

Bobby had his chance

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Three years ago, I attended a town hall with Rep. Bobby Schilling. His impressive slideshow illustrated the evils of the Obama administration and the marvels of Republican policies. Some information didn't seem accurate. Where did it come from? I moved closer to read the fine print. I remember seeing Heritage Society, Cato Institute and other sources that slant statistics to the party line.

It also pays to read the fine print on who has funding political TV ads: American Crossroads is founded by Karl Rove, Restore Our Future funded Mitt Romney, Club for Growth and FreedomWorks for America supported the tea party, and Endorse Liberty backed Ron Paul. These ads clearly rely on information from conservative think tanks who get paid big bucks by corporate billionaires to create facts, smear and falsify.

Take Bobby Schilling's campaign website. It's a slimy mess of sarcasm against Cheri Bustos, saying she "has nothing positive to say about her record in Congress". Really? Are they kidding?

Excuse me. Bobby had his chance. Cheri has done a superb job working for working people. She deserves to be re-elected for the same reasons we voted her in two years ago.

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