

# United Suffolk Sheep Association

2022 DIRECTOR ELECTION - DISTRICT 1 CANDIDATE

**For District 1, there was only one letter of intent submitted. Therefore, Lloyd McCabe of Dixon, California will automatically fill the director opening for District 1.**



## **Lloyd McCabe, Dixon, California**

Fellow Suffolk Breeders:

My name is Lloyd McCabe and I am seeking election to the open District One seat on the Board of Directors for the United Suffolk Sheep Association.

I first started raising Suffolk's when I was a freshmen in high school in 1966. Presently, my wife Sheila and I run a group of about 30 Registered Suffolk ewes on a 120-acre farm of almonds and hay. I am a retired agricultural educator of 45 years and was the State Supervisor of Agricultural Education at the California Department of Education when I retired in 2018.

I have been actively involved in various sheep organizations and committees that include: USSA Education Committee, Breed Improvement Committee and Scholarship Committee. I am a member of the California Suffolk & Hampshire Sheep Breeders Association and have served on the Board of Directors the last 11 years. I am also a member of the California Wool Growers Association and have been on the Board of Directors for the last 20 years and have served on the Executive Committee as their Member Services Chairperson the last 10 years.

I am seeking election to the Board to help address some of the critical issues confronting the sheep industry that include: improving the productivity and health of Suffolk ewes and rams, improving commercial ram longevity in the field, advocating for additional sheep research throughout the country, support and encourage farm youth to get involved in the purchasing and raising of Suffolk sheep, to mention a few.

In addition to my lifelong experience with sheep and the showring. I will bring my energy and enthusiasm to this position. It would be my honor to receive your vote for election to the Board. Thank you for your consideration!