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Jim Murphy files for re-election by petition

Houston – Texas State Representative Jim Murphy has officially filed by petition for re-election in District 133. Jim was first elected in 2006 and re-elected in 2010 and 2012.

When filing to be placed on the ballot, a candidate can either pay a filing fee, or submit at least 500 signatures from qualified voters in their district. “While I could pay the fee, there is no substitute for seeing my constituents at their homes and talking with them about the issues,” said Murphy. “In each of my elections, I personally knocked on over 11,000 doors. I know my folks and they know me.”



“The 83rd legislative session was a long, but successful session,” Murphy continued. “We increased funding for our infrastructure and restored funding to public education while reducing the regulatory burdens placed on schools and teachers. We also passed legislation that gives billions of dollars in tax relief to Texans. These are accomplishments to be proud of and results to run on.”

Murphy’s efforts in the 83rd session have been recognized by the Texas Conservative Coalition which named him a “Conservative Champion”, as well as earning over 100% for his pro-life positions from Texas Right Life.

“Serving as your Representative in Austin is rewarding, but it is equally enjoyable to get out and meet people in person and listen to their concerns. During the months ahead, I will again be out knocking on doors, listening to our voters, and asking for their votes one-by-one,” Murphy concluded.

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