

ELECTION 2006

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Fleischauer to House

I am writing to encourage your readers to vote to return Barbara Fleischauer to the Legislature.

I know I am not from your county (44th House District). But I know the Legislature from being at the Legislature. Over the years I have lobbied the Legislature about consumer issues like privacy, payday lending and predatory mortgage lending, about improvements needed in divorce courts and laws, about funding for children's issues, about surface owners' rights when the oil and gas driller comes knocking, and so on.

I miss Fleischauer in the Legislature. She listened hard, thought hard, made hard decisions, and then worked very hard to do what is best for the citizens of her district and the state of West Virginia — even if she knew that an unhappy fat cat or a single issue campaign would attack her. And no one listened more to her constituents.

This is the kind of person who will really do the best things in the Legislature for the citizens of your county! Your county should not be represented in the West Virginia Legislature by the candidate who benefits most from the dirty politics of a high priced or negative ad campaign!

There are not enough legislators like Fleischauer in the Legislature. I urge your readers to send her back.

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