

Dear Friends,

I'm running for Mayor to bring positive change to Wasilla. I'm tired of business as usual "in this town" and of the "Good ol' Boys" network that runs the show here. I know we can make government leaner and more efficient, and I have a great love for Wasilla. My roots are here. I grew up here, I attended Iditarod Elementary School & was graduated from Wasilla High. The five years I spent outside earning my college degree solidified my love for and desire for Wasilla. I'm raising my children here and I plan to live here until as long as the Good Lord allows!

The decisions made at Wasilla City Hall affect ~~me~~ my kids today, and they will affect my kids twenty years from now. I'm not just hanging ~~out~~ for another term until I can retire on the state's system & head on out of here. I'm here for the long haul.

There is currently a sad state of complacency at City Hall. I have the energy, optimism and determination to lead us into pro-activity, versus ~~the~~ current re-active ~~mode~~ mode we're in.

Two years ago Wasilla voters, with the Mayor's support, overwhelmingly voted in favor of term limits for the Mayor. The City Council ~~adopted~~ added to our municipal code that the Mayor could not serve more than two consecutive terms. Mayor Stein ~~did not~~ allow this code, because he is "grandfathered" in, he can keep on running for Mayor! He's looking at his fourth term in office... that's too long! He's been ~~between Wasilla and Sitka politics~~ ^{addition to any} government ~~involved in~~ ^{governing} career politician. He has become a creates constant growth in government & believe in self-determination for our neighborhoods!

the first time in the history of the world, the
whole of Europe, all the provinces of Asia,
and Africa too, have been gathered together
in one Empire, by Alexander the Great.
The empire of Alexander was divided
into three parts, which became the
empire of the Romans, the empire of
the Persians, and the empire of the
Greeks. The empire of the Romans
was the largest of all, and it was
divided into three parts, which
became the empire of the Franks,
the empire of the Saracens, and
the empire of the Turks. The
empire of the Franks was the
largest of all, and it was
divided into three parts, which
became the empire of the French,
the empire of the Germans, and
the empire of the English. The
empire of the Saracens was
the second largest, and it was
divided into three parts, which
became the empire of the
Arabs, the empire of the
Persians, and the empire of the
Greeks. The empire of the
Turks was the smallest, and it
was divided into three parts,
which became the empire of the
Mongols, the empire of the
Kings of Persia, and the
empire of the Kings of
Greece. The empire of the
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parts, which became the
empire of the Chinese, the
empire of the Japanese, and
the empire of the
Kings of Korea. The
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Persia was the second largest,
and it was divided into three
parts, which became the
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Afghanistan, the
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Neighborhoods - You come to City Hall and ~~tell us what~~
~~say~~ tell us what
you want, what is right for your area... not the other way
around! City Hall shouldn't be coming down your throats with
"What's best for you" ... ^{city hall} too hires "experts" from outside to
come tell us how to re-zone our city, to make it
become a mini-Seattle!

I will not support any tax increase. Our sales tax
generates ~~over~~ 2 million dollars more than what we had
projected we'd be taking in when we sold ~~the~~ ~~old~~ sales
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I will not support building a multi-million dollar
"new, state-of-the-art" City Hall, as is called for in West Seneca's
newest Comprehensive plan.

I will not accept a raise, like the current mayor
recently did! A \$4,000 a year pay hike, right after
telling the M.Citizens Center we couldn't fund their full
fundraising request!

I will put my foot down when dealing with a major,
immoral and unethical conflict-of-interest on city council.
Councilman John Hartwick's wife, Suzanne, is the Mayor's
Secretary. This preclude Councilman Hartwick from voting on any
personnel issue, because his wife's ^{job} (Hartwick) is involved
in personnel matters. This conflict takes away a voice
of representation of the people! We do not have six councilmen
now, we have five. The ~~other~~ public is getting ripped off.
I'll not run for election more than once.
I believe in personal term... W.R.A. B.

