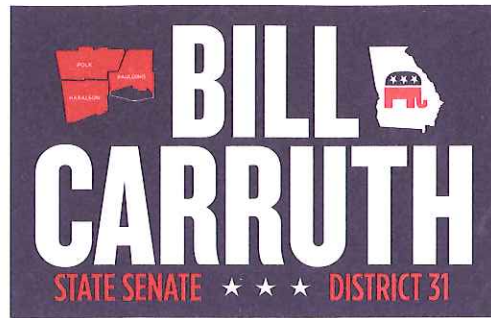


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Senator Heath,

While this is clearly another desperate attempt to deflect attention away from your lackluster record as a State Senator nevertheless, I welcome the opportunity to debate the real issues facing the voters. I think there are many differences between me and you of which the voters of the 31st Senate District need to be made aware. I look forward to highlighting those differences in a public forum.

Despite your assertions that everything you have said during this campaign has been 100% truthful, the facts are that your propaganda attacking me and my family has been filled with partial truths and outright lies. Your conduct throughout this campaign has been reprehensible and not what is expected of our elected officials. I believe our citizens deserve better. That is one of the reasons why more than half of the people voting earlier this week said that they had had enough of Bill Heath and his "do or say anything" tactics.

I do agree that the voters are sick and tired of all of the negativity surrounding this election. They are also tired of politics as usual and they are angry at candidates that send anonymous mailers pretending to be federal agents. They are angry at tax increases. They are angry that their elected officials play by a different set of rules than they do. They want a leader that is willing to put their name on a piece of campaign literature instead of hiding behind non-compliant PAC's and anonymous mailers from your consultant's post office box.

We need to stick to the issues facing this district and I hope that you would join me as well as over 200 candidates from across this state and sign the attached ethics pledge from the Georgia Tea Party Patriots that says "I pledge, if elected, to co-sponsor a bill during the 2013 legislative session to limit each lobbyist gift to \$100." On Tuesday, over 87% of Republican Primary Voters from all across Georgia voiced their support for such a measure. That's over 820,000 voters! What a strong message that the voters sent their leaders.

Furthermore, you were the illegal recipient of 6 pieces of mail from a newly formed committee called the "Georgia Senate Republican Caucus Promotional PAC." Recently a complaint was filed with the Georgia Ethics Commission that details these violations and your campaigns involvement. I have attached a copy of the complaint to this email.

I eagerly await your formal response to the ethics complaint as well as your signed pledge that displays your newly found commitment to ethics reform. Surely Senator Heath, 87% of the voters on Tuesday didn't get this wrong, did they? Once our campaign is in receipt of both the signed ethics pledge and the response to the ethics complaint, I would be more than happy to schedule and coordinate the logistics of a debate.

I look forward to hearing back from you.

Sincerely,

Bill Carruth