



Create the Vote 2024

Candidate Survey

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Marilyn Connolly (HD 40)

What arts and cultural activities have you and your family members attended, participated in, or supported in the past year?

Theatre, Music

Are there any specific arts and culture activities from your experience that you would like to highlight as noteworthy or exceptional?

Considering your own personal background and education, what arts or cultural classes, programs or activities did you participate in?

Vocal Music, Dance, Literary Arts, Drawing/Painting/Sculpting, These were activities I participated in during my elementary and high school days

What role do you believe Wyoming and/or local government should play in supporting arts, culture and the humanities to enhance economic and community development?

Arts, culture and humanities should be considered in all aspects of economic development. Communities that have a focus on art, culture and humanities are more robust and healthy.

What role do you believe Wyoming and/or local government should play in supporting arts and culture to provide a comprehensive education for Wyoming K-12 students?

I attended one room schools in rural settings. We had art classes once a week. We learned to dance, sing, and participate in plays. This early education help provide insight into my future. I am a strong advocate of arts in our schools. Local government can be a voice to promote programs facilitating arts and culture.

What role do you believe Wyoming and/or local government should play in supporting arts and culture, diversifying the local economy, and enhancing quality of life?

They should retain a funding stream to promote and provide programs that support arts and culture. This will then help to diversify the economy and enhance the quality of life in our communities.

Rate your level of support for a local-option sales or property tax to support cultural activities and development.

Neither Unsupportive nor Supportive