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Deb Peters Secures Endorsement from Key Small-Business Organization

Pierre, SD, Aug. 14, 2006 - The National Federation of Independent Business/South Dakota, the state's leading small-business advocacy group, today announced its endorsement of state Representative Deb Peters' bid for reelection (Dist. -09) to the state Legislature.

Representative Deb Peters earned NFIB's endorsement because of her strong stance on issues important to Main Street.

Deb Peters is running for re-election to represent District # 09 in the state House. She had an 86 percent voting record during the 2006 legislative session on issues critical to South Dakota small-business owners.

"Deb Peters has demonstrated that she understands small business," said Bob Riter, NFIB/South Dakota state director. "NFIB is confident she will represent the best interest of small and independent businesses in the Legislature."

NFIB's political support is based on the candidate's position and record on small-business issues. Deb Peters' endorsement comes from the NFIB/South Dakota SAFE (Save America's Free Enterprise) Trust, the political action committee for the nearly 2,000 NFIB/South Dakota members. The endorsement brings with it the considerable grassroots support of South Dakota's small-business owners to the Peters campaign.

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NFIB is the nation's leading small-business advocacy association, with offices in Washington, D.C. and all 50 state capitals. Founded in 1943 as a nonprofit, nonpartisan organization, NFIB gives small- and independent-business owners a voice in shaping the public policy issues that affect their business. NFIB's powerful network of grassroots activists send their views directly to state and federal lawmakers through our unique member-only ballot, thus playing a critical role in supporting America's free enterprise system.

NFIB's mission is to promote and protect the right of our members to own, operate and grow their businesses.

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