

Reelect Phil Bevis to KCGOP Executive Board - 7th CD (elected county-wide by all PCO's)

Your Choice: Work or Talk.

I am the only candidate for this office who has supported our party and our party's nominees at every level through hard work, financial support, and volunteer recruitment. I believe that the work that people have done on behalf of our cause is the best way to evaluate their candidacy.

Some people talk. Some deliver. What I have delivered for the GOP:

* **Seattle Phone Bank:** Raised and donated the money to open Washington State's first 2008 phone bank – in March, 2007!!!

* **Produced TV** for groups & candidates including: CAPR, the 2nd Amendment Foundation, Rob McKenna (see <http://www.tvw.org/media/mediaplayer.cfm?evid=2007090068>), Kathy Lambert, Tim Eyman, Young Republicans, Eastside Republican Club, Initiative-25 (see <http://www.tvw.org/media/mediaplayer.cfm?evid=2007050090&TYPE=V>), John McCain, Port of Seattle Audit (see <http://www.tvw.org/media/mediaplayer.cfm?evid=2008020103>), Mike Huckabee, Butch Otter, PCO Day in Olympia, Michael Medved, College Republicans, Bob Williams & EFF, King County Budget (<http://www.seattlechannel.org/videos/video.asp?ID=5210838>), Dino Rossi, Dave Reichert, the KCGOP Convention, and many others.

* **Meetings & Volunteer Time** – I have never missed a KCGOP or WSRP meeting. I have given over 2000 hours of volunteer time doorbelling, phone banking, volunteer training, fundraising...and many more.

* **PCO Recruitment** – I personally recruited over 50 candidates for PCO, over 45 of whom were elected!

* **Shootin' for Victory** – I sponsored the best darned KCGOP shootin' fundraiser EVER! Guns and BBQ - does it get any better?!?

My EBoard Service:

I have been privileged to serve as a Washington State Republican Party Executive Board Member for the past two years, and to have proxied for Terry Thomas (called to active duty by the Marine Corps), for a year before that. I have prior service as a PCO, Leg. District Chair, Finance Committee member, etc.

What is the EBoard and how much time does it require?

The KCGOP has five slots on the WSRP Executive Board. Election to these positions requires service to both the KCGOP itself (on at least two boards with other duties as a party officer), and to the WSRP. Requirements of KCGOP service include two monthly Board meetings, plus committee work, plus attendance and/or works at other events, plus work at multiple caucuses, conventions, etc. In addition, attendance at Leg District meetings across King County is customary. This is a working position. EBoard members provide help to the KCGOP Chair and staff, and to Leg District leadership.

WSRP Duties are additional, and include attendance at 9 meetings (some 2 days), plus committee assignments (some of which require meetings and travel) requiring travel across the state at the personal expense of the EBoard members. During my time, including my Budget Committee service, I have attended meetings in Kennewick, Yakima (several), Spokane (several), Vancouver, Leavenworth, Moses Lake, Ellensburg, and Bellevue. There are additional duties required at conventions and events, and numerous conference calls.

TIME REQUIRED: KCGOP requirements: 20-25days; WSRP requirements: ca. 15 days. This office requires a substantial time commitment and significant work.

The most rewarding aspect of my term has been working with my fellow PCOs and grassroots activists. I believe we have an obligation to spread our faith and philosophy. At times like this, our country needs more than our talk, it needs our sweat and sacrifice, and we can not let it down.

How Do We Move the Republican Party Forward?

My first involvement in our Party was volunteering for Ronald Reagan, and he is my guiding light. His 13-year transition from Democratic Hollywood Union President to Republican is a parable for building our party. During those 13 years, he went from Hollywood liberal who first questioned one tenet of Liberalism, to a man asking more and more questions. During that time, hundreds if not thousands of Republicans commended him for his common sense, and invited him to join the Republican Party. Galatians VI tells us that as we sow, so shall we reap.

In our daily lives, at work, Church, the grocery store, we all encounter people questioning Liberalism and making common sense observations. Commend them for this, and invite them into our party. You can sow so that future generations of Republicans can reap. Who among us can find the next Reagan?

This was a difficult year. Our party paid the price for saying one thing and doing another over the past few years. We said we were for smaller government and delivered bigger, we said we were for lower spending and spent more. Sarah Palin struck excited many of us, because for once we were putting forward a candidate who did what she said and said what she did. Sarah Palin said she was for cleaner government and reform - and worked for and delivered them. Sarah Palin talked about her family values - and lived them.

On a national and state level, it is time we talk only about what we are going to work for, and work only for what we talk about.

Here in King County, we need exactly the same thing: People who will work. I'm one of those people.

My name is Phil Bevis, I'm ready to work with you, and I welcome your support in my reelection.

yours

Phil

Phil Bevis is endorsed by: Dino Rossi, Rob McKenna, Rep. Cathy McMorris Rodgers, Rep. Dave Reichert, John Carlson, Steve Hammond, Lori Sotelo, Kathy Lambert, Dick Derham, and hard-working PCOs across King County. The endorsement that matters most is yours. I welcome your support, and look forward to WORKING with you.

Mark Your Calendar: The KCGOP Reorg Meeting is December 6th