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Who Won the Week?

Shamed Dogan – Running as a Republican in St. Louis County is almost a longshot by definition at this point. But he’s corralled endorsement, and big name donors to freeze out a primary challenge, and he’s already working on a potent general election message.

Ed Reformers – Feels like they have some momentum coming off the Virginia gubernatorial race where education was a key issue.

Rob Vescovo – MOScout’s poll shows how little name ID a speaker has outside of the building. Still his warchest makes him a state senate favorite among the savvy lobbying corps.

Sara Walsh and **Taylor Burks** – The MidMO candidates in CD-4 get a boost as one of their own, Sen. Caleb Rowden, opts out of the race.

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