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## **Who Won the Week?**

**Eric Schmitt** – Schmitt must be dancing a little jig after scoring some wins this week from his AG days. The student loan debt forgiveness case featured Missouri’s MOHELA, and then the social media “censorship case” gained national attention for the injunction against the Biden Administration.

**Vivek Malek** – It looks like Malek will have \$1 million in his PAC when quarter numbers are reported. Plus, the apparent entrance of Andrew Koenig means he may avoid a simple one-on-one primary.

**Kelli Jones** – Parson promoted his former Communications Director to be his new Deputy Chief of Staff.

**Senate Dems** – Three former conservative caucus members running statewide in 2024; trial attorney money flowing into Eigel’s PAC; lobbyists see no change in the Senate’s landscape. This all means Senate Dems will have a rift-ridden GOP caucus to use again next session.

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