

Biography of
THE HONORABLE JONATHAN DISMANG
ARKANSAS STATE SENATOR



SENATE DISTRICT 29

Senator Jonathan Dismang represents Senate District 29, which comprises parts of Faulkner, Pulaski and White counties. He is serving his first term in the Arkansas Senate. During the 88th General Assembly, he serves on the following committees: Legislative Joint Auditing; Joint Budget; Joint Performance Review; Joint Energy; Senate Public Health, Welfare and Labor; and Senate City, County and Local Affairs.

Senator Dismang was elected to the Arkansas House of Representatives in 2008 to serve House District 49. He was chairman of the Arkansas Legislative Council PEER Committee, vice-chairman of Income Taxes-Personal and Corporate Subcommittee. He was also elected vice chairman of the Freshman Caucus and recognized by his peers for his outstanding leadership ability. The *Arkansas Democrat-Gazette* named him one of the Top Six Freshman to Watch during the 87th General Assembly and the Three Rivers Edition of the *Arkansas Democrat-Gazette* named him as one of Twenty to Watch.

Professionally, Senator Dismang is chief financial officer of Whitwell and Ryles Real Estate Investments, LLC. Civically, he is active in many local and state organizations, including White County 4-H Foundation, The Rose Bud East Advisory Council, Beebe Chamber of Commerce, Jacksonville Chamber of Commerce, Searcy Regional Chamber of Commerce, the Searcy Young Professionals Network and the Harding University Presidents Council. He is a member of the board of directors for the Arkansas Children's Advocacy Centers and past chairman of the Arkansas National Association of Royalty Owners.

A native of Maynard, Arkansas, Senator Dismang is an honor graduate of Harding University with degrees in accounting and economics. He is married to the former Mandy Staggs and together they have two children, Cade and Sawyer. The family are members of Beebe Church of Christ.