

NLJ_Primary Congressional Delegates Questionnaire Bryan Miller Submitted 2 Aug 2020

Congressional Delegation (US House and Senate)

Name: Bryan E Miller

Family: Susan Miller, Married 30 years this December

Occupation: Owner, CEO and Consultant for BEM Int'l, LLC

Education and/or Experience:

Ranch Hand through high school; Air Force Academy graduate, retired officer, Air Refueling and Special Air Mission Pilot, Air Force One Presidential Advance Agent, Civil & Military Contingency Planner, and more over 27 years, earned a Bachelor's in Biology, completed two Masters degrees (Aeronautical Science and Military Operational Arts and History); Small Business Owner, CEO for BEM Int'l, LLC an energy and infrastructure consulting and facilitation company since 2011; Engaged in all levels of Wyoming government: municipal, county, and state including elected positions in the Wyoming and Sheridan County Republican Party: Precinct Committeeman, County Party Secretary, State Committeeman, and Chairman.

1. How do you plan to support Wyoming while serving in Washington D.C.?

Maintain constant communication with the people of Wyoming, those who are in state government positions that impact daily life in Wyoming, and those who make up our government, the people of Wyoming. The people know the issues they are being facing on the ground. Far too often our leaders in our federal and state governments get so involved with their own goals they forget they are public servants who should be representing their constituents. Letters, webinars, town halls, etc. are good ways to maintain contact, but meeting in person or by picking up the phone and talking directly is best.

2. What is the biggest issue facing the federal government that is directly tied to Wyoming?

Federal Overreach. This topic encompasses impacts on Wyoming's energy, agriculture, and tourism industries, the three largest industries contributing to our economy, jobs, and family life. Two specific ways that I intend to address overreach include: 1) Redesigning the rule-making process to stop unelected, unaccountable, bureaucrats from writing rules that effectively become law without congressional review, many of which target Wyoming's resources; 2) Ending the litigation agenda that plagues mining, transmission, water, and other major land and infrastructure developments by those who weaponize the Environmental Protection Agency. For more about my thoughts, go to www.bryanmiller4senate.com.

PLEASE KEEP YOUR ANSWERS AT 100 WORDS OR LESS. THANK YOU!!!

3. What are some ways you can work through your position to give more control back to the states?

For this question, review the question 2 reply. I'll add the following initiative as another way to bring more control back to the states. Congress must revisit the missions of every federal agency and make changes in legislation that ensure the bulk of federal agencies are policy oriented only. Why, because every state's environment is different, thus their regulatory and enforcement needs vary. In addition, almost every state has already mirrored federal offices in policy, regulatory, and enforcement roles. Reducing redundancy at the federal level and returning the powers of regulation and enforcement back to the states makes sense.

4. Where do you think the federal government could trim the budget and why?

Considering that Congress added 25% to our national debt in two months, \$6 Trillion dollars, in an irresponsible reaction to a regional pandemic, we have no choice other than cutting, the federal budget in almost every area. Just like our Wyoming legislators will have to do in 2021. Cuts will be made, programs reduced, and some likely eliminated or pushed back to the States. We start with eliminating redundant programs across government agencies (I do that in my consulting business today), and by auditing programs to ensure they meet with constitutional consistency beginning with the EPA and Department of Education.

5. What qualifies you to serve in Washington D.C.?

I'm a God-Fearing Family Man, Life-long Wyoming Republican, Staunch Conservative, Champion of the Constitution, and Defender of Liberty. I'm a small business owner, retired Air Force Officer and Pilot, serving in Combat, Combat Support, and Disaster Relief Operations worldwide. I have national and international experience, with deep understanding of Wyoming's legislative and executive branches from years of engagement as a citizen, small business owner, and Party member. Finally, I am the only candidate with the breadth of experience, the tenacity, and the guts to stand up for myself, my nation, and defend the rights of Wyoming's people in Wash, DC.