

Vote for Mike Yakawich for Billings MT City Council

September 11, 2013



Mike Yakawich leading the remembrance ceremony of the 9-1-1 Project on September 11th at the Yellowstone County Courthouse, Billings MT

Support Yakawich for City Council



Letter to the editor, Billings Gazette September 9, 2013

When considering a councilman for Ward 1, please consider Mike Yakawich. This gentleman has been a member of our community for 25 years and is very informed on the issues. During the past 25 years he has been involved with the Southside Task Force and is currently the chair of the board. 16 years ago he formed the March Against Drugs and Violence. He founded the 911 Project and is presently the chair of the Suicide Prevention Coalition. The gazebo in South Park became a reality because he helped to facilitate it. As a small-business owner, he is aware of budgets and financing and as a married man of 32 years and with four children in college, he is also aware of the need to be conservative with financial decisions.

Yakawich is committed to being a fair representative of all of the constituents in Ward 1 and would appreciate your vote.

Dolores A. Terpstra



BILLINGS -World Suicide Prevention Day, Sept 10th 2013

Mike Yakawich, Chairman of the Suicide Prevention Coalition of Yellowstone Valley.

World Suicide Prevention Day

Every 14 minutes, someone dies from suicide. That's according to the American Association of Suicidology.

That's more than 38,000 people a year, making suicide the third leading cause of death for ages 15-24 years. Montana has the third highest rate in the nation for suicides. RiverStone Health partnered with several groups to help bring awareness and education to the problem.

“This is world prevention suicide day and our goal is to create zero suicides in Montana. That's ultimately our goal. Target zero,” said Mike Yakawich, Chairman of the Suicide Prevention Coalition of Yellowstone Valley.

Out of the Darkness Yellowstone Valley is holding a suicide prevention walk Sunday, September 15th, at 2:00 PM. The walk for support will take place at Veteran's Park.

