WILL DR. MURPHY SUPPORT PRESIDENT TRUMP?

It is widely understood that Dr. Murphy has assumed much of the Walter Jones campaign infrastructure, including his campaign consultant, finance team and advertising experts.

Before his passing, Walter Jones supported President Trump about 49 percent of the time, less than any other Republican serving in the House of Representatives.

In the spring of 2017, at the exact time President Trump was working with Republicans in Congress to repeal Obamacare, Dr. Murphy took a leading position in Raleigh seeking the passage of health care legislation that would use many of the key parts of Obamacare to extend Medicaid to an otherwise ineligible population of North Carolinians, about 500,000 new beneficiaries.

Last week, at exactly the same time President Trump and the Department of Justice were appealing the legality of Obamacare, Dr. Murphy participated in legislative efforts, including holding a Raleigh press conference to again promote legislation to extend Medicaid to an otherwise ineligible population of North Carolinians using funds made available under Obamacare.

Dr. Murphy, given your close association with Walter Jones, his team of enablers, and your history of being willing to undercut President Trump at key points in time within his presidency, how can we be certain you will not vote as did Walter Jones should you be elected to serve in the House of Representatives?