

## **Southeast Area Alternate Executive**

### **2024 Candidacy Announcement**

**Dawn Ovesen**

My name is Dawn Ovesen, and I would like to announce my candidacy for the position of SEA Alternate Executive. I am running for this position because I believe in the importance of the County Committee System, the County Office Employees, and the producers that we serve. I believe in the mission of NASCOE and the state organizations.

I am currently serving as the SEA Alternate Executive and for a short while longer as the Kentucky State President for a second and final term. My goal this term was to increase our membership in KY, and we have accomplished that goal, but we still have more to do. Now that I have seasoned employees in my office, as well as a seasoned KASCOE Board of Directors, that fully support the NASCOE Mission, I will be able to devote my time and attention more fully as SEA Alternate Executive.

Issues that we are facing and will be facing in the future will greatly affect our County Office Employees and the County Committee System. I would like the opportunity to prove my ability to help navigate NASCOE through those challenges.

I have been a CED for 22 years in Monroe and Logan Counties in Kentucky. I graduated from Western Kentucky University in 2001 with a Master of Science in Agriculture.

I would consider it a privilege to serve you all as your SEA Alternate Executive for another year and respectfully request your support.

Respectfully,

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