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Biographical Information:

Age: 36

Hometown: Rural Ada County, Kuna/Meridian

Occupation: Homemaker

Family: Husband, Scott, married 14 years. Kids: Willem (10), Anya (7), and Eva (4)

Qualifications: Bachelor's Degree in Business Administration/Public Administration, Elected to the Senate in 2014, professional background in land use and transportation planning and grant administration.

Top Priorities: Education and free-market economic solutions are my top priorities. I believe that Idaho families deserve the opportunity to be involved and active in their children's education. I believe that two of the most critical components of a successful education system are school choice and local control. I have advocated for more local control for our school districts in order to allow them to innovate and have flexibility. I have consistently been a voice for parental rights in education supporting parents as they choose what is best for their child.

I believe that the government has put too many barriers in the way of businesses of all sizes to thrive and grow in Idaho. In addition, the state has gotten into the business of picking winners and losers with the tax reimbursement incentive. I do not believe that is an appropriate role of government. We need to reduce the tax burden on all businesses so that they can grow and make investments in their businesses and in our communities.

I believe that the government exists to serve the people and that Idahoans deserve a state that supports individual freedoms and limits governmental interference in their daily lives.