



**CHUCK GRAY, WYOMING SECRETARY OF STATE**

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## **Secretary Gray Sends Governor Letter Highlighting Key Qualifications for Next Director of the Office of State Lands and Investments**

**CHEYENNE, WY** – Following the resignation of the director of the Office of State Lands, Secretary of State Chuck Gray sent a letter to Governor Mark Gordon on October 23rd highlighting key qualifications for a new director of the Office of State Lands and Investments. Although the Director of the Office of State Lands and Investments is appointed by the Governor, the position interacts heavily with the State Board of Land Commissioners and the State Loan and Investment Board, of which Secretary Gray is a member.

Citing his experience as a member of both the State Board of Land Commissioners and the State Loan and Investment Board, as well as feedback he has received from Wyomingites, Secretary Gray emphasized quality service, producing regulatory certainty, and championing Wyoming's communities as essential qualifications of an ideal candidate. Secretary Gray also emphasized the need for public comment at board meetings and clear communication with all Wyomingites. "We live in a time of unprecedented attack on Wyoming's core industries, and our way of life," Secretary of State Chuck Gray said. "Government officials at all levels, including the Director of the Office of State Lands, need to protect Wyoming."

Secretary Gray's letter to Governor Gordon can be found [here](#).

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