picking up support and momentum. It will not be an easy fight or a quick fix, but our natural resources belong to the people of the sovereign state of Montana, NOT the federal government that has us 17 trillion in debt. It's a fight worth fighting and I intend to dedicate a great deal of energy to the effort.

I would enjoy hearing from you. Please don't hesitate to call. If you support my vision in putting Montanans back to work, please consider a donation to my campaign.

It is clearly time to JUST SAY "WHOA" to the BIG GOVERNMENT RUNAWAY!

Sincerely,

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