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**Subject:** County Commission questionnaires – General election:

Good afternoon,

I hope you all have had a little break between the primary and the general election. I am reaching out to you all because I am the editor of the general election voter guide published by the Jackson Hole News&Guide every election cycle, and we are taking the next steps as we prepare to print on Oct. 16.

The same questionnaires you answered during the primary election will be shortened and published in this edition, since we are giving a little more space to first-time answers from hospital board and school board candidates. The full versions of your answers will be available online, and we are still including bio boxes/important questions in this edition. I am more than happy to run the shortened versions by you via email if you are interested.

However, I would love an answer for two additional questions, word limit: 150 words. ***How would you define the job of a county commissioner?***

[Teamwork. Wyoming statute 18-5-201 addresses commissioners' duties in the key field of land use planning with this guidance:](#)

[“To promote the public health, safety, morals and general welfare of the county, each board of county commissioners may regulate and restrict the location and use of buildings and structures and the use, condition of use or occupancy of lands for residence, recreation, agriculture, industry, commerce, public use and other purposes.”](#)

***What role do you usually play on a team?***

[Sometimes my best role is to sit still and do nothing; no need to prolong a meeting when the outcome is obvious, and others have given appropriate direction. Other times I'm in a supporting role, filling in information gaps, or putting the group back on track, or](#)

highlighting someone else's good contribution. In other settings, where I either have a designated leadership role or I see a need to assert myself, I offer guidance and advocacy.

We are also planning to do a graphic with a thumbs up/down on certain issues.

If you could respond to these questions with a 'support' or 'oppose' in a follow up email – that would be wonderful. My deadline is 5 p.m. Friday for a response, but feel free to let me know if you need more time.

*Do you support or oppose mitigation for commercial and residential development?*

**Support.**

Do you support or oppose the SPET to build the Teton County Justice Center?

**Support.**

Do you support or oppose moving the Teton County Fairgrounds from its current location?

**Unfair fair question! Pun! Keep it where it is unless and until we find a better home.**

Sincerely,

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