

Fischer Takes On Kerrey

Deb Fischer, a conservative state senator, shocked the political world on Tuesday by beating two better-financed opponents in Nebraska's Republican Senate primary. She now faces Bob Kerrey, a former governor and senator, in the general election. In most statewide races, Fischer's low profile would be a handicap, but in this particular contest, anonymity may be an asset.

"People are tired of the usual politicians," Fischer tells National Review Online. "I am becoming better known, and I've put 45,000 miles on my car as I've traveled around the state. But I come from a citizen legislature, where it's about public service, and people have really responded."

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