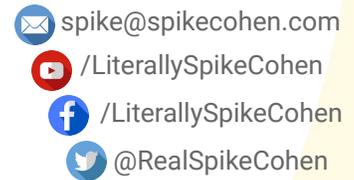


SPIKE COHEN



The Honorable Kay Ivey

Governor of Alabama
600 Dexter Avenue
Montgomery, AL 36130

Dear Governor Ivey:

My name is Spike Cohen. I was the 2020 Libertarian Party candidate for Vice President. I am writing you today to recommend Frank Dillman to be appointed to the position of Macon County Commissioner for District 4.

In the wake of Mike Berry's tragic and untimely passing, the decision falls on you to appoint a replacement Commissioner until one can be elected. I would imagine that among the factors you are considering when deciding to make this appointment are such things as strength of character, commitment to the people of this District and County, and dedication to the founding principles of Alabama and the United States. I can personally attest that Frank embodies all of these qualities, and much more.

I first met Frank in 2020 when I was campaigning in Birmingham. He had been tirelessly attempting to contact the Jorgensen/Cohen campaign regarding his "Let Bama Vote" initiative, and had not heard back from anyone, so he found out when one of us was going to be in Alabama and came to speak with me personally. Since then, we have remained close colleagues and friends.

What strikes me most about Frank is his commitment to limited government, respecting and defending the rights of the people, and holding politicians accountable to upholding their duties. As you know, these are the very principles that led the Founders to declare independence and begin this experiment in a constitutionally-limited republican form of government.

My understanding is that Frank and the late Commissioner Berry forged a kind of friendship over Frank's persistence in holding the Macon County Commission to account. That is exactly the kind of people's representative that the people of Macon County deserve.

Governor Ivey, you have an incredible opportunity to appoint a dedicated champion to limited government in this seat, while also being able to remain nonpartisan in doing so. Frank is a lifelong Libertarian, and is neither a Republican nor a Democrat. He is also a committed servant to the people of Alabama, and would be an excellent choice for this appointment.

If you have any questions or need additional information, I would be happy to answer whatever I can. I can be reached by phone at (843) 410-9647, or by email at spike@spikecohen.com.

Thank you for your consideration. I trust that you will make the best decision for Alabama and Macon County.

Sincerely,

Handwritten signature of Jeremy "Spike" Cohen in blue ink.

Jeremy "Spike" Cohen