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Local Candidates Ethics Pledge

**2024
Candidate Ethics Action Pledge**

If my candidacy is successful, I commit myself to being an advocate for ethical practices within my state of responsibility. Specifically, I pledge to support in my work of government to the extent of my authority and ability:

- Ethics training for all employees.
- A comprehensive ethics policy and ongoing enforcement.
- Whistleblower protection for employees filing ethics complaints.

State: _____

County: _____ Signature: _____

Office/Seat: _____ Printed Name: _____

Each election, the Shared Ethics Advisory Commission (SEAC) asks candidates for local offices to pledge to provide their employees with training on ethical decision-making. For the May primary election every Northwest Indiana candidate for county offices has been asked to sign the Ethics Pledge pictured on this page. When you vote, we hope you will consider ethical government as one of your reasons for selecting a candidate.

Courtney Smith
SEAC President

CANDIDATES WHO SIGNED THE ETHICS PLEDGE

LAKE COUNTY

Lake County Commissioner - District 3
Lake County Commissioner - District 3
Lake County Coroner
Lake County Recorder
Lake County Surveyor

Republican
Democrat
Democrat
Democrat
Democrat

Kimberly Poland
Michael C Repay
Danielle E Carter
Regina Pimentel
Bill Emerson Jr

LAPORTE COUNTY

LaPorte County Auditor
LaPorte County Commissioner District 2
LaPorte County Commissioner District 2
LaPorte County Commissioner District 3
LaPorte County Commissioner District 3
LaPorte County Coroner
LaPorte County Coroner
LaPorte County Council At Large
LaPorte County Council At Large
LaPorte County Council At Large
LaPorte County Recorder
LaPorte County Treasurer
LaPorte County Treasurer

Republican
Democrat
Republican
Republican
Democrat
Republican
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Republican
Republican
Democrat

Rhonda Graves
Mike Kellems
Timothy J. Stabosz
Joe Haney
Randy Novak
Lynn Swanson
Mark P. Baker
Adam Koronka
Scott Ford
Timothy Cavinder
Ezbieta Sliderback
Juanita Haney
Joie Winski

PORTER COUNTY

Porter County Commissioner, District 1 - South
Porter County Commissioner, District 1 - South
Porter County Commissioner, District 1 - South
Porter County Commissioner, District 3 - North
Porter County Commissioner, District 3 - North
Porter County Council At-Large
Porter County Council At-Large
Porter County Council At-Large
Porter County Council At-Large
Porter County Council At-Large
Porter County Council At-Large
Porter County Council At-Large
Porter County Surveyor
Porter County Treasurer

Republican
Democrat
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Democrat
Democrat
Democrat

Dean Moretton
Dan L. Whitten
Edward K. Morales
Dane V. Lafata
Jim Biggs
Andy Bozak
Mike Bricker
Bob DeRuntz
Sylvia Graham
Michelle Harris
Nate Uldricks
Erik Wagner
Kevin D. Breitzke
Laura Shurr Blaney

2024 PRIMARY ELECTION - SEAC CANDIDATE ETHICS PLEDGE STATISTICS

| County | Total Number of Candidates | Number of Candidates who Signed the Pledge | Percentage of Candidates who Signed the Pledge |
|----------------|----------------------------|--|--|
| Lake County | 14 | 5 | 36% |
| LaPorte County | 28 | 13 | 46% |
| Porter County | 19 | 14 | 74% |
| TOTAL | 61 | 32 | 52% |

If you are a candidate who has not yet signed the Ethics Pledge, you can do so at sharedethics.com/2024pledge



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