Mayor

George McDonald (R)

My name is George McDonald and I'm running for Mayor — thanks for tuning in. If you are watching this video, you probably know this may be the most important election in the last twenty years. But the truth is you are in the minority. It is estimated that only 50,000 voters will come out for the Republican primary — in a city of over 8 million people. But I guess we shouldn't be surprised that people are cynical and fed up with politics with the slow motion crime wave coming out of Albany and when one of the leading contenders for Mayor has a "tweeting" problem. I'm running for Mayor because I'm tired of politics as usual. I'm tired of the corruption and the special interests that want to turn this city back to a time when it was ungovernable. Twenty-five years ago I went to Grand Central Station for 700 nights in a row to feed the homeless, and I listened to what they had to say. They said, while they appreciated the sandwich — what they really wanted was a room and a job to pay for it. And so my wife Harriet and I sat down at our kitchen table and created the Doe Fund — togetther we built a \$50 million a year business which has helped literally tens of thousands of people reclaim their lives through the power of a job. As Mayor, I will have a laser like focus on creating jobs and opportunities for all New Yorkers. We will make our city, our communities and our families, all families — safer, stronger and better through the power of a job. We cannot accept as the "new normal" these high unemployment rates. We cannot accept as the "new normal" a city of diminished expectations. And we cannot accept as the "new normal" the American Dream being redefined as barely climbing into the middle class. On Primary Day, Sept 10th., Vote for jobs. Vote for great expectations and vote George McDonald for Mayor. Thank you.

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