Who am I

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Life long Kansan, 45 years as a business owner and employer,
Kansas deer hunter for 50 years.
Year round Kansas tax payer, income, sale and property.
As a business owner I am a tax collector and have collected 1000's and 1000's of $ of sales taxes
and sent them into the state.
I am just like the guy next door, who is a teacher, or rides a trash truck. Who is a factory
worked for that new industry you worked so hard to bring into the state, and with out who the
industry would not have come here. I sold you your car, I fixed you car. volunteered when you
need me for you name it.
Yep I am that guy that made this state and I am that guy the the future of the state depends
on.
I am the guy that did not move away like my High school class mate to get that better paying
job with the air line. I stayed, betting my future and fortune on Kansas.
I am the guy that makes sure all my employees have heath insurance even if I could have
got by not doing so. (how many jobs will this bill help create that will has employer paid heath
ins. ?)

When Chris with WLP&T ask me to talk to you, in my mind I was the guy that was going to
show you how this bill would raise farm land prices. Land that would be sold for recreation
use but taxa as ag use, and tell you how in years past I voted for the constitutional amebdment
that keep ag land property taxes low and keep that land in farm hands, while raising mine on my
house and business. The taxes on my business went up 400%. But that was ok because farming
is important.
I be the guy that would help you to understsnd that the farmer I helped with lower taxa will I
paid higher was more valuale to kansas than a guy form out of state that bought the land next
door when the farmer or rancher need to expand.
I'd teach you that as a N/R. he should not be able to buy that land and be guaranteed a deer
permit, because in doing that he his not only driveing land prices up, paying low taxa, but he is
displacing the Kansas sportsman. Who we need because he is all that we said he was at the
start.
Oh, I'd tell you that I only know of one other State where a N/R land owner has this privilage.
I'd be the guy to show you how Kansas is to near the top for millennials leaving the state, and
show that out door opportunites are a part of that.
I'd be the guy to help you see that while a little is good that in the case of nonresident deer
hunters, more is not always better. That we are, with this bill helping, creat a market for ag
land that ag can not aafford to pay. Yep I be the guy that showed you and them just how short side this bill is.

Of course I'd have to convince you that this bill would do "the guy next door" harm, and for that matter harm ag in the long run. but I'd be the man for the job, and the job would be easy because its as plain as can be.

I be on such a roll that I would not stop there I show you how we needed to ratchet back some of the statues enacted in the past that push "the guy next door" out will favoring the N/R hunter.

Again I'd have no trouble doing this, I am a 1st hand witness to it and if need be I could fill this room with angry granddads like my self that want to show the next generation that Kansa is a great place to be.

Well wait I am not that guy if all of this was so plain to you I wound not be here, I wound not see my class mate bring all his mony from that airlin job and along with it his out of state buddy, to enjoy the kansas that use to be able to enjoy