

We must go forward with the same enthusiastic leadership and dedication that the people of this district have been enjoying. I am committed to continuing the programs and supporting the people and institutions that are so important to this district.



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EDUCATION:

Juris Doctorate	1990
Southern University Law Center Baton Rouge, Louisiana	
Bachelor of Arts, History	1987
Grambling State University Grambling, Louisiana	
Senior Executives in State & Local Government Program	2003
John F. Kennedy School of Government Harvard University Cambridge, Massachusetts	

EXPERIENCE:

Louisiana House of Representatives	2000 - Present
State Representative, District 11 Vice-Chairman, House and Governmental Affairs Committee Member, Judiciary, Civil Law and Committee on Enrollment	
Gallo Law Office	1990 - Present
Ruston, Louisiana	
City of Grambling	1995 - 1999
City Councilman	

AWARDS:

- Lincoln Parish Outstanding Young Person - Ruston Jaycees, 2000
- 10 Leaders of the New Century in N.W. Louisiana - *Shreveport Times*, 2001
- Legislator of the Month, Louisiana Municipal Association, June, 2001
- Legislator of the Year, National Conference of Black Mayors, 2002
- Friend of the L.M.A. - Louisiana Municipal Association, 2002 and 2003

RICK'S RECORD ON:

- EDUCATION**
- Supported all teacher pay raises
 - Supported funding increases in the public schools of Bienville, Claiborne and Lincoln Parishes
 - Supported increased funding for Colleges and Universities
 - Supported increased funding for Technical Colleges (Vo-Tech)
 - Sponsor of annual trip for 8th Graders of District 11 to visit La. State Capitol
 - Sponsored after school tutorial programs across District 11
 - Sponsored District 11 Spelling Bee
- PUBLIC SAFETY**
- Supported increase in Supplemental Pay for Local Police, Sheriff's Deputies & Firefighters
 - Supported pay raises for State Police, Probation, Parole and Correctional Officers
 - Purchased bullet-proof vests for police officers in District 11
 - Donated Smoke Detectors to citizens of District 11
- BUSINESS & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**
- Supported increased funding for Small Business Development Center
 - Sponsored "How to do business with the State of La." seminar for small businesses in District 11
 - Supported tax cuts, tax credits and incentives for businesses
- INFRASTRUCTURE & ENVIRONMENT**
- Supported legislation and funding for the Sparta Aquifer
 - Secured increased funding for city, parish and state streets, roads and highways
 - Secured funding for local water and sewer projects

PLEASE VOTE SATURDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2007