

Lincoln Day Dinner 2018 with Commr Bush and Gov Rauner

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Texas Land Commissioner George P. Bush keynotes Lincoln Day Dinner

*Rising Republican star delivers address to volunteers,
committeemen, and elected officials*

OAK BROOK—The DuPage County Republican Party released the following statement after its annual Lincoln Day Dinner event with Texas Land Commissioner George P. Bush at the Oak Brook Marriott Hotel.

“After over 500 people attended our Lincoln Day Dinner, there’s little doubt that local conservatives here in our county are energized for the upcoming campaign,” said DuPage GOP Chairman Brian Krajewski. “We’re ready to fully support our candidates from the top of the ticket to the bottom.”

For this year’s event, Commissioner Bush delivered the keynote address to voters, volunteers, candidates, and elected officials in attendance. Governor Bruce Rauner also addressed the enthusiastic crowd.

“Governor Rauner and Commissioner Bush gave invigorating speeches that really brought to focus what is at stake this fall,” Chairman Krajewski said. “We can either help Rauner enact reforms like Texas and our Midwest neighbors or relapse to one-party rule under Madigan and Pritzker. The choice is clear.”

As a member of the Bush family, Commissioner Bush has been

involved in national politics from an early age and has led young professionals coalition building across the country. Since winning his statewide campaign in 2014, Bush has focused on protecting Texan coastlines, historical sites, and private property rights. Bush previously served in Operation Enduring Freedom in Afghanistan and practiced real estate law.

All proceeds of the event will go towards the party's efforts to win campaigns in DuPage County.

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Curran appointed to state senate

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GOP chairmen appoint John Curran to fill vacant state senate seat

Downers Grove, Ill.—The Republican 41st Senate District Selection Committee announced today the appointment of John Curran to the Office of State Senator for the 41st Senate District of Illinois.

“John Curran will be an excellent State Senator for the 41st District,” said DuPage County GOP Chairman Brian Krajewski. “As the Vice Chairman of the DuPage County Board, John is a strong advocate for fiscal responsibility and good government

reforms, has deep roots in the community, and knows the pressing issues that southwest suburban residents face.”

After interviewing about a dozen candidates, the committee members agreed that Curran is the most qualified person to serve the remainder of Christine Radogno’s term.

“We interviewed many outstanding candidates who applied to fill this vacancy,” said Will County GOP Chairman Kathy Havel. “John’s record in support of respectful, responsible, representative government and his extraordinary commitment to constituent service was clear.”

Since 2008, Curran has served the 3rd District of the DuPage County Board where he led the effort to ban the end-of-career pension enhancements that is projected to save taxpayers \$28 million. During his public service, he has pushed for transportation infrastructure development and cost-saving public employee reforms. For his professional career, he is a Cook County Assistant State’s Attorney focusing on employment and labor matters. He also has municipal experience as a former trustee for the Village of Woodridge and is a current resident of Downers Grove.

The 41st Senate District is in Cook, DuPage, and Will Counties. The Selection Committee consisted of Chairman Krajewski, Chairwoman Havel, Lyons Township GOP Committeewoman Christine Cook, and Lemont Township GOP Committeeman Howie Ludwig. Also present were Downers Grove Township GOP Chairman Bob Grogan, Lisle Township GOP Chairman Jay Fisher, and Homer Township Chairman Brian Burian.

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DuPage GOP and Will GOP appoint Olsen to fill vacant state rep seat

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DuPage GOP and Will GOP appoint David Olsen to fill vacant state representative seat

Downers Grove, Ill.—The 81st Representative District Committee, comprised of DuPage GOP Chairman Brian Krajewski and Will GOP Chairman Kathy Havel, announced today the appointment of David Olsen to the Office of State Representative for the 81st Legislative District of Illinois.

“David is an exceptional public servant and he’ll be a great State Representative for us,” said Chairman Krajewski. “As Downers Grove Commissioner and recently as COD Trustee, David fights for taxpayers and brings people together for commonsense solutions.”

After interviewing about a half dozen candidates this morning and early afternoon, Chairman Krajewski and Chairman Havel agreed that David Olsen is the most qualified person to serve the remainder of the term. The Chairmen also appointed Olsen to take the 81st District Republican ballot position for the upcoming election.

“We interviewed many outstanding candidates who applied to fill this vacancy,” said Chairman Havel. “David’s record in support of respectful, responsible, representative government and his commitment to the communities in the district was

unrivaled.”

Since 2013, Olsen has served on the Downers Grove Village Council where he promotes economic development, neighborhood engagement, and municipal transparency and accountability. And as a newly-appointed trustee of the College of DuPage, Olsen brought order to a dysfunctional board, passed a balanced budget, and enacted significant reforms for the benefit of both students and taxpayers. Olsen is expected to be sworn in on Wednesday, August 3, 2016.

The 81st Legislative District is in DuPage and Will Counties. The municipalities included are all or parts of Downers Grove, Lisle, Naperville, Woodridge, Darien, Westmont, Bolingbrook, and unincorporated areas. Incumbent State Representative Ron Sandack unexpectedly resigned last Sunday.

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