



March 1, 2022

The Honorable Dan Dockstader  
Senate President  
Wyoming Senate  
213 State Capitol Building  
Cheyenne, WY 82002

Re: Appointments for the 2022 Legislative Session

Dear President Dockstader,

It is with pleasure that I submit to the Senate my appointments for confirmation. Favorable consideration of these appointments to Wyoming's boards and commissions and to agency director positions is much appreciated. We are delighted to present to you these names which represent some of the brightest and most dedicated in our state.

Once hearings are scheduled, my staff will be available to provide support to you and the appointees during the hearing process.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Mark Gordon". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Mark Gordon  
Governor

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Enclosures

cc: Chief Clerk, Wyoming Senate

Appointments for Senate Confirmation  
March 1, 2022

#9 BOARD OF AGRICULTURE – DISTRICTS – PARTY SPLIT

- Reappointment:

**Amanda Hulet** – Johnson – R

- New appointments:

**Jody Bagley** – Crook – R (*appointed to complete an unexpired term*)

**Benjamin Anson** – Park – Unaffiliated

**Lexi Bauder** – Campbell – Unaffiliated

#8 AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCE MEDIATION BOARD

- Reappointments:

**Gil McEndree** – Washakie

**L. Steven Smutko** – Albany

- New appointment:

**Sarah Falen** – Laramie

#12 ARTS COUNCIL – DISCIPLINES

- Reappointments:

**Jason Shogren** – Albany

**Kari Dewitt** – Sublette

**Marianne Vinich** – Fremont

**Sharon Dynak** – Sheridan

#14 BOARD OF BARBER EXAMINERS – DISCIPLINES

- New appointment:

**Jorge Angel Maldonado** – Laramie

#232 BUSINESS COUNCIL – TERM LIMITS

- Reappointments:

**Charles Kenyon** – Goshen  
**Katherine Tomassi** – Uinta  
**Cindy Johnson** – Sweetwater  
**John Coyne III** – Big Horn

- New appointment:

**Derek Smith** – Campbell

#21 CHILDREN’S TRUST FUND BOARD – DISCIPLINES

- Reappointments:

**Charles Kratz** – Fremont  
**Tiffany Hunt** – Albany

#25 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY - PARTY SPLIT – TERM LIMITS

- New appointment:

**Patrick Thomas** – Natrona – R

#230 CULTURAL TRUST FUND BOARD

- Reappointment:

**Nancy Schiffer** – Johnson

- New appointment:

**Sherri Mullinnix** – Converse

#61 EDUCATION – DISCIPLINES – DISTRICT – TERM LIMITS – PARTY SPLIT

- New appointment:

**Kristen Schlattmann** – Big Horn – R (*appointed to complete an unexpired term*)

#32 ENERGY AUTHORITY – DISCIPLINES

- Reappointments:

**Kenneth Miller** – Rapid City, SD

**Mark Stege** – Laramie

- New appointment:

**Kara Choquette** – Denver, CO

#290 ENHANCED OIL RECOVERY COMMISSION – DISCIPLINES

- Reappointments:

**Chad Brister** – Dallas, TX

**Dave True** – Natrona

#116 GAMING COMMISSION – DISTRICT – TERM LIMITS

- Reappointment:

**Troy Broussard** – Park

- New appointment:

**Reuben Ritthaler** – Weston

#93 JUDICIAL CONDUCT AND ETHICS – DISCIPLINES – TERM LIMITS

- New appointment:

**Harmon ‘Bud’ Davis II** – Laramie

### #101 MEDICINE – DISCIPLINES – TERM LIMITS

- Reappointment:

**Michael Jording** – Weston

- New appointments:

**Aubrey Dozier Tabb** – Johnson

**Priscilla Dillon** – Sheridan (*appointed to complete an unexpired term*)

**Diane Noton** – Park (*appointed to complete an unexpired term*)

### #103 MENTAL HEALTH PROFESSIONS LICENSING BOARD – DISCIPLINES

- Reappointments:

**Camellia Samir El-Antably** – Laramie

**Kristin Alcalá** – Park

- New appointments:

**Eric Schlidt** – Natrona (*appointed to complete an unexpired term*)

**Kelly Buckingham** – Johnson

**Kathleen Farstad** – Albany (*appointed to complete an unexpired term*)

### #105 MINING COUNCIL – DISCIPLINES

- Reappointment:

**Curtiss Cooley, Jr.** – Uinta

- New appointments:

**Stephen Roberts** – Sweetwater

**Steven Thornberry** – Big Horn (*appointed to complete an unexpired term*)

### #112 OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY COMMISSION – DISCIPLINES

- Reappointment:

**Mandi Smith** – Carbon

#114 OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION COMMISSION

- Reappointment:

**Kenneth Hendricks** – Natrona

#115 OUTFITTERS AND PROFESSIONAL GUIDES – DISTRICTS – DISCIPLINES

- Reappointment:

**Jeffery Smith** – Crook

- New appointments:

**Teal Wyckoff** – Albany

**Joseph Kondelis** – Park

#117 PARKS AND CULTURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION – DISTRICT – PARTY SPLIT

- Reappointment:

**Susan Peters** – Fremont – R

- New appointments:

**Barbara Anne Greene** – Big Horn – R

**David Bassett** – Uinta – R (*appointed to complete an unexpired term*)

**Angela Emery** – Natrona – D

#119 PAROLE – PARTY SPLIT

- New appointment:

**Scott Wonser** – Natrona – D (*appointed to complete an unexpired term*)

#131 PROFESSIONAL GEOLOGISTS - DISCIPLINES

- New appointment:

**Brian Smith** – Laramie (*appointed to complete an unexpired term*)

#125 BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGY – DISCIPLINES – TERM LIMITS

- New appointment:

**Carolyn Pepper** – Albany

#129 REAL ESTATE COMMISSION – DISCIPLINES – TERM LIMITS

- New appointment:

**Max Minnick** – Laramie

#262 SCHOOL FACILITIES COMMISSION – PARTY SPLIT – DISTRICTS – DISCIPLINES

- New appointment:

**John ‘Jack’ Tarter** – Johnson – R

#263 TOURISM BOARD – DISTRICTS – TERM LIMITS

- Reappointment:

**Anna Olson** – Teton

- New appointments:

**Mark Tesoro** – Uinta

**Ken Barkey** – Campbell

#146 TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION – DISTRICTS – TERM LIMITS – PARTY SPLIT

- New appointment:

**Patrick Crank** – Laramie – D (*appointed to complete an unexpired term*)

#148 UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE COMMISSION – PARTY SPLIT

- New appointment:

**Kelly Brink** – Sweetwater – R (*appointed to complete an unexpired term*)

#313 UW ENERGY RESOURCES COUNCIL – DISCIPLINES

- Reappointments:

**David Emery** – Rapid City, SD

**Carl Bauer** – South Park, PA

**Vello Kuuskraa** – Washington, DC

- New appointment:

**Chad Teply** – Tulsa, OK

#159 WATER DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION - PARTY SPLIT – DISTRICTS –  
DISCIPLINES – TERM LIMITS

- Reappointment:

**Clinton Glick** - Fremont - R

- New appointment:

**John Lawson** - Natrona - R (*appointed to complete an unexpired term*)

## AGENCY DIRECTORS FOR SENATE CONFIRMATION

### **#11 Revenue**

Brenda Henson

### **#53 State Inspector of Mines**

Heather Kroupa (two year term – reappointment)

### **#37 State Engineer**

Brandon Gebhart

### **#77 Chief Information Officer**

Bill Vajda

### **#48 Health**

Stefan Johansson

### **#29 Water Development Office**

Jason Mead (*as Interim Director*)