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Dear Mrs. Eggleston,

The Potter County Law Enforcement Association (PCLEA) is proud to officially endorse your candidacy for Potter County Judge.

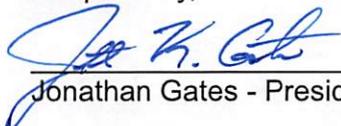
PCLEA represents the men and women serving Potter County in law enforcement, detention, and public safety roles. Our association advocates for responsible leadership, sustainable budgeting, employee retention, safe and functional facilities, and collaborative governance. After hearing you speak directly to our membership and evaluating your experience and vision, we believe you are well prepared to lead Potter County forward. We believe your experience of more than 21 years as a local probate and guardianship attorney will ensure citizens' cases will be handled competently and efficiently while allowing you to focus on the administrative and leadership demands of the office.

PCLEA was encouraged by your honest assessment of the county's financial position and your emphasis on long-term planning to avoid operating year to year without margin. This approach aligns with our belief that predictable, forward-looking budgeting is essential to maintaining effective county operations and public safety services.

You also addressed issues central to our membership, particularly recruitment and retention of first responders. Your recognition that closing the compensation gap, while challenging, is necessary to retain experienced personnel. This reflects an understanding that investing in people ultimately saves money and strengthens service. Your approach to the county jail and other infrastructure needs demonstrates a commitment to transparency and public trust. Your belief that voters should have a voice in major funding decisions, combined with your desire to educate the public and work collaboratively with department heads and employees, reflects the type of leadership PCLEA believes is critical to long-term success. Finally, PCLEA values your commitment to informed, steady leadership and your belief that preparation and collaboration are essential to productive governance. We agree that clear direction and respectful dialogue are necessary to establish a strong forward vision for Potter County.

For these reasons, the Potter County Law Enforcement Association proudly endorses you for Potter County Judge. We believe you possess the experience, judgment, and leadership necessary to meet the county's challenges while supporting those who serve and protect our community.

Respectfully,

  
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Jonathan Gates - President