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ROORDA ROLLS OUT IMPRESSIVE LIST OF ENDORSEMENTS

Arnold, Missouri – Jeff Roorda, Republican candidate for State Senate in the 22nd District in Northern Jefferson County, released an impressive list of early endorsements in his “7 endorsements in 7 days” effort.

The imposing list of endorsers included police groups, firefighter groups, labor unions, and former elected officials. The one-a-day rollout commenced on June 2 with the release of the endorsement of the Eastern Missouri Coalition of Police, which represents about 1,400 members in the St. Louis region including police officers working for every police department in Jefferson County, including the Arnold Police Department and the Jefferson County Sheriff’s Department.

Of the strong showing of support, Roorda said, “I am honored to have the endorsement of so many local leaders who want to ensure our next State Senator will be an effective leader on the issues important to District 22. I will be a steadfast voice for this region and our values in the State Senate.”

The following is a chronological list of Roorda’s early endorsements:

- June 2: Eastern Missouri Coalition of Police
- June 3: Jefferson County Labor Club
- June 4: St. Louis Police Officers Association
- June 5: St. Louis County Police Association
- June 6: Former Arnold City Councilmembers Paul Freese & Nancy Crisler
- June 7: Professional Firefighters of Eastern Missouri, IAFF Local 2665
- June 8: Teamsters Joint Council 13

Roorda, who worked as a police officer in Jefferson County for seventeen years, is a nationally recognized authority on policing whose opposition to the “defund-the-police” movement has made him a fixture on TV, setting the record straight in dozens of nationally broadcast appearances on shows like Fox & Friends, Hannity, The O’Reilly Factor, and, most recently, 60 Minutes.

Roorda, who has lived in Jefferson County since he was a child, is a 1983 graduate of Windsor High School in Imperial. He earned his Bachelor's degree from Missouri Baptist University and his Master's degree from UMSL. Roorda lives in Arnold with his wife, Nancy, who owns a small business in Imperial. They have three adult daughters, all graduates of Windsor High School. Roorda and his wife attend St. Paul's Episcopal Church.

Roorda served in the House of Representatives for eight years representing northern Jefferson County. During his time in the Legislature, Roorda fought hard for public schools, Missouri workers, veterans and senior citizens. A social conservative, Roorda consistently maintained a strong pro-life, pro-gun, anti-tax voting record. Roorda is a longtime member of the National Rifle Association.

For more on Roorda's campaign go to www.roordaforsenate.com or check-out his Facebook page at www.facebook.com/roordaforsenate/.

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