

Press Release Statement

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Representative Travis Nelson Announces Decision Not to Pursue Congressional Seat, Continues Focus on House District 44

After careful consideration and heartfelt discussions with elected officials and community leaders, Representative Travis Nelson has announced his decision not to pursue the congressional seat for District 3, currently held by the esteemed Congressman Earl Blumenauer. Representative Nelson expressed deep gratitude for the overwhelming support and encouragement he received during this contemplative period.

"This has been an incredibly tough decision," said Representative Nelson. "The idea of running for Congress and representing an even larger community was humbling. However, after much reflection, I have realized that my passion and commitment lie in continuing to serve the constituents of House District 44."

In his ongoing role, Representative Nelson will focus on pressing issues in the upcoming 2024 legislative short session, primarily concentrating on healthcare equity, combating violence against healthcare workers, and enhancing transparency in healthcare services.

Representative Nelson extends a heartfelt thank you to everyone who encouraged him to consider the congressional run. "Your support has been a source of strength and inspiration," he said. "Now, I am committed to moving House District 44 and our state forward, building on the solid foundation we have established together."

For questions or follow-up, please contact me at 503-482-8548 or travis@nelsonfororegon.com.

Representative Nelson invites the community to join him in celebrating this decision and discussing plans at his upcoming birthday event on November 18th. RSVP is required. Register here.

