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## BRUNEAU TO STEP DOWN SPECIAL ELECTION SLATED FOR MARCH

House Speaker Joe Salter has issued a proclamation calling for a special election to fill a prospective vacancy in House District 94.

Salter said the necessity for the election is the result of the pending resignation of long-time legislator, state Rep. Emile "Peppi" Bruneau.

Qualifying for the office will begin on Wednesday, February 7 and conclude on Friday, February 9.

The primary election is scheduled for Saturday, March 10. A run-off, if needed, will be held on Saturday, March 31.

Bruneau will resign the office he has held since 1976 at 1 p.m. on April 30. A Republican, he is serving his last year under term limits.

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