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Dave Wellstone Endorses Angie Craig for U.S. Senate

This endorsement comes one day after Craig launched her campaign, quickly gaining grassroots momentum

Minneapolis, MN – Today, Dave Wellstone, son of the late Senator, Paul Wellstone, endorsed Angie Craig for U.S. Senate. Wellstone is the former Co-Chair of Wellstone Action, a grassroots organization that trained community organizers, student activists, campaign staff, candidates and elected officials.

"I'm proud to be endorsing Angie Craig for the U.S. Senate. I've seen Angie's ability to work in areas that are tough for Democrats. Angie can bridge the gaps better than anyone. She works hard and finds a way to connect with people. My father worked hard and could go and meet folks where they were; from miners on the Iron Range, to southern Minnesota Farmers at Farm Fest to our twin cities – Minneapolis and Saint Paul – that same ability and tireless effort I see in Angie Craig."

Watch the endorsement video [HERE](#).

Dave Wellstone is the Co-Founder and CEO of Pathfinder Solutions, a public benefit corporation focused on improving mental health and addiction treatment to formerly incarcerated individuals, tribal nations, underserved populations and those who often face systemic barriers to care.

Since being elected in 2018, Angie Craig has become one of the most battle-tested Democrats, distinguishing herself as an aggressive campaigner who goes everywhere and talks to everybody, whether they voted for her or not. In her most recent House race – in a district evenly divided between Republicans and Democrats – Craig beat her Republican opponent by nearly 14 percentage points, her largest margin of victory ever.

Over the last six years in Congress, she's written legislation to [lower the cost of prescription drugs like insulin](#); to [expand resources for apprenticeship and job training programs](#) across

Minnesota; to stop the [smuggling of illicit fentanyl in our country](#) and to [provide funding for police departments to invest](#) in recruiting, training and equipment to keep our communities safe. She has also pushed for legislation to [ban Members of Congress from trading and owning stocks](#) and to [ban former members of congress from becoming lobbyists](#).

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