
2025 Hughes Civic Assembly

Day 2 Presenter Information

Sunday, April 13 | 10:35 - 11:35am

Ross Cunniff, Preserve Fort Collins

Ross and his spouse have lived in the same house in west Fort Collins since 1988, where they raised two children. He served on the Poudre School District Board of Education from 1999 to 2007, and was the City Council representative for District 5 for 2 terms from 2013-2021, where he successfully promoted environmental protection, fiscal responsibility, and neighborhood advocacy. He is also the chair of Preserve Fort Collins (PFC), who led two successful petition drives in 2022 and 2023 against overreach in Fort Collins Land Use Code changes. In addition to chairing PFC, Ross chairs the Fort Collins Land Conservation and Stewardship Board (LCSB), although his comments here represent PFC and not the LCSB.

Key Takeaways

- The will of the voters matters
- Over-use and over-development damage Fort Collins' character
- "Act in haste, repent at leisure."