



Longleaf Pine REALTORS®

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2020 Candidate Questionnaire County Elections

Do you have any ideas or a plan to help with the current negative economic results of the pandemic and how would you implement?

Property taxes fund Cumberland county expenditures such as : county schools, FTCC, Cape Fear Valley Hospital, Health Dept., Dept. of Social Services, Sheriff's Dept., county offices and courthouse, etc. Property values CAN NOT DECREASE.

Immediately - - no property tax increase - suspend all tax foreclosures - defer/waive 2020 taxes

If elected, how would you resolve any water issues (i.e. Gen X) or future water contamination in your County? How do you safe guard clean water?

My goal is to provide county-wide water. The first step to Grays Creek has been funded. We will continue to discuss options with PWC, Chemours, and the State. Toxic limits must be placed AND ENFORCED by the State of NC and Federal government. Enforcement is a state and federal duty. We can assist, but no power to make state or federal laws.

(this question only applies to Cumberland County) Now that Cumberland County is considered a Tier 1 status, what grants would you propose applying for?

- 1. Grant from Dept. of Info. Tech., Rural Broadband Program - to expand broadband to rural areas - \$ 2 million available. - only tier 1 can apply.*
- 2. Public Instruction, Needs-based Capital Fund - to assist with school building - only tier 1 and 2 can apply.*
- 3. Funds for small MPOs and RPOs to assist highway projects- only tier 1 and 2 can apply*

As REALTORS® become more engaged in our communities, how do you propose to improve communication to be a part of the conversation instead of REALTORS® being *reactive* to issues that harm homeownership and private property rights?

Become a part of the future of Cumberland County. A list of our boards can be found on our website : And at <http://www.co.cumberland.nc.us/departments/commissioners-group/commissioners/appointed-boards/current-members>

Some of interest are: Board of Adjustment, Economic Development Board, Joint Planning, Tourism , etc. I can be reached at 678-7771



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Previously Elected/Appointed Position(s):	Commissioner; School Board; FTCC trustee
Community Involvement:	CFVMC trustee CCDRC, Boys and Girls Teen Court
Community Endorsements:	0 yet; past- CCAE/NCAE, Fraternal Order of Police
Do You Have an Active Campaign Account?	Yes
Do You Accept PAC Checks?	Yes with appreciation for the support

Thank you for taking the time to fill out our questionnaire. Questionnaire will be posted for our members to read on our website. www.longleafpinerealtors.com



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Dear Candidate,

As the November elections approach, we would like for you to fill out a questionnaire for the real estate industry. Longleaf Pine REALTORS® Association has over 1,900 members regionally. Our members like to stay informed on candidates' viewpoints and they like to go to the polls with a smart decision.

Can you take the time to fill out our questionnaire? We will post all answers on our Association website. It will also help our RPAC Committee (REALTOR® Political Action Committee) make a decision on candidate funding.

Thank you for running for office. Good luck with your campaign.

There are several ways to turn in your questionnaire.

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