

# CANDIDATE PROFILE

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## **CURRENT OCCUPATION**

Carpenter

### RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

My name is Michael Byzitter, and I'm running for Lacombe County District 6 Councillor. As a 17-year resident near Gull Lake, raising three kids with my wife Rayelle, running a carpentry business and a small farm, I'm proud to call this home. District 6—from farmlands to Gull Lake's shores and Sylvan lake north shores—is Central Alberta's heart, blending tradition and innovation.

But we face challenges: rising property taxes strain farmers and families, crumbling roads hinder our commutes, and fire risks threaten our homes. Gull Lake's pump station, suspended since 2018 due to Prussian carp, has lowered lake levels, impacting recreation and property values. We need action

# **REASON FOR RUNNING**

If elected, I'll:

- Protect Agriculture: Advocate for tax relief, streamlined permits for ag projects
- **Fix Infrastructure:** Push for a road maintenance levy with provincial grants, prioritize highways 12 and 20, and resolve Gull Lake's pump station issue.
- Build Resilience: Expand fire mitigation and support eco-friendly development to preserve wetlands and lake communities.
- **Stay Accountable:** Host regular town halls to ensure every voice—from ranchers to new residents—is heard.

Lacombe County is our legacy. On October 20, vote for a District 6 that works for us.

Let's keep our roots strong and build a brighter future. Thank you, and God bless.