



DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE URGES SPARKS TO DENOUNCE TRUMP

Murfreesboro, Tenn. (Aug. 10, 2016) State House nominee Brandon Thomas (D-Murfreesboro) is calling on Rep. Mike Sparks (R-Smyrna) to disavow comments made by Republican Presidential nominee Donald Trump.

“Trump has consistently spoken disrespectfully about women he disagrees with, calling them pigs, dogs, and worse. He has said our Muslim brothers and sisters should be forced to register with the government. He has encouraged violence at his rallies. Trump has even attacked a grieving Gold Star family. If all of that wasn’t enough, he has now alluded to an assassination attempt against Presidential nominee Hillary Clinton.”

Thomas urged Rep. Sparks to condemn the actions of Trump and withdraw his support.

Thomas continued, “We need state representatives who will be a thermostat and not a thermometer. We need leaders that will stand up against those who stand to harm our democracy, regardless of whether they have an R or a D next to their name. Mike Sparks needs to join the growing chorus of Republicans who understand that our country is too great to be governed by a self-obsessed reality TV star.”

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