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If, like me, you've had enough of Congressman Brad Sherman (BS) in the 27th District, let me introduce you to my good friend, Mark. S. Reed, Sr. Mark is the Republican Candidate challenging the incumbent Brad Sherman in the 27th District in 2010.

Those of you who know me, know I am a long time Democrat but 4 months ago I changed my registration to Republican in order to support and vote for Mark. I am honored to be a member of his campaign committee. Folks, he is the real deal and the only viable candidate against Sherman but he needs our help! See his bio and fact sheet attached and be sure to visit his web sites: or You can also email him at:

For many years now Brad Sherman has done very little for our district and votes along party lines. We need a Congressman who will represent all of us, our wishes and our issues, not just his own or the Party's. Mark Reed believes it is incumbent upon all elected officials to represent the views and wishes of their constituents even when those views may be contrary to his own. You can be sure Mark Reed will do just that.

An avid rancher and horseman, Mark understands the problems facing RA-1 homeowners who are constantly under siege by developers. Of American Indian descent, Mark understands the need to preserve what little open space we have left in low density residential areas of the Valley and will fight for the agricultural and horse property owners throughout the 27th district.

Mark comes from a long line of U.S. Military combat veterans and is an ardent supporter of Veterans' rights. He is adamantly opposed to any encroachment by private sector developers on Veterans' sacred lands. He supports the Veterans in their fight to save the Sepulveda VA from such developers and calls for rescission of two Enhanced Use Leases between the VA and developers New Directions and A community of Friends. He is opposed to the conversion of two urgently needed medical buildings into an apartment complex on the Sepulveda campus and has joined with the Veterans to demand that the buildings be refurbished and staffed as medical buildings, the hospital rebuilt and the Sepulveda VA restored as the full service hospital-medical center it was designated to be. Mark regularly speaks in support of the Veterans at Neighborhood Council meetings and those of other organizations.