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### **JAMES FRANK ANNOUNCES PLANS TO RUN FOR RE-ELECTION TO HD 69**

State Representative James Frank today announced his plans to run for re-election to Texas House District 69 comprised of Archer, Baylor, Clay, Foard, Knox and Wichita Counties.

Frank, a long-time resident of Wichita Falls, is in the midst of his second term in the House. Serving on the House Committee on Natural Resources, he has had a front-row view to discussions surrounding the state's most precious resource--water. He was at the center of efforts to bring long-term water supply stability to drought-stricken areas and map out a plan for Texas to ensure its residents have plentiful fresh water for decades to come and will continue to fight for those goals.

Frank said, "The Lord has been generous this spring and sent us enough rain to effectively end the drought hitting us at home and across the state. However, we must be vigilant and work intelligently to plan for the next drought. We still have a lot of work to do on this."

Frank is also a strong supporter of common sense constraints on the behavior of elected officials to keep government growth and spending in check.

"Texas has been able to maintain low taxes and a balanced budget not because it is blessed with uniquely talented politicians. Rather, our state's constitution puts up strong guardrails on new debt and new spending. This should be a model for elected officials and those they represent at all levels of government."

Frank's work on other issues such as government efficiency, pro-life/pro-family policies, and government transparency helped get him elected as the Vice President of the Texas Conservative Coalition, where he is diligently working as a coalition builder for conservative priorities.

"I would appreciate the continued support of the people of House District 69 as we keep paving the road for conservative governance in Texas. It has been an honor to represent this area over the last three years and I humbly ask for the chance to do it for another term."

James and his wife, Alisha, have been married 26 years and are the proud parents of four boys ages 15-23.

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