

Waupaca Mayor and businessman to run for Wisconsin's 14th Senate District.

WAUPACA, WI - Recognizing the need to create jobs and get Wisconsin back on the right track, Waupaca Mayor Brian Smith formally announced his candidacy for the 14th State Senate District today.

"I'm running for State Senate because we deserve better than what we've been getting from Madison," said Smith, "As Mayor, I've fought to make sure Waupaca remains a great place to live, work and raise a family. As a small business owner and accountant, I know what it takes to balance a budget the right way so we create good jobs and grow our economy."

A former high-school teacher and football coach, Brian is the Mayor of Waupaca where he was born and raised. He is a small business owner, partner in the accounting firm he founded and co-owns Smith's Paca Pub. As Mayor, Brian worked with Fox Valley Technical College, the Waupaca Foundry, and the Wisconsin Veterans' Home at King to bring training for good-paying nursing and skilled factory jobs here. He also partnered with local businesses to ensure good jobs stay here, rather than get sent overseas or out of state.

Brian and his wife Terri live in Waupaca. They have three grown children and five grandchildren.

Residents can learn more about Brian at: www.BrianSmithforSenate.com

The 14th Senate District includes portions of Adams, Columbia, Dane, Dodge, Fond du Lac, Green Lake, Marquette, Outagamie, Sauk, Waupaca, and Waushara Counties.