

My name is Senator Jason Heitkamp and I represent the 26th legislative district, home of the Sargent County ghost towns formally known as Hample, Nicholson, Towanda, and Dunbar.

SCR 4015 relates to election of the state health officer. This resolution allows the qualified electors of this state to elect a state health officer for a four - year term at the appropriate general election, beginning in 2022.

We have seen great power given to the State Health officer in the last year... The citizens have contacted me and told me, as their legislative representative, that it is time to change the way the Health Officer is hired. The citizens want to hire the health officer through election. The citizens want to be represented by elected officials who listen to them and can be held responsible to them. The citizens want to vet them and hire them during an election process.

SCR 4015 will allow the citizens to be represented the way they want to be represented. Not by some goofball that doesn't even have a doctor's degree.

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① hates oil trucks in the
theodore Roosevelt National park