

# Press Release

## Independent U.S. Senate Candidate at the Theater

Dr. Will Boyd, U.S. Senate Candidate, Held Second Fundraiser at the Globe Theater in Greenville, Illinois.



**Greenville, IL March 6, 2010:** While the stars prepared for the red carpet and the Academy Awards this weekend, U.S. Senate Candidate Will Boyd was holding his second U.S. Senate fundraiser in Greenville, Illinois at the Globe Theater. The Greenville City Councilman continues his quest to fill the U.S. Senate seat left vacant by President Obama. Making reference to Apollo 12 Astronaut Pete Conrad who stated, "Man, that may have been one small step for Neil, but that's a long one for me," the U.S. Senate Candidate talked about the journey some may call a long shot. As Greenville's first African American City Councilman spoke on "Persistence of Vision" in front of the silver screen, he explained how his fellow Greenville citizens could serve as mission control for his U.S. Senate campaign. With his wife and two kids cheering him on, Boyd explained how just a few good men and women in the city could help fuel his campaign efforts and keep him on course.

Dr. Boyd officially kicked off his campaign as a pro-life candidate last August; however, he officially launched his campaign as an independent last week with his first fundraiser at Bentley's Country Restaurant in Greenville, IL - the city of 7,000 residents located about 45 miles east of St. Louis by way of I-70. Boyd can not begin collecting the 25,000 signatures required by the State Board of Elections to appear on the General Election ballot as an independent until March 23<sup>rd</sup>. However, he was required to register his candidacy and his campaign committee, "Will Boyd for U.S. Senate," with the Federal Election Committee after campaign contributions lifted above \$5,000 last December. With a mission in hand to restore trust in Illinois and U.S. government, Boyd explained "The Boyd Doctrine" his vision for the state and nation. The Boyd Doctrine was reported to be a hit again this weekend as it addresses ways to put America back to work, addressed healthcare reform and rolls out a plan for educational success in Illinois.

Since stepping down from his post as Dean of Student Success at Greenville College last month, Boyd has firmly planted his feet on the campaign trail. Serving as a Bishop, Senior Pastor and Adjunct Assistant Professor, U.S. Senate Candidate Will Boyd continues to take the giant step for Illinois into Washington while taking as many small steps through cities of Illinois to ensure he truly represents all citizens - downstate and upstate. To learn more about his platform, visit [www.willboyd4illinois.com](http://www.willboyd4illinois.com) or contact the candidate at [thecandidate@willboyd4illinois.com](mailto:thecandidate@willboyd4illinois.com).



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