

Sandy Shafer  
At Large

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1. **Are you in support of, or in opposition to, continuing funding for the Purchase of Development Rights program? Why do you support or oppose funding for this program?**

- I support the Purchase of Development Rights program. This program preserves our rural character while providing farmland for the future.

2. **Do you support or oppose tax breaks and/or other incentives for infill-redevelopment projects?**

- I support adequate funding for an Infill and Redevelopment program. This could include incentives and/or tax breaks that would assist in program participation.

3. **Do you feel that a higher priority should be placed on addressing and solving the sanitary sewer, storm water and water quality problems in Fayette County before there is any further expansion of development beyond the current urban services area? Why or Why not?**

- One of my highest priorities is to ensure that there is strong infrastructure for our sanitary sewer and stormwater systems. This is a necessity, not only for health reasons, but to support the infill-redevelopment program and future expansion, as determined by the Planning Commission.

4. **Fayette County agri-business and agri-tourism generate over \$3 billion dollars for the regional economy each year. Do you support these industries? If so, how will you promote agribusiness and agri-tourism if elected to office?**

- I support, wholeheartedly Fayette County's agribusiness and agritourism ventures/programs, etc. I would like to see continued leadership from representatives in those fields to provide needed insight and direction for appropriate council action.

5. **Fayette County currently has enough vacant land within the urban services area to support nine years of residential growth. Will you propose to use this available land to provide affordable housing, accessible transportation, and amenities for our growing community? If so, how?**

- The land available in Fayette County for residential growth includes both unbuilt and built areas. We must have programs developed (i.e. Rural Land Management Plan and Infill-Redevelopment Land, etc.) in place that have had debate and input

for an agreed upon direction.