

## Kootenai County Commissioners Debate

Lake City Senior Center in Coeur d'Alene will be the site, Thursday April 1, 2010 at 6:30 pm, for the 2010 Kootenai County Commissioners Debate hosted by the Kootenai County Reagan Republicans and the North Idaho Pachyderm Club. The debate will be moderated by Angela Monson, morning host and news director of NewsTalk 590 KQNT and all six Kootenai County Commissioner candidates will participate. The May 25 Republican Primary will decide this year's election since no Democrats filed for the positions.

"There will be a number of candidate forums before the primary but this will be the only actual debate. Candidates submitted questions for their opponents and will get a chance to rebut their answers" said Jeff Ward, President of the Kootenai County Reagan Republicans. Ward predicted "Since these races are so hotly contested this format may result in some verbal fireworks."

This is the first event jointly sponsored by the two Republican groups although the Kootenai County Reagan Republicans hosted last years contentious Coeur d'Alene City Council Debate, which was boycotted by Councilman Mike Kennedy, and resulted in the controversial endorsements and active support by the Reagan Republicans of Steve Adams, Jim Brannon, and Dan Gookin in the November election.

According to KCRR's Ward, "We may endorse and actively support candidates again this year and for the county races, this debate will be crucial in those decisions."

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