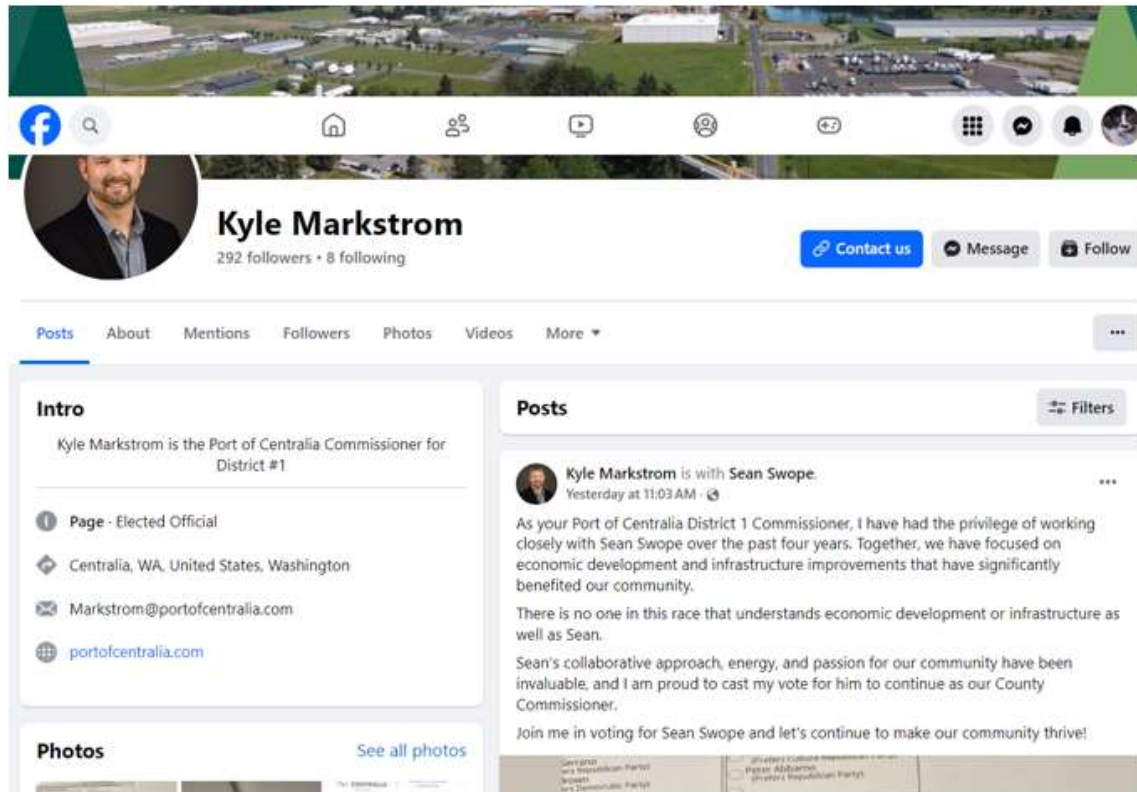


<b>Respondent Names</b>
Kyle Markstrom
<b>Complainant Name</b>
Janice Banevich
<b>Complaint Description</b>
<p><u><a href="#">Jan Banevich</a></u>  reported via the portal</p> <p>I believe Port of Centralia Commissioner Kyle Markstrom is making it look like he is representing and speaking on behalf of the entire port commission in this endorsement. He is using his official Facebook page for the endorsement when he also has a personal page he could have used. No where in his statement does he make it clear he is not representing the Port of Centralia with this endorsement, per the PDC.</p>
<b>What impact does the alleged violation(s) have on the public?</b>
<p>Port of Centralia Commissioner Markstrom is deceiving the public by making it look like the entire Port of Centralia is endorsing Sean Swope for Lewis County Commissioner instead of Mr. Markstrom's own opinion. This is especially egregious since Port Commissioner Markstrom is the President of the Port of Centralia Commission. No where does he make it clear that he is not representing the opinions of the Port of Centralia agency.</p>
<b>List of attached evidence or contact information where evidence may be found</b>
<p>Screenshot of his endorsement statement from his Port of Centralia Commissioner Facebook page.</p>
<b>List of potential witnesses with contact information to reach them</b>
<b>Certification (Complainant)</b>
<p>I certify (or declare) under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington that information provided with this complaint is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.</p>



The image shows a Facebook profile page for Kyle Markstrom. At the top is a cover photo of an industrial or commercial area with several large buildings and parking lots. Below the cover photo is the profile picture of a man with a beard and short hair. To the right of the profile picture, the name "Kyle Markstrom" is displayed, along with "292 followers • 8 following". There are three buttons: "Contact us", "Message", and "Follow". Below this is a navigation bar with tabs for "Posts", "About", "Mentions", "Followers", "Photos", "Videos", and "More". The "About" tab is selected, showing an "Intro" section. The intro text reads: "Kyle Markstrom is the Port of Centralia Commissioner for District #1". Below this, there are four items: "Page - Elected Official", "Centralia, WA, United States, Washington", "Markstrom@portofcentralia.com", and "portofcentralia.com". To the right of the intro is a "Posts" section. The first post is by Kyle Markstrom, dated "Yesterday at 11:03 AM", and is a text post. The text of the post reads: "As your Port of Centralia District 1 Commissioner, I have had the privilege of working closely with Sean Swope over the past four years. Together, we have focused on economic development and infrastructure improvements that have significantly benefited our community. There is no one in this race that understands economic development or infrastructure as well as Sean. Sean's collaborative approach, energy, and passion for our community have been invaluable, and I am proud to cast my vote for him to continue as our County Commissioner. Join me in voting for Sean Swope and let's continue to make our community thrive!". Below the text is a photo of a ballot. The ballot has two columns of names. The left column lists "SEAN SWOPE" and "JANE DEMMORIS". The right column lists "KYLE MARKSTROM" and "JANE DEMMORIS". There are checkboxes next to each name.

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