

TOM KOVACH
Ward 2 Candidate for City Council

April 21, 2008

Dear Friends and Neighbors:

I want to express my appreciation for the support you've given me at your door, on the phone, and by email in regards to the personal attack letter some of you received from my opponent. Your rejection of his political trickery sends a strong message that negative Washington-style campaign tactics are not welcome in Norman.

My opponent has spent his career as a paid political operative for in-state and out-of-state campaigns. At a recent political forum in Norman, he said negative attacks work and that's why he uses them. I don't believe politics should be a dirty business. From your responses, it's obvious that you feel the same.

You can learn more about my opponent's political consulting career by simply doing a Google internet search for "Chebon Marshall", "C. D. Marshall" and "Carrier & Marshall".

I will not be distracted by my opponent's current political mischief or other stunts he may pull before the election. I hope that you won't be either. I will continue to carry-out a strong, positive campaign focused on the factual differences between myself and my opponent. There are important distinctions between us on the issues, our experience, and certain campaign information. You need to know them before casting your vote on May 13th.

If you have any questions about my opponent's accusations, please do not hesitate to call me at 701-0436.

Thanks again for your trust and support.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Tom Kovach". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Tom Kovach