



## **Elk County Commissioner Fritz Lecker**

**Fritz Lecker was born and raised in Ridgway, the daughter of Robert and Norma (Lindgren) Buehler.**

**After many years in the private business sector, Lecker served as District Office Manager for State Representative Matt Gabler from 2008 - 2019. At Representative Gabler's office, She regularly worked with many constituents, businesses (both large and small) and nearly every municipality in the Elk County and was able to become familiar with the challenges facing our local municipalities. During her time in this role, Lecker gained valuable insight into the meaning of true public service and how 'government' really works.**

**Lecker has always been involved in bettering her little corner of the world and amassed a lengthy record of community service. In 2004 she was selected as One of Pennsylvania's 50 Best Women in Business by the Pennsylvania Department of Community and Economic Development. She has been a commissioned Notary Public since 2009 and is a graduate of the Anne B. Anstine Excellence in Public Service, Class of 2012. Fritz' past community service also includes: Auditor for Ridgway Township; President/Secretary, Pennsylvania Forest Industry Association; CSB Bank Advisory Board; Elk County Fair Board, St. Marys Area Chamber of Commerce.**

**Currently Lecker serves on the following: Elk County Community Foundation (Treasurer); Northwest Savings Bank (Elk-Cameron Advisory Board); and on the Board of Directors of the following: Northern Tier Community Action Corporation; The Community Education Center; The Boys & Girls Club of St. Marys; Elk County Family Resource Network; Penn State University Extension Elk County Council; and The Lumber Heritage Region. Lecker feels she has benefited greatly from serving on a diverse array of boards within the county, learning much about the problems and opportunities within our county borders from each experience.**

**Growing up in a blue-collar family with ten (10) siblings, Fritz learned early on the virtues of a good work ethic as well as the many benefits of working as a team. She takes the responsibilities of the office of Elk County Commissioner seriously and pledges to work diligently using her experience and skill set in working to continue to improve the quality of life for all Elk County residents.**