

Rick Richard for State Senate

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Rick Richard Files Nomination Petitions for State Senate District 15

Local small business owner Rick Richard filed his state of Wisconsin nomination papers Monday, July 12, 2010. First time challenger Richard reports his campaign collected 800+ signatures to allow him to be placed on the ballot in November for State Senate district 15. On Tuesday, the maximum of 800 were validated by the Government Accountability Board.

The minimum number of signatures required for a WI State Senate candidate is 400, however, Richard and grassroots volunteers have been active in meeting voters across the district. Among the volunteers are many who became politically active for the first time.

Richard and the team of volunteers found support in all 27 municipalities that comprise the State Senate 15 district, garnering signatures from each area.

State Senate district 15 includes the towns of Avon, Beloit, Bradford, Center, Clinton, Fulton, Harmony, Johnstown, La Prairie, Lima, Milton, Newark, Porter, Rock, Spring Valley, Turtle, the villages of Clinton, Footville, Orfordville, the cities of Beloit, Edgerton, Janesville, Milton in Rock County. And in Walworth County, the district includes the towns of Richmond and Whitewater, and the city of Whitewater.

“We simply cannot afford politics as usual from the political insiders that gave us the current \$2.5B state deficit and fiscal crisis,” said Richard on Monday. “When I’m out meeting voters, the response has been very positive as we discuss my background as a small business owner, that government must live within its’ means, and my focus on a stronger business climate in Wisconsin,” he added.

Richard started a small employee staffing business 11 years ago, and he still manages it with his wife, Diedre. Rick and his family live in the Town of Janesville, this is his first time running for elected office.

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