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Grass Roots Kick-Off Events Planned for Cranston and Warwick

Saunderstown, RI: Mark Zaccaria, GOP Candidate for Congress in Rhode Island's Second District, today announced two campaign kick-off events planned for this month. On Sunday, April 13th, 2008, the campaign will stop at the Nelson – Mack VFW Post 4651, on Haven Avenue, in Cranston. The next Sunday, April 20th, 2008, the second event will be held in Warwick, at VFW Post 183, on Washington Street. Each rally will begin at 3:00pm and run until at least 5:00pm. Each will feature music, lively political debate, and local candidates and VIP's, as well.

“As a Vet, myself, the choice of the VFW Posts for these kick-off parties was a natural.” Zaccaria said, explaining that the social atmosphere would make for a more relaxed exchange of ideas. “I need to meet the people of the District.” He said. “And they need to meet me.”

The Campaign also announced the honorary hosts for each event. In Cranston former Mayor, Steve Laffey, will do the honors. The following week, in Warwick, former City Councilor Sue Stenhouse will lend her name as headliner for the kick-off in her town.

“I am Glad Mark has thrown his hat into the ring and decided to run for Congress!” Mayor Laffey noted. “So I am thrilled to be able to help him out here in Cranston, too.” Joining Mayor Laffey at the Cranston event will be local Mayoral Hopeful, Alan Fung.

Sue Stenhouse, former Warwick City Councilor and Secretary of State candidate, will take time out to show her support at the event on April 20th. “When I heard

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Mark Zaccaria was running for this seat I was immediately excited because I know how strong and committed a race he will run.” Stenhouse said. Other Warwick officials and candidates, including Mayor Scott Avedisian, have also been invited to the kick-off party in Warwick.

Mark’s message to the voters of the District is simple. It’s time to start thinking about the kind of government they want from their elected officials. These face to face opportunities to get together and talk about the future of government will give the voters their first opportunity to consider the options they have for their representation in congress in the next session.

Mark Zaccaria is a resident of North Kingstown, RI, where he runs a small business. He and his wife, Ruth, have been married for 33 years. They have three grown children who are all residents of the state. Learn more about Mark’s candidacy for congress at the web site: www.markz4ri.org

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