

JAY LEDBETTER, J.D.

REPUBLICAN FOR CORONER

Bring balance and ethics back to government.
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JAY LEDBETTER, J.D. STANDS FOR:

- Limited government
 - Lower taxes
 - Integrity, transparency and public accountability
 - Conservative, fiscal responsibility
 - Rule of law
- Highest legal and medical ethics
 - Restoring "service" to public service
 - Supplying the vital missing piece...
35+ years of business, legal, investigative, and courtroom expertise

THE CORRECT VISION

Jay Ledbetter will restore ethics, transparency, public accountability and fiscal responsibility by restoring focus on service to the public, at a reduced cost.

THE CORRECT QUALIFICATIONS

The Coroner's office performs legal, investigative, and medical functions. The Coroner's office is already fully staffed with doctors, autopsy assistants, investigators, and office managers. Jay Ledbetter supplies the missing ingredient of 35+ years of business management, investigation and legal expertise. Our Coroner must be a functioning manager, just like our Sheriff (doesn't patrol the

streets), and our Clerk and Recorder (doesn't hand out license plates). Jay Ledbetter has conducted or supervised thousands of legal and medical investigations. Jay Ledbetter has Coroner-specific training in death scene investigations.

A BUSINESSMAN, NOT A CAREER POLITICIAN

In this economy, we can't afford to keep the incumbent big-spender. Jay Ledbetter has spent his life in the work force, both in running small and large businesses, some on an international scale. What we need today is a tough business manager, not a career politician.

A DEMONSTRATED MILITARY LEADER

Jay Ledbetter attended JAGC school, and Infantry, Paratrooper, SF, and counterterrorism training. Assignments included Special Forces, Infantry, Logistics and Joint Commands. Jay Ledbetter was Deputy Chief of Ground Operations for Special Operations Command, Joint Forces Command. Several overseas deployments include Desert Storm.

BIPARTISAN SUPPORT

Rep. Debbie Stafford, an expert in funeral home industry, is only one of the Democrats joining prominent Republican endorsing Jay Ledbetter.

Mrs. Ledbetter's "To Die For" Easy Recipe for Peach Cobbler

1 cup flour

1 cup sugar

1 stick of butter

1 ½ tsp baking
powder

1 tsp vanilla

¼ tsp salt

1 cup milk

1 quart sliced
peaches

Melt stick of butter in 8 X 12 inch dish in 400° - 425° oven.

Mix all remaining ingredients except for peaches.

Remove dish from oven, pour in mixture.

Spoon-in peaches to mixture in dish.

Cook 25-30 minutes in the preheated oven or until cobbler browns on top.

For best results, vote for **Jay Ledbetter** for Coroner.

Mrs. Ledbetter's "To Die For" Easy Recipe for Chicken or Turkey Pot Pie

1 10-oz pkg
frozen peas &
carrots

½ tsp salt

½ cup butter or
margarine

¼ tsp pepper

1/3 cup flour

2/3 cup milk

½ cup chopped
onion

Pastry for 9 inch
2 crust pie

1 ¾ cup chicken
broth (1 can
chicken broth)

2½- 3 cups cut-up
chicken or turkey
(precooked
rotisserie chicken
works well)

Heat oven to 425 degrees. Rinse frozen peas and carrots in cold water to separate, drain. Heat margarine in 2-quart saucepan until melted. Stir in flour, onion, salt, and pepper, milk and broth. Cook, stirring constantly. Heat to boiling. Let boil for one minute. Stir in

chicken/turkey and vegetables. Prepare pastry. Ease into 9 x 9 x 2 inch pan. Pour mixture in pan. Put square pastry over mixture and flute edges. Cut steam holes in top. Bake 35 minutes, or until golden brown. For best results, vote for **Jay Ledbetter** for Coroner.

Jay Ledbetter's recipe to bring accountability and ethics back to government:

SLASHING THE CORONER'S OBSCENE SALARY

Let's get the incumbent big-spender's hand out of our pockets. Jay Ledbetter will refuse his salary package (approximately \$260,000), and accept the statutory salary of \$87,300.

RESTORING DIVERTED FUNDS

One prominent County official describes the office as the incumbent's "personal money machine". The incumbent uses County facilities and staff to divert approximately \$75,000 annually into his own pocket. The incumbent wants us to believe that he is the "gold standard" for the office. The current "standard" is "the Coroner gets all the gold".

STOPPING WASTEFUL SPENDING

The non-manager incumbent knows how to do only one thing, so he focuses on that one thing - autopsies (performing SIX TIMES the national average). Is a \$1.5 million annual budget right for a staff of only 12 persons?

ENDING "DOUBLE DIPPING"

Staff doctors go to other states for weeks at a time (collecting money on the FEMA payroll), while still on the County payroll too, but neglecting their work here. It's wrong to pay more for other Pathologists to do their work, during their absence.

EXTENDING BUSINESS HOURS TO ALLOW REASONABLE PUBLIC ACCESS

Currently, the Coroner's office is only open 7-4, and closed over lunch and weekends. The Driver's License office does better than that. Jay Ledbetter will extend office hours for the convenience of the public. Public service is the point of this office, not as a convenient place for the Coroner to rake-in more of our tax dollars.

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