

The logo features the name 'JEREMY MILLER' in large, bold, red letters with a white outline. 'JEREMY' is positioned above 'MILLER'. Below 'MILLER' is the text 'for STATE SENATE' in a smaller, white, sans-serif font. The entire logo is set against a dark blue background with a repeating pattern of light blue stars.

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Jeremy Miller Wins Republican Endorsement for Minnesota District 31
Miller secures 64% achieving 1st ballot victory

Winona, Minn. – Jeremy Miller of Winona today won Republican Party endorsement in the race to challenge Democrat Sharon Erickson-Ropes for the District 31 State Senate seat in the November general election.

Miller, a local businessman, secured 64% percent of delegate votes on the first ballot over fellow Republican Paul Ibsch and will now receive the full backing of the Winona, Houston and Fillmore County Republican Party infrastructure, as well as support from the state Republican Party.

Miller stated, "I am humbled to win the Republican endorsement and am proud to have the support of so many Minnesotans who are ready for change." Jeremy Miller's convincing win at the Republican endorsing convention continues a long string of efforts showing overwhelming grassroots support.

In addition to raising over \$11,000 in 2009, Miller won the early support of former legislators Duane Benson, Virgil Johnson, Michelle Rifenberg, and Bob Kierlin.

"Over the past several months, I've traveled throughout Southeastern Minnesota visiting with individuals, farmers, families, business owners and retirees. They all share the same concerns," said Miller. "People are worried, frustrated and concerned about the direction of our state and federal governments. We face severe challenges, but I'm confident we can take action and move our state in a new, positive direction with a new group of legislators in Saint Paul."

Miller, named a "Rising Star" candidate earlier this year by legislative election analysts, announced his candidacy in May 2009, and since then, he has been assembling his campaign committee and studying the issues critical to economic development and job creation in Southeastern Minnesota.

"Our campaign is running on a platform of smaller, more effective government by putting people first, reducing taxes and regulation on small business job creators, and bringing fiscal responsibility back to the state," said Miller. "Now that I'm the endorsed candidate, I'm ready to hit the ground running and will begin the door-to-door campaigning necessary to win," Miller concluded.

To learn more about Jeremy Miller, visit the Friends for Miller website www.friendsformiller.com or call 507-474-2562

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