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Kentucky Fact of the Day #2: Sen. Ray Jones, Rep. Larry Clark and Candidate Virginia Woodward Want to Raise Your Taxes

WASHINGTON, D.C. – The following candidates running for legislative office in Kentucky this year have one thing in common: They have declined numerous offers to sign the Taxpayer Protection Pledge.

- **Rep. Larry Clark** (House District 46)
- **Sen. Ray Jones** (Senate District 31)
- **Virginia Woodward** (Senate District 37)

Already the primary season has shown that taxpayers throughout the nation are wary of those who dig into their pockets. They do not appreciate having their wallets raided.

The refusal of these three candidates makes taxpayers wonder: Just which taxes do they plan to raise?

☞ Do they want to raise your income taxes?

☞ Do they want to raise your tax on groceries?

☞ Do they want to raise the cost of your families clothing and school supplies?

☞ Do they want to raise your tax on gasoline?

But these candidates have another thing in common: They are facing solid fiscal conservative candidates who have signed the Taxpayer Protection Pledge, and have thus committed to “oppose and vote against any and all efforts to increase taxes”:

- **Trace Chesser**, challenging Rep. Clark
- **Chris Ratliff**, running against Sen. Jones
- **Dana Seum Stephenson**, running against Virginia Woodward

These candidates have made a stand and have chosen to side with taxpayers in the upcoming debate on tax reform.

Americans for Tax Reform is a non-partisan coalition of taxpayers and taxpayer groups who oppose all tax increases. For more information or to arrange an interview please contact Chris Butler at (202) 785-0266 or by email at cbutler@atr.org.