

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE Wednesday, November 1st, 2023 Contact: jackclarkcommittee@gmail.com

JACK CLARK RESPONDS TO BETH WOOD'S DEPARTURE

RALEIGH, N.C. – Jack Clark, CPA, who is seeking the Republican Nomination for State Auditor in the 2024 Election, released the following statement:

"Incumbent State Auditor Beth Wood announced today that she would not seek re-election.

My Republican primary opponents have anchored their entire campaigns on simply defeating Beth Wood, but now that it's clear Wood is not running, they have little to no record to stand on or vision to offer the office. We need a Republican candidate who actually has auditing experience and not just sound bites on a retiring politician.

As the only candidate with a master's in accounting, a CPA, and experience in auditing, I am the only one with the necessary training, experience, and skills needed to perform the role of State Auditor. I am also the only candidate who offers a vision for the Auditors Office outside of replacing the head. No matter who runs on the Democratic ticket, I am confident I have a strong case to be elected in the General Election.

###