

# **Leadership by Example, Elected Official**

## **Garret Nancolas, Mayor City of Caldwell**

Garret Nancolas has served as Mayor of the City of Caldwell since 1997 and is the longest serving mayor in the city's history. In fact, he is the only City of Caldwell mayor to have served more than one term.

Nancolas was a founding member of the COMPASS Board of Directors, serving on the COMPASS Board since 1999. He has served as COMPASS' Board Chair four times and represents COMPASS on the Board of Directors of the National Association of Regional Councils.

With a focus on teamwork and regional cooperation, Nancolas has worked tirelessly to serve not only the City of Caldwell, but the Treasure Valley as a whole. In addition to COMPASS, Mayor Nancolas has served as Chair of the Boards of Directors of Valley Regional Transit, Sage Community Resources, and the Treasure Valley Partnership. He reaches across jurisdictional and political boundaries to craft "win-win" solutions to address important local and regional issues.

Mayor Nancolas has been the champion of multiple transportation projects that have benefited Caldwell and the entire valley – projects such as improvements along Interstate 84 throughout Canyon County, widening US 20/26, enhancements to the Ustick Road corridor, and more.

Moreover, he has changed the face of the City of Caldwell itself, catalyzing the restoration of the city to support economic growth, a family-friendly environment, and a sought-after quality of life.