

Resolution # 2024-10**DECLARATION OF VACANCIES**

WHEREAS the Wyoming State Constitution, article 3, section 3 provides that:

Each county shall constitute a senatorial and representative district; the senate and house of representatives shall be composed of members elected by the legal voters of the counties respectively, every two (2) years. They shall be apportioned among the said counties as nearly as may be according to the number of their inhabitants. Each county shall have at least one senator and one representative; but at no time shall the number of members of the house of representatives be less than twice nor greater than three times the number of members of the senate. The senate and house of representatives first elected in pursuance of this constitution shall consist of sixteen and thirty-three members respectively,

WHEREAS Weston County has by Resolution No. 14-03 Resolved that:

The Weston County Board of County Commissioners supports the adoption of Constitutional Legislative Districting, including all aspects of Art. 3, Sec. 3, such as giving full effect to the Constitutional requirement that each county "shall constitute a senatorial and representative district" and that each "county shall have at least one senator and one representative"

WHEREAS the office of Weston County Representative was last held by Lauris Tisdale, representing the Republican party; and the office of Weston County Senator was last held by Jerry Dixon, representing the Republican party; and

WHEREAS Weston County currently has neither a state representative nor a state senator;

NOW THEREFORE, BY THE WESTON COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, BE IT, AND IT IS HEREBY, RESOLVED that:

1. The Weston County Board of Commissions declares vacancies for the positions of Weston County State Representative and for Weston County State Senator;
2. The Weston County Board of County Commissioners shall immediately notify in writing, and by this Resolution does hereby notify, the chairman of the Wyoming Republican Party State Central Committee of the vacancies occurring in the offices of Weston County State Representative and Weston County State Senator;
3. The Wyoming Republican Party State Central Committee is requested to notify, in compliance with W.S. § 22-18-111(a)(iii)(A), the precinct committeemen and committeewomen for that party for each precinct within Weston County and arrange a meeting of those precinct committeemen and committeewomen at which they will select a list of three (3) persons qualified to fill each vacancy;

4. The Wyoming Republican Party State Central Committee is further requested to submit the list selected for each vacancy to the Weston County Board of County Commissioners which, within five (5) days after receiving the list of three (3) names for each vacancy, is to fill each vacancy by appointment of one (1) of the three (3) to hold each office.

MADE, DETERMINED, AND RESOLVED this 2nd day of April, 2024

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, WESTON COUNTY, WYOMING.



Don Taylor, Chair Weston County Commissioners



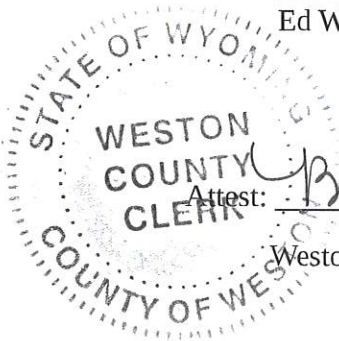
Garrett Borton, Vice Chair

Nathan Todd




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Attest:



Weston County Clerk