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## **Jefferson County Educators Back Lampson**

Jefferson County legislators today announced their support of Nick Lampson for the 14<sup>th</sup> Congressional District in the Nov. 6 general election.

“Only a few years ago, Nick Lampson was an excellent representative for Jefferson County and our public schools, and he will be an excellent representative for us again,” said Greg Sholl of the Beaumont Teachers Association. “We need Nick Lampson back in Washington, working to provide school children and educators the resources they need to succeed.”

During the 2011 legislative session, Lampson’s opponent voted to cut an estimated \$31.7 million from school districts in Jefferson County, according to projections from the Texas Education Agency.

Lampson is a longtime community leader in Jefferson County. He and his wife, Susan, are former teachers.

Early voting for the general election will begin Oct. 22.