

Jobs Policy

- We need to return to our founders' philosophy, that businesses should exist for the betterment of people. This should become the cornerstone of a policy toward jobs and business.
- Local based business should be the mainstay of our economic development. These businessmen have roots in the community, and the money earned stays in the community. Unfortunately, special interests have tilted the playing field legislatively so much that the impression has been created that local business can't compete. David Cay Johnston, in his Pulitzer Prize winning research and published case studies has documented the effect that special interest money has had on driving out local businesses.
- I invest in the equities market, and where the choice is mine, select companies which have proactive policies with respect to Human Rights, fair labor relations, use or produce clean energy have a record of community investment, employ non-discriminatory practices at all levels of their work force, and practice environmental sensitivity. These are the criteria by which all companies should be judged.