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Entire Meridian Township Board endorses Hertel

Curtis Hertel Jr. today announces that he has been endorsed for the Michigan State Senate's 23rd district, by the entire Meridian Township Board: Elizabeth LeGoff (Supervisor), Brett Dreyfus (Clerk), Julie Brixie (Treasurer) and Trustees Milton Scales, Ronald Styka, John Veenstra, and Angela Wilson.

They join a growing number of elected officials in the Ingham County area who have endorsed Hertel as a strong voice for the families and citizens of this district.

"Curtis Hertel has helped to stop fraudulent foreclosures in Meridian Township, and is a champion for the rights of all people, regardless of their income, race, or sexuality," said Treasurer Julie Brixie. Trustee Angela Wilson added, "Curtis is an extraordinary leader in our community. His support and leadership was instrumental for Meridian Township's efforts to pass a non-discrimination ordinance. This ordinance would protect all residents, workers and visitors in our region from discrimination in employment, housing and public accommodations. Curtis has always worked hard for the people he represents, with a compassion and understanding that are second to none. I am honored to be able to work with Curtis on important issues that will make the lives of our citizens better, and am proud to endorse him as my candidate and representative in the Michigan Senate.

"Meridian is my home township, and we are fortunate to have the dedication and commitment of this group of public servants," Hertel said. "It is a pleasure to work alongside them, and I must say that their support is incredibly meaningful."

Curtis Hertel is currently the Register of Deeds for Ingham County. He was elected in 2008, won re-election in 2012, and recently announced his candidacy for the 23rd district of Michigan's Senate.

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