



Becky Lourey

Minnesota Senate

Three Terms

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Occupation: Legislator/Business Owner/Activist/Homemaker

Education: Asbury College, KY; University of Minnesota

Elected: Minnesota State Senate, 1996-2006

Minnesota House of Representatives, 1991-1996 (served 3 terms)

Ran for DFL endorsement for Governor in 2002 and 2006

Legislative Commission and Committee Experience

- ❖ Chair, Health and Family Security
- ❖ Health, Human Services and Corrections Budget Division
- ❖ Environment and Natural Resources
- ❖ Agriculture, General Legislation and Veterans Affairs
- ❖ Commerce
- ❖ Member, IRRRB Board
- ❖ Legislative Commission on the Economic Status of Women
- ❖ EMS Regulatory Board, MN Senate Representative
- ❖ Health and Human Services Committee of the Midwestern Legislative Conference of the Council of State Governments.
- ❖ Health Committee of the National Conference of State Legislatures Assembly on Federal Issues
- ❖ Indian Affairs Council
- ❖ Legislative Commission on Health Care Access

Policy Development Experience

- ❖ Minnesota Health Care Access Commission Commissioner
- ❖ Minnesota Public Health Association Legislative Liaison; Co-Chair, Public Affairs
- ❖ Rural Health Advisory Committee on Health Care Reform
- ❖ Minnesota Farmer's Union Member, State Delegate
- ❖ Member of the Northern Lights Tourism Alliance Septic Symposium
- ❖ Pine County Aids Task Force Member

Work History

- ❖ Business Owner, Nemadji Research Corporation
- ❖ Farmer, Kerrick, MN, 8 years
- ❖ Graphic Artist, Self-Employed
- ❖ Instructor, Community Education Program, 6 years
- ❖ Administrative Assistant, Northern Lakes Health Care Consortium, 1984-85

Volunteer Experience

- ❖ Carlton County Guardian Ad Litem Program Child Advocate
- ❖ Children's Home Society of Minnesota Board of Directors
- ❖ Pine County Developmental Achievement Center Board of Directors
- ❖ Special Education Mainstream Project Volunteer
- ❖ Pine County CARE Council
- ❖ Minnesota Mental Health Association Conference Coordinator
- ❖ Mother's Camp, Mental Health Association Resource Person
- ❖ East Central Solid Waste Commission Recycling Task Force Member
- ❖ Great Books Instructor
- ❖ Parent-Teacher Association Secretary
- ❖ Nursery School Organizer
- ❖ Sunday School Teacher
- ❖ Neighborhood Association Organizer
- ❖ Pine County Democratic Farmer-Labor Party Co-Chair, 1984-89

Family

- ❖ Becky (age 63) and husband, Gene, are parents of 12 children, (three deceased). They built their family by both birth and adoption. They have 15 grandchildren.
- ❖ Four generations of Loureys live in Kerrick Township

Awards

- ❖ Recipient of the Governor's Marvelous Minnesota Woman Award, 1989
- ❖ Received the prestigious B. Robert Lewis Award from the Minnesota Public Health Association
- ❖ Recipient of Charlotte Striebel Long Distance Runner Award, National Organization of Women (NOW)
- ❖ Recipient of the Lucy Hahn, Barbara Stukler Political Courage Award
- ❖ Voted one of the top five Senators in a reader's survey by the Legal Ledger
- ❖ Recipient of the Congressional Award, "Angels in Adoption" 2001
- ❖ Voted Page's Favorite Senator 2001, 2002