

Rep. Jil Tracy Newsletter

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Rep. Tracy Statement on the Conviction of Governor Rod Blagojevich

"I am glad that the jury was able to find Rod Blagojevich guilty of lying to the FBI. As a member of the House Special Investigative Committee that recommended impeaching him I am also encouraged that the prosecution appears to be serious about retrying him on the other 23 counts of the case that the jury could not come to a decision on," said State Representative Jil Tracy (R-Quincy). "For six years Rod Blagojevich wreaked havoc on our state's finances and made a mockery of Illinois on the national stage. Today's verdict was a small victory for our citizens. I believe in order to truly repair the damage inflicted by this man upon our state we must pass a responsible budget, and meaningful ethics and campaign finance reform as well."

"In an effort to weed out potential corruption and save the state money, I would like to see our current governor do a thorough review of all state contracts awarded under the former governor's administration and of the political appointees and hires that are still being held over from Blagojevich's time in office."

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