March 23, 2010

To: The Hooksett Town Council, Carol Granfield, and others 35 Main Street Hooksett, NH. 03106



Greetings,

It is with regret that I must tender my resignation from the Hooksett Town Council. My first apology is to my constituents in District 4 who elected me for a second three-year term, of which remains 2 years. My second apology is to my family, friends, and my "brothers and sisters in arms" in God's army of the Pro-Life movement, whom have been somewhat neglected lately.

Unfortunately, the burdens of the seat are more than I can continue to carry at this time. Being self-employed with school-aged children is difficult, especially during these times of financial insecurity and decline in America. My family and business have had to suffer on a number of occasions due to keeping my oath to the citizens and God.

Therefore, I must step down for a time and limit my responsibilities to a smaller number of obligations. Doing too much means little gets done well. Family must come first, (service to The Lord Jesus needs to be above that, actually), then my business (no unemployment checks for the self-employed), then politics.

In the politics category are items above those of the town, such as fighting for the civil rights of the preborn, fighting for freedom and liberty in the face of mounting tyranny in our state and national governments, and being a witness at hearings and votes. My genuine concern for the well-being of the Town still remains strong and I will still be involved at the polls, in the papers, on the blogs and on the air, but I cannot continue to devote the time necessary to responsibly and properly perform the duties of a Town Councilor.

In closing, I want to thank all the people who have supported and encouraged me along the way. I offer my thanks and respect to the other Councilors, past and present, for serving the town and tolerating my unapologetic stances on many occasions. Both good and not-so-good things have been done, and avoided, during these years, but I am convinced that citizen government is still the best and as perfect as it can be, provided genuine citizens participate for genuine reasons, as I have seen here in Hooksett.

Sincerely,

David P. Ross
Councilor, District 4