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## **Benson invites Rep. Young to discuss the issues with Alaskans**

Anchorage – The Benson for Congress campaign extended an invitation to Rep. Don Young to participate in a three city Town Hall meeting. The tour would include Juneau, Anchorage and Fairbanks. The Town Hall meetings would be designed to ensure the inclusion of Alaskans in the U.S. House of Representatives election.

“Our goal is to ensure that the voters of Alaska are able to be part of the process and ensure that they have a voice in who will represent them in the US Congress”, stated Kris J. Pierce, Campaign Manager for Diane Benson.

The Benson Campaign suggests that each candidate would have opening and closing statements and each candidate would have the opportunity to answer each question from the Town Hall Meeting attendees.

“The Alaskan people know what the priorities are for the state, and it is important that they be given the opportunity to voice those priorities and have the candidates respond”, Pierce continued.

In an email letter to Rep. Young’s campaign manager, Steve Dougherty, the Benson Campaign suggested that the campaigns meet and put these plans in motion by utilizing a non-partisan organization.

“It is so important that the voters are as informed as to the stances of political candidates on the important issues of the day. As we all know, knowledge is power and the voter with knowledge has a powerful voice...Their Vote”, stated Pierce.

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