**INSIDE** A Lifetime of Experience

# Problem Solver

"There is a real disconnect between what is going on in Washington and what is happening in Middle and Southwest Georgia. People do not feel properly represented anymore."

Ready to Serve

# Wayne

Rock Solid Conservative

#### **INSIDE**

Right Man, Right Experience, Right Time

"Stop the Stupid" in D.C.

The Republican Who Can Defeat Sanford Bishop

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Wayne Johnson was born, raised, married, educated and commissioned to military service here in the 2nd District.

**Wayne Johnson** was the first in his family to go to college, ultimately obtaining his undergraduate and doctoral degrees from Mercer University. During college, Wayne worked full-time in the back office of a local bank.



**Wayne Johnson** was shaped by his family and his community to be a lifelong servant leader. He has proven his passion for service through his:

- Military experience as a U.S. Army officer
- Extensive and successful business career
- Service to the Federal government as a senior executive in the Trump Administration
- Efforts to improve the quality of life in his hometown of Macon
- As an ambassador of American ideals as he conducted business in other countries

**Wayne Johnson** is a Christian, husband, father, grandfather, farmer and businessman. With a focus on conservative values, a passion to serve, and a diverse professional experience, Wayne Johnson is best positioned to defeat Sanford Bishop and lead the fight to "Stop the Stupid" in Washington.



#### A Spotlight in Service

Wayne Johnson learned a great deal about leadership and mission-ready service in the U.S. Army under Norman Schwarzkopf.

# Why Wayne Johnson Is the Best Choice for the 2nd District, Representing Middle and Southwest Georgia:

- Needs no on-the-job training having recently served inside Washington.
- Has lived a rock-solid conservative life for decades, is pro-life and a serious gun owner.
- Understands the "kitchen table" issues that hit home every day, like gas, grocery and medication prices.
- Brings a range of experience, relationships and commitment to public service which make him the right person to retire Sanford Bishop.

- Has created more than 10,000 jobs during his career while developing innovative solutions to complex challenges.
- The only candidate with a specific plan to address election integrity and revolutionize absentee ballot security.
- Understands the value in listening to the citizens of the 2nd District: Wayne is the only candidate who has visited all 30 counties and listened to the citizens and community leaders first-hand. He has heard from you and understands the problems you face.

"From my first meeting with Wayne Johnson, I could tell that Wayne was very different from other congressional candidate hopefuls. I was impressed to learn that he has already recently worked in Washington and that he had successfully made important things happen while working under Trump. I was further convinced to want to work with Wayne after my wife met him and told me that she believes Wayne's heart is right for service."

- Don Cole, Former U.S. Congressional Candidate

"Wayne is experienced, smart, and has a strong business background. He worked for President Trump, and he is what Georgia and especially the 2nd District needs in Congress today."

- Gaye Willoughby, Muscogee County

"I'm supporting Wayne Johnson for congress because I believe he can "Stop the Stupid' in Washington. Through his varied life and work experiences and creating thousands of jobs, he is the best qualified candidate to represent the values of the 2nd District."

- Ed Swearingen, Taylor County

"The very moment Kay and I met Wayne we both said, 'He can win this election.' He really impressed us with his knowledge of how to run an efficient government entity. These are critical skills he can take to congress and represent our district."

- Tom Morrill, Peach County

"He's the real deal and highly qualified. His integrity and concern for people is unmatched."

- Randy Griffin, Bibb County

Wayne Johnson Relates to the Issues Important To This District, and He Will Deliver Results for You!



# The Man with a Plan for Solving the Student Loan Nightmare For Georgia Families

Our student loan program is broken. The paralyzed Biden Administration, with Sanford Bishop as a rubber stamp, is preparing to further avoid having students make their payments but it is just causing student loan debt to hang in limbo for purely political reasons until after the midterm elections. This is just stupid. On the surface, that sounds good for students, but it is setting taxpayers up to have to pay for a \$1.7 trillion and climbing student loan write-off, without any plan to avoid this same problem again in the future.

Through his tenure as a senior executive in the Trump Administration, Wayne generated several solutions that saved taxpayers money — in fact, his actions saved billions of dollars.

Through it all, his guiding principle has always been fairness. If the Democrats want to forgive loans in order to buy votes with your tax dollars, citizens who did repay their loans and students who worked their way through school deserve a tax credit. They also deserve the thanks of a grateful nation for showing a level of fiscal responsibility that is missing from leaders in Washington.

Based on the lessons he learned, Wayne is prepared to take his experience to Congress and introduce a sound policy to get the government out of the student loan business once and for all. He will move quickly to overcome decades of inaction and paralysis that have caused student loan debt to be one of the single largest issues impacting people's ability to achieve the American dream.

## **Every County Counts**

## A Tour of all 30-Counties: What Wayne Johnson Learned Listening to Citizens Across the District

There are important kitchen-table issues that are being ignored by Sanford Bishop, and citizens do not feel represented. It is time for a change.

- Parents and school systems are struggling. Parents desperately want to be involved in the education decisions of their children. Enrollment is declining in several parts of the district. There is a lack of funding for programs and even facilities. Wayne will collaborate with state and local leaders to facilitate solutions, while promoting the need for more vocational and technical programs that give students a head start on career paths that are in high demand, offer a lucrative income and teach the value of honest work.
- Workers are needed, and people need jobs. Companies are desperate for people with skills and people are desperate for high wage-earning jobs. What is missing are training programs. As a former senior executive for the U.S. Department of Education, Wayne knows how to close that gap.
- Farmers are struggling. Wayne will work to develop a long-term financing solution for the irrigation of farmland. He will also focus on finding solutions to the need for farm labor.
- Many believe the census count is wrong. Due to
  the direct impact this has on the amount of money
  counties receive for a variety of programs, Wayne will
  take action to have the U.S. Census Bureau and other
  federal authorities revisit census counts for counties in
  the 2nd District to test the accuracy of the census.
- The people of Middle and Southwest Georgia do not feel properly represented. Wayne is the only candidate who has the experience to make Washington work for the people, not the bureaucrats, both at the program level and with constituent services.

- Public safety operations. Our First Responders are facing significant challenges when it comes to recruiting and paying qualified staff. Wayne will propose establishing a Homeland Security National Service Force as a federal partnership to support funding for law enforcement, firefighters and EMTs.
- Rural healthcare needs help. Many people in the 2nd District do not have enough gas to drive to the nearest medical facility. As the previous owner of more than 20 healthcare facilities, Wayne knows how to work to improve funding for rural healthcare and ambulance services.
- Military support is at risk. Wayne will battle to increase
  the value of Robins Air Force Base, Fort Benning and
  Marine Corps Command by bringing more militaryfocused, technology-based jobs while expanding its
  military training and maintenance programs. Drones
  and Artificial Intelligence will be areas of specific focus.
- Student loans are crippling our students and families. Wayne has the knowledge and experience to help today's struggling families and future generations avoid the crushing burden of student loan debt. Each year, millions of families get loans from the nation's most flawed consumer lending program, administered by the U.S. Government for student loans, and this needs to be stopped.

#### Wayne Is Known for Solving Big Problems



Ever wondered where that peel-off strip across the front of any new credit or debit card comes from? Wayne Johnson pioneered it when he was an Executive Vice President of VISA. And then he built a company around this new idea: A 1-800 Number with personalized security information that allowed you to securely activate a payment card. Wayne believes this concept of card authorization can be applied to security for absentee ballots.

#### As Our Congressman, Wayne Johnson Will Work to Secure Absentee Ballots

- 1. Request an Absentee Ballot.
- Receive the Ballot in the mail with a Secure Code on the Envelope.
- 3. Using the Secure Code, require the voter to authenticate the Ballot with two-factor personalized security information that only they know, which would then generate an Anonymous Ballot Activation Code.
- Place the uniquely generated Anonymous Ballot Activation Code on the Ballot itself.
- Comply with all personal signature and driver's license or other government ID number being applied to the return ballot as required under the new Georgia Election Integrity Law.
- **6. Return the Ballot** using a Secure Envelope and all other processes under the new Georgia Election Law.
- 7. Receive a Text once your Ballot has been processed, having been assured that the uniquely generated Anonymous Ballot Activation Code has been recognized. Or, go to a government website to verify Ballot receipt and acceptance.









"Born and raised in Macon, Georgia, I met my wife in the 5th grade, I worked at the Piggly Wiggly, and I earned my Eagle Scout rank. I am a husband, father, grandfather, U.S. Army Veteran, businessman, farmer, conservative Christian, and the right man at the right time to turn Georgia's 2nd District from deep blue to bright red.

Serving in the Trump Administration, I have seen many things happening in Washington D.C. that are just plain stupid. I am the right Republican with the right experience to retire Sanford Bishop and address the real-world problems in Southwest Georgia."

Getting things done and "Stopping the Stupid" in Washington takes knowledge, leadership and the ability to navigate processes that are built to maintain the status quo. Wayne will be effective on his first day because he knows his way around and understands how things work behind the scenes. His Washington and business credentials will stack up to and exceed those of Sanford Bishop, making him the best Republican on the ticket to bring Bishop home for good.

- Save our small businesses by helping them create jobs, not creating mandates and restrictions that shut their doors
- Put the American economy FIRST not China's economy
- Stop being held hostage by a flawed international supply chain while our local farmers suffer, grocery shelves are empty and inflation hits hard
- Secure the rule of law and "back the blue"

- Stop relying on foreign energy solutions while our gas prices skyrocket
- Restructure the broken student loan system to eliminate financial barriers to higher education
- Protect the unborn
- Stand up for our **Second Amendment rights**
- End attacks on parents' rights in education

### **Wayne Johnson on National and Economic Issues**



"I am deeply concerned about the soul of our nation, and our economic future. I have been on the ground, working in foreign countries where I witnessed first-hand what happens when a nation cannot pay its debts. I was there when a country was turned into an autocratic regime brought about by social welfare programs. That is not the promise of America, and I will not stand by and let that happen here."

Wayne Johnson has clear positions on the issues that fill up Fox News, your daily news feed and the rest of the national media.

- Inflation skyrocketing prices are hurting citizens in the 2ndDistrict. Wayne's deep financial services experience is needed as the country deals with the burdens of a Sanford Bishop/Joe Biden/ Nancy Pelosi economy.
- **Energy Independence** Wayne will combat Biden's energy policies and move us back to the energy independence enjoyed under President Trump, including support for the Keystone Pipeline.
- National Debt The national debt is approaching \$30 trillion, and it will handicap our children and grandchildren when they have to pay the bill. Having been responsible for managing \$1.7 trillion in student loan debt, Wayne is the only candidate who is able to speak with authority on this critical issue.
- Immigration Wayne lived near the border of Mexico, and he has seen up-close the impact of illegal immigration on local communities. He will be a strong advocate to reverse the Bishop/Biden/Pelosi policies and work toward a strong southern border.
- **Cyber Security** With a technology background, Wayne will be a strong subject-matter expert on how to combat the emerging threat of cyber attacks and cyber security.
- National Security His military service as an officer helped Wayne understand that tragedies like Vietnam and Afghanistan cannot continue to happen. The failed policies of the Biden Administration with Sanford Bishop and Nancy Pelosi's Democratic agenda must be reversed.

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- **Pro-life conservative**
- Gun owner and strong advocate for the Second **Amendment**
- Stands with law enforcement to secure the rule of law and will "back the blue"
- **Protect national security** with a strong and consistent barrier to entry at our borders
- Advocate for Georgia farmers by expanding irrigated farmland, committed to ending the inheritance tax, securing crop insurance and credit for production, providing price protection and foreign import protection, and working for improvements in farm labor reform

- Limited government is a better government, and the national debt must be addressed
- Reinforce election security with Voter ID, ballot authentication and restore faith in Georgia's election system
- Expand support for the military with fair pay, jobs for military spouses and protection of Georgia bases
- Prioritize solutions for rural healthcare, rural broadband and economic development in southwest Georgia
- Enhance vocational school programs, provide parent empowerment for educational choice and eliminate financial barriers to higher education

**Vote May 24<sup>th</sup> in the Republican Primary** Early Voting Begins on Monday, May 2<sup>nd</sup>