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<p style="text-align: center;">STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT 1</p> <p>HEIDI HALL</p> <p>Occupation: Resource Manager</p> <p>As your representative in Congress, my top priority is to create jobs and economic growth, because rural areas like District 1 are still recovering from one of the worst recessions in our history.</p> <p>I will work to create fiscal incentives for employers to hire unemployed veterans and training programs to get the long term unemployed back to work. I will initiate programs for fire safe clearing in our forests that will create good paying jobs people need.</p> <p>Extreme partisan bickering in Congress has held hostage sensible measures that can help get our economy on track including closing corporate tax loopholes, making our tax structure simple and equitable, investing in public education and infrastructure including broadband, school construction and road improvements.</p> <p>I will work to protect and conserve our water in Northern California that is so critical to the financial security of our farmers and ranchers and their employees and families.</p> <p>I will protect Social Security and Medicare programs our seniors depend on, and help students avoid unfair education debt that can saddle them for a lifetime. As a working mother, I support a woman's right to choose, will fight to ensure pay equity for all women and am very proud to have the support of Congresswomen Jackie Speier and Anna Eshoo who have been outspoken leaders on these issues.</p> <p>I ask for your support to bring responsible, common sense leadership to Congress to end the gridlock and partisan bickering that has prevented real solutions and new jobs in our district.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR STATE ASSEMBLY, 1ST DISTRICT</p> <p>BRIAN DAHLE</p> <p>It is an honor to represent you in the State Assembly.</p> <p>In my first year in the Legislature I kept my promises to the people of Northern California, focusing my time and energy creating jobs while voting against more regulations, fees and taxes.</p> <p>I am proud of what I have been able to accomplish. Through bipartisan effort, I worked across party lines to save our rural hospitals and skilled nursing facilities from closing due to previously enacted budget cuts. I was able to secure millions of dollars for small rural schools for upgrades needed to reduce energy costs. These upgrades put people in the district back to work fixing our aging school buildings. I was also successful in passing legislation to allow more aggressive forest fuel reduction to protect our communities from catastrophic wildfires.</p> <p>I will fight to protect our water rights during this time of drought. Too many families are struggling, and too many people are out of work. There is still much work to be done in Sacramento.</p> <p>Feel free to give me a call on my cell phone at (530) 251-3888 or visit www.BrianDahle.com.</p> <p>I would appreciate your vote, thank you.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR SUPERVISOR, 5TH DISTRICT</p> <p>LES BAUGH AGE: 58</p> <p>Occupation: Shasta County Supervisor</p> <p>Promoting individual rights and continuing my proven community interests through public safety, economic growth, clean industry, senior services, schools, streets and roads on behalf of constituents throughout District 5 and it's pastoral communities. I serve with untiring commitment as a strong, knowing, confident voice on the District's behalf.</p> <p>A life-long resident of Shasta County, my wife Susie and I have three grown children, eight grandchildren and live in Anderson.</p> <p>Education and Qualifications: Serving full time as Supervisor, District 5. I also serve on essential Boards to support and protect the interests of District 5 residents; Rural County Representatives of California, Local Agency Formation Commission, Northern Rural Training Employment Consortium, Shasta County Fire Safe Council, Planning and Service Area 2 Area Agency on Aging and volunteer Pastor at Anderson Community. I have also served as an Anderson City Councilman-twice selected as Mayor, Anderson Planning Commissioner, Anderson Fire Protection District Board Member, Anderson Chamber President and as a volunteer for numerous community non-profits.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR SUPERVISOR, 1ST DISTRICT</p> <p>DAVID A. KEHOE</p> <p>Occupation: Shasta County Supervisor</p> <p>Education and Qualifications: I was born in Redding and attended St. Joseph Elementary School and Shasta High School before earning a degree in Public Administration from the University of San Francisco.</p> <p>I was elected to the Redding City Council in April 1992, serving as Mayor in 1995-96 and 1998. Subsequently, I was elected to the Shasta County Board of Supervisors. During my tenure in public office, I have been a strong advocate for fiscal and management accountability, reliable public services, open government, responsible growth, increased economic development, expanded city-county cooperation and responsive leadership that is decisive and trustworthy.</p> <p>Listening to citizens in a respectful fashion and providing protection and services that residents need is of paramount importance to me. Yet, these community needs must be balanced against the ability and capacity of the citizens to pay for them. I am not supportive of an approach to government that places unfair or unnecessary financial burden on local taxpayers. Government must learn to live within its means.</p> <p>As your supervisor, I will continue to emphasize community involvement and expect state-of-the-art approaches to the delivery of public services. I will work diligently to provide the leadership necessary for cohesive, effective and efficient county government.</p>