

NAME: David Post
PARTY: Republican
SEEKING: Commission Chairman

1. Why are you seeking your office?

I have always been involved in serving the public and the private sector. I started my security and management company in 1972 and became a reserve deputy in 1975. I'm now semi-retired and want to continue serving, for my children, grandchildren, and my community.

2. What do you expect to accomplish if elected?

I will put my business skills and decision-making abilities to the test in managing this great county. It will be a time to gain understanding and cooperation with all related departments and the cities as well.

3. What distinguishes your candidacy?

My 50 plus years of experience providing security and management consulting to both small businesses and Fortune 500 companies is invaluable. Having started a charity 20 years ago that financially helps the families of Georgia Law Enforcement Officers killed in the line of duty helps keep things in perspective.

4. Pick any one issue. Expand on how you will address it.

The security and safety of our county is my number one priority. I will help make our county safe by implementing programs including all law enforcement agencies. We will be meeting with neighborhood groups and developing a greater understanding while greatly improving communications. We will all work to better target crime areas, gangs, and other areas that create fear among our children, parents, and older citizens. People need to feel comfortable and safe to go to the mall, or other areas to shop and play.

5. Suggest ways to jump-start the economy after COVID-19.

Making businesses and retail areas, parks and recreation areas safer will stimulate the economy. There is no magic wand but hard work, great communication, and well thought out programs will help do this.

6. Please give a 100 word summary on your background.

At 10 years old I was a weekend cashier at my dad's small grocery store. We sold the store because my dad, a golden gloves champion and former semi-pro footballer, was feeding the neighborhood. His heart was as big as his muscles. I learned early on that no matter how much you care, you can't give away the farm. When spending on anything that may have financial or other consequences, there is little room for mistakes. The years of psychology, law school, law enforcement, and over 50 years of helping others in business have given me a background unlike most.