



## *Create the Vote 2024*

### **Candidate Survey**

2024-06-14

#### **Daniel J. Singh (HD 61)**

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

Music

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

I am a tenor with the Cheyenne chamber singers, we recently performed "Considering Matthew Shepherd"

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

Instrumental Music, Vocal Music

**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?**

If looking to obtain art the government should favor local artists or entities

**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?**

Broadly speaking it should be recognized that the arts and culture are just as important as STEM education, and perhaps even more so, if the goal of an education is to equip students to lead a personally fulfilling life.

**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?**

The state should embrace statute which facilitate creativity and connectivity within our communities. Embracing a strong stance on the first amendment, Allowing people to creatively display art within municipalities and neighborhoods to beautify the area without necessitating gentrification. At the end of the day, people need free time in order to enjoy art to the fullest, And in order for them to have free time, They can't be working all the time. We need to make sure that the average Joe has as much of their money in their pocket As possible so that they may pull the resources To create the type of art that they want, Less more accurately reflecting the cultural realities of 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

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