



ELEPHANT TALES

Fellow Republicans,

As we end the strangest year I can recall, I want to let you know how thankful I am for each and every one of you. May you have a wonderful and blessed Christmas time. Stay safe, healthy, joyful and peaceful as we enter into 2021 and get back into the swing of things. See you all real soon, I hope!

God bless each and every one of you.
Zach Rodgers
Wells County GOP Chairman



UPCOMING EVENTS

JANUARY

4 Central Committee

9 Breakfast

FEBRUARY

1 Central Committee

4 Lunch & Listen for Elected Officials

6 Breakfast

MARCH

1 Central Committee

6 Breakfast

29 Central Committee

APRIL

3 Breakfast

26 Central Committee



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Time is running out to be a member of the 2020 Club. It will soon be time for the 2021 Club.

There is no election in 2021 but we will be busy reorganizing and planning! This is the perfect time to decide where you best fit, join a committee, and become more involved.

"Alone we can do so little; together we can do so much."
Helen Keller



WHO ARE WE?
ALL WHO BELIEVE IN THE IDEALS OF THE REPUBLICAN PARTY
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Getting to Know Your Elected Officials

Each of our County Elected Officials will be highlighted in this column. Our Court House Elected Officials are being highlighted first and have been asked to respond to three questions.



Kathy Peeper is our Wells County Treasurer.

Please tell us a little about yourself. I was born and raised in Wells County. I am married to Larry Peeper. We have 2 children and 7 grandchildren. I was the composition manager for over 30

years at the Bluffton News-Banner. I attend Hope Missionary Church. I'm involved with the Friends Who Care Cancer Relief Foundation here in Wells County.

Why did you choose to run for office? I was previously a Deputy Treasurer for about 3 1/2 years. The current treasurer then was retiring the end of December 2016. The opportunity to serve as the new treasurer was presented then. I accepted and won and now I will be serving my second term starting January 2021.

What is your favorite thing or your passion about your office? I've enjoyed working in this office and meeting people from Wells County and serving the taxpayers. I have two deputy treasurers that work with me and help keep my office running efficiently. I have met a lot of great people involved within our Courthouse and the knowledge and information they have shared is so appreciate.



Lisa McCormick is our Wells County Auditor.

Please tell us a little about yourself. My husband Tim and I are proud parents of two children, Travis, and Taryn, plus four grandchildren. I am

happiest when I get to spend time with my family. I enjoy most outside activities. When I must be inside, repurposing furniture and reading occupy my time. I have been employed in the Wells County Auditor's office since 2008. I am the current Auditor. The Auditor's position is very fulfilling.

Why did you choose to run for office? I felt that my experience and knowledge of the office would make me an asset. The Auditor wears many hats, I welcomed that challenge. This office has many diverse jobs and responsibilities. There are constant deadlines in this office. My people, and myself, have a drive to complete all tasks prior to the deadline(s). Like anything, problems creep up, we like to have a buffer, so those timetables are not an issue.

What is your favorite thing or your passion about your office? The favorite thing about my office is the people I work with. Each person is unique and a delight to be around. All the Auditors office personnel have a strong work ethic and are kind. Accumulated years of service of the employees in my office is huge, turnover is light, which is a blessing.

