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Three Republican Incumbents Declare Intentions to Run for Office

BISMARCK, ND - Dec. 20, 2023 - Three Republican North Dakota incumbents jointly declare intentions to seek reelection in 2024. State Auditor Josh Gallion, State Treasurer Thomas Beadle and Public Service Commissioner Randy Christmann announced this today at the NDGOP headquarters in Bismarck.

Gallion, a veteran of the U.S. Air Force shared his commitment to diligently overseeing taxpayer dollars on behalf of the people he serves. Gallion has a reputation of servant leadership and integrity in the state auditor's office. "I am committed to promoting a transparent government that is effective and responsive to the citizens of North Dakota because the people of this great state deserve to know how their government is spending their money," said the North Dakota state auditor.

"I'm excited for the chance to continue working for our citizens, protecting our taxpayer dollars from outside ESG influences and putting our money back to work in North Dakota. We've made a lot of progress over the last few years but there is a lot of work ahead of us," Beadle said. Beadle wants to increase efficiency and transparency across state government from the treasurer's office.

Christmann, a vocal advocate for reliable energy solutions, stressed the importance of pragmatic balance across the interests of consumers, industry and the environment as our economy and energy sector continue to grow. "It is vitally important that the commission retain a balanced approach to regulation of the industries we oversee. We can and we will protect consumers, protect the public interest and protect the environment, all while responsibly developing North Dakota's God-given resources for the benefit of our citizens," said Christmann.

Despite being separated by 265 miles, the trio of state officials chose to synchronize their campaign bids, emphasizing a shared dedication to the values and platform upheld by the North Dakota Republican Party. The three officials with diverse responsibilities and from opposite sides of the Missouri River, underscored the NDGOP's commitment to a collaborative approach to party functions and governance alike.

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