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### MAURICE WASHINGTON IS THE PROBLEM.

His halfway house has been plagued with scandals, including reports of drug dealing, prostitution and misuse of taxpayer money.





## JOHN EMERSON is the SOLUTION.

JOHN EMERSON is a retired minister who – like most of us in northern Nevada – is firmly rooted in family values, financial integrity and personal responsibility.

John Emerson will fight to make halfway houses like Maurice Washington's meet all legal requirements in order to protect our neighborhoods and our homes.

John will fight to let Nevada seniors buy essential, lifesaving prescription drugs online at prices that save them money and protect their fixed incomes.

And John will protect all Nevadans by fighting to stop storage of the nation's nuclear waste at Yucca Mountain.

END MAURICE WASHINGTON'S CORRUPTION IN CARSON CITY.



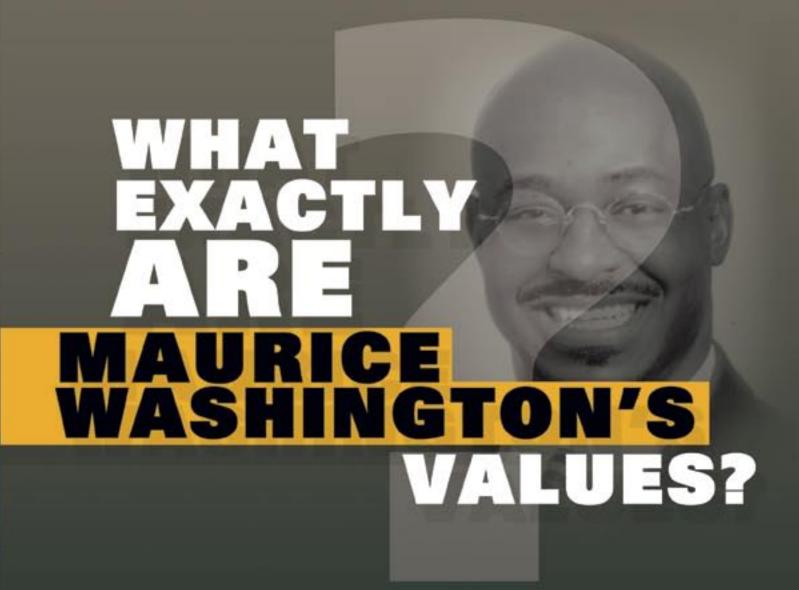


### JOHN EMERSON FOR STATE SENATE -

is a vote for honesty, integrity and accountability.

EARLY VOTING STARTS OCTOBER 21 AND ENDS NOVEMBER 3.

ELECTION DAY IS TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 7.



### RENO GAZETTE-JOURNAL

#### NEIGHBORS, STATE SENATOR AT ODDS OVER OPERATION OF HALFWAY HOUSE

Alfredo Amezaga says state senator Maurice Washington owes a northwest Reno neighborhood an apology...

Until the city ordered the house closed on March 22, Amezaga said he and his neighbors had to contend with up to 30 parolees living in the home on Irving Park Circle.

"If you have enough power, you don't have to play by the rules..." Amezaga said. "You expect a senator to bring up a community, not bring it down." ...

[Reno Deputy City Attorney Creig] Skau also said at the hearing that drug use and prostitution were occurring at the Irving Circle house.

# PROSTITUTION AND DRUG USE AT A HALFWAY HOUSE RUN BY MAURICE WASHINGTON??

### Maurice Washington owes us all an apology.



Reports that Senator Maurice
Washington used his influence
to keep open a halfway house
that he operated – even after
the city ordered it closed for
drug use and prostitution –
prove that Washington doesn't
share the values of most of us
in northern Nevada.

# And worst of all, Washington put this neighborhood in jeopardy simply for the money.

The city also reported that Washington's halfway house was licensed for five residents, but had up to 30, for which he was paid up to \$18,000 a month (Reno Gazette-Journal, September 16, 2002). When Washington was asked to account for the extra payments, he wasn't able to explain where the money went, who benefited or how it was used.

That lack of accountability is a recurring pattern in Maurice Washington's long political career.

In addition to the unaccounted-for funds at his halfway house, a complaint was recently filed against Washington for misuse of funds at his church.

Just this month, another complaint was filed against Maurice Washington – this time for using church assets to benefit his political campaign.

Maurice Washington is the problem because he doesn't share our values.

BUT THERE IS A SOLUTION.