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VICTORY FUND ENDORSES SHARICE DAVIDS FOR CONGRESS IN KANSAS THIRD

KANSAS CITY, Kan. - Victory Fund has endorsed Sharice Davids in the Kansas' Third Congressional District race.

Victory Fund is a national organization that works to change the face and voice of America's politics to achieve equality for LGBTQ Americans by increasing the number of openly LGBTQ officials at all levels of government.

After graduating from Cornell Law School as a first-generation college student, Sharice went on to work on the Pine Ridge Indian Reservation before serving as a White House Fellow under President Barack Obama. When elected, she will be the first open LGBTQ member of the Kansas Congressional delegation.

"Victory Fund is pleased to endorse Sharice Davids for Kansas's 3rd Congressional District," said Victory Fund President & CEO Annise Parker. "Sharice's commitment to smart public policy that addresses the real concerns of constituents makes her the best candidate for Kansas' 3rd Congressional District. When she wins in August and November, Sharice will become a vital LGBTQ voice."

Since 1991, Victory Fund has helped elect thousands of LGBTQ people to positions at all levels of government. These LGBTQ voices have made significant contributions to advancing equality for LGBTQ Americans – from passing non-discrimination laws to defeating amendments to ban marriage equality.

"I'm honored to have Victory Fund's support behind my campaign," Davids said. "I have focused my career on bringing opportunity and equality to underserved and underrepresented communities. With Victory Fund as a partner in this effort, I know we can make real change happen.

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SHARICE DAVIDS

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About Sharice Davids: A proud Kansan, Sharice Davids was raised by a single mom. After graduating from Johnson County Community College, she earned an Ivy League law degree from Cornell and went on to work for President Barack Obama as a White House Fellow.

Sharice has focused her career on bringing equality to underserved communities and providing more opportunities to help middle-class families get ahead. She'll work to expand access to affordable health care, strengthen our public schools, make college more affordable and invest in our infrastructure to create more good-paying jobs.

About the Third Congressional District of Kansas: The Third Congressional District is home to more than 672,000 people in Johnson, Miami, and Wyandotte Counties. It is the economic heart of the state and comprised of vibrant, growing communities.

About the 2018 election: There will be a Democratic primary election for the Third Congressional District and many other local, state, and national races. This vote will take place on Tuesday, Aug. 7, 2018. Absentee and advanced voting will be available. To participate in a primary election, voters must register their party affiliation by June 1, 2018. To register to vote or check your current registration online, please visit ksvotes.org.

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