

Dear Friends:

Great News – New poll numbers show that we are now the leading candidate in the Republican primary.

A poll ending May 1, 2006 conducted by Hellenenthal and Associates (sample size 368 - +/- 5%) shows us leading Sarah Palin by 38.4 to 36.1. In a three-way contested race with Sarah Palin and Frank Murkowski, my numbers have jumped 27 percent from where I was just two and a half months ago.

While this is exciting news I want to point out that polling numbers can often be displayed to show different results. What is important to note is that our positive trend over time means that our message is getting out. Thanks to all of you that have supported my candidacy. You have helped us to move this campaign in a positive direction and I want you to know how much I appreciate your support.

Since there have been many rumors about recent polls, I thought you would enjoy seeing the results.

Likely voters in the Republican primary (two-way with Sarah Palin)

John Binkley	38.4
Sarah Palin	36.1

Likely voters in the Republican primary (two-way with Frank Murkowski)

John Binkley	66.7
Frank Murkowski	17.7

Likely voters in the Republican primary (three-way with Frank & Sarah)

John Binkley	29.3
Sarah Palin	32.3
Frank Murkowski	20.8

Likely voters in the Republican primary (three-way with Loren Leman & Sarah)

John Binkley	32.4
Sarah Palin	29.2
Loren Leman	21.3

As you can see, our work is paying off and it is our goal to continue this upward trend. If you have any questions about these poll results please call our campaign headquarters at 279-2006. For more information on our campaign, visit our website at www.binkley06.com.

I'll see you on the campaign trail!

