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## **MORAVCHIK ANNOUNCES BID FOR DISTRICT 20B**

LONSDALE, MN — Lonsdale resident Joe Moravchik announced this week that he will seek the Republican endorsement for MN House District 20B. There are now two candidates seeking the endorsement.

"With so much uncertainty because of the coronavirus, we need proven leadership in state government. I will be a strong advocate for workers and small business, mindful of budgets, and an independent voice of reason for what is best for our district and our state," Moravchik said.

Moravchik is a proven leader. He is a former coach, teacher, and law enforcement officer, who sustained an on-duty injury, which forced his early retirement from police work. Since then he has graduated with his J.D. from William Mitchell College of Law in St Paul. He is active in the community, serving on the New Prague Girls Hockey Booster Club Board. He lives in Lonsdale with his wife Chris of 27 years and their two daughters who attend New Prague High School. Chris works at District One Hospital in Faribault.

Moravchik said that his top priority is to help restore Minnesota's economy once the COVID-19 pandemic is resolved.

"These are unprecedented times. Our nation is experiencing a health emergency with still many unknowns, which has upended our economy. Workers are being laid off, or having hours cut back at a rate not seen since the Great Depression. Government leadership is going to have to work with greater efficiency than at any other point in my lifetime to ensure a proper economic recovery. I want to be a part of the planning and implementation of that."

Moravchik is talking with local Republican delegates to learn what issues are most important to them, and to earn their trust. He will abide by the endorsement of those local delegates when they make a decision on a candidate later this spring.

District 20B could be a major swing-seat in 2020; Hillary Clinton won the district by just a single point in 2016.