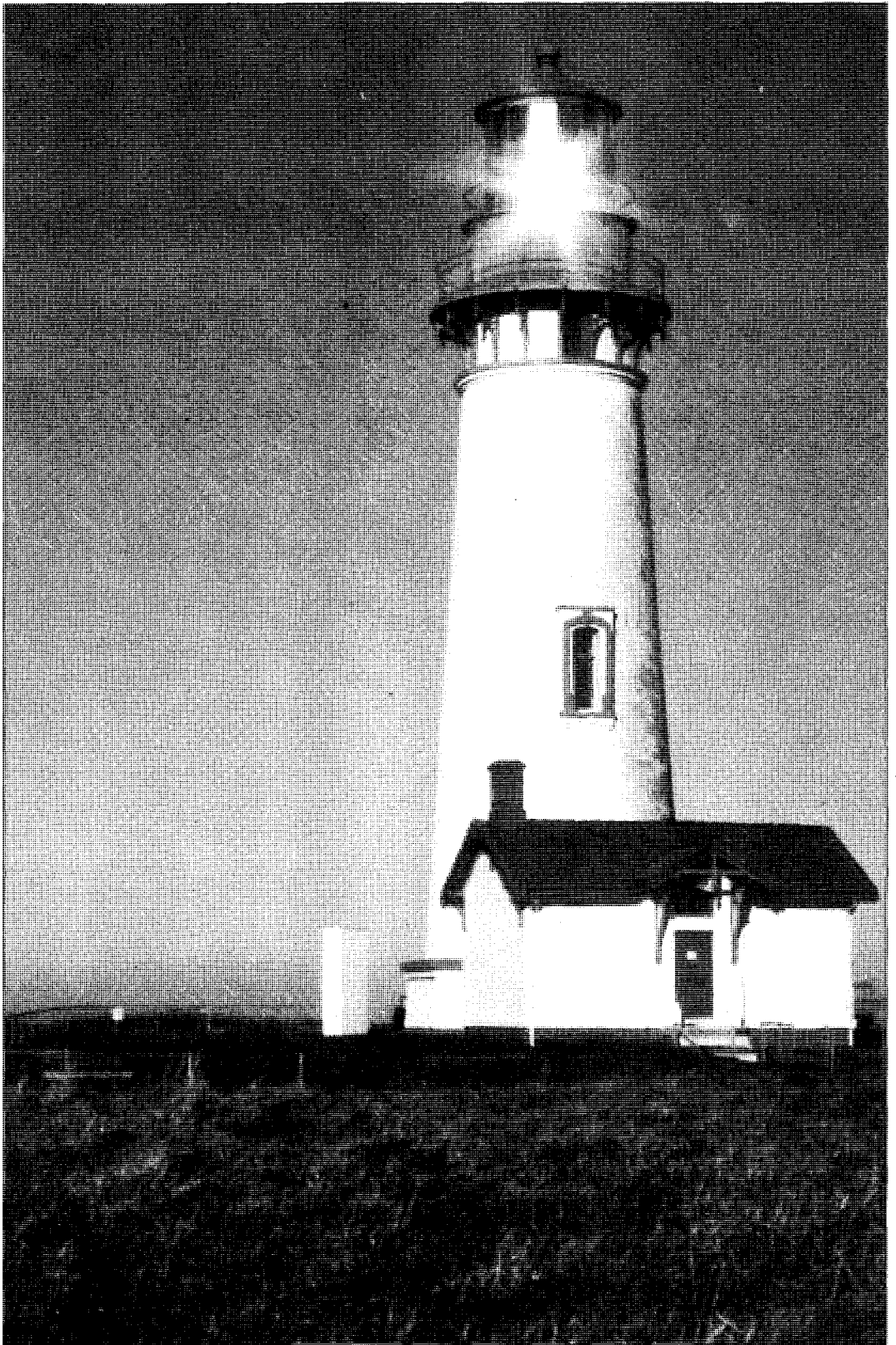


# voters' pamphlet



VOTE BY MAIL GENERAL ELECTION, NOVEMBER 7, 2000

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This Voters' Pamphlet is provided for assistance in casting your vote by mail ballot.

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Dear Oregonian:

This is volume 2 of a two-volume 2000 General Election Voters' Pamphlet. This volume contains information about candidates. Volume 1 with information about state ballot measures was mailed earlier. If you did not receive a copy of volume 1, please call my office at 503-986-1518.

This volume contains:

- A list of state candidates;
- Statements filed by individual candidates;
- Congressional and district maps;
- Voter registration information;
- Political party statements; and
- Your county voters' pamphlet with information about local measures and candidates.

The Voters' Pamphlet has been an important tool for Oregonians since Secretary of State Frank I. Dunbar produced the nation's first voters' pamphlet in 1903. It remains today the single most important tool that Oregonians use in deciding how to vote.

I urge you not to be turned off by the record length of the two-volume Voters' Pamphlet. Please take the time to study the candidates and measures on the ballot. The decisions we Oregonians make together in this election will have a profound effect on our state for many years to come.

With this election Oregon will make history. Ours will be the first presidential election ever conducted entirely by mail. I am challenging Oregonians to make history in another way: to have the highest voter turnout of any state in the nation this fall. We are consistently among the highest, but I want Oregon to be the highest.

To promote this effort, I have launched a web site ([www.oregonvotes.com](http://www.oregonvotes.com)) as a clearinghouse for election information. If you need additional information beyond what is in this publication, [www.oregonvotes.com](http://www.oregonvotes.com) is an excellent place to begin looking.

To participate in this election, there are some important dates to remember:

- October 20 to 24 is the period when ballots will be mailed to registered voters – if you are registered and you do not receive a ballot in the mail, call your county elections office for assistance; and
- November 7 at 8:00 p.m. is the deadline for your ballot to be received by a county elections office – if you do not return your ballot in the mail, return it to the official ballot drop-off site nearest you.

Thank you for taking the time to study the candidates and measures on the ballot and for participating in the election.

Sincerely,

Bill Bradbury

**On the cover:** The crisp clear light of a December morning reflects off the glass of the Yaquina Head Lighthouse. At 93 feet, it is the tallest lighthouse on the Oregon coast. First lit in 1873, it is still in service. 1998 photo courtesy of Ron Benton of Waldport, Oregon.

# Information

## GENERAL

Your official 2000 General Election Voters' Pamphlet is divided into two separate volumes. This was necessary because there are 26 statewide measures and 607 arguments filed in support of or in opposition to these measures. The amount of information is too large to be bound into one book in a cost-effective manner.

This is Volume 2 and contains information on candidates only. You should have already received Volume 1, containing information on the statewide measures. If you have not received Volume 1, please call the Oregon Elections Division at (503) 986-1518.

In this volume, partisan candidates appear before nonpartisan candidates. All space is purchased; statements and photographs are submitted by the candidates or their designated agents. The information required by law—pertaining to occupation, occupational background, educational background and prior governmental experience—has been certified by each candidate.

Volume 2 also includes other voting aids, such as congressional and district maps, drop site locations and a complete list of the state candidates. If your county has chosen to produce a Voters' Pamphlet in conjunction with the state, drop site locations will appear in your county Voters' Pamphlet.

The Voters' Pamphlet has been produced by the Secretary of State since 1903, when Oregon became one of the first states to provide for the printing and distribution of such a publication. One copy of the Voters' Pamphlet is mailed to every household in the state. Additional copies are available at the Elections Division in the State Capitol, local post offices, courthouses and all county election offices.

## RANDOM ALPHABET

While the candidates' statements appear in alphabetical order by their last name in this Voters' Pamphlet, you will notice that they appear in a different order on your ballot.

Pursuant to ORS 254.155, the Secretary of State is required to complete a random order of the letters of the alphabet to determine the order in which the names of candidates appear on the ballot.

The alphabet for the 2000 General Election is:

Z, O, D, E, B, J, M, L, C, K, R, W, F, N, T, Y, H, S, I, P, U, G, A, Q, V, X

## WEBSITE

Most of the information contained in this Voters' Pamphlet is also available in the Online Voters' Guide on the World Wide Web at <http://www.sos.state.or.us/elections/nov72000/nov72000.htm>

## VOTER REGISTRATION INFORMATION

The deadline to register to vote for the November 7, 2000, General Election is October 17, 2000. If you register after that date, you will be entitled to vote only in future elections. To obtain a voter registration card for future elections, you may use the form below. You may also obtain a card at any county elections office, most banks and post offices, and many state agencies. The form is also available in some telephone books and on-line at [www.sos.state.or.us/elections/other.info/vreg.htm](http://www.sos.state.or.us/elections/other.info/vreg.htm).

If your voter registration status is inactive because you have moved and not updated your registration, or because you have not voted in the last five years, you may contact your county elections office to find out how to update your registration and receive a ballot for this election. You may update your registration and receive a ballot for the November 7, 2000, General Election up through Election Day. Your ballot must be voted and received by a county elections office by 8 p.m. on Election Day.

### Request for Voter Registration Card

(Please Print)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

# of forms requested: \_\_\_\_\_

MAIL TO: Office of the Secretary of State  
Elections Division  
141 State Capitol  
Salem, OR 97310-0722

## ATTENTION:

The State of Oregon prints measure arguments and candidate statements as submitted by the author. The state *does not correct* punctuation, grammar, syntax errors or inaccurate information. The only changes made are attempts to correct spelling errors if the word as originally submitted is not in the dictionary.

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**YOUR VOTED BALLOT MUST BE RETURNED (POSTMARKS DO NOT COUNT) TO YOUR COUNTY ELECTIONS OFFICE BY ELECTION DAY, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2000.**

**County Elections Offices are open on election day from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.**

# List of State Candidates

This is a complete listing of the state candidates for the General Election, November 7, 2000, as prepared by the Secretary of State, for the counties covered in this pamphlet. On election day, your ballot will include 26 state measures and may also include additional measures and candidates from your county and local governments. **PLEASE NOTE:** Each candidate listed does not necessarily have a statement in the Voters' Pamphlet. Some candidates do not choose to purchase space.

## PARTISAN CANDIDATES

(C) Constitution; (D) Democrat; (I) Independent; (L) Libertarian; (P) Pacific Green; (RF) Reform; (R) Republican; (S) Socialist

**UNITED STATES PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT—***(Vote for One Ticket)*—Harry Browne, President, Art Olivier, Vice President (L); Patrick J. Buchanan, President, Ezola Foster, Vice President (I); George W. Bush, President, Dick Cheney, Vice President (R); Ralph Nader, President, Winona LaDuke, Vice President (P); John Hagelin, President, Nat Goldhaber, Vice President (RF); Howard Phillips, President, J. Curtis Frazier, Vice President (C); Al Gore, President, Joe Lieberman, Vice President (D)

**REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS, 4TH DISTRICT—***(Vote for One)*—Peter A. DeFazio (D); David Duemler (S); John Lindsey (R)

**REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS, 5TH DISTRICT—***(Vote for One)*—Brian J. Boquist (R); Darlene Hooley (D)

**SECRETARY OF STATE—***(Vote for One)*—Bill Bradbury (D); Lloyd Marbet (P); Lynn Snodgrass (R); E. J. (Ed) Pole, II (L)

**STATE TREASURER—***(Vote for One)*—Leonard Zack (RF); Randall Edwards (D); Carlos F. Lucero (C); Jon Kvistad (R); Mitchell T. Shults (L)

**ATTORNEY GENERAL—***(Vote for One)*—Hardy Myers (D); Kevin L. Mannix (R); Thomas B. Cox (L)

**STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 34TH DISTRICT—***(Vote for One)*—J. T. Barrie (L); Steve Walker (C); Marilyn L. Slizeski (D); Lane Shetterly (R)

**STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 35TH DISTRICT—***(Vote for One)*—Debra Ringold (R); Kelley Wirth (D)

**STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 36TH DISTRICT—***(Vote for One)*—John Donovan (D); Betsy L. Close (R)

## NONPARTISAN CANDIDATES

**JUDGE OF THE SUPREME COURT, POSITION 2—***(Vote for One)*—Paul J. DeMuniz; Greg Byrne

**JUDGE OF THE COURT OF APPEALS, POSITION 6—***(Vote for One)*—David V. Brewer

# Constitution Party Statement

**The Constitution Party of Oregon maintains that our true heritage is freedom.**

Constitution Party members recognize that our nation was founded by God-fearing men wanting freedom from human tyranny, so they could obey the dictates of their consciences in accordance with the Bible. They applied the principles of the Declaration of Independence when constructing the Republic spelled out in the Constitution of the United States.

**We acknowledge that government derives its just powers from the consent of the governed.**

We concur with those who framed the Oregon Constitution in the late 1850's. They said in Article I, Section 1, "... all men, when they form a social compact are equal in right: that all power is inherent in the people, and all free governments are founded upon their authority, and instituted for their peace, safety, and happiness..."

We will lead the way back to the foundations of America's greatness, nominating and/or supporting candidates who are committed to these foundational principles:

**Our rights are inalienable, coming from the hand of the Creator.** They are not given to us by ourselves or by government. These rights include the right to life from conception until natural death, the right to own property, and the right to choose how to live that life and use that property, without violating the rights of others as determined by a jury of their peers.

Government is Divinely instituted to protect our rights by punishing evildoers and encouraging righteous behavior.

**Our system of laws is based on the Judeo-Christian moral code.** The one known as the Father of the Constitution, James Madison, told his generation that they had staked the whole future of American Civilization and all our political institutions upon the capacity of mankind for self-government according to the Ten Commandments.

Our nation is a sovereign nation, one nation under God. We must steer clear of entangling alliances with any portion of the foreign world and we must maintain a strong national defense.

**The powers of the federal government in our Republic are restricted to those specifically granted in the Constitution of the United States.** That Constitution is not an instrument for government to restrain the people; it is an instrument for the people to restrain government -- lest it come to dominate our lives and our interests. The Bill of Rights appended to our Constitution has a reminder to the national government that it has only the powers delegated to it by 'We the people' through the Constitution.

This then is our heritage, a heritage that in the past has produced a moral environment with unparalleled individual liberty and economic prosperity, a heritage that has been the envy of the nations of the world. It is a heritage worthy of our efforts to rebuild.

**We ask you to vote your conscience** when electing new guardians for your future peace, safety and happiness. We remain convinced that voting for the lesser of two evils is still voting for evil and will not recover our heritage. We are raising a standard around which the wise and honest can rally, believing that the events of history are in the hands of God. The Constitution Party has honored that heritage by nominating candidates who believe in our heritage.

Remember, if you don't honor them with your vote, the candidates you really want can never win. Please vote for your Constitution Party candidates this election and take a step in the direction of restoring our heritage. Check out our presidential candidate Howard Phillips and our other candidates for various offices around our state listed in this voters' pamphlet.

If you have internet access, study our platform and other documents on line at our national party website, which provides links to all the state party websites: [www.constitutionparty.org](http://www.constitutionparty.org)

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# Libertarian Party Statement

The Libertarian Party stands for individual freedom and personal responsibility. We believe these twin pillars of a civil society are inseparable; undermining one impairs the other. The only legitimate purpose of government is to protect the life, liberty and property of its citizens.

**The LPO State Committee urges you to vote on the following measures:**

- MEASURE 83 - NO**                    The government should not be in the business of loaning money to anybody.
- MEASURE 84 - YES**                When the state requires a city or county to do something, the state should bear that cost.
- MEASURE 85 - YES**                A few things have changed since 1857. Let Oregonians form counties that represent their interests in this century.
- MEASURE 86 - YES**                Any surplus taxes belong to the taxpayers.
- MEASURE 87 - NO**                Zoning should not become a tool for censoring unpopular speech.
- MEASURE 88 - neutral**            Vote for Measure 91 instead.
- MEASURE 89 - neutral**            This money was extorted from tobacco companies. We won't suggest how to spend the fruits of blackmail.
- MEASURE 90 - neutral**            We may as well be rearranging deck chairs on the Titanic. This dilemma stems from excessive government entanglement in the energy markets.
- MEASURE 91 - YES**                Expect honesty from the government. You should not pay taxes for wages you never received.
- MEASURE 92 - YES**                Union members can be trusted to choose where to send their political contributions.
- MEASURE 93 - YES**                Oregonians deserve a chance to veto excessive taxes.
- MEASURE 94 - YES**                Let judges prevent injustice. Replace them at the ballot when they fail us.
- MEASURE 95 - neutral**            Whenever government provides a service, it should strive for specific results. This measure demonstrates a desire to make public education results-oriented and accountable, which is great, the problem is that the results sought (increase of appropriate knowledge) seem vaguely defined.
- MEASURE 96 - YES**                The Initiative is our best defense against an unresponsive legislature. Protect the Initiative from special interests.
- MEASURE 97 - NO**                People have the right to protect their families and livestock from predators. This will measure will be less appealing when cougars begin eating kindergarteners.
- MEASURE 98 - YES**                Public resources should not be used for private political purposes.
- MEASURE 99 - NO**                An additional layer of regulation is unnecessary. This will make it more expensive to receive and provide home care.
- MEASURE 1 - NO**                "Adequate funding" is a vague and meaningless term that does not belong in our Constitution. This amounts to a public-works project for lawyers.
- MEASURE 2 - YES**                Give Oregonians the right to petition the legislature to reject burdensome regulations.
- MEASURE 3 - YES**                People are innocent until proven guilty in a trial by jury. Police departments should not profit from seizing the property of Oregonians.
- MEASURE 4 - neutral**            See Measure 89.
- MEASURE 5 - NO**                Favored by gun shops, this will limit private gun sales between citizens. It increases the cost of defending yourself, but will not prevent criminals from getting guns.
- MEASURE 6 - NO**                This is political welfare. Forcing us to subsidize the political speech of others is an insult to our freedom of speech.
- MEASURE 7 - YES**                When we strip a land of value through regulations, it is only fair to compensate the landowner.
- MEASURE 8 - YES**                The best way to limit the growth of government is to limit its ability to spend our money. This will make sure that government spending cannot outpace changes in our personal income.
- MEASURE 9 - NO**                Public schools should not be burdened with "religiously correct" speech codes.

The Libertarian Party of Oregon is the third largest political party in the state. Libertarians are fiscally conservative and socially tolerant, we believe that government should be limited to protecting our freedoms while ensuring personal responsibility.

We stand up for your rights before government.....All of your rights.

For more information call 1 (800) 829-1992 or visit our web site at [www.lporegon.org](http://www.lporegon.org)

*(This information furnished by Libertarian Party of Oregon.)*

# Pacific Green Party Statement

**ON FRIDAY, AUGUST 25, PORTLAND'S MEMORIAL COLISEUM WAS ROCKING.** Nearly 11,000 people from across Oregon and the Pacific Northwest paid at least \$7.00 to attend. They cheered until they were hoarse. They clapped until their hands hurt. And they left feeling empowered.

What event caused this reaction? A rock concert? A hometown team victory? A religious extravaganza?

It was none of these. Thousands of people poured in to hear Ralph Nader, Winona LaDuke and other Pacific Green Party candidates urge citizens to take back this country and state from out-of-control corporations and their handpicked politicians.

## DEMOCRACY FOR ALL

The Pacific Green Party (PGP) is unlike any other party in Oregon. While the RepubliCrats bathe themselves in special interest money and do the bidding of only the wealthy, the PGP is driven by the dedication and activism of people from all walks of life.

In his speech at the Coliseum, Ralph Nader remarked, **"You saw the Democratic and Republican conventions. They were marinated in corporate money....It was like legalized bribery meeting legalized extortion."** (*The Oregonian*, 8/26/00)

The PGP embraces a radically different vision. We believe democracy should serve ALL the people and the rights of our communities should be protected alongside the rights of each individual.

## MAKE YOUR VOTE COUNT

Despite the fact that many of you are tired of corporate-driven politics and having to choose between the "lesser of two evils", you are worried that voting for a PGP candidate might throw a race to the "greater" evil. You genuinely want to vote your conscience, but the media and the RepubliCrats have scared you into thinking that any vote outside the two-party system is a wasted vote.

Our candidates don't necessarily have to win to bring about a revolution in Oregon. If Ralph Nader or Lloyd Marbet tallies 15% of the vote, the PGP will clear the first and biggest hurdle to achieving major party status. The media will then cover the PGP and our **pro-environment, pro-worker, pro-social justice, pro-citizen and anti-corporate control** agenda. Progressives will find they have the loudest, clearest voice in their lifetime. The political landscape in Oregon will be forever changed.

## BE PART OF HISTORY

You can play a critical role in changing the tide of history and Ralph Nader knows it. **"Right here in this arena [Memorial Coliseum] are the votes that will carry the state of Oregon for the Green Party ticket,"** said Nader. **"Our goals are realizable. They're long overdue. We have the resources for them. The constitution enables it, the majority of the people want it, and we're going to go for it!"** (*The Register Guard*, 8/26/00)

## SEE THE DIFFERENCES FOR YOURSELF

### PGP

- Limit Corporate Power
- Universal Health Care
- End Commercial Logging on Public Lands
- Renewable/Non-Polluting Energy Sources
- Support Unions & Worker's Rights
- Progressive Taxes & Living Wages
- Campaign Finance Reform
- Campaigns that are Issue-Based

### RepubliCrats

- Increase Corporate Power AND Corporate Welfare
- Empower HMO's at Patients' Expense
- Nonstop Destruction of Forests/Ecosystems
- Continue Subsidizing Nuclear Power Industry
- Dehumanize Public Employees & Working Families
- Regressive Taxes & Minimum Wages
- Business as Usual (Special Interest Money)
- Sound Bytes, Spin Doctors & Mudslinging

## THIS YEAR VOTE PACIFIC GREEN -- VOTE YOUR CONSCIENCE & CHANGE THE WORLD!

**President/Vice President**

**Secretary of State**

**U.S. Congress, District #3**

**State Senate District #8**

**State House District #16**

**State House District #18**

**State House District #47**

**Benton County Commission, #2**

**Linn County Commission, #2**

**Ralph Nader & Winona LaDuke**

**Lloyd Marbet**

**Tre Arrow**

**Whitney Smith**

**David Tillemans**

**Barry Joe Stull**

**Christina Alexander**

**Mike Bellstein**

**Lori Burton**

The PGP Encourages a **YES** vote on Measures: 3, 6, 94, 96, 97

The PGP Encourages a **NO** vote on Measures: 2, 7, 9, 85, 86, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 95, 98

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# Reform Party Statement

The Natural Law Party and the Reform Party have merged into a historic coalition forging itself into a viable, alternative movement that can break the two party duopoly that the Republicans and the Democrats hold in our country and in Oregon.

The REFORM PARTY is YOUR REASON TO VOTE.

The Natural Law Party has a platform based on commonsense solutions with "Best Practices" as its foundation such as:

- The Natural Law Party--America's fastest growing political party--offers voters forward-looking, prevention-oriented, scientifically proven solutions to the nation's problems, including
- Creating a true health care system (as opposed to a disease care system) by adding cost-effective, prevention-oriented health care programs scientifically shown to prevent disease, promote health, and save money in the best possible way--by keeping people healthy
- Education that develops the student's full potential through curriculum innovations proven to increase intelligence, creativity, and academic performance
- Preventing crime--not warehousing criminals--through effective criminal and drug rehabilitation programs, and through proven programs to reduce high levels of societal stress
- Cutting taxes deeply and responsibly through cost-effective solutions to crime, spiraling health costs, and other social problems--not through cutting essential services
- Protecting the environment through energy efficiency and the use of renewable, safe, nonpolluting energy sources such as wind, solar, and biomass
- Safeguarding America's food supply through sustainable, organic agricultural practices proven to produce healthy, high-quality food without hazardous chemical fertilizers and pesticides
- Mandatory labeling and safety testing of genetically engineered foods, and a moratorium on the release of these experimental life-forms into the environment until proven safe
- Ensuring a strong economy by (1) more effectively harnessing our greatest national resource--the unlimited creativity and intelligence of our 270 million citizens, and (2) implementing powerful, pro-growth tax and fiscal policies
- Promoting more prosperous and harmonious international relations by shifting our foreign policy away from the export of weapons towards the export of U.S. know-how and technical assistance in key areas, such as business, entrepreneurship, education, sustainable agriculture, and environmental technologies
- Ending special interest control of our politics through (1) elimination of PACs and soft money, (2) public sponsorship of election campaigns, and (3) prevention of lobbying by former public servants on behalf of domestic and foreign interest

The Reform Party brings with it a party based on foundational government reforms. The Reform Party of Oregon's Principles begins with support of the Constitution of the United States of America. We believe in the Constitution as written by our forefathers. Our elected leaders must have the utmost integrity and be fully accountable to the people of Oregon. We demand that due process of the Law be available to every citizen of this state. To this end the Reform Party of Oregon's principles are:

- Upholding the Constitution - We expect our members to uphold the Constitutions of Oregon and the United States.
- Integrity - We expect honesty, ethics, and integrity from each of our members at all times.
- Accountability - We demand legislative oversight of all state agencies. Administrative rules shall not be enforced as Law.
- Justice - The courts of Oregon need to be opened to provide Justice for all the people. Due process and equal protection under the Law shall be accorded to all citizens. No person should be made immune from responsibility and accountability for their actions.
- Service and Community - We believe that citizens should be of service to the community by participating in the political process. We encourage all people to demonstrate responsibility to their families and their communities and to reduce the volume of demand upon government for services. We believe our government should not legislate social and moral issues, but become more involved in managing the infrastructure of the state of Oregon.
- Election Reform - The Reform Party of Oregon supports election reforms that increase voter participation. We demand equality and fairness in the election process through voting reforms such as SDVR (Same Day Voter Registration) and de-linking ballot access from state-wide elections, and by reducing taxes through moderation of services provided, and by maintaining government actions locally whenever possible.
- Principles - The people of the Reform Party of Oregon expect our candidates to embody these principles. The motivations for decisions of our elected servants should be in the people's best interest as opposed to special interest.

Please join our party, REGISTER TO THE REFORM PARTY OF OREGON. Please keep in mind that when a political party changes its name PARTY AFFILIATION is not transferred! Please Re-register REFORM PARTY! Let your voice be heard! Be INVOLVED. This is a unique opportunity to really affect change in the political landscape. Our party can be anything we want it to be! And with your involvement and participation we can succeed.

Reform Party of Oregon

*(This information furnished by Reform Party of Oregon.)*



# Socialist Party Statement

"If we are going to achieve a real equality, the U.S. will have to adopt a modified form of socialism." (Martin Luther King, Jr. (1965), *In These Times*, 2/9/83)

- **A STRONG FOUNDATION.** We represent a worldwide democratic political movement founded 150 years ago to expand democracy in both the voting booth and workplace. The term "socialist" was first used in the *Cooperative Magazine* (Nov. 1827) to describe the efforts of Robert Owen, a Welsh mill owner, "to develop co-operative societies of people who would produce goods for their common good." The Socialist Party USA was founded in 1901 by a diverse group of Americans. Philip Randolph, "Father of the Civil Rights Movement".

- **WHO'S WHO.** Some great Americans have been socialists: Eugene Victor Debs (American Railway Union founder), Mary "Mother" Jones (Steelworkers organizer), Helen Keller (deaf & blind lecturer), Susan B. Anthony (woman's-suffrage leader), Margaret Sanger (birth-control leader), Emma Lazarus (poet, "Give me your tired, your poor, your huddled masses yearning to be free"), Jack London (author, *Call of the Wild*), W.E.B. DuBois (African-American leader), Upton Sinclair (author, *The Jungle*), Michael Harrington (author, *The Other America*), Congressman Meyer London (chief sponsor of first workers' compensation law passed by Congress), Carl Sandburg (Lincoln author), Albert Einstein (physicist).

A. Philip Randolph, "Father of the Civil Rights Movement", founder of the Railway Pullman Porters Union, and the first African-American Vice President of the AFL-CIO, received the Presidential Medal of Freedom from President Johnson in 1964.

- **SIGNIFICANT SUPPORT.** Since 1901 millions of Americans have voted Socialist. Thousands of Socialists have held public office, several in the U.S. House of Representatives. In an earlier day, in Oregon's "rural areas, a popular Socialist could count on a vote of 15 to 25% without much campaigning." (*Northwest Magazine*, 12/19/76) In the 1998 general election David W. Gillette, Socialist Party candidate in State Representative District 7 received over 25% of the votes cast.

- \* **SOCIALIST "ROOTS".** Consumer co-operatives like Recreation Equipment, Inc., mutual insurance companies and savings banks, credit unions, people's utility district, rural electric co-ops, and city lighting departments all have socialist "roots". Their primary goal is to serve their owner-consumers. Under capitalism, the "bottom line" is profits, not people.

- \* **NO TOTALITARIAN TIES.** We don't support communism, fascism, or other any form of despotism. We oppose the Federal Government our taxes to arm, aid, or comfort any dictatorship anywhere. It has been the Democratic and Republican administrations in Washington, D.C. -- more concerned for corporate profits than for human rights -- which have championed giving "Most Favored Nation Status" to Communist China, the dictatorship which has raped and pillaged Tibet and imprisons religious and political dissidents, even those seeking to organize free labor unions.

**IMPORTANT CONTRIBUTIONS.** For nearly 100 years Socialists have advocated much of what's best in America. "It was the Socialist Party that first advocated creation of a Social Security system. It was the Socialists who demanded that the federal government guarantee workers the right to bargain collectively, set a minimum wage and a limit on working hours" (Dick Meister, *Oregonian*, 9/4/91)

**VOTE SOCIALIST.** There will be nearly a dozen Socialist candidates on the general election ballot around the State. Don't waste your vote on a Republicrat candidate who will really not represent you! Also, write in our national presidential candidates: David McReynolds (retired Executive Director, War Resisters League) for President, Mary Cal Hollis (special education teacher) for Vice President.

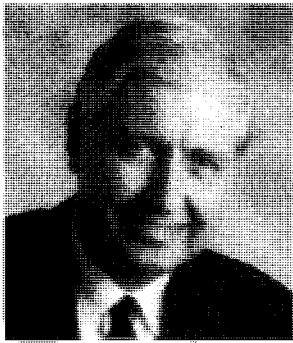
**REGISTER SOCIALIST.** If "SOCIALIST" isn't on your Voter Registration Card, check "Other party" and print in "Socialist".

**JOIN THE SOCIALIST PARTY.**

(This information furnished by Socialist Party of Oregon.)

# United States President

# United States Vice President



**HARRY BROWNE**

**Libertarian**

**OCCUPATION:** Author

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Best-selling author; financial advisor; newsletter editor; public speaker.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Some college.

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** US Army 1953-56, honorably discharged.

It is important to have a candidate in the race who believes the Constitution is a literal document, especially the 9th and 10th Amendments which limit the size and power of the federal government.

By obeying the Constitution we can make the federal government so small that we won't need an income tax at all, or the IRS -- and we don't need anything to replace them. I want you to be free to keep every dollar you earn -- to spend it, save it, or give it away as you think best, not as politicians deem best.

I believe we should privatize Social Security. Even the most conservative investments would produce a far better yield than Social Security. Your money should reside in an account that you own, free from political misappropriation.

I believe you should be able to live in a safe neighborhood -- free from the criminal black markets, the gang warfare and the drive-by shootings that are fueled by the Drug War. I would end drug prohibition.

The other candidates believe they can run your life -- I disagree. I don't believe I can know how much you should put aside for your retirement or what schools your children should attend. I want you to be able to live your life by your values.

Harry Browne was born in New York City and lived most of his life in Los Angeles. He and his wife Pamela reside in Tennessee. He has a grown daughter.

Browne was a successful investment advisor for 30 years and is the author of 11 books that have sold more than 2 million copies, three of which were *New York Times* bestsellers (one going all the way to number one). He will appear on all fifty state ballots.

<http://www.HarryBrowne.org>

*(This information furnished by Harry Browne, Libertarian For President.)*



**ART OLIVIER**

**Libertarian**

**OCCUPATION:** Engineer

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Project Manager - Boeing

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** A.A., Design Technology, Cerritos College. Web Development Certificate, University of California, Irvine.

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Mayor, City Councilman.

As a Libertarian Mayor, I made sure the taxpayers got their money's worth. Most of what people consider vital government services are paid for by the general budget of their local municipality. These include building and maintaining the city's infrastructure and law enforcement. Your local government is able to do this and more with only two to three percent of the total taxes that you pay.

The Federal budget takes about half of your tax money without providing the things that improve your day-to-day life. The Federal government has a Department of Education that educates no one, a Department of Transportation that transports nothing, a Department of Energy that produces no energy, and a Department of Agriculture that grows no food. Your money is being wasted on these departments that are not authorized by the Constitution and do nothing to improve your life.

Even worse, the Federal government has laws that result in making our communities unsafe.

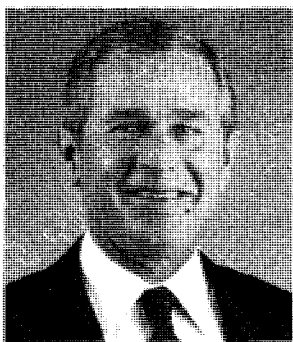
The biggest threat to the safety of our communities comes from the Federal government's failed war on drugs, making some of our neighborhoods war zones. Because some drugs cannot be sold at the local drug store, criminals sell them in drug houses. And because drug dealers operate outside of the law, disputes are often settled with violence. Only by putting an end to the drug war will we end this violence in our communities.

By having the Federal government follow the Constitution, there would be no need for federal income tax. People would have more of the money they earned to spend at local establishments and parents could afford to spend more time with their children. The end result will be you will have more control over your own life and our communities would be a better place to live.

*(This information furnished by Art Olivier, Libertarian for Vice President.)*

# United States President

# United States Vice President



**GEORGE W. BUSH**

**Republican**

**OCCUPATION:** Governor of Texas.

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** F-102 Pilot, Texas Air National Guard; CEO, Bush Exploration; Senior Adviser to 1988 Bush

Presidential Campaign; Managing General Partner, Texas Rangers Baseball Team

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Yale University, B.A.; Harvard University, M.B.A.

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Governor of Texas

Dear Oregonian:

I'm running for President because I believe our prosperity must have a purpose. The purpose is to leave no one out...no one behind. I believe government's role is to create an environment where entrepreneurs and families can reach their dreams and flourish.

As President, I will improve our schools by insisting on high standards, local control, and real accountability. There can be no second-rate schools because there are no second-rate children. I believe all children can learn. And no child should be left behind.

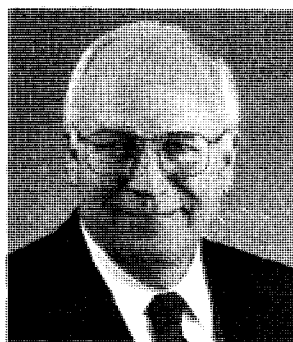
I will also save and strengthen Social Security for this generation and the generations to come. Under my administration, there will be no change in existing benefits for retirees or near-retirees. And for younger workers, I support giving them the option of investing a portion of their Social Security taxes into sound investments they control.

As President, I will also work to reduce taxes for all taxpayers and rebuild our military with better pay, better training, and better equipment.

I also want you to know what kind of leader I'll be as your President. I am a uniter, not a divider. I don't need polls to tell me how to think. I'm guided by principles ingrained in my heart – trust local people to make decisions for their schools and communities; understand that peace is best kept through strength, not weakness; limit government with tax cuts and spending restraint; fight for American interests and America's workers; promote strong families and personal responsibility.

Sincerely,  
George W. Bush

*(This information furnished by Bush/Cheney 2000, Inc.)*



**DICK CHENEY**

**Republican**

**OCCUPATION:** Vice Presidential Candidate

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Secretary of Defense during Desert Storm under President Bush; Former U.S. Congressman from

Wyoming; White House Chief of Staff to President Ford; and most recently, Former Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer of Halliburton Company

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** University of Wyoming, B.A. and M.A.

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** noted above

Dear Oregonian:

America is ready for new leadership: Leadership that will continue this great prosperity we enjoy – but extend it to every corner of America and use it for greater goals. Leadership that lifts our sights and makes Americans proud again.

I see in Governor Bush the qualities of mind and spirit our nation needs, and our history demands.

In a time of partisanship, Governor Bush reaches across party lines to do the people's business. In a time of bitterness, he brings people together. After an era of tarnished ideals, he will return honor and dignity to the Office of President.

As Governor of a large and diverse state, George W. Bush has kept his commitments. He said he would improve the public schools, and he has. He promised to reduce taxes and he has – twice – while keeping the budget in surplus. He pledged to reform the legal system – to get rid of junk lawsuits – and he has.

He did all these things because he is a uniter, not a divider ... someone who works with Democrats and Republicans for the common good, and shares the credit for success. That is what we need in the White House. A leader with an agenda and the know-how to get it done. Governor Bush is that leader. And I will work with him to enact his plans to improve schools, save and strengthen Social Security, reduce taxes, and rebuild the military and encourage new efforts to confront suffering and poverty.

Sincerely,  
Dick Cheney

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# United States President

# United States Vice President



**AL  
GORE**

**Democrat**

**OCCUPATION:** Vice President of the United States

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Private, United States Army; Reporter, Nashville *Tennesseean*

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** B.A., Harvard University; Attended Vanderbilt Graduate School of Religion and Vanderbilt Law School.

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** United States Congressman 1977-1985; United States Senator 1985-1993; Vice President Of the United States 1993-Present

I'm running for president because I want to use our historic prosperity to benefit everyone, not just the few. To do that, I will pay down the national debt and make smart investments in health care, education, middle-class tax cuts and a secure retirement for all. If I am entrusted with the presidency, I will fight for you.

I will:

- Balance the budget every year and completely eliminate the national debt by 2012 to keep America prosperous far into the future.
- Cut taxes to help you save for college and pay for health insurance or child care. I will not go along with a huge tax cut for the wealthy at the expense of everyone else and that wrecks our good economy in the process.
- Fight for a prescription drug benefit for all 40 million Americans on Medicare.
- Push for a real, enforceable Patients' Bill of Rights to protect everyone who gets their health care through a health maintenance organization (HMO) or insurance company.
- Provide access to affordable health care for every child in America by 2005.
- Work to rebuild and modernize our crumbling schools, reduce class sizes and make high-quality pre-school available to every four-year-old, in every family.
- Strengthen Social Security and fight for a new, tax-free retirement plan to help you save and build a bigger nest egg for your retirement.
- Protect and defend a woman's right to choose. This country does not need a Supreme Court that overturns Roe v. Wade.
- Take on the polluters to clean up our nation's air and water and reverse the silent tide of global warming.

*(This information furnished by Gore/Lieberman, Inc.)*



**JOE  
LIEBERMAN**

**Democrat**

**OCCUPATION:** United States Senator representing Connecticut

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Attorney; Assistant Dean, Yale University

School of Art and Architecture

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** B.A., Yale College; J.D. Yale Law School.

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Connecticut State Senate, 1971-1980 (Majority Leader, 1975-1980); Connecticut Attorney General, 1982-1988; United States Senator, 1989-present.

I'm running for vice president because I want to reform the way our government works, improve our public schools, help America recommit to a basic set of common values, and protect America's consumers and environment.

I have spent 30 years in public service dedicated to these causes, and as Vice President I will continue to:

- Stress fiscal responsibility by using government surpluses to pay down the national debt, meet obligations to Social Security and Medicare, cut middle class taxes, and make key investments in education.
- Stand up for the interests of consumers by fighting to reduce the costs of gasoline and home heating oil, cable television service, and consumer credit cards.
- Safeguard our natural environment by pushing cleaner air standards for smog and soot, conserve natural resources conservation and preserve open space, and lower greenhouse gas emissions to combat global warming.
- Aggressively push for comprehensive campaign finance reform to blunt the impact of special interests on our law-making process.
- Work to guarantee every child a quality education by investing in our public schools, offering more support to teaching professionals, improving accountability and performance, wiring every classroom to the Internet, helping parents afford the rising costs of college tuition, and promoting American history education.
- Expand the economic winner's circle so low-income working families have a chance to realize the promise of the American dream.

*(This information furnished by Gore/Lieberman, Inc.)*

# United States President

# United States Vice President



**JOHN  
HAGELIN**

**Reform**

**OCCUPATION:** Research physicist, educator, and public policy expert

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Director, Institute of Science, Technology

and Public Policy, Fairfield, Iowa

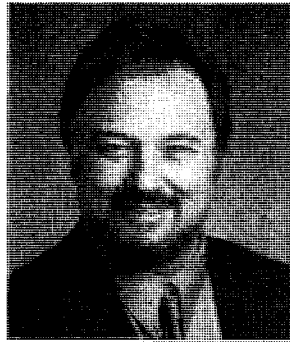
**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Ph.D. in Physics, Harvard University, 1981; M.A. in Physics, Harvard University, 1976; A.B. in Physics, summa cum laude, Dartmouth College, 1975

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Natural Law Party candidate for President, 1992 and 1996; worked with the U.S. Congress for the past two decades, and spearheaded the formation of the largest bipartisan congressional caucus, dedicated to scientifically proven, prevention-oriented solutions in health care, crime, international conflict, and the environment

In this 2000 election, I am seeking to unite all of America's reform-minded voters to break the two-party stranglehold on our political process. I stand for crucial democratic reforms and forward-looking, prevention-oriented solutions, including

- Ending special interest control of our politics through the elimination of PACs and soft money, public sponsorship of election campaigns, and prevention of lobbying by former public servants
- Promoting a balanced, tailored trade policy that promotes the economic welfare of all Americans, provides markets for our domestic small businesses, safeguards American employment and labor standards, and ensures that imported goods meet our environmental and product safety standards
- Creating a prevention-oriented health care system, as opposed to a disease-care system bought and paid for by special interests
- Protecting the environment through the development of renewable, safe, non-polluting energy sources that will end our dependence on foreign oil and save hundreds of billions of dollars in health and environmental costs
- Safeguarding America's food supply through sustainable and organic agricultural practices
- Cutting taxes deeply and responsibly—while protecting Social Security and Medicare and paying down the national debt—through elimination of government waste and fraud, and through cost-effective solutions to costly social problems
- Promoting education that develops the full mental potential of each student
- Reducing crime through innovative, field-tested crime prevention programs
- Promoting more prosperous and harmonious international relations

*(This information furnished by Hagelin 2000 Committee.)*



**NAT  
GOLDHABER**

**Reform**

**OCCUPATION:** Internet entrepreneur, educator, and venture capitalist

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Currently Vice Chair and Director, MyPoints.com. Founded

Cybergold, Inc., in 1995 and served as CEO, President and Chairman until Cybergold merged with MyPoints.com in August 2000. Previously CEO of Kaleida Labs, the multinational joint venture between IBM and Apple. Founder and CEO of Centram Systems West, Inc., which developed TOPS, the first IBM/Macintosh local area network; served as President and CEO of TOPS and Vice President of Sun Microsystems, Inc., after Sun purchased Centrum Systems West in April 1987. President of Cole Gilburne Goldhaber & Ariyoshi, Inc., a venture capital firm based on high-technology development; later, President of the National Pacific Fund and the Incubator, Inc. Served on the advisory boards of PC Expo and MacWorld Expo, the Center for Creative Imaging, and the multimedia group of the National Association of Broadcasters; currently serving on the Executive Board of the University of California at Berkeley.

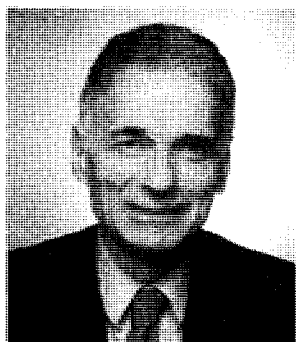
**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** M.Ed., University of California—Berkeley

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Special Assistant to Pennsylvania's lieutenant governor William W. Scranton III; ran the State Energy Agency as its interim director

I am honored to serve with my presidential running mate John Hagelin. I bring 20 years' experience in Silicon Valley to my campaign and offer a new mainstream voice to American politics. I have been an entrepreneur my whole life, and I am running to bring entrepreneurship to the White House, introduce proven solutions to America's problems, and break the two-party stranglehold on our democracy. Entrepreneurship is not limited to business; it is also necessary in politics. Ross Perot taught us that. Now John and I will build on Ross's foundation and, with the dedicated support of thousands of Reform Party members all over the country, we will create, at long last, a mainstream third party that will break the two-party stranglehold and take back our stolen democracy.

*(This information furnished by Hagelin 2000 Committee.)*

# United States President



**RALPH  
NADER**

**Pacific Green**

**OCCUPATION:** Consumer Advocate

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Wrote best-selling book *Unsafe at Any Speed* exposing unsafe automobiles, which forced

changes in the industry and saved many lives. Founded numerous citizens' groups that combat corporate greed and work for consumer rights.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Princeton University; Harvard Law School

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Advocate before Congress and governmental agencies for stronger environmental and consumer protections.

Ralph Nader is a genuine American hero. He courageously stands up for the interests of common people against the most powerful institutions in our society. He is running for President as the Green Party candidate because the only way we are going to regain control of our political institutions is to build a progressive political movement that will break up the concentration of wealth and power in the hands of the few. Nader is working on behalf of all Americans who understand the urgent need to wage peace, protect the environment, end poverty and build a deep democracy that involves all citizens.

Nader seeks to end the environmental violence of air pollution, water pollution and toxic chemicals. He wants to change current energy policy, which is run by oil lobbyists, and create a new policy focusing on conservation and alternative energies. He also wants to end all commercial logging on public land and protect 60 million acres in national forests from road building.

Nader advocates a living wage, publicly-financed clean elections, universal health care coverage for all Americans, and stronger labor laws that protect workers' rights to organize. He wants to negotiate fair global trade policies with protections that pull up, rather than push down labor and environmental standards.

The Nader 2000 Campaign is taking on the Democratic-Republican duopoly and is reaching out to the non-voters who made up more than half of the eligible voters in the 1996 Presidential election. For more information, visit our website at [www.votenader.org](http://www.votenader.org).

*(This information furnished by Nader 2000 General Committee, Inc.)*

# United States Vice President



**WINONA  
LADUKE**

**Pacific Green**

**OCCUPATION:** Full-Time mother of three; community organizer; small business entrepreneur; and author.

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** school principal; helping to create small

rural businesses for the processing of wild rice, maple syrup, roasting coffee, raising buffalo and horses to forming progressive organizations that address the needs of women, environmental, ecological and human resource needs.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Graduate of Ashland (OR) High School; B.A. from Harvard University, 1981; Master's Degree in Rural Development from Antioch University. I have also been blessed with invaluable lessons and wisdom from elders worldwide.

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** I have never held an elected public office. My "prior government experience" includes litigation, administrative hearing processes, testimony at Congress and the UN, all seeking to improve quality of life.

Dear Oregon voters,

I am an active human being in pursuit of a healthier self-sufficient respectful earth, and better democratic processes for our great nation.

I have worked to create organizations and tools within an atmosphere of self-sustainability and independence from the growing impact of worldwide corporate power. I have had a wide range of opportunities to present on these same, including presentations on behalf of the Indigenous Women's Network at United Nations conferences.

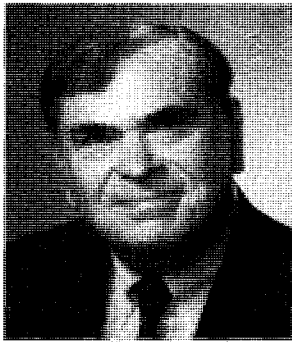
I believe that decision-making should not be the exclusive right of the privileged. That those who are affected by policy - not those who by default often stand above it - should be heard in all debates. Sign our petition at [www.votenader.org/debates/index.html](http://www.votenader.org/debates/index.html) to help get Ralph Nader in the national presidential debates.

I am interested in reframing the debate on the issues of this society: the distribution of wealth, the abuse of power and the rights of the natural world, the environment and the need to consider an amendment to the U.S. Constitution in which all decisions made today, will be considered in light of their impact on the seventh generation from now.

To Learn More about the Nader/LaDuke Campaign  
[www.votenader.org](http://www.votenader.org) or [www.pacificgreens.org](http://www.pacificgreens.org)  
[campaign@votenader.org](mailto:campaign@votenader.org)  
 Phone: (202) 265-4000  
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*(This information furnished by Winona LaDuke.)*

# United States President



**HOWARD  
PHILLIPS**

## Constitution

**OCCUPATION:** Chairman,  
The Conservative Caucus

**OCCUPATIONAL  
BACKGROUND:** Director, U.S.  
Office of Economic Opportunity,  
Executive Office of the

President

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Boston Latin, 1958; Harvard  
College, A.B., 1962

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Executive Director,  
President's Council on Youth Opportunity

**If you don't vote for what you believe, you won't get what you  
want.**

Democrats and Republicans have raised Federal taxes and  
spending since 1994 by \$600 billion annually.

They have bailed out the U.N., sent \$18 billion more to the IMF,  
voted permanent MFN status for Communist China, restricted  
your gun rights, and pushed government control of your health  
care.

They fund the National Endowment for the Arts, Planned  
Parenthood, and homosexual activist groups.

The U.S. Constitution requires that no person may be deprived of  
life without due process of law. As President, I will acknowledge  
that the unborn child, is, without exception, a legal person and  
appoint U.S. Attorneys to prosecute abortionists.

Education must be accountable to parents, not to politicians.

I will eliminate the U.S. Department of Education and terminate  
funding to advocacy groups.

We will abolish the IRS. Taxes on income, capital gains, gifts,  
inheritances, and business activity will end, replaced with a  
revenue tariff, plus limited excises.

Social Security will be privatized, with beneficiaries receiving  
what was promised. No more FICA taxes.

No more undeclared wars --- no wars at all except to defend the  
U.S. When our troops go to war, they will serve under no foreign  
commander.

The U.S. military will be strong enough to deter or defeat any  
adversary. We will put troops back into Panama.

It will be America's policy to be the friend of liberty everywhere,  
but the guarantor of ours alone.

Our Constitution vests all legislative powers in Congress. It is  
unconstitutional to transfer control over Federal policy and  
resources to the Federal Reserve, regulatory agencies, unelected  
bureaucrats, private organizations, the Judiciary, international  
organizations, or the President.

I will repeal all unconstitutional Executive Orders.

*(This information furnished by Howard Phillips.)*

## Representative In Congress 4th District



**PETER A.  
DEFAZIO**

**Democrat**

**OCCUPATION:** US Representative

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Lane County Commissioner; Aide to Congressman Jim Weaver; Assistant Director Senior

Companion Program; US Air Force Reserve

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Tufts University, BA; University of Oregon, MA

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** CHAIR, LANE COUNTY COMMISSION

### TAXPAYER HERO

"DeFazio has shown a willingness to rise above politics as usual by voting to end wasteful government spending with common-sense reforms." Ralph DeGennaro, President, Taxpayers for Common Sense Action, 8/28/00

### CONGRESSIONAL PAY RAISES – NO! SCHOLARSHIPS – YES!

"DeFazio turns down Congress' pay raise – DeFazio's action example to the rest of US Congress."

*Umpqua Free Press 7/22/99*

DeFazio has turned back \$175,000 to fund scholarships and reduce the national debt.

### BOLSTER SOCIAL SECURITY – REIGN IN PRESCRIPTION DRUG COSTS

"DeFazio seeks to shore up Social Security"

*Oregonian, 6/9/99*

"DeFazio attacks Drug Pricing"

*Democrat-Herald, 8/9/99*

DeFazio is pushing Congress to save future budget surpluses to protect Social Security for present and future generations. He took on the big pharmaceutical companies over price gouging.

### WTO/NAFTA – NO! FAIR TRADE – YES!

"DeFazio lambasts trend of global trade"

*Corvallis Gazette Times, 4/20/00*

DeFazio has led the fight against job killing trade agreements

### PROTECTING THE ENVIRONMENT

"While others play politics with the environment, Rep. DeFazio votes to protect it. We could use more courageous leaders like him in Congress, legislators who put the health and well-being of our families, communities and our future first."

Jonathan Poisner, Executive Director, Oregon League of Conservation Voters

### PROTECTING CONSUMERS – FIGHTING TO SOLVE PROBLEMS

"Timber funding plan is best we could hope for – DeFazio brokers bill that would increase funding to timber dependent counties."

*News-Review, 11/7/99*

"DeFazio seeks relief from high oil prices"

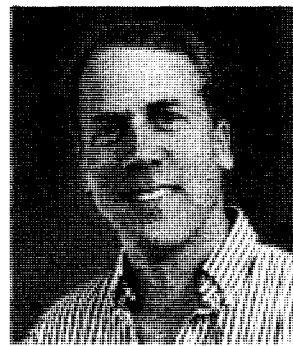
*Umpqua Free Press, 3/16/00*

"DeFazio at his core is still a crusader for ordinary consumers and workers – his favorite role is assailing rich and powerful special interests that exploit the government and little guy"

*Register Guard, 4/29/00*

*(This information furnished by DeFazio for Congress.)*

## Representative In Congress 4th District



**DAVID  
DUEMLER**

**Socialist**

**OCCUPATION:** Psychology instructor, Lane Community College.

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** tree planter; cook, salesman; Census

enumerator.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Pasadena City College; Grossmont College; San Diego State University, B.S.; University of California at Santa Barbara, Ph. D.

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Volunteer in political campaigns, initiative drives.

**COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES, MEMBERSHIPS, CONTRIBUTIONS:** Amnesty International; Citizens for Animal Rights, Eugene (Coordinator); Eugene PeaceWorks (Secretary); Farm Sanctuary; Friends Committee on National Legislation; Oregon Education Ass'n; Oregonians for Labor Intensive Forest Economics; Sierra Club; United Farm Workers, AFL-CIO.

**WHEN VOTING, REMEMBER THAT A LOT OF WHAT'S BEST IN AMERICA IS SOCIALIST: CONSUMER CO-OPS, CREDIT UNIONS, PUBLIC POWER, MEDICARE!**

"It was the Socialist Party that first advocated creation of a Social Security system. It was the Socialists who demanded that the federal government guarantee workers the right to bargain collectively, set a minimum wage and a limit on working hours." (Dick Meister, *Oregonian*, 9/4/91)

### **AS YOUR CONGRESSMAN, DAVID WOULD WORK TO:**

**Enact** universal health insurance like Canada's single-payer system.

### **ADD PRESCRIPTION COVERAGE TO MEDICARE.**

**Strengthen** Social Security, Medicare, Medicaid, AFDC, WIC, Headstart, and vocational education. Lower Social Security retirement to 62. Provide nursing care for Alzheimer's.

**Repeal** NAFTA & GATT. Demand fair trade, not so-called "Free Trade". Reduce outsourcing, downsizing, exporting jobs.

**Amend** the Minimum Wage Law to provide a LIVING WAGE.

**Make** income taxes more progressive. Stop taxing Social Security benefits.

**Pass** the Clean Money, Clean Elections Act. Ban clear cutting and logging in national forest roadless areas. Phase out grazing on public lands.

**Shift** any form of national military forces toward a global, democratic defense force.

### **MY TOP PRIORITY IS YOUR RIGHT TO BE HEARD!**

Public interest groups must have regular opportunities to air their programs in the mass media.

All candidates for public office, all proponents and opponents of ballot measures must have time to fully present their messages, must not be drowned out by big money.

### **VOTE SOCIALIST**

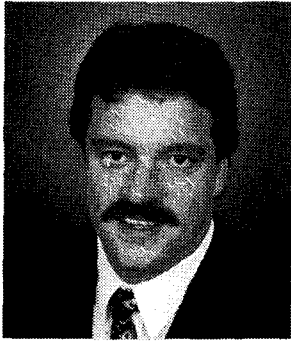
### **REGISTER SOCIALIST**

For information write 820 E. 31st, Eugene 97405, telephone 484-0621.

*(This information furnished by Committee of 1000 to Elect David Duemler to Congress.)*



## Representative In Congress 4th District



**JOHN  
LINDSEY**

**Republican**

**OCCUPATION:** Linn County  
Commissioner

**OCCUPATIONAL  
BACKGROUND:** Businessman,  
refrigeration, electrician,  
wood products, U.S military,

and farming

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Lebanon Union High School, attended Linn Benton Community College, Oregon State University, University of Oregon Pacific Program, Graduate of Naval School of Cryogenics.

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Linn County Commissioner, Precinct Committee Person 1992-present, Bush alternate to the 2000 convention, Elected to Council of Forest Trust Land Counties 1998-present, Secretary of Cascade Pacific Resource Conservation and Development, Local Officials Advisory Committee to Land Conservation and Development, Association of Oregon Counties-Public Lands and Natural Resource Committee, County Liaison to Association of O&C Counties Council, U.S. Navy.

Personal: Married to Linda/ 3 children

**John Lindsey** is a life long resident of Oregon who wants your vote this November so that we can start the course to return this seat back to the people. It's time for the people of District 4 to have a representative of the people, not a select few extremists. As a Commissioner John Lindsey is in touch with real local people with real local issues.

**Education:** Creativity and true local control is the only way to get results. Federal programs that reward educational failure must be replaced. John will work to remove overlapping bureaucracies and send that money home.

**Taxes:** Abolish the Death Tax and give it to your kids. We need to remove Social Security from the general fund and pay it back. This is a pension, not a slush fund. We need policies that encourage savings and economic growth.

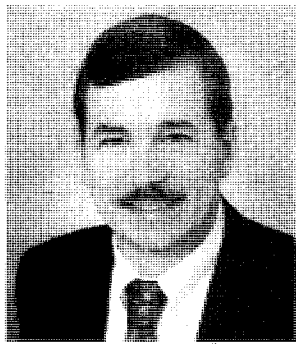
**Veterans:** We need to maintain our promise to the men and women who have placed themselves in harms way.

**The Economy:** As our country's new economy has moved forward it has passed by the 4th District. We need leadership here, not extreme rhetoric. Unemployment here is high and so is overregulation. Let's build bridges to our future and not our egos.

**Endorsements:** Oregon Farm Bureau. For more go to [www.lindsey2000.org](http://www.lindsey2000.org)

*(This information furnished by Lindsey for Congress.)*

## Representative In Congress 5th District



**BRIAN J.  
BOQUIST**  
**Republican**

**OCCUPATION:** International businessman, rancher

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Aviation, construction, dairy, forestry, military instructor

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** MBA, Oregon State University; BS, Western Oregon State College; Tillamook High School

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Lieutenant Colonel, Special Forces, US Army, Reserve, Guard, Central and Perrydale School District Budget Committees

**ORGANIZATIONS:** Boy Scouts (Eagle), VFW, NFIB, Elks

**FAMILY:** Peggy, five children.

**You have a clear choice in this election!**

**"I'm a constitutional republican who believes in better education, respecting seniors, affordable health, smarter defense, less government, local control, and life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness."**

**Brian says** consolidate 760 federal education programs, 39 agencies, \$120 billion, 35% bureaucracy, and mandate 95% of federal dollars to classroom instruction under local control and accountability. Set teacher standards. Hoooley opposed local control, teacher accountability; and supported federal testing of local children.

**Brian says** honor seniors. No cuts. Provide flexible affordable prescription care. Hoooley opposed prescription care.

**Brian says** fair care, affordable health care, patient's bill of rights, medical savings accounts, and doctor choices are the future. Hoooley opposed patient protection, HMO reform, deducting insurance; and supported greedy lawyers.

**Brian wants** a federal kicker. Eliminate death and marriage taxes. Cut capital gains. Cut the IRS. Fairer simpler taxes with personal retirement accounts. Hoooley opposed marriage penalty relief, death tax elimination, education savings accounts, and proposed \$154 billion in new spending.

**Brian** is pro-defense and pro-veteran. Hoooley opposed veterans and American defense 9 plus times; and supported giving China military secrets.

**Brian says** prosecute criminals, enforce existing gun laws. Hoooley opposed the Bill of Rights.

**Brian says** save Oregon for our children not from our children. Hoooley opposed forest management, local roads and education.

**Brian supports** parental notification. Hoooley opposed parental notification.

**"A strong economy should mean low gas prices? America defends the oil countries. I will use my business, education, and international experience on five continents as a voice of leadership for change."**

Visit [www.boquist2000.com](http://www.boquist2000.com). See Hoooley's record at [www.house.gov](http://www.house.gov) or [www.vote-smart.org](http://www.vote-smart.org)

*(This information furnished by Boquist2000.com.)*

## Representative In Congress 5th District



**DARLENE  
HOOLEY**  
**Democrat**

**OCCUPATION:** US Representative

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** High school teacher, Woodburn and Gervais schools

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Oregon State University, B.S.

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** West Linn City Councilor, 1977-1980; State Representative, 1981-1987; Clackamas County Commissioner 1987-1996; US Representative 1997-Present

"I first ran for Congress because I was angry about the partisan fighting. I knew by working together we could reduce the tax burden, preserve social security, protect our families, and improve the quality of education. While it hasn't always been easy, I'm proud to say that I have given Oregonians a voice."

**Darlene Hooley**

### Reducing Our Tax Burden

- One of the first Democrats to support repealing the estate tax on small businesses and family farms
- Voted to eliminate the marriage penalty

**"Darlene Hooley is fighting for tax relief for working families, farmers, and small business owners."**

**Don Usselman**  
Small Business Owner

### Protecting Us

- Demanding background checks for Medicaid drivers transporting the elderly and disabled
- Initiating legislation to stop criminals committing fraud by stealing people's personal information
- Preventing corporations from accessing and selling financial and medical records

**"Darlene Hooley has helped give communities the tools they need to be safe and prosperous places for families and businesses."**

**Ris Bradshaw**  
Clackamas County Sheriff

### Fighting for Quality Schools

- Working to lower class sizes
- Championing affordable college and job-training

**"As a former teacher, Darlene Hooley wants what's best for Oregon's children: well trained teachers, updated learning materials, adequate funding, and lower class sizes."**

**Dave Berthoff**  
Oregon Teacher of the Year

### Keeping Our Promises to Seniors

- Fighting to keep our promises to our seniors by using the surplus to keep Social Security and Medicare solvent
- Insisting on fair, affordable pricing for prescription drugs

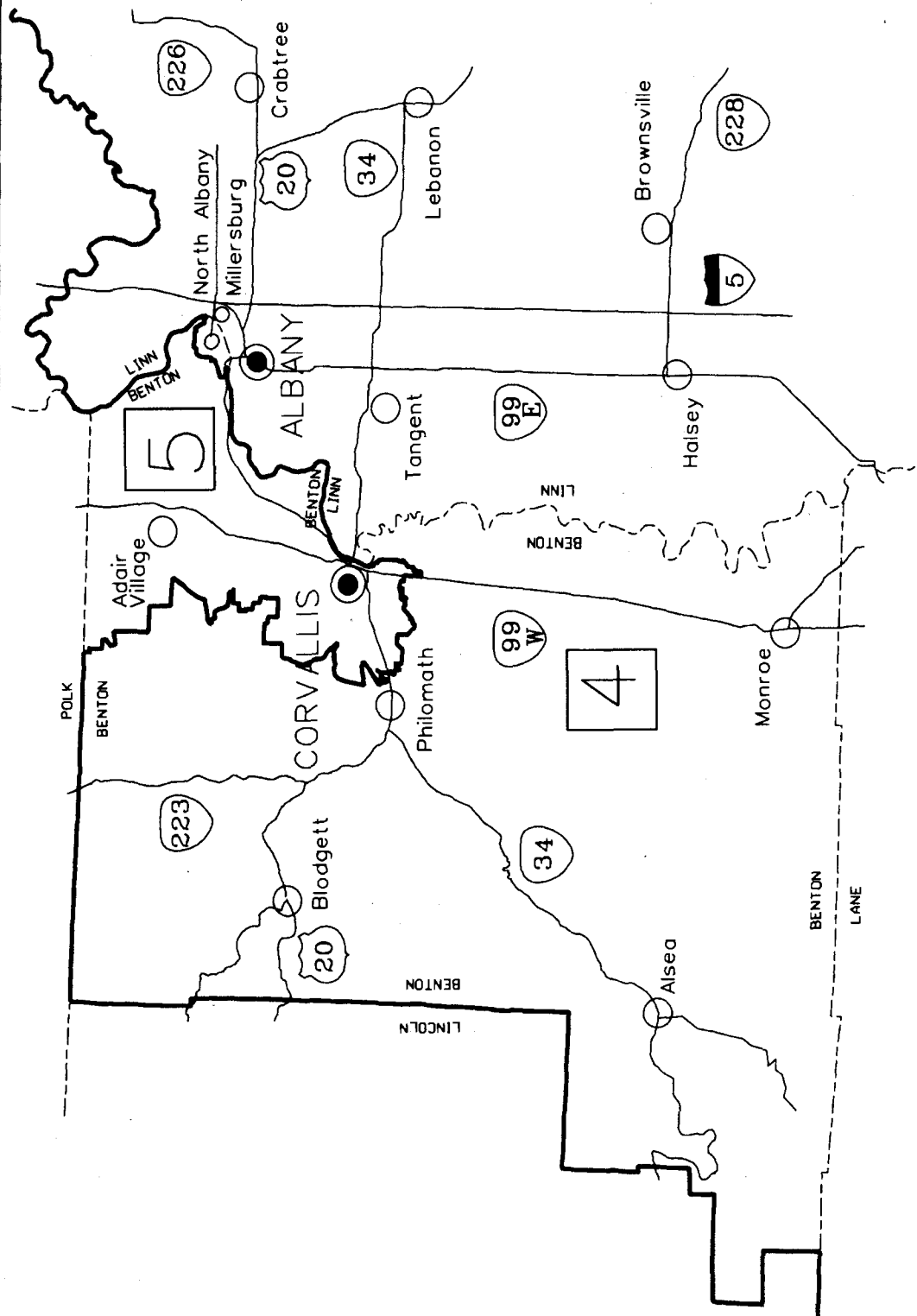
**"When it comes to fighting for lower prescription drug prices and saving Social Security, Oregonians have no better friend than Darlene Hooley."**

**Wilma Gritton**  
Oregon State Council of Senior Citizens

**Darlene Hooley: She Gets It, and Gets It Done**

*(This information furnished by Darlene Hooley for Congress.)*

# Congressional Map



**DISTRICT  
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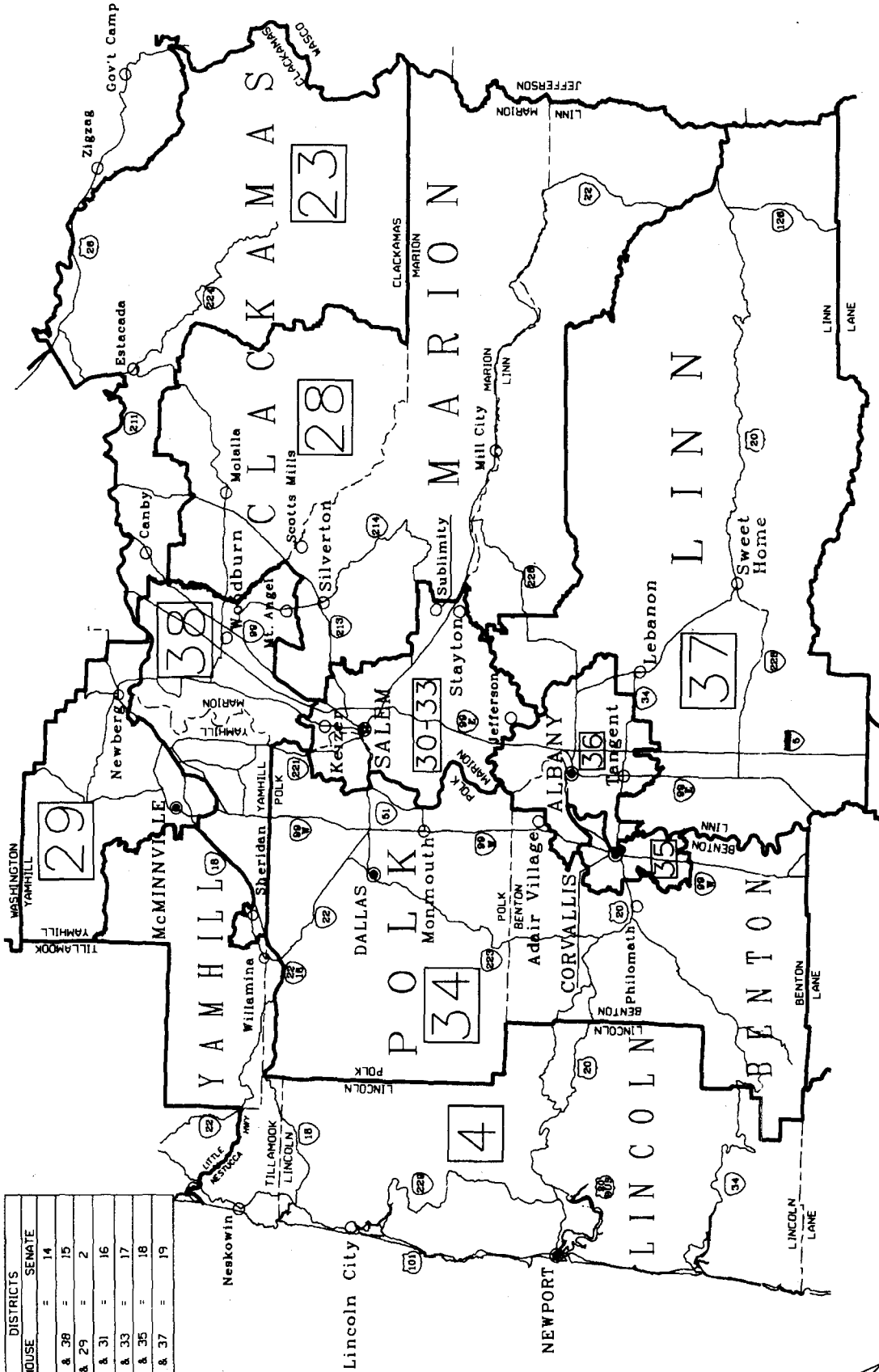
**BENTON COUNTY  
CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS**

**LEGEND**

- CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT BOUNDARY
- 00 CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT NUMBER
- COUNTY BOUNDARY



# District Map



DISTRICTS	
HOUSE	SENATE
23	= 14
28 & 38	= 15
4 & 29	= 2
30 & 31	= 16
32 & 33	= 17
34 & 35	= 18
36 & 37	= 19

## DISTRICT MAP

### MID-VALLEY & HOUSE DISTRICT 4

LEGEND

- HOUSE
- DISTRICT BOUNDARY
- HOUSE DISTRICT NUMBER
- COUNTY BOUNDARY



# BENTON COUNTY VOTERS' PAMPHLET



## BENTON COUNTY O • R • E • G • O • N

**GENERAL ELECTION  
NOVEMBER 7, 2000**

PUBLISHED BY THE  
BENTON COUNTY  
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

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### ATTENTION

This is the beginning of your county voters' pamphlet. The county portion of this joint voters' pamphlet is inserted in the center of the state portion. Each page of the county voters' pamphlet is clearly marked with a gray screen bar on the outside edge. All information contained in the county portion of this pamphlet has been assembled and printed by the Benton County Elections Office.



**BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**

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Dear Fellow Benton County Voter:

On November 7, 2000, a General Election will be held at which you will have an opportunity to exercise your rights and privileges to elect candidates and enact laws.

The Board of Commissioners has created the County Voters' Pamphlet in order to provide information about local candidates and measures to assure that the voters of Benton County are well informed about the choices they will face when they vote on November 7.

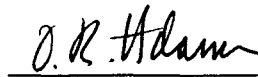
Instructions on voting, information about local candidates, the text of measures and arguments for and against proposed measures, and a list of official ballot drop sites are included in the Voters' Pamphlet.

Once again, in an effort to reduce the production and mailing costs associated with providing this information, Benton County has contracted to insert its Voters' Pamphlet into the State Voters' Pamphlet.

It is our hope that the information provided herein will assist you in making wise and informed choices for our community.

Sincerely,

  
**Bob Speaker**  
Benton County Commissioner

  
**Orville R. (Bob) Adams**  
Benton County Commissioner

  
**Linda Modrell**  
Benton County Commissioner

**VOTE**

# Benton County

## Measure No. 02-96

### BALLOT TITLE

#### JAIL BED RENTAL AND CORRECTIONS PROGRAM THREE-YEAR LOCAL OPTION LEVY

**QUESTION:** Shall Benton County impose \$0.31 per \$1000 assessed value for three years beginning 2001 to expand jail and corrections programs?

This measure may cause property taxes to increase more than three percent.

**SUMMARY: THIS IS AN INTERIM MEASURE.**

This levy would pay for rental of up to 40 beds annually in jails in nearby counties. It would fund staff and supplies necessary to coordinate inmate placement and transportation. It would create a transition center for inmates completing their sentence who need extra help to successfully return to the community, update technology to create video links to counties housing Benton County prisoners, and support planning for a new jail.

The existing jail can hold no more than 40 inmates. An average of 70 beds is currently needed to ensure prisoners serve their full sentence and eliminating waiting lists.

The maximum tax rate of this levy is \$0.31 per \$1000 of assessed value for three years. Property with an assessed value of \$150,000 would pay approximately \$47 annually, or \$3.88 per month.

At 2% annual growth in assessed value the tax will raise approximately \$1,421,020 in FY01-02, \$1,449,441 in FY02-03, and \$1,478,429 in FY03-04 for a total of \$4,348,890. The Budget Committee may impose a lower tax rate if warranted.

Development of a transition center should reduce recidivism (arrest for repeat offense) by removing obstacles to successful return to normal community life. The center would be used for offenders released from state prison and county jail.

**Short Term Measure**

This measure is a short-term step to increase jail capacity. The current jail can hold no more than 40 prisoners. Sentenced prisoners now serve only about half their time due to lack of capacity. Some prisoners wait up to 30 days to begin serving a sentence. Early release and waiting list statistics indicate an average of 70 beds is currently needed if all prisoners are to serve their full sentence. If this levy is approved, the rental program would begin in January 2001.

**Long Term Solution**

The Board of Commissioners believes construction of a larger county jail is the long-term solution. Other counties may not have excess capacity to rent in the future because of changing circumstances in their communities. Planning and design of a new jail will continue, and would be partially funded by this levy. A bond measure may be presented to the voters in 2001. If approved the earliest year a new jail could be opened is late in 2003.

**Tax Information**

This interim levy is for three years. It will begin in 2001. It will end after 2003.

The maximum tax rate of this levy is \$0.31 per \$1000 of assessed value annually. A property with an assessed value of \$150,000 will pay approximately \$47 annually, about \$3.88 per month. The rate is a maximum amount. Annually the Board of Commissioners and the Budget Committee will review the budget and have the option to levy a lesser amount if warranted.

### EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

**Purpose**

This is an interim measure. The primary purpose would be to pay for rental of up to 40 beds annually in jails in nearby counties. It would also fund:

- \* staff and supplies necessary to coordinate inmate placement and transportation.
- \* a transition center for inmates completing their sentence who need extra help to successfully return to the community.
- \* upgraded video link technology to be compatible with systems in counties housing Benton County prisoners.

**Strengthen Justice System**

A jail is a fundamental component of an effective criminal justice system. Today our courts, District Attorney, and parole and probation officers cannot depend on the jail as an effective sanction because of its limited capacity. Additional capacity would increase the effectiveness of current alternative sanction programs because failure to comply would result in immediate incarceration.

Alternative sanctions include home detention, work crew, community service and assignment to various treatment programs. Altogether parole and probation officers supervised 957 individual adults at some time during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2000 with a daily caseload average of 473 offenders.

*(Submitted by the Benton County Board of Commissioners)*

**NO ARGUMENTS AGAINST THIS MEASURE WERE FILED.**

# Benton County

## Measure No. 02-96

### ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

Benton County has a chronic shortage of jail space. The current 27 cell (40 inmate) jail is completely inadequate to meet the County's needs. Several studies have confirmed that Benton County currently needs more than 70 jail beds. Passing a levy to rent up to an additional 40 jail beds from other Oregon Counties is the least expensive option Benton County can present to the voters as a short-term solution to the problem. (E.g., for a home assessed at \$150,000, Measure 02-96 will cost the owner approximately \$47 a year; by comparison, had it passed, the May 2000 jail levy to build and operate a new Benton County jail would have cost the same homeowner, approximately \$140 a year).

Voters should not confuse Measure 02-96 as a long-term fix. It is not. Measure 02-96 is only a three-year levy intended to relieve the immediate pressure on Benton County's criminal justice system. However, the excess jail capacity currently available to rent from other counties will not be around over the long-term. Consequently, the citizens of Benton County will need to approve a long-term solution in the very near future.

In short, Measure 02-96 is a simple and inexpensive short-term solution to a very real problem in Benton County. Please join us in voting YES for Measure 02-96.

Respectfully submitted:

Bob Adams,  
Benton County Commissioner

Linda Modrell,  
Benton County Commissioner

Bob Speaker,  
Benton County Commissioner

Scott Heiser,  
Benton County District Attorney

Stan Robson,  
Benton County Sheriff

*(This information furnished by Bob Adams, Linda Modrell, Bob Speaker, Scott Heiser & Stan Robson)*

### ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

#### **BENTON COUNTY JUDGES - THERE IS AN URGENT NEED FOR MORE JAIL BEDS.**

Please give the levy to rent additional jail beds your serious consideration.

Benton County's current shortage of jail beds creates some **very serious problems** and creates some very significant public safety risks. Every day we are forced to release inmates from our jail who should not be released:

1. Defendants released from jail with future court dates often do not appear. They are then re-arrested, but immediately released because the jail is full.

2. Defendants arrested, including those arrested for crimes such as Assault, Theft, and Burglary, and taken to jail are often immediately released due to overcrowding.

3. Defendants sentenced to serve jail time almost never serve the full length of their jail sentence. When the jail gets full, inmates are just released, including inmates who have committed serious crimes and/or who have extensive criminal records.

4. Many high-risk offenders are on supervised probation. The probation officers need to require the probationers who violate their probation to serve jail time. But usually there is not available jail space. This significantly undermines the effectiveness of probation supervision.

Due to jail overcrowding, we usually are not using jail beds for drug offenders. Instead, we impose alternate sanctions, such as Home Detention, Work Crew, and Community Service.

This levy will give our county up to 40 additional beds rented from other counties. This will help alleviate our jail shortage crisis until another, more permanent, plan is developed. We feel that the the levy is being put forth in good faith by the Commissioners as the most cost effective way to solve an **urgent problem** that must be addressed now. We ask you to support this levy. Thank you.

*(This information furnished by Robert Gardner, Janet Holcomb, Henry Dickerson, Benton County Circuit Judges)*



## Benton County

## Measure No. 02-02

## BALLOT TITLE

NON-BINDING BENTON COUNTY PRECINCT 137  
ADVISORY QUESTION

**QUESTION:** Should a library be built east of Alsea School and south of Highway 34 without using tax dollars?

**SUMMARY:** NOTE: This measure is STRICTLY ADVISORY for the County Commissioners and does not empower local government to construct a library or acquire land.

This is an advisory question regarding a proposed new building to house the Alsea Branch Library. This question asks whether voters believe that the new building should be sited on land adjacent to the boundaries of the Community of Alsea. Whether the building is located within these boundaries or adjacent to them **may restrict** the building size, available parking space, and landscaping potential of the proposed facility.

Alsea's current library is a branch of the Corvallis-Benton County Public Library system. Its operation is funded from County taxes expressly set aside for the county-wide library system. Operations of the proposed library would be paid for by the current level of taxes collected. All of the operating equipment, circulation and reference materials, as well as all the utilities and personnel expenses of the library is covered within the existing tax structure.

**No New Taxes:**

No local taxes would be used to construct or maintain the proposed building. Operations of the new library branch building would be paid for from the current taxes collected for the Corvallis-Benton County Public Library.

The site acquisition, building construction, and maintenance would be paid for with donations, contributions and grants of money, materials, and services or labor.

**This measure is strictly advisory for the Benton County Board of Commissioners. Voting yes or no on this measure does not empower local government to raise any revenue to construct or operate a library. A yes or no vote on this measure would not determine whether a new library branch is built in the Alsea community.**

## EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

**Background:**

The Alsea Strategic Planning Commission completed the Strategic Plan in December 1995. Alsea Community Effort (ACE) adopted the plan in May 1996. A new building for the branch library was identified as a high priority project in the Strategic Plan and subsequent reviews. The proposed Library project is a work in progress. The current branch library building contains 640 sq. ft. The State Librarian and the Oregon Library Association recommended a minimum library of 3,000 sq. ft. to meet the current and future needs of the community.

**Proposal:**

- The current proposal would be for ACE to build and own an approximately 4,000 sq. ft. building with public restrooms, a small office for ACE, and containing the normal library functional areas including a multi-purpose room.
- A number of potential sites were considered before the proposed site was chosen.
- The new building would be constructed on about an acre of Exclusive Farm Use (EFU) zoned land, immediately east of and adjacent to the school property, south of Highway 34.
- This site would provide the following: building space, off-street parking for 24 vehicles, landscaping, street lighting, curbside book return and possible expansion.

**Zoning:**

Because libraries are not specifically listed as permitted uses in Rural Residential, Commercial, or EFU zoned lands, the location of a new branch library building is subject to the approval of the County's Planning Official.

*(Submitted by the Benton County Board of Commissioners)*

# Benton County

## Measure No. 02-02

### ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

A library is for everyone. It is an essential ingredient in creating a strong, thriving community of which we can be proud. The children and adults of Alsea depend on a healthy community to support their growth and independence. We deserve a quality library.

#### Signatures in support of Measure 02-02

Ashley Antram	Olive Ruth Gordon
Lydia Avery	Wendy Diana Grace
Nate Avery	Gisela Green
Gary Barnes	Jackie Green
Allison Blount	Salty Green
Clark Bray	Vaughn Green
Garry Browning	Lori Greenfield
Gwen Bruneau	Tabby Griffith
Bev Butterworth	Bethany Hagen
John Butterworth	Janet Hagen
Linda Capriotti	Rolfe Hagen
Mary Ann Car	Gary Haley
Katrina Carver	Juliana Jo Haley
Dick Champion	Brenda Hanson
Nancy Chandler	Maxine Hanson
Erik Chustz	Brandon Hendrix
Sharon Chustz	Jacqueline Hendrix
John W. Clark	Kenneth Hendrix
Malea Clark-Nicholson	Dorris Herron
Rosalie Cobb-Ingram	Bonnie Hill
Emily Cooke	Caroline Hinds
Nancy Cooke	Joe Hinds
Timothy Cooke	Bill Hiscox
Lynn Cowdry	Pamela Hiscox
Toni Cowdry	Katherine Holdren
Dale Cox	James Howell
Kyle Curtis	Cleveland Jackson
Barbara Dallmann	Johnney Johnson
Charles Dallmann	Patsy Jones
Emily Dallmann	Hildegard Jordan
Merrie Damen	William Jordan
Jill De Wolfe	Tiffany Joyner
Carol De Young	Torry Joyner
Ron De Young	Garth Kahl
Alan Dimock	Bert Keltner
Diane Dimock	A.E. Kroenlein
Dale Doig	Mandy Kyle
Linda Doig	Grant Laiblin
Marina Donohue	Peggy Laiblin
William Patrick Donohue	Edward Lanning
Christopher Eaton	Kent Lanning
Nancy Eaton	Scott Lanning
Steve Elder	Grace Laughlin
Sharon Gauthier	Helen Laughlin
Mary Glade	Paul Laughlin
Steve Glade	
Bryce Gordon	

(This information furnished by Alsea Library Support Group)

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Stewart Laughlin	Carson Smith
Chris Leavitt	Shelly Smith
Janet Lee	Steven Smith
Edyth Lee-Barnes	George Spears
David Lewis	Marian Spears
Joan Lomax	Jeffrey Spielman
Tim Love	Ronald Spisso
Jodi Lukan	Don Stanwood
Patrick Lukan	Donna Stanwood
Wanda Lundgren	Jennifer Stanwood
Sheila Maddocks	Josh Stanwood
Leslie Maugham	Lawrence Stover
Muriel McCauley	Emma Strom
Carol McWilliams	Herman Strom
Jerry Miller	Stephen Tedrow
Tammy Miller	Donna Thurman
Steven Moore	Michele Thurman
Chava Neuhaus	Barbara Trask
Bettina Nichols	Steven Trask
Ageya Nigada	Pamela Turpen
Denise Nuñez	Anthony Vella
Debra Payne	Elizabeth Vella
Steven Payne	Kevin Ward
Donald Pellett	Gwen Watson
Donald Podmore	John Webster
Kay Podmore	Jane Westlind
Dan Ramsey	Billie Winney
Nancy Ramsey	Lisa Wolfe
Robert Reeves	Avanell Wren
Bruce Reininger	Debra Wyatt
Erica Reininger	John Youngbird-Holt
Lara Rose Reininger	Agatha Youtsey
Richard Riddle	
Barbara Robinson	
Don Robinson	
Robert Rose	
Patricia Roether-Miller	
Jesse Sapp	
Carla Schamber	
Timothy Schamber	
Catharyn Schreiber	
Carrie Schweich	
Dan Schweich	
Emily Schweich	
Joe Schweich	
Lindsey Schweich	
Melissa Schweich	
Helen Sease	
John Sease	
Joseph Sease	
Tara Shaw	
Darrell Shults	

(This information furnished by Alsea Library Support Group)

# Benton County

## Measure No. 02-02

### ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

The present Alsea Library building is in poor repair, too small, and in a noisy and unsafe location 4 feet off Highway 34. The new building and site plan include facilities which would enhance community access to:

- a book collection doubled in size
- more public use computer stations
- a multipurpose room for children's and adults' library programs, evening classes, tutoring, Night Court events
- 2 public restrooms
- adult, children's, and young adult reading areas
- parking for school sports events
- an office for Alsea Community Effort and Valley Voice newsletter

#### Why was this site chosen?

- only available site large enough for the planned building, parking area, and future expansion space
- easy, safe access from school for children
- close to town businesses
- creates a service hub for the town (school, clinic, library)
- leaves lots near Alsea businesses for commercial development
- leaves scarce existing home sites available for dwellings
- quiet--can be back from highway
- beautiful view

#### Who decided on this plan?

Anyone who wanted to join in the process. A majority of respondents to a community-wide survey favored building a new library in Alsea. 30 well-advertised library meetings, open to the public for input and voice in decisions, have ben held over 2-1/2 years. The State Librarian, an architect, local building contractors, county officials, Corvallis Library managers, Department of Transportation representatives, real estate appraiser, and legal counsel all lent their expertise to the carefully developed plan.

This information furnished by: Alsea Community Effort Board of Directors

- Carolynn Avery
- Gary Barnes
- Barbee Bird
- Paul Cooke
- Rolfe Hagen
- Russ Kaufman
- Bert Keltner
- Jeni Lanning
- Janet Lee
- Jackie Nichols
- Allan Rack
- Mary Rounds
- Marian Spears
- Louis (Mark) Swing

*(This information furnished by  
Alsea Community Effort Board of Directors)*

### ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

The ACE Library Plan is the subject of this advisory vote. As of September 10th, it is the only plan to design, build, fund, and own a new home for the Alsea Public Library. This plan has three years' of volunteer and paid professional work behind it. It is well researched, detailed, comprehensive, safe, fully documented, and most importantly, was publicly and openly developed by any and all who wanted to get involved. If this plan fails to clear the obstacles it faces, both natural and man-made, there is no other plan around which we can rally.

Opposition to the Library Plan appeared about 18 months ago. The folks whose names appear in opposition to this measure have used three months to criticize the plan because the library would be sited a block or two from where they think it should go or because it is larger than they want it to be. All of their concerns that were voiced publicly have been addressed in the Library Plan. If only one-tenth of the energy and resources used to oppose the ACE plan were instead used to develop an equally detailed and viable alternative, wouldn't you have a real choice today?

Alsea residents on both sides of this issue seem to agree this plan represents the best chance we've ever had to construct a new library in our town. It may be the last chance for a long time to finally give ourselves and our posterity the gift of a quality library. I'm not going to tell you this Library Plan isn't ambitious because it is, or that it's going to be easy to raise the money and pledges that we'll need, because it's not. But please, however you feel about the details of the plan, I urge you to vote yes on this measure to affirm your commitment to Alsea's future.

*(This information furnished by Russ Kaufman)*

## Benton County

# Measure No. 02-02

### ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

We are completely baffled as to why anyone would oppose something for which they do not have to pay and that would add so much to the community's livability and children's educational opportunities.

The Alsea Library Committee, in conjunction with the Alsea Community Effort (ACE), has spent three years holding public meetings and discussions with professional planners, architects and library personnel to identify the best location that will provide maximum usefulness and safety to the library users, especially the school children. During this development process, the committee created a sensible library design that both fulfills current library requirements and accommodates moderate future growth. Several thousand dollars and hundreds of volunteer hours have been expended to accomplish this first step, but we all understand that the real effort is yet to come.

The next step is to obtain the funding required to make our Alsea Library a reality. The ACE Directors have stated that work on the library will not begin until the full required funds, obtained through grants, contributions, and other non-tax sources, are available or in the bank. Only after this hurdle is passed can library construction, furnishing, stocking, staffing and the dozens of other necessary activities begin. The road to our library is long and hard but the pay-off for our present and future generations is enormous! ACE is the only legally constituted organization in the Alsea area that can provide the leadership, direction and authority to make all this happen. Thank you for supporting this important effort.

*(This information furnished by George Spears)*

### ARGUMENT IN OPPOSITION

The advisory vote ask for in measure 02-02 affects only the location of a new library building, either in the Town (Community) of Alsea or out of town on farmland zoned EFU.

Don't let the bias of the question confuse the issue, a new library building will be built, if the funds to defray the cost can be raised by donations, grants and contributions. The only question this vote addresses is where.

Please note the use of the word "Community" to mean the Town of Alsea.

There are enough lots for sale within the Town of Alsea that locating the library building in the town need not restrict the building size, parking or landscaping, contrary to the matter as stated in the summary.

Our committee asks for a NO vote on this measure. A NO vote may, in fact, advance the date on which a new library building can be completed. The process of gaining approval for a library within the Town of Alsea should be much less time consuming than the process of gaining approval of a site on EFU land, with all of the hearings and delays that are a part of that process, with no assurance of success.

We ask you to consider the increased danger that students that go to the library and then go to the store will be exposed to in walking along the shoulder of the highway. Whether you consider that increase to be mild or severe, why increase that danger any, by building in that out of town location?

Due to the word limitation of arguments, our committee is unable to have published in the voters pamphlet all of the information that we would like to present. Call our Treasurer if you want more information.

*(This information furnished by the Alsea Committee for a Safe and Sensible Library Building, Fred Hendrix, Treasurer)*

# City of Adair Village

## Measure No. 02-03

## Measure No. 02-04

### BALLOT TITLE

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#### GENERAL OBLIGATION WATER BOND REFINANCING AUTHORIZATION

**QUESTION:** Shall the City be authorized to contract a general obligation bonded indebtedness in an amount not to exceed \$340,000? If the Bonds are approved, they will be payable from taxes on property or property ownership that are not subject to the limits of Section 11 and 11b of Article XI of the Oregon Constitution.

**SUMMARY:** A "yes" vote on this measure is a vote to increase taxes. This measure authorizes issuance of general obligation bonds of not to exceed \$340,000, to refinance its Water Revenue Bond, Series 1997; and pay all costs. Bonds would mature over a period of not to exceed 17 years. The total projected estimated cost of the Bonds, principal and interest, assuming serial Bonds with a final maturity in 17 years at an average annual estimated interest rate of 5.92% would be \$522,468. The revenue (the average annual tax levy) is estimated to be \$30,734 annually. The estimated property tax rate, based on the foregoing assumptions, would be \$1.91 per \$1000 of assessed value.

#### GENERAL OBLIGATION WASTEWATER BOND REFINANCING AUTHORIZATION

**QUESTION:** Shall the City be authorized to contract a general obligation bonded indebtedness in an amount not to exceed \$275,000? If the Bonds are approved, they will be payable from taxes on property or property ownership that are not subject to the limits of Section 11 and 11b of Article XI of the Oregon Constitution.

**SUMMARY:** A "yes" vote on this measure is a vote to increase taxes. This measure authorizes issuance of general obligation bonds of not to exceed \$275,000, to refinance its Wastewater Revenue Bonds, Series 1997; and pay all costs. Bonds would mature over a period of not to exceed 17 years. The total projected estimated cost of the Bonds, principal and interest, assuming serial Bonds with a final maturity in 17 years at an average annual estimated interest rate of 5.92% would be \$420,518. The revenue (the average annual tax levy) is estimated to be \$25,336 annually. The estimated property tax rate, based on the foregoing assumptions, would be \$1.57 per \$1000 of assessed value.

### EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

Measure 02-03 is the result of the City Council resolution in support of submitting to the voters of the City of Adair Village the question of contracting a General Obligation Bonded Indebtedness in the amount of not to exceed \$340,000, to refinance its 1997 Water Revenue Bonds.

The measure would supplant or supplement, with property taxes, the existing monthly water charges necessary to make the loan payments for the 1997 bonded debt. This debt is now paid solely through user fees as part of the monthly water bill.

The General Obligation Bond provides an alternate means of paying the debt, while allowing for specific tax benefits not available under the rate schedule. It is expected that the anticipated tax rate provided would be reduced via a rate analysis that would take into account tax exempt properties within the City and consumers outside the City of Adair Village.

### EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

Measure 02-04 is the result of the City Council resolution in support of submitting to the voters of the City of Adair Village the question of contracting a General Obligation Bonded Indebtedness in the amount of not to exceed \$275,000, to refinance its 1997 Water Revenue Bonds.

The measure would supplant or supplement, with property taxes, the existing monthly wastewater charges necessary to make the debt payments. This debt is now paid primarily through user fees as part of the monthly wastewater bill.

The General Obligation Bond provides an alternate means of paying the debt, while allowing for specific tax benefits not available under the rate schedule. It is expected that the anticipated tax rate would be reduced via a rate analysis that would take into account tax exempt properties inside the City of Adair.

*(Submitted by the City of Adair Village)*

**NO ARGUMENTS FOR OR AGAINST THIS MEASURE WERE FILED.**

*(Submitted by the City of Adair Village)*

**NO ARGUMENTS FOR OR AGAINST THIS MEASURE WERE FILED.**

## City of Albany

# Measure No. 22-94

### BALLOT TITLE

AUTHORIZING GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS FOR A COMMUNITY FAMILY AQUATIC CENTER

**QUESTION:** SHALL THE CITY BE AUTHORIZED TO ISSUE GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS NOT EXCEEDING \$7,200,000 FOR A COMMUNITY FAMILY AQUATIC CENTER?

**SUMMARY:** A "YES" VOTE ON THIS MEASURE IS A VOTE TO INCREASE TAXES. THE TOTAL COST OF THE BONDS IS ESTIMATED AS: PRINCIPAL PAYMENTS \$7,200,000, INTEREST PAYMENTS \$5,521,000, AND COST OF ISSUANCE AND BOND ADMINISTRATION \$150,000 TO BE PAID PRIMARILY FROM BOND PROCEEDS. THE CITY ESTIMATES THAT ON AVERAGE THIS MEASURE WOULD RAISE ANNUAL TAX REVENUES IN THE AMOUNT OF \$531,000. THIS AMOUNT REPRESENTS THE ESTIMATED AMOUNT COLLECTED TO PAY PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST ON THE BONDS.

THIS MEASURE WOULD PROVIDE FUNDS TO ACQUIRE LAND AND CONSTRUCT, EQUIP AND FURNISH A COMMUNITY FAMILY AQUATIC CENTER FOR RECREATIONAL USE BY ALL AGES INCLUDING PARKING LOTS, UTILITIES, STREET IMPROVEMENTS, PERMITS, AND RELATED SITE IMPROVEMENTS; AND PAY BOND ISSUANCE COSTS. THE PROPOSED SITE WOULD ALSO PROVIDE LAND FOR A FUTURE LIBRARY.

THE ESTIMATED TAX RATE TO PAY AVERAGE ANNUAL DEBT SERVICE IS \$.35 per \$1,000 OF ASSESSED VALUE. THE BONDS WOULD MATURE IN 20 YEARS OR LESS.

### EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

**What would the bond measure buy?**

\$2 million would buy the land, including property that may be used for a future library.

\$4 million would build the Albany Family Aquatic Center.

\$1 million would pay for street improvements adjacent to the property.

\$200,000 would pay for bonding costs.

**Where would the Albany Family Aquatic Center be located?**

The 7-acre site is located south of Ninth Avenue, east of Oak Street, immediately adjacent to a new 12 acre baseball/soccer complex the Boys and Girls Club is building. The Council has determined that the site is the last large parcel of vacant land at the geographic center of Albany. Close proximity to the Periwinkle Bike Path provides access from several Albany neighborhoods by bike or on foot.

**What is a family aquatic center?**

A family aquatic center provides a place for people of all ages to swim and play in the water. The Albany Family Aquatic Center would include:

- Approximately 14,000 square feet of pool surface area.
- 150 lineal feet of beach-like access, with shallow water for wading, sitting or splashing.
- Assorted interactive water features where users can open and close valves to change water flow, walk through geyser, and under waterfalls.
- A multi-flume slide where up to four small children can slide into

the water all at once.

- A waterside tower with two long winding waterslides.
- A multi-purpose swimming area.
- Food concessions.
- Parking for cars and bicycles.

The Family Aquatic Center would be in a park-like setting with grass sunbathing areas, a sand volleyball court, group picnic shelters, and large shade canopies both in and out of the water.

**What if the Bond Measure fails?**

Without voter approval, the City does not have money to buy the property, build the aquatic center, or provide Albany residents with a large public outdoor pool. The property proposed for the Family Aquatic Center may not be available in the future.

**Why not replace Swanson Pool?**

Swanson Pool was built in 1938 and was expected to last about 30 years. Now, 62 years later, Swanson Pool has failed and needs to be completely replaced. Meanwhile, Albany has grown substantially. Swanson Pool, when new, could accommodate up to 120 users at one time. The proposed family aquatic center would serve up to 1,200 people at one time or 3% of Albany's current population.

Swanson Park is a small neighborhood park and has very little space available for parking or to expand the pool facilities.

**How would the bond measure affect property taxes?**

The bond measure is expected to cost the owner of a \$100,000 home about \$35 per year in property taxes over a 20-year period, or about \$3 a month.

*(Submitted by Dave Clark, Parks & Recreation Director)*

**NO ARGUMENTS FOR OR AGAINST THIS MEASURE WERE FILED.**

## City of Albany

# Measure No. 22-95

### BALLOT TITLE

**AUTHORIZING GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS FOR STREET IMPROVEMENTS**

**QUESTION:** SHALL THE CITY BE AUTHORIZED TO ISSUE GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS IN AN AMOUNT NOT EXCEEDING \$10,000,000 FOR STREET IMPROVEMENTS?

**SUMMARY:** A "YES" VOTE ON THIS MEASURE IS A VOTE TO INCREASE TAXES. THE TOTAL COST OF THE BONDS IS ESTIMATED AS: PRINCIPAL PAYMENTS \$10,000,000, INTEREST PAYMENTS \$7,689,000 AND COST OF ISSUANCE AND BOND ADMINISTRATION \$150,000 TO BE PAID PRIMARILY FROM BOND PROCEEDS. THE CITY ESTIMATES THAT ON AVERAGE THIS MEASURE WOULD RAISE ANNUAL TAX REVENUES IN THE AMOUNT OF \$737,000. THIS AMOUNT REPRESENTS THE ESTIMATED AMOUNT COLLECTED TO PAY PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST ON THE BONDS.

THIS MEASURE WOULD FINANCE THE COSTS OF CAPITAL CONSTRUCTION AND CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS FOR TRANSPORTATION, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, PROPERTY ACQUISITION AND THE IMPROVEMENT OF THE FOLLOWING STREETS WITH APPROPRIATE SUPPORT FACILITIES: HILL STREET - 9th Avenue to 34th Avenue; 5th AVENUE - Elm Street to Washington Street; NORTH ALBANY ROAD - Highway 20 to the railroad tracks; OAK STREET - 9th Avenue to Queen Ave AND PAY ISSUANCE COSTS. THE ESTIMATED TAX RATE TO PAY AVERAGE ANNUAL DEBT SERVICE IS \$.49 PER \$1,000 OF ASSESSED VALUE. THE BONDS WOULD MATURE IN 20 YEARS OR LESS.

### EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

#### What are the proposed projects?

- Hill Street from Ninth Avenue to 34th Avenue.
- North Albany Road from Highway 20 to the railroad tracks.
- Fifth Avenue from Elm Street to Washington Street.
- Oak Street from Ninth Avenue to Queen Avenue.

#### Why did the City choose these streets?

- The City Council determined that these streets are important routes through Albany. All four are in poor condition, and need to be rebuilt and in some cases expanded to improve traffic flow.
- In the spring of 1998, the City Council surveyed Albany residents to ask them for a list of streets that most needed to be improved. In November of that year, voters approved a bond measure of \$9.85 million to rebuild the first four streets on that list - Salem Avenue, Elm Street, Santiam Road and 34th Avenue. This new bond measure would continue rebuilding more streets on that list.

#### How much would it cost?

If voters approved the bonds, they would be sold later this year and property owners would begin paying taxes on the bonds next fall. The tax rate for the bonds is estimated at 49 cents per thousand dollars of assessed value. Homes assessed at \$100,000 would pay \$49 per year over the 20-year life of the bonds, or about \$4 a month, for example. Because of Ballot Measure 50, your home's assessed value is likely less than its market value. Also, unless you make substantial improvements, your home's

assessed value can only increase a maximum of 3 percent per year.

#### Can the streets be fixed without a bond measure?

Albany has less than half the money required each year to do routine maintenance on our streets. Funding for the street system comes largely from the state gasoline tax, which has been fixed for many years, unlike gas prices, and continues to erode with inflation. Some money from the General Fund has been used to help close the gap in street maintenance funding. Because of other General Fund needs, no additional General Fund money is available for street reconstruction.

#### What if the bond measure fails?

The City has no other sources of money for rebuilding poor quality streets. The City Engineer has determined these four streets need to be completely rebuilt. Some limited funding is being added to the North Albany Road and Hill Street Projects from systems development charges and the gas tax capital fund. However, if this bond measure were not approved, the projects would be greatly reduced or delayed indefinitely.

New development pays a fee for future streets, but those funds cannot be used to fix existing deteriorated streets. The City Council has not identified any other funding source for major street reconstruction.

*(Submitted by Floyd Collins, Public Works Director)*

**NO ARGUMENTS FOR OR AGAINST  
THIS MEASURE WERE FILED.**

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# Measure No. 22-96

### BALLOT TITLE

#### FIVE-YEAR OPERATING LOCAL OPTION TAX

**QUESTION:** SHALL THE CITY OF ALBANY IMPOSE \$.64 PER \$1,000 ASSESSED VALUE TO MAINTAIN SERVICES BEGINNING 2001-2002 FOR FIVE YEARS?

**SUMMARY:** A "YES" VOTE ON THIS MEASURE IS A VOTE TO INCREASE TAXES. THE ADDITIONAL TAX REVENUE WILL BE USED TO PROVIDE FUNDS FOR THE GENERAL OPERATION OF THE CITY, INCLUDING, STREET MAINTENANCE, FIRE/AMBULANCE AND POLICE SERVICES, LIBRARY OPERATING HOURS, PARKS AND RECREATIONAL PROGRAMS, AND STREET LIGHTING.

A RATE OF \$.64 PER \$1,000 OF ASSESSED VALUE IS ESTIMATED TO RAISE \$1,225,000 IN FISCAL YEAR 2001-2002, \$1,262,000 IN FISCAL YEAR 2002-2003, \$1,300,000 IN FISCAL YEAR 2003-2004, \$1,338,000 IN FISCAL YEAR 2004-2005, AND \$1,378,000 IN FISCAL YEAR 2005-2006, OR A TOTAL OF \$6,503,000 OVER FIVE YEARS. THE ESTIMATED TAX COST FOR THIS MEASURE IS AN ESTIMATE ONLY BASED ON THE BEST INFORMATION AVAILABLE FROM THE COUNTY ASSESSORS OF LINN AND BENTON COUNTIES AT THE TIME OF THE ESTIMATE.

### EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

#### Background:

Over the past several years, property tax limitations have restricted the use of property tax revenues for City operations. Since revenues have been restricted, the City has used diminishing reserves to continue these programs.

State ballot measures have limited property taxes revenues to a 3 percent increase each year, plus taxes generated by new construction and growth in assessed value. Growth in other revenues, which support general operating departments, is less than 3 percent.

All City departments are experiencing an increasing workload and requests for services because of growth in the community. Inflation makes balancing the budget difficult as well.

The City's cash balance at the end of fiscal 1998-1999 was lower than anticipated, and each department made mid-year adjustments to reduce planned spending to avoid a deficit for 1999-2000 fiscal year. The City's 2000-2001 General Fund Budget has been balanced by reductions in most City departments, contingency funds, and capital projects and by reducing contributions to reserves that were created for equipment replacement, and building maintenance. The Parks & Recreation contingency has been reduced significantly as well.

The City conducted a community survey in May 2000 to determine which City services Albany residents consider important and which, if any, they would pay more to support. This local option tax levy reflects those survey results.

#### How will this affect my taxes?

The City would levy 64 cents per \$1,000 of assessed value to raise about \$1,225,000 in 2001-2002; \$1,262,000 in 2002-2003; \$1,300,000 in 2003-04; and \$1,338,000 in 2004-05 and \$1,378,000 in 2005-2006, or a total of \$6,503,000 over five years. The measure is expected to cost the owner of a \$100,000 home

an additional \$64 in taxes per year, or about \$5.33 per month.

The money would go to street maintenance programs, including pothole repairs, slurry sealing and thin overlays; street lighting costs; maintain current staff in the police and fire/ambulance services; keep the Albany Public Library open evenings and Sundays; and continue many park and recreation activities.

#### What if the levy fails?

The City Council would face some difficult decisions. This year's General Fund and Parks & Recreation budgets total just over \$18.3 million. Of the total, the Police Department is allocated \$5.79 million; Fire, \$4.16 million; Parks & Recreation, \$3.04 million and Library, \$1.25 million. With \$1.2 million less in the next year, many city services would likely be cut back.

The Council and Budget Committee will meet shortly after the first of the year to work on the 2001-2002 budget. The first task will be to carefully analyze the combined effects of the City ballot measures and statewide funding initiatives. If reductions in service are required, the Council has expressed the intention to give priority to public safety and protecting property. However, if the operating levy fails, reductions are likely in all departments.

*(Submitted by Ken Thompson, Assistant City Manager)*

**NO ARGUMENTS FOR OR AGAINST THIS MEASURE WERE FILED.**



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City of Corvallis

**Measure No. 22-97**

**Measure No. 02-94**

**BALLOT TITLE**

**BALLOT TITLE**

A MEASURE PROPOSING ANNEXATION OF PROPERTY ADJOINING MORAGA AVENUE

**QUESTION:** SHALL THE 12.55-ACRE PROPERTY ADJOINING MORAGA AVENUE BE ANNEXED?

**SUMMARY:** APPROVAL OF THIS MEASURE WOULD ANNEX APPROXIMATELY 12.55 ACRES TO THE CITY OF ALBANY. THE PROPERTY TO BE ANNEXED IS GENERALLY LOCATED WEST OF MORAGA AVENUE, NORTH OF THE UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD RIGHT-OF-WAY, AND SOUTH OF THE ALBANY-SANTIAM CANAL. UPON ANNEXATION, THE PROPERTY WOULD BE ZONED RS-6.5 (SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL).

CITY OF CORVALLIS BONDS FOR OPEN SPACE ACQUISITION

**QUESTION:** Shall the City issue \$7,900,000 in General Obligation bonds to acquire land for natural areas, habitat protection, and recreational opportunities?

**SUMMARY:** A "yes" vote on this measure is a vote to increase taxes. Bond proceeds for approximate acreage:

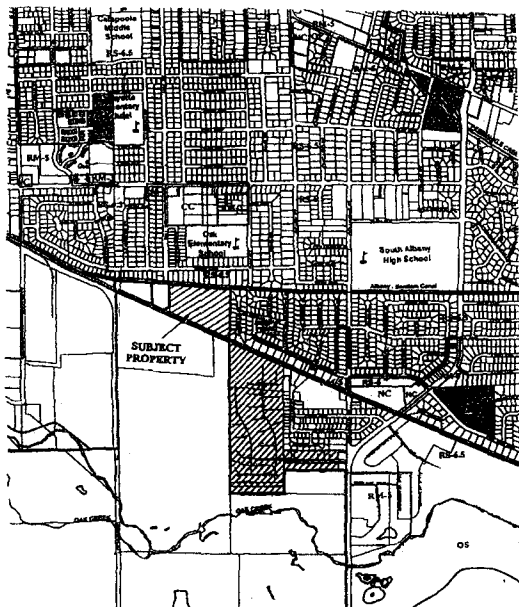
- ▶ Caldwell - 33 acres wooded corridor along Marys River, south Corvallis
- ▶ Frager - 35 acres containing oak woodlands, recreational access, west Corvallis.
- ▶ Herbert - 221 acres streamside habitat; confluence Marys River/Muddy Creek, south Corvallis; joint purchase with Trust for Public Land.
- ▶ Owens Farm - 113 acres containing oak woodlands and open fields; scenic northern gateway into Corvallis; remaining 152 acres purchased by Good Samaritan Hospital and Greenbelt Land Trust.
- ▶ Timberhill - 47 acres abutting Chip Ross Park, provides recreational access, north Corvallis.

Land owners are willing sellers. Land costs based upon appraisals and negotiations. Purchases will not block development.

Bonds finance acquisition costs and access improvements. Bonds reduced if land is not acquired. Lands purchased by City will remain open space in perpetuity.

Estimated tax rate is 25¢ per \$1,000 of assessed value; a \$37.50 tax increase for a \$150,000 home. The projected total cost of 20 year bonds, including interest, is \$14,000,000. Measure projected to produce \$700,000 annually to pay bonds.

EXHIBIT A  
ZONING MAP  
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**EXPLANATORY STATEMENT**

The Albany City Council has referred to the Albany voters the question of annexation for the property located west of Moraga Avenue, between the Albany-Santiam Canal and the Union Pacific Railroad right-of-way; a 12.55-acre portion of a 122-acre parcel. The parcel is currently an undeveloped grass field.

The property owner has requested annexation in order to market the property for sale. If annexed, the property would come into the City zoned RS-6.5 (Residential Single Family). Funding for the public infrastructure needed to serve this parcel upon development will be the sole responsibility of the property owner. The current owner of the property has no development plans at this time.

*(Submitted by Mike Leopard, Engineering Technician IV)*

**NO ARGUMENTS FOR OR AGAINST THIS MEASURE WERE FILED.**

**EXPLANATORY STATEMENT**

Measure 02-94 allows City of Corvallis to purchase five properties, totally approximately 450 acres for open space. Purpose of acquisition to preserve, enhance and protect stream areas, wetlands, oak savannahs, and provide passive recreation opportunities. Properties selected using criteria established by the citizen-based Open Space Advisory Commission. Properties to be kept in open space for perpetuity. Descriptions of parcels follow:

**Caldwell (33 acres):**

- Property is a stream side area and flood plain.
- Property runs adjacent to the Marys River and wetlands that contains flood plains ideal for wildlife habitat.
- Property provides opportunities for passive and educational recreation including birdwatching and plant identification.

**Frager (35 acres):**

- The majority of the property contains native oak woodlands and mixed conifer forest.
- Property can support trails for passive recreation and wildlife viewing.

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### Herbert (221 acres):

- Property is farmland with native oak groves, a diversity of plant communities, and approximately one mile of Marys River and Muddy Creek frontage.
- Confluence of the Marys River and Muddy Creek converge on property offering a diversity of wildlife habitat and plant communities.
- Views to the surrounding countryside, the Marys River, Marys Peak, and Dimple Hill.

### Owens Farm (113 acres):

- Portions of the property are flood plains of Jackson and Frazier Creeks. Property contains wetlands, offering a refuge for bird and aquatic wildlife.
- Approximately 18% of site is oak groves.
- Gateway views to the surrounding countryside and City

## ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

### Open Space for a Livable Corvallis!

We strongly support the acquisition of open space. **Vote YES** on **Measure 02-94** to guarantee that the selected properties—450 acres of our most treasured open spaces—remain that way forever!

Why do we need open space in Corvallis?

#### 1. Protect habitat for native plants and animals:

The five properties in this measure contain precious wetlands, riparian woodlands, oak savannas, and open meadows. Native plants and animals dependent on these habitats are rapidly losing out to development in Corvallis and the Willamette Valley. **Vote YES** to save habitat!

#### 2. Maintain water quality and lessen the impact of flooding:

Each property has wetlands or streamside woodlands that filter pollution, capture runoff, and release stormwater slowly. These features are important for water quality and for protecting flood-prone neighborhoods along Dixon, Oak, Jackson, and Frazier Creeks and the Marys River.

#### 3. Provide recreation:

Open space in Corvallis will provide all citizens—not just a privileged few—with accessible and equitable opportunities for recreation. Three properties are serviced by bus routes and bike lanes and are within walking distance of local neighborhoods. Having open space in the city makes it possible for people to walk or bike to these areas, thus reducing our reliance on automobiles.

#### 4. Preserve viewsheds:

The hills and fields surrounding Corvallis give our community a sense of serenity and comfort. Preserve scenic viewsheds by passing the bond measure.

#### 5. For community well being:

A community that cares for its land is one that cares for its people. Open space will enhance the livability of our town. It will make Corvallis an attractive place for new and sustainable businesses, and encourage the development of more compact, affordable housing.

**Let's create a legacy to be proud of -**

**Vote YES on Measure 02-94!**

Corvallis Environmental Center  
Conservation Committee – Audubon Society of Corvallis  
Native Plant Society of Oregon – Corvallis Chapter  
Oregon Clean Water Coalition

*(Submitted by the City of Corvallis)*

**NO ARGUMENTS AGAINST  
THIS MEASURE WERE FILED.**

*(This information furnished by Corvallis Environmental Center)*

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### ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

**The Greenbelt Land Trust Board of Directors** urges you to **Vote YES on Measure 02-94** ! Passage of this bond measure will **secure the purchase of almost 450 acres** of diverse natural areas throughout the Corvallis community. Don't let this moment slip past us!

**Purchase of these properties** preserves streams and wetlands to maintain and improve water quality, protects important fish and wildlife habitat and provides natural areas and recreational lands near neighborhoods.

Inclusion of these lands into our community builds upon the Corvallis tradition of integrating open space into the fabric of our community. **For over 10 years the Greenbelt Land Trust** has worked with the Corvallis community to enhance our city's livability through the purchase of open space.

**The Greenbelt is committed to raising an additional \$ 1.1 million in donations** from our 600 members and other community members to go toward purchase and maintenance of open space. This combination of private and public bond dollars will secure protection of some of the most recognized and important lands in our community. These lands will be accessible to all residents. Working together allows us to achieve much more than either the City or the Greenbelt could achieve alone.

**Now is an excellent time to build upon what we have** and add properties similar to Bald Hill Park and Chip Ross Park. Community open spaces provide access to the natural world, protect important habitats and serve as a place of rest, relaxation and recreation for everyone regardless of income level or place of residence.

**Healthy communities are nurtured and sustained within their natural settings.** These settings help to define our community's identity and sustain its sense of place.

**We urge you to vote YES on Measure 02-94 !**

*(This information submitted by  
Greenbelt Land Trust Board of Directors)*

### ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

Preserve It Now -or- Lose it Forever

We can't create more open spaces than we have now, we can only preserve them or lose them forever! Many Northwest communities are rapidly losing their natural assets. Corvallis has a chance to maintain a balance of amenities and opportunities that will keep our community a desirable place to live, work, and learn.

This is our last chance to preserve Corvallis' most outstanding feature - urban living within natural surroundings. Only minutes from our front doors young, old, rich, or poor can walk hillsides and meadows, enjoy streams, and view wildlife. Generations of Corvallis residents have worked and played in these open spaces. Their stories, whether Native Americans, pioneers, farmers, ranchers, or loggers, take place in natural outdoor places. Your decision on Measure 02-94 will determine if we preserve this heritage or lose it forever.

What about the cost?

For under \$40/year to the average homeowner, we can continue to live with natural beauty as part of the Corvallis life. Measure 02-94 is the product of five years of careful planning and citizen input. The lands selected meet rigorous criteria for over-all cost effectiveness such as 1) buying land from willing sellers, 2) choosing land that would not be used for affordable housing, and 3) assuring the land contains important natural features. Ironically, if these lands are not preserved, they may cost the taxpayer more in the long run for city services, utilities, and flood controls.

As open spaces become rarer, they become more expensive. We will never again be able to find or afford these open spaces. Measure 02-94 is an excellent value.

Preserve what is irreplaceable!

The Friends of Timberhill Meadows is a coalition of individuals, and conservation and recreation groups from throughout the city. Join with us in voting YES for Corvallis Open Space!

Very Sincerely,

Erik Osborn

For

The Friends of Timberhill Meadows

*(This information furnished by  
The Friends of Timberhill Meadows)*

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# Measure No. 02-94

### ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

**Open space and recreation areas protect the natural character and livability of a community.**

Citizens For Preserving the Frager Property as a City Open Space Park urge a **YES** vote on the City of Corvallis' Open Space Bond Measure on November 7.

All of the recommended properties in the Corvallis Open Space Bond Measure: Owens Farm, Timberhill-Chip Ross Park Extension, Frager, Caldwell South Farm, and Herbert Farm are cherished by Corvallis residents for many reasons.

For instance, five times in the past 25 years citizens have voted to defeat development on the Frager Property. Now citizens have an opportunity to preserve a portion of it.

- The proposed Frager park land provides a scenic open space park in West Corvallis that is accessible to the community by walking or biking.
- The 35-acre Frager parcel is uniquely beautiful, containing native oak woodlands and mature Douglas fir forest.
- As more development occurs, this property will become invaluable as a large inner city open space park since it will connect to Woodland Meadow Park at Witham Hill.

**Three areas: Timberhill, Frager, and Owens Farm are currently under development pressure. Saving these beautiful areas can only be done now. This is the time to preserve all of the city's proposed open space properties for future generations.**

PLEASE VOTE **YES** FOR THE  
CORVALLIS OPEN SPACE  
BOND MEASURE **02-94** ON NOVEMBER 7.

*(This information furnished by Citizens For Preserving  
The Frager Property as a City Open Space Park)*

### ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

**Open Space Is Good For Corvallis Business!**

People visiting from out of town marvel at the ready accessibility of our open space. We don't have to spend much time or energy getting to a place from which to enjoy a view, a quiet walk, or other form of recreation.

These five open spaces, spread amongst a variety of Corvallis neighborhoods, will benefit all our neighbors.

Easily accessible open space encourages people to use it.

A community that is vibrant and healthy will attract and support a wide variety of business opportunities.

As our community grows, we need to show foresight in setting aside the more valuable resources that have made Corvallis the business opportunity that it is today.

What better investment can we make in our community than to spend our hard earned money on open space that benefits Corvallis reputation as a livable community.

Support Corvallis current and future business.

Vote YES on Measure 02-94!

*(This information furnished by Michael Easter,  
Owner of Cyclotopia)*

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### ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

Measure 02-94 demonstrates the very best of our community vision. It is citizen developed. It is based on public-private partnerships that enhance its benefits. It is forward thinking. A YES vote will leave a natural legacy for our community.

Measure 02-94 originates in the work of citizen volunteers on the Open Space Advisory Commission. The properties were selected by a thorough public process. First, the citizen-led Commission developed detailed review criteria to rank the value and desirability of open space lands. These criteria ranged from scenic views and recreational opportunities to habitat and water quality preservation. The Commission reviewed existing open space and park plans, and took input at a number of community forums to identify lands important to the community for protection. The Commission and City contacted numerous interested property owners. Using its review criteria, the Commission then ranked these properties, and the City Counsel selected the properties included in this measure.

Purchasing these properties will protect more than 450 acres of oak woodlands and meadows, scenic views, and streamside habitat and wetlands. These lands will provide natural areas and recreational opportunities near many neighborhoods in the city. The properties are well distributed around the community, reflecting the balanced approach of the Commission.

The City has also developed valuable partnerships with the Greenbelt Land Trust and other private parties to share the costs of open space. For example, the Greenbelt Land Trust has committed \$1.0 million toward the purchase of Owen's farm, the scenic northern gateway into Corvallis. These partnerships provide wonderful opportunities for our community.

We urge you to VOTE YES ON 02-04!!

*(This information furnished by Cary B. Stephens, David Zajicek, R. Charles Vars, Jr.)*

### ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

**VOTE YES** on 02-94 to protect natural areas for open space and recreation for all!

This measure ensures 450 acres of significant natural areas in and near Corvallis are protected. The properties include streams, wetlands, oak hillsides, mature woodlands and meadows and:

- Preserves streams and wetlands, maintaining and improving water quality
- Protects important fish and wildlife habitat
- Provides nearby natural areas for recreation
- Preserve the distinctive natural setting of our community as Corvallis grows
- Leverages over \$1 million dollars of private funds

Since 1996 the Open Space Commission has worked on an open space program. They developed criteria and priority rankings for lands to be considered and weighed lands against these criteria. They analyzed properties and recommended only lands that met the strict criteria established.

They did everything that the City Council and citizens asked for, including:

- Only considered lands with willing sellers
- Leveraged other funding
- Analyzed the benefit to the community of each property
- Carefully considered competing priorities
- Partnered with business interests

The City Council examined the purchase options, the Open Space Commission analysis and public testimony, and weighed the open space proposal against other community needs. They significantly reduced the amount of acreage being considered from more than 800 to the approximately 450 acres proposed.

The open space purchase will:

- Maintain the natural setting of our community
- Connect parks to open space and neighborhoods
- Realize our vision for Corvallis for the future
- Provide way to link people, places and nature

Help realize our community vision to be "an environmentally-aware community with distinctive open space and natural features, protected habitats, parks and outdoor recreation". We strongly urge you to vote YES. You may not get another chance. Once the land is gone.....

Helen Berg  
 Mike Beilstein  
 Charlie Tomlinson  
 George Grosch  
 Tom Wogaman

Betty Griffiths  
 Walt Schmidt  
 Tony Howell  
 Patrick Peters  
 Ed Barlow-Pieterick

*(This information furnished by Corvallis City Council)*

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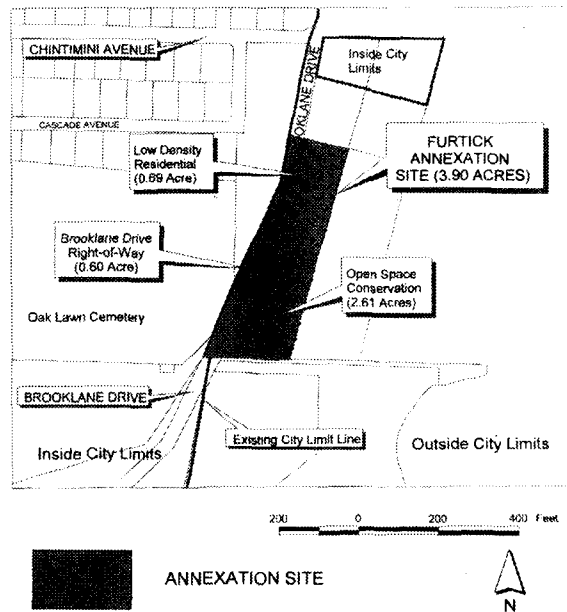
### BALLOT TITLE

#### A MEASURE PROPOSING ANNEXATION OF THE FURTICK PROPERTY

**QUESTION:** Shall the 3.9 - acre Furtick property, generally located east of Brooklane Drive between Chintimini Avenue and SW Kalapuya Circle, be annexed?

**SUMMARY:** Approval of this measure would annex approximately 3.9 acres (3.3 acres of vacant property and 0.6 acre of City-owned right-of-way on Brooklane Drive) to the City of Corvallis. The Furtick property to be annexed is primarily east of Brooklane Drive, south of Chintimini Avenue and north of SW Kalapuya Circle, and lies entirely within Benton County. Upon annexation, the property outside the City-owned right-of-way would be zoned 2.61 acres as PD/AG-OS (Agriculture - Open Space with a Planned Development overlay) and 0.69 acres as PD/RS-6 (Low Density Residential with a Planned Development overlay).

### FURTICK ANNEXATION



### EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

The 3.9-acre property proposed for annexation is located within the Corvallis Urban Growth Boundary, generally located east of Brooklane Drive, south of Chintimini Avenue and north of SW Kalapuya Circle. Development is required to be consistent with the City's Comprehensive Plan which identifies this area as a combination of Open Space - Conservation and Low Density Residential (2-6 dwelling units per acre). If annexed, the site would be zoned with 2.61 acres as PD/AG-OS (Agriculture - Open Space with a Planned Development overlay), 0.69 acres as PD/RS-6 (Low Density Residential with a Planned Development overlay), and 0.6 acre of public right-of-way.

The City's Comprehensive Plan permits open space uses and a

range of 1 to 5 residential dwelling units for this site. Over 70% of the site contains wetlands designated as open space. The annexation request included drawings to illustrate how the site could potentially be developed with a single row of residential lots. The wetlands would remain as open space with buildable areas confined to a narrow strip of uplands adjacent to Brooklane Drive. Any new development proposals will require public hearing review to assure compliance with the Comprehensive Plan policies and Land Development Code.

The eventual need to annex and develop this land was identified in 1980 when the City's Comprehensive Plan and Urban Growth Boundary were originally established. City ordinance specifies that developers will be responsible for on-site and off-site costs associated with street and utility improvements needed for land and development projects. City water and sewer facilities are located within Brooklane Drive. The City has adopted the Brooklane Drive Corridor Study providing a design for street improvements including bicycle and pedestrian facilities connecting to Brooklane Park Estates.

The most significant impacts of eventual development include potential impacts upon the wetlands, floodplain, increase population and increased traffic. The Comprehensive Plan Map designation of Open Space - Conservation on 2.61 acres of the site will limit the buildable portion of the site to 0.69 acres of Low Density Residential land. Additionally, the proposed Planned Development overlay zoning designations will require Planning Commission approval of development proposals to encourage designs compatible with the wetlands, preserve the significant vegetation and maintain water quality. The property is located in the 100-year floodplain. All future development will be required to meet special construction requirements related to flood protection and to provide street improvements to accommodate increased traffic impacts.

The City Council has found the annexation request to be consistent with the policies of the Comprehensive Plan and other City and State policies and standards.

Citizens are encouraged to become informed about the annexation request. Full copies of the project's staff reports and Planning Commission and City Council hearing minutes are available at the Corvallis-Benton County Public Library (645 NW Monroe Avenue) and at the Community Development Department at City Hall (501 SW Madison Avenue, 766-6908, E-mail: [planning@ci.corvallis.or.us](mailto:planning@ci.corvallis.or.us))

*(This information submitted by the City of Corvallis)*

**NO ARGUMENTS FOR OR AGAINST THIS MEASURE WERE FILED.**

# City of Monroe

## Measure No. 02-98

## Measure 02-99

### BALLOT TITLE

#### GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS FOR WATER SYSTEM

**QUESTION:** Shall the City be authorized to issue up to \$575,000 of general obligation bonds for water system improvements? If the bonds are approved, they will be payable from taxes on property or property ownership that are not subject to the limits of Section 11 and 11b of Article XI of the Oregon Constitution.

**SUMMARY:** A "yes" vote on this measure is a vote to increase taxes. This measure, (Phase I of a two phase project), will permit the City to issue up to \$575,000 in general obligation bonds to finance costs of capital construction and improvements related to a new water system. Phase I construction includes a 1,000,000 gallon reservoir, replacement of existing distribution lines and construction of a dedicated transmission line for the reservoir. The bonds will mature over forty years. The total estimated cost of the bonds, including interest estimated at 4.5% and a forty-year payment schedule, is \$1,249,900. The annual property tax levy to pay the bonds is estimated to be \$31,250. The bond cost estimate is \$1.65 per \$1,000 of assessed property value per year.

### EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

A "yes" vote on this measure is a vote to increase taxes. Approval of this measure by the voters would allow the City of Monroe to issue up to \$575,000 in general obligation bonds to finance costs of capital construction and improvements related to a new water system. The estimated tax rate would be \$1.65 for each \$1,000 assessed property value. The bonds would be paid off with a time period not to exceed 40 years from taxes on property within the City of Monroe.

The City Council has referred this measure to the voters based upon conditions and requirements established by the Oregon Health Department's (OHD), Drinking Water Program, the Environmental Protection Agency, Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) and the Federal Safe Drinking Water Act of 1996.

This bond measure allows the City to work in cooperation with Rural Development on a water grant to improve the water quality, supply for fire protection, and water consumption needs for the next generations. Such bonds will secure the City's portion of a 50/50 matching grant.

A "no" vote maintains the current water system and leaves the City below standards as set forth in a Mutual Agreement and Order (MAO) with OHD and DEQ to meet Federal and State requirements. Therefore, placing the City under potential Federal and State mandated service rates.

The construction project calls for improvement of the current water system. These improvements have been laid out in two phases. Phase I of the project will include a \$1,000,000 gallon water tank, replacing existing distribution lines and construction of a dedicated supply line to the new water tank. Phase 2 will be evaluated based upon Phase I implementation and come at a later time if deemed necessary.

Construction is anticipated to begin in the first quarter of 2001 with voter approval of this bond measure.

*(This information submitted by Aaron Palmquist,  
Acting City Recorder, City of Monroe)*

**NO ARGUMENTS FOR OR AGAINST  
THIS MEASURE WERE FILED.**

### BALLOT TITLE

#### MEASURE ADOPTING A REVISED CHARTER FOR THE CITY OF MONROE

**QUESTION:** Shall THE PROPOSED City of Monroe Charter 2000 be adopted?

**SUMMARY:** This measure proposes replacement of the 1956 City of Monroe Charter with the City of Monroe Charter of 2000. Many of the provisions contained in the 1956 charter have either become outdated or are covered by State law. The new charter does not change from the mayor/council form of city government. If approved, the new charter will take effect January 1, 2001. The charter may be amended only by a vote of the people.

### EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

The City of Monroe was incorporated in 1914. Most municipal charters of the time contained lengthy lists of specific powers and functions that a city was authorized to exercise or perform. The City of Monroe was no exception. Citizens of that time felt that a very detailed charter specification of city powers and functions afforded protection against arbitrary or unwanted actions by city officials. This practice of listing specific city powers, however, made it difficult for a city to respond to changing State laws, circumstances and needs.

Consequently, as developing cities began experiencing management difficulties because of the complexity of their old-style charters, a trend developed toward stating municipal powers in broader and more general terms. Since the 1930's more than half of Oregon cities have adopted new charters that confer municipal powers in general terms rather than by enumeration of specific charter provisions. The advantage is twofold: Individual citizens may directly participate in community government, and individual cities may acquire the flexibility to respond to changing State laws, circumstances, and needs.

The proposed City of Monroe 2000 Charter is based on the idea that the charter – the constitution of the City – should deal with the basic and broad fundamentals of community government, should be as concise as possible, and should be adaptable to changing laws and conditions and therefore not need frequent amendment.

Adoption of the proposed City of Monroe 2000 Charter will remove a lengthy list of old-style charter provisions, including specific grants of power, that have become obsolete because of State and Federal legislative acts or, simply, because the passage of time has made the provision irrelevant.

The proposed City of Monroe 2000 Charter retains the Mayor/Council form of government adopted in the City's original charter. The proposed charter describes the powers of the City, the powers and duties of its officer, the making of ordinances, and municipal court proceedings.

Adoption of the proposed City of Monroe 2000 Charter will allow the people of Monroe to join the majority of Oregon communities that seek to avail themselves of self determination in municipal affairs to the fullest extent possible.

*(This information submitted by Aaron Palmquist,  
Acting City Recorder, City of Monroe)*

**NO ARGUMENTS FOR OR AGAINST  
THIS MEASURE WERE FILED.**

# City of Philomath

## Measure No. 02-92

### BALLOT TITLE

#### ORDINANCE REGULATING SMOKING IN WORKPLACES AND ENCLOSED PUBLIC PLACES

**QUESTION:** Shall the ordinance regulating smoking in workplaces and enclosed public places be adopted.

**SUMMARY:** This ordinance would prohibit smoking in all enclosed public places that are within the City, including but not limited to: elevators, restrooms, lobbies, reception areas, hallways, all forms of public transportation, retail stores, businesses, restaurants and bars. It requires all employers to provide a smoke free workplace. The ordinance excludes private residences, rented motel and hotel rooms and retail tobacco shops. The ordinance requires the posting of no smoking signs in every building and provides penalties for any violations of the ordinance.

### EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

The Philomath City Council, after reviewing public testimony in March and April, 2000, has elected to place City Ordinance #684, an ordinance regulating smoking in workplaces and enclosed public places, before the voters of Philomath. The City Council exercised its right to place this matter before the Philomath electorate rather than attempt to pass this ordinance under its authority as the City Council.

This ordinance would prohibit smoking in all enclosed public places that are within the City, including but not limited to: elevators, restrooms, lobbies, reception areas, hallways, all forms of public transportation, retail stores, businesses, restaurants and bars. It requires all employers to provide a smoke free workplace. The ordinance excludes private residences, rented motel and hotel rooms and retail tobacco shops. The ordinance requires the posting of no smoking signs in every building and provides penalties for any violations of the ordinance.

A copy of the full text of Ordinance #684 is available from the City Recorder at Philomath City Hall, 980 Applegate Street.

*(This information submitted by Randy Kugler, City Manager)*

**NO ARGUMENTS AGAINST THIS MEASURE WERE FILED.**

### ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

#### Why You Should Vote YES on Measure 02-92

#### HEALTH HAZARDS FOR WORKERS DUE TO EXPOSURE TO SECONDHAND TOBACCO SMOKE

- Secondhand smoke is a serious health hazard for workers
- Secondhand smoke is the leading cause of toxic chemical exposure, causing five times more deaths than pesticide, chemicals, and hazardous waste combined
- Secondhand smoke is the number one environmental cause of cancer
- Secondhand smoke is a Group A Carcinogen, and there is no safe level of exposure
- Secondhand smoke causes heart disease, lung cancer, emphysema, and bronchitis

Nicotine, the addictive drug contained in tobacco, leads to acute increases in heart rate and blood pressure. Cigarette smoke also increases blood clotting and damages the layer of cells that line all blood vessels, including coronary arteries. In Oregon, it is estimated that 10% of the 7,000 annual tobacco-caused deaths result from exposure to secondhand smoke. The proposed ordinance in Philomath prohibiting smoking in workplaces and public places guarantees protection from secondhand smoke for both workers and the general public.

Join us in voting to make Philomath a healthier community.

Philomath Family Medicine

*(This information furnished by Philomath Family Medicine)*



# City of Philomath

## Measure No. 02-92

### ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

**Vote Yes on Measure 02-92  
Say NO to Big Tobacco**

DO NOT BE INFLUENCED BY THE BIG TOBACCO INDUSTRY'S LIES AND DECEPTIONS.

The TOBACCO INDUSTRY has a history of outspending local community health workers to buy your vote.

The TOBACCO INDUSTRY has used this tactic very successfully in numerous communities, states, as well as the United States Congress whenever tobacco related health issues are discussed.

The TOBACCO INDUSTRY knows if they win in PHILOMATH, they are more likely to have their way in other communities in Oregon.

DO NOT LET THE TOBACCO INDUSTRY DICTATE HOW PHILOMATH CHOOSES TO PROTECT ITS WORKERS.

CITIZENS FOR A FREE CHOICE IS A TOBACCO INDUSTRY ORGANIZATION WITH NATIONWIDE AFFILIATES.

The TOBACCO INDUSTRY wants you to think this is about the freedom to smoke in bars.

The TOBACCO INDUSTRY wants you to think this is a social issue.

The TOBACCO INDUSTRY wants you to think this is about jobs.

The TOBACCO INDUSTRY says this is government regulation.

MAKE NO MISTAKE ABOUT IT; THE TOBACCO INDUSTRY HAS LIED TO AND DECEIVED THE AMERICAN PUBLIC FOR YEARS.

Do not let the TOBACCO INDUSTRY's profit-motivated influence jeopardize workers' health. TOBACCO SMOKE IS A TOXIC SUBSTANCE AND ALL WORKERS SHOULD BE PROTECTED, just as mine workers have mandated protection. Tobacco smoke contains numerous carcinogens and it is our responsibility to limit exposure, just as limits were set on lead in gasoline, and just as workers are protected from asbestos exposure.

**JUST SAY NO TO BIG TOBACCO MONEY  
VOTE YES ON MEASURE 02-92**

*(This information furnished by Bruce Thomson, MD,  
President, NW DOC (Doctor's Ought to Care)*

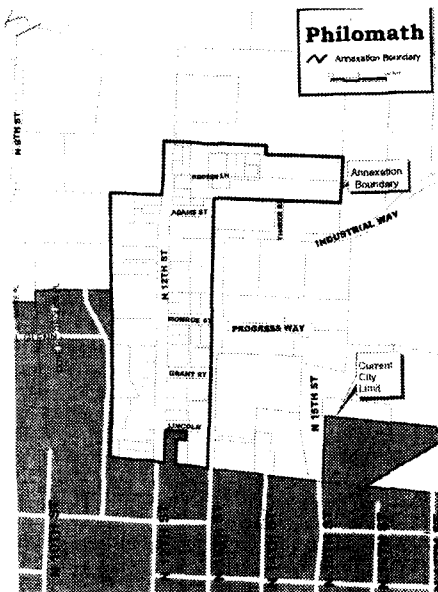
## Measure No. 02-93

### BALLOT TITLE

**A MEASURE PROPOSING ANNEXATION OF THE NORTH 12TH STREET AREA**

**QUESTION:** Shall properties located on North 12th, Lincoln, Grant, Monroe and Adams Streets and Houser Lane, be annexed?

**SUMMARY:** Approval of this measure would annex approximately 34 acres of land zoned R-3 to the City of Philomath. The property to be annexed generally borders North 12th, Lincoln, Grant, Monroe and Adams Streets, as well as Houser Lane, and is generally west of North 13th Street. The parcel lies within the Philomath Urban Growth Boundary and is contiguous to the City. The City currently supplies water and/or sewer services to 54 of the 65 properties, under a delayed annexation agreement.



### EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

The City of Philomath is placing 65 properties before the voters for annexation to the City per the requirements of Section 11.1 of the City Charter. As a result of past health hazards due to failing septic systems, the City has extended City water and sanitary sewer service to this area with 54 of the 65 properties presently connected to City water and/or sanitary sewer service.

The area is zoned R-3, High Density Residential. However, actual development is predominantly single family dwellings. There are two duplexes and no other multi-family dwellings. There are no pending development requests that are dependent upon annexation of this area to the City.

These properties are contiguous to the City and have access to and benefit from City services, such as police, streets and parks, but do not pay any City property tax to support said services.

*(This information submitted by Randy Kugler, City Manager)*

**NO ARGUMENTS FOR OR AGAINST  
THIS MEASURE WERE FILED.**

# LINN-BENTON COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

## Measure No. 22-84

### BALLOT TITLE

#### LINN-BENTON COMMUNITY COLLEGE, GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND AUTHORIZATION

**QUESTION:** Shall the District be authorized to issue general obligation bonds in an amount not exceeding \$19,100,000? If the bonds are approved, they will be payable from taxes on property or property ownership that are not subject to the limits of sections 11 and 11b, Article XI of the Oregon Constitution.

**SUMMARY:** If approved, this measure would finance capital construction and improvements, including, but not limited to, providing funds to construct and furnish a new Lebanon campus facility, construct, renovate and remodel deteriorating facilities for the Main campus, and construct, renovate and/or improve outdated facilities to benefit the Benton campus.

Bonds would also be used for site improvements, property acquisition, if necessary, and to pay bond issuance costs.

The Bonds will mature in 16 years or less.

### EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

**What is proposed?** A general obligation bond not to exceed \$19,100,000. The estimated cost to repay the bond over 16 years is 21 cents per thousand of assessed value. The proposed bond, if passed, will replace an expiring bond issue that was passed by the voters in 1994. Because the per thousand repayment amount for the proposed bond is estimated to be the same as the per thousand repayment amount for the expiring bond, property taxpayers will pay approximately the same amount in annual property taxes for the college's bonded debt as they pay now.

**A partial list of projects that will be funded by the proposed bond:**

- \*Construction of a new East Linn One Stop training and education center in Lebanon
- \*Expansion of the Sweet Home Center in partnership with the Sweet Home School District
- \*Construction and renovation at the existing Benton Center site in Corvallis to provide additional instructional space
- \*Construction of a multipurpose classroom building on the main LBCC campus in Albany
- \*Extensive renovation and reconstruction of dated facilities on the main campus; to include science labs, service facilities, electrical power systems, industrial training facilities, and others
- \*Construction of replacement facilities for agricultural and animal science programs, maintenance, and printing services

**Why is this being proposed?** General obligation bonds are the traditional method used by community colleges to finance major capital improvements. Bonds are proposed whenever a community college must make substantial improvements in old and deteriorating facilities or has a need to construct new facilities to accommodate growth.

State general fund revenues, student tuition, and regular property tax revenues provide for the day-to-day operation of community colleges. Major capital projects require larger 'up front' resources than are typically available from these operating revenue streams.

*(This information submitted by Michael Holland, Vice President, Linn-Benton Community College)*

**NO ARGUMENTS AGAINST THIS MEASURE WERE FILED.**

### ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

Linn-Benton Community College needs our help, and we can provide that help almost painlessly...

If you own a home valued at \$150,000, you currently pay about \$32 per year to support the capital expenses of Linn-Benton Community College. However, LBCC's new November 7, 2000 bond measure proposal is projected to **maintain annual taxes at the current rates** now paid by homeowners. How is this possible? The repayment plan for the proposed new bonds calls for payments to begin **after** the currently-in-force bonds are paid off.

Oregonians consistently rank community colleges as the best value when compared to other state services (Oregon Progress Board Population Survey 1994, 1996, 1998). The reasons for this are clear: a) community colleges provide high quality instructional programs at low cost; b) community colleges make every effort to serve every citizen who has a serious commitment to education; and c) community colleges respond quickly to the business, training, and educational needs of their communities. Linn-Benton Community College, our local community college, needs our support to continue the work so widely praised by Oregonians.

The bond proposal currently before voters will allow LBCC to significantly upgrade its facilities in Corvallis and Lebanon. College centers in both communities are old, cramped, and inadequate for the numbers of students seeking classes. Additionally, the bond measure will allow LBCC to upgrade 30-year-old main campus laboratories and classrooms. New space for instruction, meetings, conference, and offices also will be added to accommodate increasing numbers of students (LBCC's enrollment grew nearly 10% last year). Electrical, heating, and cooling systems also will be upgraded.

**Again, this bond proposal is estimated to keep property tax bills at, or below, the amount taxpayers currently pay for LBCC capital expenses. This is a great bargain for our communities, our children, our future.**

We urge you to vote YES on this important proposal.

*(This information furnished by Tom Wogaman, Rich Wendland, Barbara Boudreaux, Marshall Johnson, Joseph Novak, Hal Brayton, Janice Horner)*

## Adair Rural Fire Protection District

# Measure No. 02-01

### BALLOT TITLE

**GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND AUTHORIZATION FOR ADAIR RURAL FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT**

**QUESTION:** Shall Adair Fire District be authorized to contract general obligation bonded indebtedness in an amount not to exceed \$260,000? If the bonds are approved, they will be payable from taxes on property or property ownership that are not subject to the limits of Sections 11 and 11b, Article XI of the Oregon Constitution.

**SUMMARY:** This measure would let the district issue general obligation bonds, in the amount not to exceed \$260,000. That will mature serially over ten (10) years from issue.

Adair Rural Fire Department needs to replace its 1947 fire pumper, that is due for retirement. Recent repairs to the vehicle and the difficulty in attaining replacement parts has required the district to re-evaluate its usefulness.

The purchase of a new rescue-pumper would allow the district to take advantage of the technological advancements and the safety requirements of the National Fire Protection Association and OR-OSHA for firefighters. The rescue-pumper would carry safely 6 firefighters, twice the water, and have 9 times the storage of the 53 year old truck.

The estimated tax cost is \$.55 per \$1000 of property value or \$4.58 per month for each \$100,000 of assessed evaluation for the next 10 years. The estimated tax cost for this measure is based on the best current available information from the county tax assessor. The funds will be used for bond cost and professional fees.

firefighting tools. The new rescue-pumper would also have 7 pre-connected attack hoses, of varying sizes, to deal with a large variety of problems, compared to the 2 pre-connected hoses used on the 53 year old pumper. The new rescue pumper would also carry scene lighting for after dark emergencies and a foam water system for wildland interface & grass fires.

The rescue-pumper would have a diesel engine and an automatic transmission enabling it to better manage the hills, steep driveways and roads in our district. A new apparatus would have safety features like ABS brakes, shoulder & lap restraints, greater visibility, better maneuverability and better fuel economy.

The cost to the voters for this new rescue-pumper & equipment would be \$260,000. That is an estimated tax cost of \$.55 per \$1000 of property value or \$4.58 per month for each \$100,000 of assessed evaluation for the next 10 years.

### EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

Adair Rural Fire Department needs to replace its older pumper. Currently the fire department has a 1947 pumper, in-service, that is due for retirement. Recent repairs to the vehicle and the difficulty in attaining replacement parts have required the district re-evaluate its usefulness.

The changes in technology and safety requirements for firefighters have necessitated this request to the district voters. The National Fire Protection Association and OR-OSHA require that all those persons who respond to emergencies be seat belted in and any vehicle manufactured after 1990 to be an enclosed cab. Fire department is required to have 2-firefighters in a standby rescue crew available when 2-firefighters are committed inside a hazardous atmosphere or fire. Being able to respond an adequate number of personnel to the scene on the first-in apparatus will reduce untimely delays in starting emergency operations. To better provide you with emergency response and protection for our volunteer firefighters, we need to update our district capabilities and fire apparatus.

A new rescue-pumper would be designed to protect the volunteer firefighters while enroute to the emergency and provide them with greater resources to address the problem after arrival. The rescue-pumper would safely carry 6 fully protected firefighters, with 5 of them wearing breathing apparatus, prepared to serve on arrival. The design of the old pumper is limited to 2 personnel who will have to put on breathing devices after arrival. The new rescue-pumper would carry twice the water and have 9 times the storage capacity for rescue/emergency medical equipment &

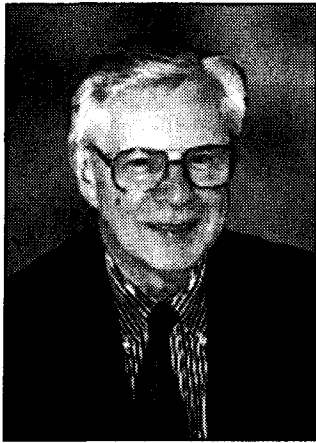
*(This information submitted by Dick Green, President, Adair Rural Fire Protection District)*

**NO ARGUMENTS AGAINST THIS MEASURE WERE FILED.**

<p>Adair Rural Fire Protection District</p>	<p>Hoskins-Kings Valley Rural Fire Protection District</p>
<p><b>Measure No. 02-01</b></p>	<p><b>Measure No. 02-97</b></p>
<p><b>ARGUMENT IN FAVOR</b></p> <p>The members of the Adair Volunteer Firefighters Association are in favor of this measure. It will allow for the purchase of a new rescue-pumper. This rescue-pumper, which will enable six firefighters to respond in one vehicle with more water, equipment and resources for both firefighting and rescue tasks. The safety regulations required by State and Federal Agencies make it increasingly difficult for small departments like ours to provide the services demanded by the communities with the older vehicles we now have.</p> <p>Most important to us is firefighter safety. Each person responding would have a seat belt and be inside of the vehicle, which is now the law.</p> <p>Our fire district has only asked for tax levies twice in our 25-year existence. After careful consideration and planning this measure will benefit all the families living and visiting in the community. By voting in favor of this measure we can replace 1947 technology and meet today's requirements for fire apparatus.</p> <p>Repairs, maintenance time and costs would also be significantly reduced. As an example, the pump on the 1947 vehicle was damaged in 1998. Due to the age and lack of available parts, it took two years to place the truck back in service. This meant one less apparatus for emergency responses. We had to rely on our neighboring fire departments to assist in our responses. This caused delays in response time and stripped resources from neighboring communities.</p> <p>We are the people who respond to your emergencies. We also live in this community and feel very strongly about the need for modernizing our department. We ask that you give careful consideration of this request to approve funding for the new rescue-pumper.</p> <p><i>(This information furnished by the Adair Volunteer Firefighters' Association)</i></p>	<p><b>BALLOT TITLE</b></p> <p><b>HOSKINS-KINGS VALLEY FIRE DISTRICT GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND AUTHORIZATION</b></p> <p><b>QUESTION:</b> Shall Hoskins-Kings Valley Rural Fire Protection District be authorized to issue general obligation bonds in an amount not exceeding \$200,000. If the bonds are approved, they will be payable from taxes on property or property ownership that are not subject to the limits of Sections 11 and 11b, Article XI of the Oregon Constitution.</p> <p><b>SUMMARY:</b> This measure authorizes the issuance of \$200,000 of bonds to finance fire safety vehicle apparatus. Bond proceeds will be used to purchase a public safety vehicle fire apparatus and bond issuance costs.</p> <p>The bonds will mature in 21 years or less from the date of issuance and may be issued in one or more series.</p> <p>The estimated maximum annual tax cost of this levy is \$1.45 per \$1,000 of assessed value. A property with an assessed value of \$150,000 will pay approximately \$218 annually or, \$18 per month. The tax rate is expected to decline over the 21-year bond payment period as assessed value grows.</p> <p>The estimated tax cost for this measure is an ESTIMATE ONLY based on the best information available from the county assessor at the time of the estimate.</p> <p><b>EXPLANATORY STATEMENT</b></p> <p>The community requires a public safety vehicle fire apparatus that is capable of carrying and pumping 3,000 gallons of water dependably. Currently the District's aging tender is not capable of ensuring this ability reliably.</p> <p>Funds from this measure would allow the District to maintain adequate protection for the residents within the boundaries of the Hoskins-Kings Valley Fire District with the additional goal of lowering fire insurance premiums. This Measure authorizes issuance of \$200,000 of bonds to acquire a public safety vehicle fire apparatus and finance all necessary related costs.</p> <p>The voters within the Fire District previously approved an increase to the tax rate which would have enabled the purchase of this 3,000 gallon water tender. Due to the approval of a subsequent statewide measure, the ability of the District to maintain an acceptable tax-rate and vehicle replacement strategy was overturned.</p> <p>Local fire services are invaluable to our rural community. Passage of this Measure will meet the current and anticipated future demands for emergency service within our fire district.</p> <p>The bonds will be paid off over a period of 21 years or less. The estimated average annual tax cost is \$1.45 per \$1,000 of assessed value. A property with an assessed value of \$150,000 will pay approximately \$218 annually or, \$18 per month.</p> <p><i>(This information submitted by Dan Hayes, Chair, Hoskins-Kings Valley Rural Fire Protection District)</i></p> <p><b>NO ARGUMENTS FOR OR AGAINST THIS MEASURE WERE FILED.</b></p>

# Benton County

## Commissioner, Position 2



JAY  
DIXON

DEMOCRAT

**OCCUPATION:** Co-owner, Corvallis Hardware  
**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Senior Officer, major banks; Chief Operating Officer, security firm; Director, Washington State Criminal Justice Education and Training Center; Law Enforcement Consultant, Office of the Governor, Washington State; Lieutenant, Seattle Police Department; Community College Instructor  
**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** BS, University of San Francisco  
**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Board member, Corvallis School District; Chair, Corvallis Budget Commission; Chair, Community Policing Forum; Chair, Willamette Criminal Justice Council; Chair, Benton County Corrections Task Force; Vice-chair, Benton County Corrections Steering Committee; Board member, Oregon Region 4 Workforce Development Board; Member, Corvallis Transportation Alternative Advisory Committee.

"Jay Dixon is a natural leader with an innate ability to bring people to consensus".

--District Attorney Scott Heiser

**COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP:**

- Chair, Corvallis Kids Count!
- President, Corvallis Area Chamber of Commerce
- Board of Directors - Plain Talk, Greater Corvallis Rotary, Heartland Humane Society, Cascades West Financial Services
- Campaign Cabinet, United Way of Benton County
- Member - OSU Business Alliance, OSU Austin Family Business Program Advisory Committee, OSU Professional Management Institute Advisory Committee, West Central SMART Advisory Committee

"Jay Dixon has the leadership experience and institutional knowledge that we need as County Commissioner."

-- Stan Robson, Benton County Sheriff

"Jay Dixon is a tireless community volunteer with a reputation for common sense, fairness, integrity, and getting things done."

-- Carol Lee Woodstock, Local Business Owner

**AS COMMISSIONER, JAY DIXON WILL WORK TO:**

- Pursue long-term economic stability that results in family wage jobs
- Fix our roads and develop a regional transportation system
- Focus on affordable housing for Benton County residents
- Create a citizen-driven vision for our County
- Increase youth activities for low-income families
- Create collaboration across jurisdictions for a strong County government

"Jay Dixon has demonstrated his commitment to our community by active participation in problem-solving ranging from children's needs to strengthening our justice system".

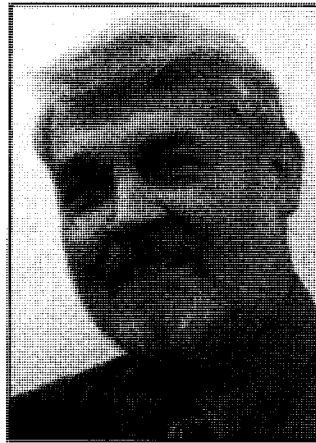
-- Commissioner Linda Modrell

"Jay Dixon is a community leader who listens and learns. He has earned our support."

-- State Senator Cliff Trow

(This information furnished by Dixon for Commissioner Committee)

## Commissioner, Position 2



DON  
GIST

REPUBLICAN

**OCCUPATION:** Business Owner, Self Employed  
**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** 35 years sales and management  
**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** The Dalles High School Graduate; 1959. U.S. Navy; NATTC Electronics School - Air crew flight school.  
**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** City Councilman, Planning Commission Philomath committees, budget, traffic safety, public works, parks, comprehensive plan review, strategic plan, Community Response Team, Library Siting Committee, Library (building) Steering Committee, Library Fund Raising Committee, Retail Beautification Action Team. West Corvallis Task Force.

**PERSONAL:** Don is a 5th generation Oregonian, married for 39 yrs. to his high school sweetheart, De. His children and grandchildren live in Benton County. Don returned to Corvallis in 1968 and has been active in the community since being elected president of the Corvallis Jaycees in 1970. He has been involved in scouting, YMCA, and served 10 years on the board of the Corvallis HBA. Don and his wife enjoyed bowling for many years in several leagues, and are proud to be long time members of the Elks, and the Moose Lodge. Don and family moved to rural Benton County in 1980. After farming for a few years, Don moved into the City of Philomath and opened donde's floorcovering in 1985. Don has served 5 years as a City Councilman, followed by nearly 10 years on the planning commission. Don was the Charter President of the Philomath 2000 project, and has been an active member through the change of focus to the Philomath Community Foundation.

**Vision:**

**Don Gist** will ensure that we maintain and improve our quality of life in Benton County, and involve more citizens in our services and programs. Expanding the membership on our advisory committees, utilizing their input, and recognizing their achievements will be a primary focus during his term(s) as a county commissioner.

**Don Gist** as county commissioner will represent the citizens in a positive and professional manner.

**Don Gist** will balance citizens concerns, staff recommendations, and use good judgement to make decisions for the policies and services of Benton County.

**Don Gist** will be responsible and accountable to the citizens who elected him to serve and represent them.

**Don Gist** will balance growth, development, and quality of life when voting on issues.

**Don asks for your vote, and pledges to always be open, honest, and available when his services are needed. This position is a non-partisan office and he considers it to be a privilege to be a commissioner for all the citizens of Benton County.**

(This information furnished by Don Gist for Commissioner)

# Benton County

## Commissioner, Position 2



**MIKE  
BEILSTEIN**

**PACIFIC GREEN**

**OCCUPATION:** Chemist  
**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Nutrition research at Oregon State University, 1978-2000  
**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** MA (nutrition), OSU 1991; BA (biochemistry), OSU, 1973  
**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Corvallis City Council, 1999-2000

As Benton County Commissioner I will work to build a community that is a better place for all residents; and help create a physical, social and economic environment that is healthy and sustaining for the next generation.

One of our greatest challenges is the commuter system that developed without planning or intention over the last 25 years. More than 10,000 single occupant vehicles drive into Corvallis each day and return at night to homes in North Albany, Philomath, Monroe, Linn County, and beyond. We are all paying for this commuter culture through road maintenance costs, depletion of natural resources, air and water pollution and a disappearing sense of community.

My experience in Corvallis city government has made me keenly aware of the impact cities have on the environments where people live and work.

As Commissioner I will cooperate with citizens, businesses, city governments and other public institutions to create:

- > Regional transit solutions to conveniently move people between homes and employment centers;
- > Affordable housing within cities to efficiently and sustainably provide water, sewer, transportation and employment services;
- > Preservation of rural agricultural and forest land;
- > Economic development for living wage jobs;
- > Citizen oriented law enforcement with community policing standards and civilian oversight;
- > Sensitive and responsible provision of services to rural and urban citizens.

The Pacific Green Party is a grassroots organization founded on the principles of economic justice and environmental stewardship. We actively promote democratic participation in creating the world we want our children to live in. Please join me in developing and implementing that vision for Benton County.

Mike Beilstein's candidacy is endorsed by:

The Amalgamated Transit Union (ATU) Division 757, and Oregon Public Employees Union - Service Employees International Union (OPEU-SEIU) Local 503.

*(This information furnished by Citizens for Mike Beilstein)*

## Commissioner, Position 3



**ANNABELLE  
JARAMILLO**

**DEMOCRAT**

**OCCUPATION:** Citizens' Representative for Governor Kitzhaber  
**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** research botanist; development director; civil rights advocate; teacher; diversity, motivation, employment and computer trainer  
**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** B.S., M.S. - Biology, Portland State University

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Corvallis/Benton County Library Funding Task Force; Philomath Community Response Team; National Environmental Justice Advisory Committee - EPA; US Forest Service; Public Safety Work Group; Treasurer Hill's Women's Economic Security Conference

**"Annabelle Jaramillo brings people together to solve problems."**

**Congressman Peter DeFazio**

Annabelle Jaramillo...A Vision for Our Community

"Only by working together, only by a willingness to find common ground, will we find answers to the issues facing county government. I've spent my life working with members of this community to solve problems. Now I want to put that experience to work on our county commission."

**Annabelle Jaramillo**

Annabelle Jaramillo...Experienced on Issues That Matter

- Citizens Representative for Governor Kitzhaber
- Oregon Long Term Health Insurance Project
- Benton County Environmental Issues Advisory Committee
- Governor Vic Atiyeh's Education Mission

Annabelle Jaramillo...Education, Health Care, Safe Communities

"Whether its finding ways to help our schools, fixing our transportation problems, making sure we have clean air and water, or reducing the costs of prescription drugs for senior citizens, we must work together to find solutions. That's my pledge to you as your next County Commissioner."

Annabelle Jaramillo...Endorsed by the People You Trust

**"Annabelle Jaramillo will be an excellent steward of county government. You can count on her to listen to everyone's point of view!"**

**Representative Barbara Ross**

**"Annabelle Jaramillo has helped others gain access to government. She has worked to end violence; she has worked to protect everyone's basic rights."**

**Senator Cliff Trow**

**"Annabelle Jaramillo has always been there for the state of Oregon and for Benton County. As Oregon's Citizens' Representative, she knows how to solve problems...That's what Benton County needs... problem solvers".**

**Governor John Kitzhaber**

**VOTE ANNABELLE JARAMILLO FOR BENTON COUNTY COMMISSIONER!**

*(This information furnished by Jaramillo for Commissioner Committee)*

**Benton County**

**City of Corvallis**

**Commissioner, Position 3**

**City Council, Ward 2**



**CAROLYN  
OAKLEY**

**REPUBLICAN**

**OCCUPATION:** Small business owner, farmer.  
**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Teacher, legislator, farm implement dealer.  
**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Oregon State University, BS; graduate work in Education OSU.  
**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** State Representative (1989-1999) Chair, North Albany Service District.

**CAROLYN OAKLEY.....WORKING FOR OUR COMMUNITY**

The next four years bring critical challenges in law enforcement, land use, and human services. We need to improve our planning efforts to meet the needs of our expanding county. Meeting these challenges will take experience and dedication. I will work with you to find lasting solutions.

**CAROLYN OAKLEY.....CREATING A VISION**

I'm dedicated to making Benton County a better place to live. We need to strive for effective partnerships with our schools, cities, and state. Our new jail must serve the needs of the community in a cost efficient manner. County business must be conducted openly and commissioners must be accountable to you the citizens of Benton County.

**CAROLYN OAKLEY.....A COMMITMENT TO OUR COMMUNITY**

I have the knowledge and experience to work within state government to influence decisions that impact our county. As an Oregon legislator, I secured funding for OSU's School of Veterinary Medicine. Health care was improved through the passage of the "Patient Protection Act." Our universities receive \$25 million dollars each biennium for salary increases, and program enhancements with the "Higher Education Efficiency Act."

**CAROLYN OAKLEY.....PROVEN LEADERSHIP**

Oregon legislator, business owner, LBCC Foundation Board, Boys and Girls Club Board, Linn-Benton Women for Agriculture, Historic Tour Committee, Hospital Auxiliary, Linn-Benton Salvation Army Board, STRIDE Leadership Round Table, Chamber of Commerce Board, Criminal Justice Council, Linn-Benton Business Education Compact.

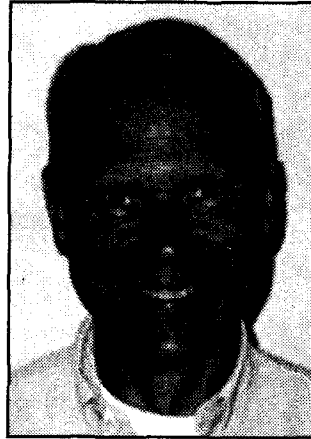
**CAROLYN OAKLEY.....LET'S WORK TOGETHER**

I will make Benton County government more efficient and responsive. I will listen to the people who use county services and to the employees that deliver those services. I will work to simplify county government and make it more user friendly. It is your government!

**ELECT CAROLYN OAKLEY**

**COMMON SENSE, UNCOMMON ABILITY**

*(This information furnished by  
Committee to Elect Carolyn Oakley)*



**WILLIAM  
COHNSTAEDT**

**NONPARTISAN  
OFFICE**

**OCCUPATION:** Lawyer (private practice)  
**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Lawyer in Corvallis since 1979.  
**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** University of Wisconsin-Madison BS 1968; Oakland University MAT 1970; Golden Gate University Law School JD 1974.  
**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Corvallis City Council 1989-1990.

**COHNSTAEDT FOR CITY COUNCIL**

William Cohnstaedt, will work to protect and enhance basic city services: 1) police, 2) fire protection, 3) water department, 4) sanitary sewer, 5) streets, 6) parks and recreation, and 7) library. Protection of these services in the political arena and enhancement of them in the budgetary process are the jobs of a City Councilor.

Our present City staff is excellent. To remain the best requires ongoing training, modern equipment, and efficient management dedicated to delivering the above basic services. Our City staff possesses these qualities. City Councilors too often fail to keep their priorities straight as to service to the community rather than special interests.

His priorities will always focus on maintaining and improving basic city services. He will do everything he can to protect the right of every citizen to receive the best city services possible. We each should enjoy the benefits of living and working in our beautiful city.

The basic challenge to our City Councilors is to keep pace with the rapid changes taking place in our local and national economies. City Councilors must be vigilant to protect and enhance what Corvallis has that is tried and true. He will not lead us in experimental and questionable directions.

As a community, what Corvallis has is unique and worth the effort of every citizen to protect. His commitment to the members of our extraordinary community is to work with each of you to preserve, even as we improve Corvallis.

*(This information furnished by the Committee to  
Elect Bill Cohnstaedt)*



# City of Corvallis

## City Council, Ward 4



**CHARLES C.  
TOMLINSON**

**NONPARTISAN  
OFFICE**

**OCCUPATION:** Business Manager, Harrison House Bed & Breakfast.

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Business Manager, Computer Systems Account Executive.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** B.S., Alma College, M.B.A., University of Hartford, Hartford Seminary.

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Corvallis City Council 1999-Present, Budget Commission 1999-Present.

**COMMUNITY EXPERIENCE:** Board Member, Corvallis Convention & Visitor's Bureau, Board Member, Habitat for Humanity

Serving Ward 4 has been a pleasure the past two years and I ask for your support to serve an additional term. There are significant challenges facing city government – our Ward has always been involved with and instrumental in working through these issues. The following are some specific areas that local government will deal with in the next Council term.

**Community Livability**

The Council should continue its work on the Land Development Code, Storm Water Management and Watershed Enhancement, alternative transportation improvement and additional working partnerships with the 509J School District and Benton County.

**Economic Development & Diversification**

Working toward a healthy downtown, a diverse local economy and partnerships with Oregon State University should provide a sound economic base for the Corvallis economy.

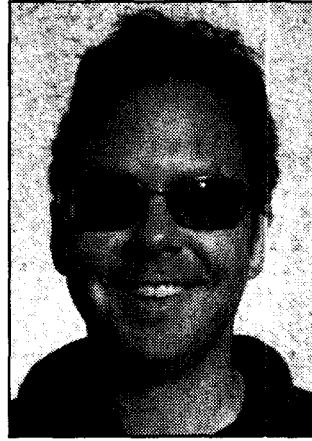
**Financial Stability**

The impacts of M47 and M50 mean our local government provides services with fewer tax dollars. Fiscal stability of Corvallis is essential if we are to provide these services. The Council should insure future operating budgets cover service needs.

And, as always, if you want potholes filled, curbs striped or dogs caught, please call.

*(This information furnished by Charles C. Tomlinson)*

## City Council, Ward 5



**ROB  
GANDARA**

**NONPARTISAN  
OFFICE**

**OCCUPATION:** Manufacturing Strategist, Senior Member of Technical Staff, since 1995. Hewlett Packard Corporation, Corvallis, Oregon.; Board of Directors, Tour Captain, since 1998.; Mid-Valley Bicycle Club, Corvallis, Oregon.; Director, Musician, since 1998.; Irish Moonshine, Corvallis, Oregon.

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Principal Engineer, Semiconductor Operations, 1984 to 1995.; Digital Equipment Corporation, Hudson, Massachusetts.; Board of Directors, Musician, 1988 to 1989.; Marlboro Symphony Orchestra, Marlboro, Massachusetts.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Masters of Science in Electrical Engineering with a Certificate in Computer Integrated Manufacturing Systems, 1991.; Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, Georgia.; Bachelors of Science in Electrical Engineering with a Humanities Concentration in Music, 1985.; Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, Massachusetts.

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** None.

We have the opportunity now to ensure the humanity of our city. The reputation of Corvallis as a great place to live depends upon our ability to preserve the uniqueness and character of our community. Defining and completing the riverfront project is one example of how we can transform the heart of our city. The revitalization of downtown Corvallis will not become complete without mixed development for living, working and shopping. Our approach to planning our downtown must emphasize human sustenance.

The basis of a sustainable healthy community can not be predicated on one university or one corporation. It is achieved through a diverse and complete set of trades, skills and occupations. In our community, the quality of life for all must be assured and encouraged. Our vision for Corvallis not only champions equitable housing, transportation, education and employment for all citizens, it creates a culture where their perspectives are sought. Policies at every level of city operation must reflect our commitment of livability to individuals.

*Let's grow up, not out!*

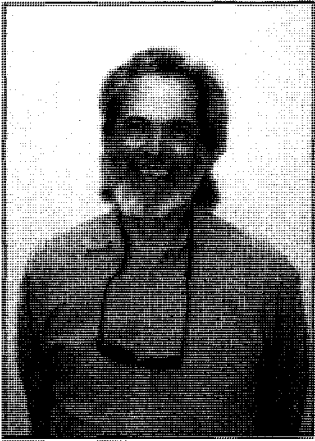
*(This information furnished by Representing our Beliefs, Citizens to elect Rob Gandara)*



# City of Corvallis

## City Council, Ward 5

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**JERRY  
LARSON**

**NONPARTISAN  
OFFICE**

**OCCUPATION:** School Bus Driver; Desktop Publisher.  
**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Newsletter editor, Corvallis Macintosh Users Group; wine buyer and newsletter columnist, First Alternative Food Co-op; restaurant owner (partner, former Tower of London); restaurant manager; restaurant worker; tree planter; cannery worker.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Cascade Union High School, and one year completed at OSU, majoring in Anthropology.

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** None.

Labor issues and experience:

- Member, Amalgamated Transit Union (AFL-CIO).
- Worked in favor of Transit Bus Driver's prevailing wage levy.
- Worked in favor of the Living Wage campaign.

Land Use Issues:

- Work harder and plan better for affordable housing in Corvallis.
- Work and plan for livable communities that resist urban sprawl, and that represent the best in urban design.
- Encourage mass transit, and minimize dependence on the automobile.
- Encourage and plan for an economically healthy, vibrant and lively downtown.
- Encourage and plan for a downtown where people of mixed incomes will live, shop, and play.
- Discourage the importation of "big box" retail chain stores.
- Secure open spaces, park lands, and green belts while they are still available.
- Resist pressure to expand the Urban Growth Boundary.

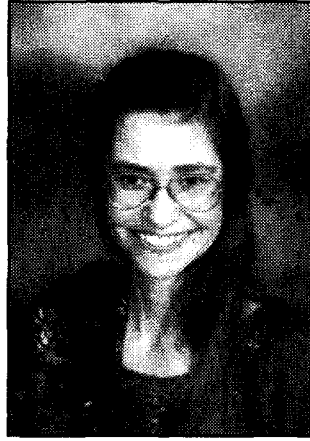
Social justice

- Ensure equal rights for all, regardless of race, gender, sexual orientation, ideology, religion, physical abilities, or age.
- Be sure to include everyone who should be covered under Corvallis' Living Wage statute, and that what we call a living wage actually is one.

Environmental Issues

- Establish pedestrian-friendly environments and safe and convenient bikeways.
- Promote energy conservation and the use, wherever possible, of renewable and non-polluting energy sources.
- Promote, wherever possible, sustainable Community Supported Agriculture.
- I support the Friends of the Riverfront downtown riverfront park plan.

*(This information furnished by Jerald N. Larson)*



**JANET L.E.  
RANZONI**

**NONPARTISAN  
OFFICE**

**OCCUPATION:** Self-employed, housecleaning service.

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Cooks helper, OSU Food-service; Research subject, OSU Department of Health and Nutrition; Student Work-study, seamstress, OSU Theater; Student intern, Pendleton Woolen Mills; Self-employed since 1987.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Graduated, Corvallis High School, 1977 Graduated with honors OSU College of Home Economics, Apparel and Textile Design, 1990; Foreign study program, Jozsef Attila Tudomány Egyetem, Szeged, Hungary, 1986-87; Accredited Landscape Design Consultant, National Council of State Garden Clubs, 1996.

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** None.

**OTHER:** Recording secretary, Corvallis Garden Club; Flower Show Chairman, Benton County Council of Garden Clubs; Volunteer worker, OSU Folk Club Thrift Shop, Occasional seamstress/designer, Majestic Theater; Member, Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Corvallis; Member, Home Orchard Society; Relief Pitcher, pantheists, Corvallis City League co-ed softball team, Frequent visitor, Corvallis Public Library.

I believe: in the inherent right of all people to fair treatment under the law.

: that individual freedom and the needs of society must be kept in balance.

: that a healthy economy is a stable economy.

I intend: to address land-use and development issues with an eye on the larger picture.

: to distribute fairly the cost of society among its members.

: to truly represent my wardmembers by listening to what they have to say.

: to forward the timely completion of all city projects.

I hope: to have this be a rewarding experience for me.

: to meet some great people.

: to learn a lot.

*(This information furnished by Janet L.E. Ranzoni)*

## City of Corvallis

### City Council, Ward 6



TOM  
JENSEN

NONPARTISAN  
OFFICE

**OCCUPATION:** Substitute Teacher.  
**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Retail Salesperson, Warehouseman, Residential Treatment Specialist, Bartender, Teacher  
**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Local Public Schools, O.S.U.-BA History, BA Anthropology '91; Willamette U. MAT '96.  
**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** None.

Neighbors and residents of Ward 6:

I am asking for the opportunity to represent our ward as city councilor. In the more than thirty years I have lived in Corvallis, I have witnessed great changes in our community. I see several long and short-term issues facing us in the near future.

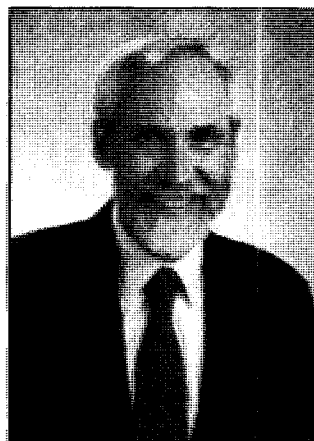
Responsible boundary growth as well as affordable housing for renters and homeowners are important factors in determining livability. Development in business, industrial, recreational, and mixed-use areas must be well planned. Maintenance and expansion of infrastructure should be designed for longevity and future application. Alternative routes and modes of transportation should be promoted and developed to reduce impact on our streets. Efficient traffic flow and adequate accessible parking contribute to the economic well being of our city. We must maintain and improve the quality of our public education system, and uphold a level of safety we expect for our children and the community. Solutions beyond taxation can be found to meet these needs.

As councilor, I will make decisions based on logic, common sense, and the outlook of the population. I would like to solicit your views and have the opportunity to act on that feedback. We can enhance the future of our community. Become civically involved by attending city council meetings, and remember me when you vote on November 7th.

Thank You,  
Tom Jensen

*(This information furnished by Tom Jensen for City Council)*

### City Council, Ward 6



STEWART  
WERSHOW

NONPARTISAN  
OFFICE

**OCCUPATION:** Records management consultant.  
**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Records center manager, Benton County, 1978-1998; Mental health worker, Oregon State Hospital, 1975-77; Christmas tree farmer, 1974-75.  
**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** University of Oregon, Master's program, Biology, 1972-74; University of Oregon, BS, 1971.  
**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** City Council, Corvallis, 1988-90. City of Corvallis Safety Task Force, chair, 1991-92; Martin Luther King Commission, 1993-99

**Wershow is Experienced**

Ward 6 needs a representative who understands the complexity of government and how to make it work for the people. My past experience as a city councilman and a member of city committees has given me that understanding.

When last on the city council, our council had to set spending priorities in a time of scarce monetary resources. Also, we adopted the city's first written financial policies. If elected, I will bring that expertise to the next city council.

**Wershow Listens**

Communication between the elected representative and his constituents is essential for democracy to work. This communication needs to go both ways. My record shows that I listen to voters and that I work at informing constituents about issues. Together we can formulate solutions that everyone can support. Together we can keep Corvallis the town we want it to be.

**Wershow Cares about our Youth**

As a parent who has raised three children in the ward, I am sensitive to the needs of our youth. Preservation of our neighborhood parks and solutions to traffic problems that endanger youth are high on my agenda. Ward 6 should remain an area of green spaces and safe streets.

Some of the major issues facing the next council:

- Adoption and implementation of a new Storm Water Master Plan. - Plan will affect Dixon Creek.
- Stabilizing funding for city services.
- Implementation of new Land Development code.

I have had the honor to serve the citizens of Corvallis in the past and I hope you will allow me to do so again.

*(This information furnished by Stewart Wershow for City Council)*

## City of Corvallis

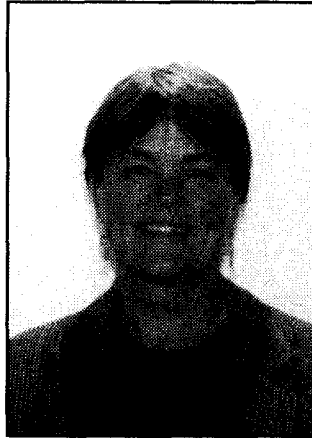
### City Council, Ward 7

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JOHN G.  
BOOKER, JR.

NONPARTISAN  
OFFICE



KARYLE  
BUTCHER

NONPARTISAN  
OFFICE

**OCCUPATION:** Burger King - Oregon State University - Crewmember October 1999 to Present; South Plains Mortgage Company LLC - Midland, Texas - Area Title Researcher July 1999-Present.

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Burger King - Both 9th Street and 4th Street Corvallis-Crewmember; McDonald's - 3rd Street Corvallis-Crewmember; Linn-Benton Community College-Albany, Oregon-Office Assistant; Spirit Mountain Casino-Grande Ronde, Oregon-Host/Cashier.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Linn-Benton Community College - Associate of Applied Science Accounting, Associate of Applied Science Technology Supervisory Management, Albany, Oregon; Pasadena City College-Associate of Arts-Communications, Pasadena, California

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** None.

**OCCUPATION:** University Librarian/Deputy Vice-Provost for Information Services. Oregon State University.

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Associate University Librarian; Business Librarian; Public Librarian.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** BA, University of California, Berkeley; MLS, University of Southern California; M.A.I.S. in History, Business, Economics, Oregon State University.

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Corvallis 509J Schools - Budget Commission 2000- ; Corvallis City Planning Commission 1991-1997; Neighborhood Reinvestment Corporation, 1991-1998; Neighborhood Association, Founding Member, 1990- .

The City of Corvallis and we as its citizens continue to face numerous issues that will determine the quality of our lives and those coming after us. Three areas are especially critical: Economic diversity, land use planning and citizen participation in local government.

**Economic Diversity:** We need to continue to refine plans to attract to Corvallis those businesses and industries that will support manageable growth, complement downtown business, provide livable incomes and encourage economic diversity.

**Land Use:** How well we provide stewardship to our land is critical in determining the quality of life in Corvallis. Good stewardship will require collaboration with the County over land use issues, acquiring additional open space and judiciously responding to citizen needs for affordable housing.

**Citizen Participation:** Corvallis is a city that traditionally thrives on and responds to citizen participation in government. Such participation does not mean that each of us will be satisfied with all decisions but it does mean that we all have an opportunity to determine the type of community we want Corvallis to be. One of my goals as a member of the City Council is help citizens remember that good government is about all of us.

*(This information furnished by John G. Booker, Jr.)*

*(This information furnished by Karyle Butcher)*

## City of Corvallis

### City Council, Ward 8



**BETTY  
GRIFFITHS**

**NONPARTISAN  
OFFICE**

**OCCUPATION:** Program Manager, Linn County Alcohol & Drug Program.

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Administrator, Consultant, Counselor, and Teacher.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** James Madison University, B.S., 1962, Psychology & History. Oregon State University, Ed.M., 1971, Guidance & Counseling.

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Corvallis City Council, 1993-2000, Council President 1995-1998; Administrative Services Committee, member and rotating chair; member Land Development Code; Neighborhood Technical Review Group; liaison to Parks & Recreation Board, Civic Beautification Commission, and Chamber of Commerce Board.

**COMMUNITY SERVICE:**

- Parent Advisory Board, LBCC 1987-90
- Board of Directors, Corvallis Community Day Care 1977-1981
- Board of Directors, Community Outreach 1975-1977
- Governor's Drug & Violent Crime Policy Board 1995-2000

**BETTY will work to:**

- Ensure that open and direct communication exists between citizens and city government prior to decision making
- Seek alternatives to assumptions about growth and development
- Promote continuation of good fiscal planning and responsible budgeting
- Increase protection for the environment
- Continue strong citizen involvement in decision making
- Maintain the quality of life in Corvallis

I have appreciated the opportunity and challenge of serving as your representative for the past 8 years. I want to continue serving as your representative because I believe that with my experience and knowledge I can provide a valuable perspective on the issues facing Corvallis in the next two years. These issues include: completion of the Riverfront Plan, continuing to work on solutions to affordable housing, completing our natural resources inventory and drainageway master plan and seeking ways to provide excellent city services in the face of shrinking fiscal resources.

Corvallis is a special city. I remain committed to maintaining the qualities that attracted me here – pleasant neighborhoods, a diverse economy, beautiful natural settings, and well-planned public facilities. I am proud to be able to represent Ward 8 on the City Council. Thank you for your help and continued support.

*(This information furnished by Betty Griffiths for City Council)*

### City Council, Ward 9



**HAROLD F.  
"HAL"  
BRAUNER**

**NONPARTISAN  
OFFICE**

**OCCUPATION:** Retired Public Administrator; Part-time Interim Business Manager for Linn-Benton- Lincoln ESD and Interim Director for Business Education Compact of Linn and Benton Counties.; Volunteer work as: Treasurer of Corvallis Educational Coalition; Board Member/President of Benton County Schools Credit Union; Council Member/President Grace Lutheran Church; Advisor to L-B-L ESD School Board; Wilson School Parent Volunteer; Allocation Subcommittee United Way of Benton County.

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Director of Business Services for Corvallis School District; Executive Officer for Marion County Oregon; State of Oregon, including Director of Dept. of Land Conservation and Development, Assistant to Governor McCall, and Budget Supervisor and Analyst. Volunteer work including: United Way Board Member, Campaign Chair and President; Oregon Association of School Business Officials member and President; Member Association of Business Officials International; Steering committees for Corvallis Kids Count and Positively Pools Committees; Member Kiwanis Club of Corvallis; Plus service on a variety of local and state committees over the years.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** B.A. Degree, Liberal Arts, Political Science Major, University of Oregon; Clark Junior College, Vancouver, Washington; Public Schools in Eugene and Portland, Oregon; Variety of summer school and workshops in public administration and budgeting.

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** In addition to the experience listed above, elected to and served for seven years on the Salem Oregon School Board.

A native Oregonian and resident of Corvallis for 20 years, Hal is dedicated to good government and service to his community. He is married to Lida and they have two children, Kevin and Sarah, who attend Wilson Elementary School. He also has three grown children. He believes, if elected, his experience and dedication will be an asset to the Council, Ward 9, and the City.

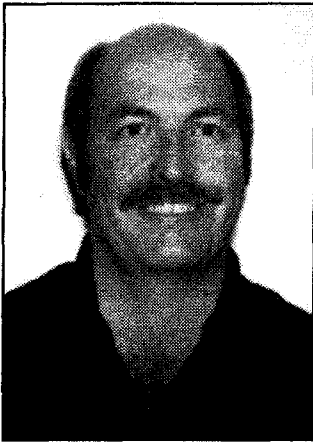
*(This information furnished by Harold F. "Hal" Brauner)*

City of Philomath

Benton Soil and Water Conservation District

Mayor

Director, Zone 3



VAN O.  
HUNSAKER

NONPARTISAN  
OFFICE

**OCCUPATION:** Veterinary Hospital Manager; College of Veterinary Medicine; OSU.

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Property Specialist III; Storekeeper I.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Graduate, Salmon High School

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Philomath Mayor- 1991-1994, 1997-Present; Philomath City Councilor- 1987-1990; BL3 Regional Investment Board- 2000-present; Cascades West Council of Government- 1989-1990; Cascades West Transportation Committee- 1991-1996; Philomath Community Response Team- 1991-present.

**CIVIC INVOLVEMENT:** Philomath Youth Activities Club Board- 1989-Present; Marys River Watershed Council Steering committee- 1998-Present.

Due to the commitment of the City Council, Staff, and volunteers, we are making progress in Philomath. I have enjoyed serving the Citizens of Philomath. I would appreciate your continued support.

Development Balance

The last several years, Philomath has struggled with differing perspectives on how much growth is appropriate. I will continue to guide our community towards a balance.

Recently, we published a statement on Philomath's infrastructural capacity. This will help citizens and developers understand our infrastructure needs and expectations when development is proposed.

Infrastructure Improvements

In recent years we updated the City's Capital Improvement Plan and System Development Charges. We developed new Parks, Transportation, and Storm Drain Master Plans.

We need to continue making infrastructure improvements including the following;

We expect to receive state transportation funding to help build a bridge over Newton Creek on Applegate St. During the next two years, underground infrastructure replacement and new streets are planned in our Urban Renewal District, the first step in building the Couplet.

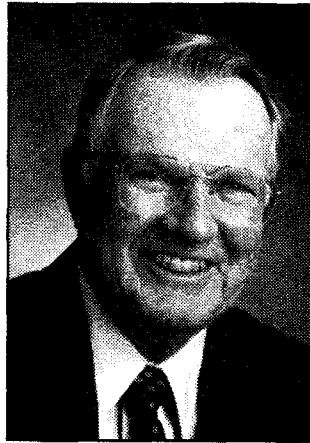
Job Opportunities

Even while Philomath's population has grown, we have lost jobs due to the down turn in the timber industry. I picture a Philomath where our citizens can walk or bike to work.

We developed a strategy to balance industrial development and wetland protection in our industrial zoned lands. This will help bring jobs back to our community.

In closing, Philomath is known as a community of volunteers. I encourage you to join in.

*(This information furnished by Van O. Hunsaker)*



THOMAS E.  
BEDELL

NONPARTISAN  
OFFICE

**OCCUPATION:** Retired.

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Oregon State University Extension Rangeland Resources Specialist; Certified Range Management Consultant.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Ph.D. Oregon State University, 1966, Range Management; M.S.U. California Berkeley, 1957, Range Management; B.S. Cal Poly, 1953, Animal Husbandry.

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Director Benton Soil and Water Conservation District (elected); Oregon Soil and Water Conservation Commission (appointed); Oregon Board of Agriculture (appointed).

Soil and Water Conservation Districts (SWCD) in Oregon are one of the main means by which citizens can access and use technical conservation education and personal assistance in order to accomplish both group and individual objectives. Over the past four years I have gained a real appreciation of the value of the Benton SWCD. Helping people plan, design and build conservation projects on their lands is a primary goal. Most people either know or have heard of the Oregon Plan for Salmon and Watersheds. Many, especially the rural agricultural owners or operators, know of the agricultural water quality management planning process. Your SWCD is intimately involved with these efforts.

The District also cooperates with the three watershed councils organized in the County (Marys River, Long Tom, Mid-Coast) and supports plans for their continuation. We have embarked on a cooperative effort with the Benton County Department of Public Works regarding a number of conservation activities. I believe the District, organized in 1956, should and will continue to play a strong conservation role. I intend to support and promote those goals if again elected as a District Director.

*(This information furnished by Thomas E. Bedell)*

Benton Soil and Water Conservation District

District Director-At Large

NO  
PHOTO  
SUBMITTED

ERIC A.  
HORNING

NONPARTISAN  
OFFICE

**OCCUPATION:** Self Employed, Horning Farms, Inc.

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Linn-Benton Community College.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Monroe Union High School, Linn-Benton Community College - Associate of Science.

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** 2 years Board Director, Benton Soil Water Conservation District.

*(This information furnished by Eric A. Horning)*

## VOTING IN OREGON

### WHO MAY REGISTER TO VOTE?

Anyone who is:

- ◆ A resident of Oregon;
- ◆ A United States citizen; and
- ◆ 18 years age or older.

You may register to vote before your 18<sup>th</sup> birthday or before you are sworn in as a US citizen. In order to register; under these conditions, you must turn 18 or be sworn in as a US citizen during the 20-day period immediately before the election. Please call your county elections office for details if you believe you qualify for this registration process.

### DO I HAVE TO REGISTER BY PARTY?

No. If you do not want to be affiliated with a political party, you may check the box that states *Not a member of a party*. You may not designated or change a party affiliation after the 21<sup>st</sup> day before the Primary Election.

### I WILL BE OUT OF TOWN WHEN BALLOTS ARE MAILED. HOW DO I GET A BALLOT?

Absentee ballots are available 45 days before the election. You may request an early absentee ballot from your county election office either in person, by mail or by FAX. You will need to include your name, signature, residence address and, if different, your mailing address.

### WHAT IF MY BALLOT DOESN'T COME?

If you have not received your ballot within a week after they are mailed, call your county election office. They will check to see if your voter registration is current. If it is, they will mail you a replacement ballot.

### WHAT IF I HAVE MOVED AND HAVE NOT UPDATED MY REGISTRATION?

If you are registered to vote by the 21<sup>st</sup> day before the election, but now have a different address and:

- ◆ You have moved within the same county, contact the county election office. They will instruct you on the process to follow to qualify for a replacement ballot.

OR

- ◆ You have moved to a different county, go to the election office in your new county.

## BENTON COUNTY ELECTIONS COUNTY ELECTIONS BALLOT DROP SITES

A 24 hour ballot drop box  
has been installed across from the  
Benton County Courthouse at:  
180 NW 5th Ave, Corvallis, OR

### ADAIR CITY HALL

745-5507

Mon. thru Fri. 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM\*

### CORVALLIS PUBLIC LIBRARY

757-6926

Mon. thru Fri. 9:00 AM to 9:00 PM

Sat. 9:00 AM to 6:00 PM

Sun. 12:00 Noon to 6:00 PM

### MONROE CITY HALL

847-5175

Mon. thru Fri. 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM\*

### O.S.U. MEMORIAL STUDENT UNION

737-2416

WHEN SCHOOL IS IN SESSION

Mon. thru Thu. 7:00 AM to 11:00 PM

Fri. 7:00 AM to 12:00 MIDNIGHT

Sat. 7:30 AM to 12:00 MIDNIGHT

Sun. 10:30 AM to 11:00 PM

### NORTH ALBANY MIDDLE SCHOOL

967-4541

Mon. thru Fri. 7:00 AM to 4:00 PM\*

### PHILOMATH PUBLIC LIBRARY

929-3016

Mon., Thur., Fri., Sat. 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM

Tues., Wed. 10:00 AM to 8:00 PM

### SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER

766-6959

Mon. thru Fri. 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM\*

### BENTON COUNTY

#### ELECTIONS DIVISION

120 NW 4th St, Corvallis, OR 97330

Basement, County Courthouse

Mon. thru Fri. 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM\*

### ELECTION QUESTIONS?

Phone: 766-6756

email: [jill.vanburen@co.benton.or.us](mailto:jill.vanburen@co.benton.or.us)

Handicapped Phone: TTY/TDD 766-6080

[www.co.benton.or.us/elections](http://www.co.benton.or.us/elections)

\* PLEASE NOTE  
ON ELECTION DAY ALL DROP SITES  
WILL BE OPEN UNTIL 8:00 PM

# **Benton County VOTERS' PAMPHLET**

## **General Election November 7, 2000**

“The will of the people is the only legitimate foundation of any government, and to protect its free expression should be our first object.”

*Thomas Jefferson*

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## **Election Questions?**

**Call**

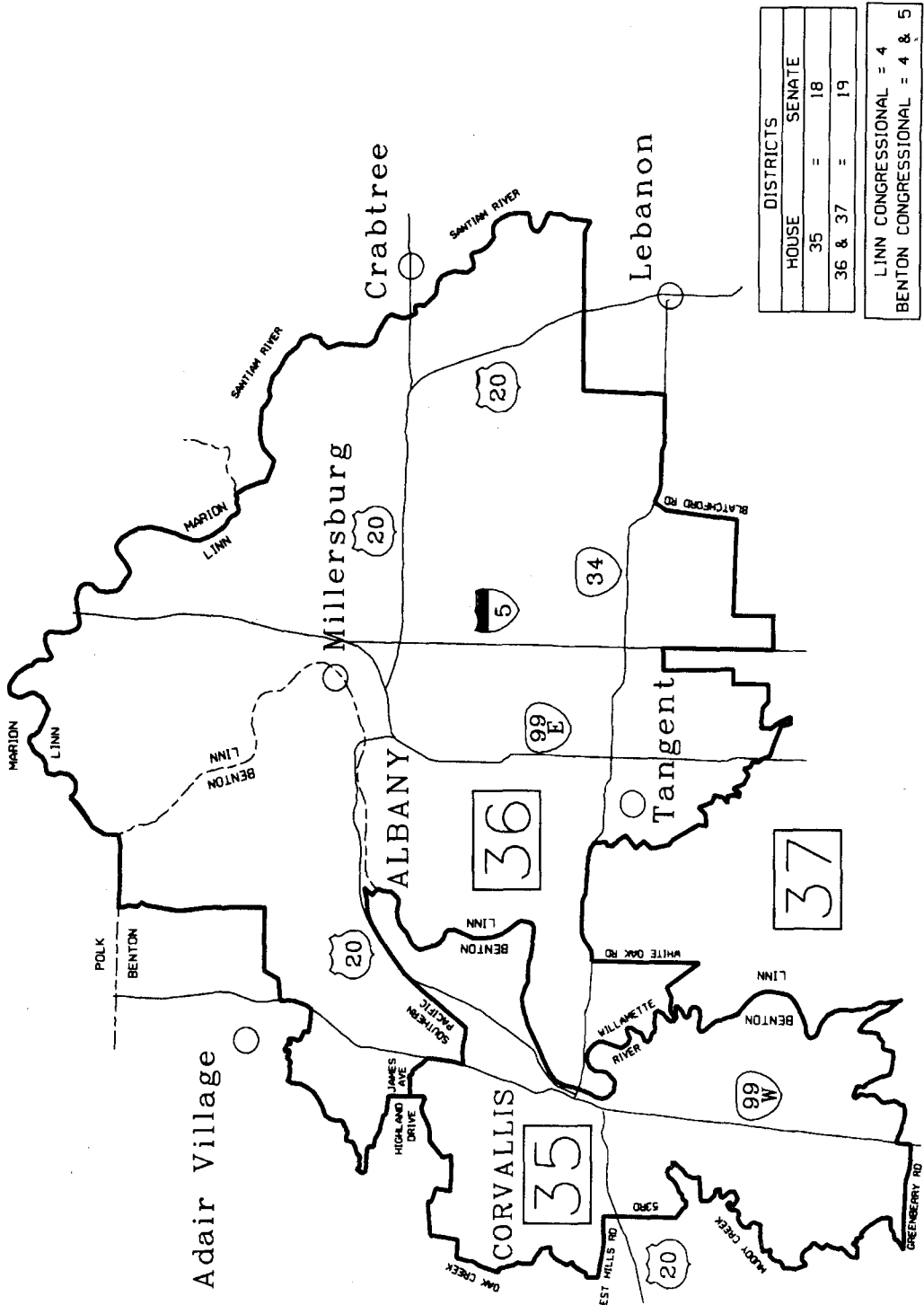
**Benton County**

**Elections Division**

**766-6756 (TTY/TDD 766-6080)**



# District Map



DISTRICTS	
HOUSE	SENATE
35	= 18
36 & 37	= 19

LINN CONGRESSIONAL = 4  
 BENTON CONGRESSIONAL = 4 & 5

## DISTRICT MAP

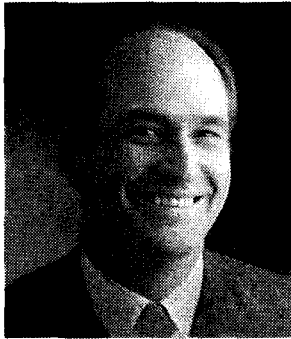
HOUSE DISTRICTS 35 AND 36

LEGEND

- HOUSE DISTRICT BOUNDARY
- HOUSE DISTRICT NUMBER
- COUNTY BOUNDARY



# Secretary of State



**BILL  
BRADBURY**

**Democrat**

**OCCUPATION:** Secretary of State

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Executive Director of For the Sake of the Salmon; television journalist; owner of a restaurant and of a

video production company

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Graduated University of Chicago High School; attended Antioch College

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Senate President 1993-1995; Senate Majority Leader 1987-1992; State Senator 1985-1995; State Representative 1981-1985

**Bill Bradbury  
Oregon's Secretary of State - A PROVEN OREGON LEADER**

Bill Bradbury is a hands-on state executive who has a distinguished career serving Oregonians as a Legislator from the South Coast. In the past year, he has proven that he can make tough decisions in a fair, even-handed manner. As your Secretary of State, Bill has proven that he is a person of integrity who is objective and unbiased.

**BETTER, SMARTER GOVERNMENT**

**Accountability and Efficiency**

As Oregon's chief auditor, Bill ensures that **our tax dollars are not wasted.**

**Fair and Honest Elections**

As Oregon's chief elections officer, Bill takes a nonpartisan approach to Oregon elections. He presided over the nation's first Vote By Mail primary with the **highest turnout since 1988.**

**Protecting Our Environment**

As a member of the State Land Board, Bill fights to protect Oregon's natural heritage. Bill has worked hard to ensure that the owners of the New Carissa pay for clean-up costs.

**Benefiting our Schools**

Bill will fight to ensure that we get the highest value for our timber products to benefit schools.

**A PUBLIC SERVANT OREGONIANS CAN TRUST**

**Democrats, Independents and Republicans alike are proud to endorse Bill Bradbury for Secretary of State. The following have endorsed a man who *The Oregonian* called "a political pro with a lot of integrity" (October 3, 1999) and a "quintessential consensus builder" (January 17, 1993).**

- Governor John Kitzhaber (D)
- Mrs. Tom (Audrey) McCall (R)
- Former Secretary of State Phil Keisling (D)
- Former Secretary of State Clay Myers (I)
- Former Governor and Secretary of State Barbara Roberts (D)
- Oregon State Sheriffs Association

Phone: 503-233-2311  
Online: [www.bradbury2000.com](http://www.bradbury2000.com).

*(This information furnished by Friends of Bill Bradbury.)*

# Secretary of State



**LLOYD  
MARBET**

**Pacific Green**

**OCCUPATION:** Caretaker; Citizen Activist; Program Manager; More detailed information on resume at [www.marbet.org](http://www.marbet.org) or get copy at (503) 771-7254.

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Citizen activist; Opposed Vietnam War, nuclear power, destruction of initiative and referendum process.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** One year of college.

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** 1966-1967 U.S. Navy; 1986-1994 Citizens Utility Board; 1996-2000 Clackamas River Basin Council.

**A Real Choice for a Change!**

**We as citizens have power to make great change.** In Oregon we have a history of standing up for justice, the environment and integrity in government. So why is it that over 50% of those eligible to vote are not registered, and of those who are, 23% are registered Independent? I believe this hidden majority of Oregonians have become disillusioned with the Democrats and Republicans and are disenfranchised by "the best government corporate money can buy."

**It's time for real Campaign Finance Reform. It's time to take corporations out of elections. Our country was not founded on the principle "of the corporation, by the corporation, for the corporation."**

When you elect me Secretary of State:

- As your chief elections officer, I will seek to enact real Campaign Finance Reform.
- I will promote using Instant Runoff in elections so we can stop voting "lessor evils" in fear, and instead vote our preferences and, by doing so, our convictions.
- As the auditor of state agencies, I will ensure that your money is spent cost effectively and services to be performed are provided.
- As one of three members on the State Lands Board, I will work to manage state owned land with stewardship and environmental sustainability.
- When addressing reapportionment, I will ensure that political boundaries are drawn respecting the integrity of our communities rather than gerrymandering districts for the benefit of Republicans or Democrats.

In this election I ask you to bring back democracy.

**"Lloyd Marbet is a towering public citizen who makes democracy work in Oregon"**

**Ralph Nader, 8-28-2000**

*(This information furnished by Lloyd Marbet For SOS.)*

# Secretary of State



**E.J. (ED)  
POLE, II**

**Libertarian**

**OCCUPATION:** Engineer, Electronics

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Intel (1996) including Intel Achievement Award (2000); IBM (1968) including, member Apollo 11

Launch Team (1969), Outstanding Contribution Award (1976), member task force defining requirements of personal computer (1979), retired (1998).

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** BS Engineering Science, Florida State University

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** None

**ED POLE  
THE ONLY TRUE CHOICE**

I will bring fresh ideas, practical management, professional attitudes, and a real concern for the taxpayer and citizen to the office of Secretary of State.

A vote for Ed Pole is:

- A vote for efficient management based on out-sourcing to private companies under competitive bids.
- A vote for real campaign finance reform with less government regulation, no tax support for candidates and parties, and real respect for the principles of the Constitution.
- A vote to stop welfare for political parties by ending tax-funded primaries.
- A vote to protect the Oregon Initiative Process from "sneak attacks", hidden agendas, secret policies, and unequal treatment.
- A vote for redistricting based on population and unity of interests not partisan politics.
- A vote to end term limits, a bad idea whose time never was, so YOU can decide who represents you.

**DON'T WASTE YOUR VOTE!** The only way YOU can win is to vote for the better candidate, not the lesser evil. Only Ed Pole and Libertarians offer smaller government, fewer laws and regulations, lower taxes, and true reform.

Paid for by the Committee to Elect Ed Pole. See us at <http://www.ejpoleii.org>; e-mail [ejpoleii@ejpoleii.org](mailto:ejpoleii@ejpoleii.org), or call (503)648-6013. Write us at 1221 NE 51st Ave, #39, Hillsboro, OR 97124.

*(This information furnished by Committee to Elect Ed Pole.)*

# Secretary of State



**LYNN  
SNODGRASS**

**Republican**

**OCCUPATION:** Small business owner, Drake's 7 Dee's Garden Center and Landscape Co.; Oregon House Speaker.

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Teacher; Personnel Manager;

Landscape designer.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Portland State University, B.S. Elementary Education; Oregon State University; Clackamas High School.

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Speaker of the Oregon House, 1999-Present; House Majority Leader, 1997; State Representative, 1995-Present; Damascus School Board.

Community Involvement: Mt. Hood Medical Foundation, past president; Albertina Kerr; Junior Achievement teacher; Habitat for Humanity; Good Shepherd Community Church.

**LYNN SNODGRASS  
Strong Leadership and Vision**

**INVEST IN ACCOUNTABLE SCHOOLS:** "Better schools begin with accountability, discipline and higher standards. As a former schoolteacher, I'll improve schools, secure the funding our children need, and require administrative and classroom accountability." **Lynn Snodgrass**

"As a citizen legislator, **Lynn has made education a priority** throughout her public service and volunteer work. She cares about our kids and will always be there for them. As Speaker she increased K-12 funding 10 percent and higher education 25 percent." Gail Wilhelms, Beaverton teacher

"**Oregon needs Lynn's balanced stewardship** managing natural resources on behalf of the Common School Fund." Senator Gordon Smith

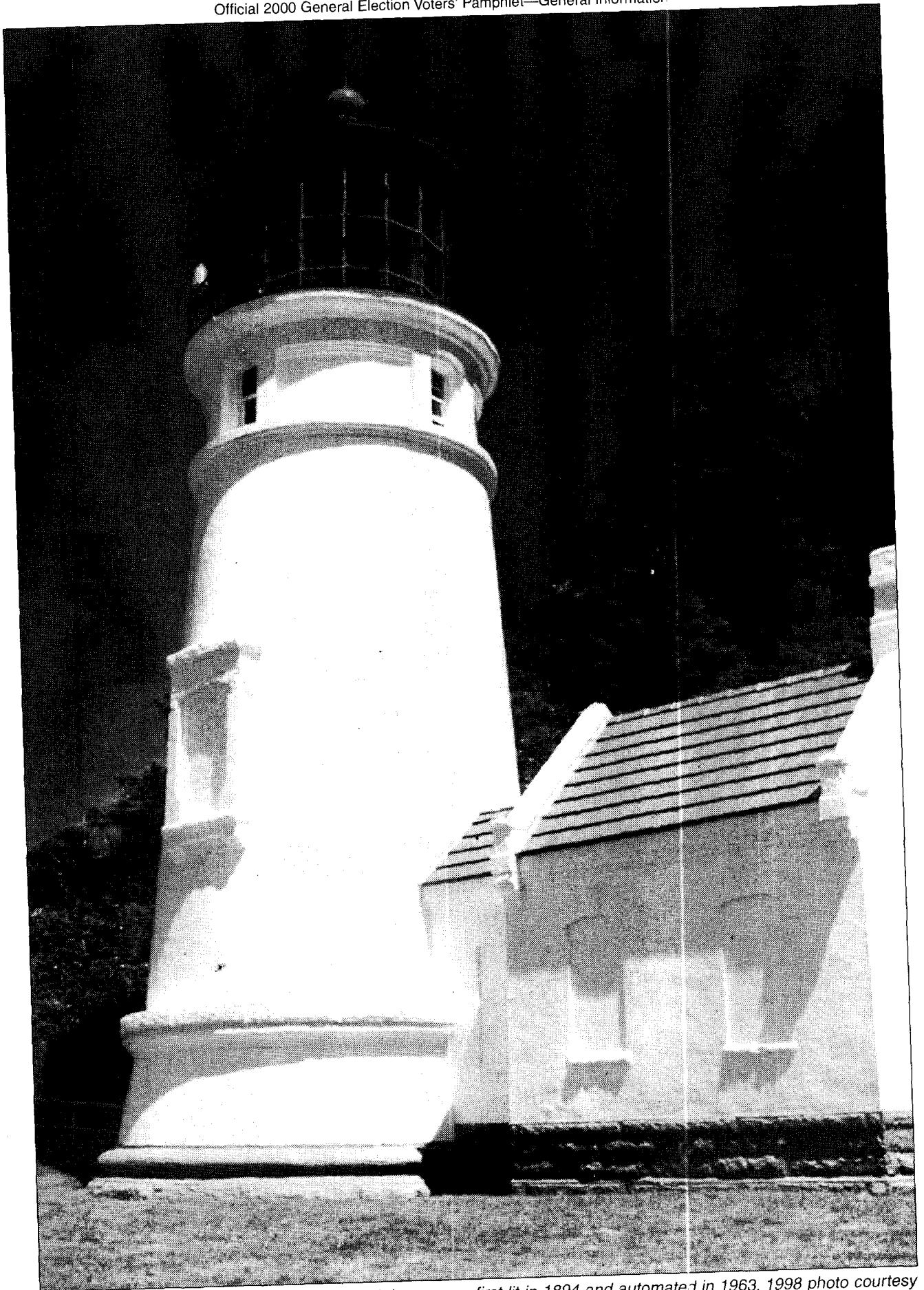
**BETTER GOVERNMENT:** "Families should keep more of what they earn. The tax surplus (the kicker) should be refunded so you can save or spend as you choose. As a business woman, I'll run government with more efficiency and less waste." **Lynn Snodgrass**

"I trust **Lynn Snodgrass** to make government efficient and to guarantee that our tax dollars are not wasted. She'll demand results for the taxpayer." Randy Ridderbusch, AFSCME, President Local 2376

**FAIR ELECTIONS:** "Whether sponsoring the Voter Protection Act or increasing voter participation, I'll implement changes quickly, fairly and properly. I'll ensure our election laws protect voter rights and our initiative process." **Lynn Snodgrass**

"**Lynn Snodgrass will fight for everyone's right to vote and sign a petition.** She has a deep respect for our democratic process. She'll place high value on her constitutional duty to create fair election laws." Jim Torrey, Eugene Mayor

*(This information furnished by Citizens for Lynn Snodgrass for Secretary of State.)*



*205 feet above the sea, the Heceta Head Lighthouse was first lit in 1894 and automated in 1963. 1998 photo courtesy of Becky Lippmann of Keizer, Oregon.*

# State Treasurer



**RANDALL EDWARDS**

**Democrat**

**OCCUPATION:** Managing Partner, EDJE Consulting; Oregon State Representative

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Oregon State Treasury, manager and senior advisor; Treasury Retirement

Task Force, manager

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** MBA, George Washington University; BA, Economics

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Vice Chairman, Oregon Debt Policy Advisory Commission; State Representative, Revenue Committee, Special Committee on School Finance

Personal: Married, father of three

**RANDALL EDWARDS...A PROVEN FINANCIAL LEADER**

"Randall Edwards will fight for the financial security of Oregonians. He'll put taxpayers' interests first!"

--U.S. SENATOR RON WYDEN

**RANDALL EDWARDS...Fights for Schools, Creates College Savings Plan**

- Edwards created Oregon's new College Savings Plan, allowing Oregonians to save \$2,000 a year tax free for college.
- Edwards is the only candidate who has improved school funding and advocated school district audits to put cost savings into classrooms.
- Edwards' "School Investments" plan creates a special Treasury fund to help repair older school buildings and build new schools--without additional taxes.

"Our schools need Randall's financial leadership and new ideas."

--Ann Nice, Oregon Education Association

**RANDALL EDWARDS...Saving Taxpayers Money**

- Edwards' School Bond Guaranty Act reduced bond interest rates, saving taxpayers and schools \$69 million.
- As a Treasury manager, Edwards helped improve Oregon's credit rating to the best level in two decades, saving taxpayers millions.

"Randall Edwards is the only candidate with extensive financial experience at the Treasury, saving taxpayers money."

--Pamela Leavitt, VP, Oregon Credit Union League

**RANDALL EDWARDS...Building Financial Security for Seniors**

- Edwards is fighting to ease the property tax burden on seniors, helping them stay in their homes.
- Edwards will use his Treasury experience to wisely invest state pension funds and protect Social Security.
- Endorsed by Oregon State Council of Senior Citizens, former Governors Barbara Roberts and Neil Goldschmidt.

"Randall Edwards is the most qualified candidate to manage Oregon's \$49 billion portfolio. We endorse him."

--State Treasurer Jim Hill

--former State Treasurer Bill Rutherford

**EDWARDS FOR TREASURER  
A Proven Financial Leader...A Record of Results**

*(This information furnished by Randall Edwards for State Treasurer.)*

# State Treasurer



**JON KVISTAD**

**Republican**

**OCCUPATION:** Small Business Owner; Coffee Company Co-Owner; Metro Councilor

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Kvistad & Associates; JAK Designs

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Oregon State University Graduate

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Metro Presiding Officer and Councilor, Finance and Budget Committee; Chair, Regional Transportation; Chair, federal advisory committee on transportation; Staff Assistant/intern, Senator Mark O. Hatfield

**Jon Kvistad: Oregon Values**

Jon grew up working on the family Century Farm in eastern Oregon and helping relatives in Astoria. His parents, one an educator, instilled strong Oregon values in Jon. Running a business and being a local elected leader honed his skills. Jon is a solid manager and fiscal conservative.

**"We are impressed with Jon's strong grasp of the issues... Having a farming background gives Jon first-hand knowledge... We feel he is well qualified to represent the people of the State of Oregon."**

Carol Russell, Chairman of AG-PAC; A Leader in Oregon agriculture

**Jon Kvistad: Honesty and Integrity**

Oregon needs a leader with vision who can help do more with less. Jon is a proven leader who can work effectively with others. He will provide maximum return for the taxpayer dollar. Honesty and integrity are the values that make Jon so effective.

**"I have known Jon Kvistad for many years and his honesty and integrity are assets we need in a State Treasurer."**

The Honorable Greg Walden, Member of Congress

**Jon Kvistad: A Leader with Vision**

A proven leader, Jon will work to create family wage jobs, help family farms remain in the family, invest in Oregon and increase the return on State Lands for Oregon Schools. Jon will create an environment for success by building coalitions to get things done!

**"Jon is a problem solver. His nonpartisan approach makes Jon an outstanding public servant."**

The Honorable Jack Roberts, Oregon State Labor Commissioner

**We Endorse Jon Kvistad (partial list)**

Former Congressman **Bob Smith**

Senate President **Brady Adams**

**14 Oregon Mayors**

**40+ Oregon Legislators**

**Ag-Pac**

**Oregon Forest Products Transportation Association**

*(This information furnished by The Friends of Jon Kvistad.)*

# State Treasurer



**CARLOS F. LUCERO**

## Constitution

**OCCUPATION:** I am a systems analyst with a wide range of financial and computer experience.

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Includes Dallas County until 1971

and moved to Portland, Oregon, worked for U.S. National Bank; Wells Fargo Bank; other financial institutions including various government agencies; and Tektronix.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Includes three years at San Diego Jr. College and The University of New Mexico. I then served in the U.S. Army 73rd Transportation Division, in Europe, and the United States from 1960 to 1962. I received my honorable discharge in 1966. I joined Automation Service Center in Dallas, Texas in 1965 where I got my certificate as a computer programmer.

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** None, but I am deeply concerned about the lack of accountability in state government. As Chief Financial Officer of Oregon, I will concentrate on accountability to the people for the investment and expenditures of the people's money.

I am honored to be a candidate for State Treasurer of the great state of Oregon. I am a 62 year old, businessman, in Portland. Born in Antonito, Colorado, I am married to my beautiful wife Rene' and have five children, Dawn, Tina, Tony, David, and Danny. I have three grandchildren, Brittini, Blair, and Zarin.

In the forefront of my convictions and beliefs are the principles of Life, Liberty, Family, Property, Constitution, State Rights, and American Sovereignty. When I read them in the Constitution Party's principles and platform, I knew I had found the party I would call my party.

I believe that we have a lot of work to do. Starting with education and bringing the country, the state, and the constitution back to the people under God. I have dedicated myself to do this, and the Constitution Party has the platform, that expresses my convictions.

What I want is clean, efficient and accountable state government. Accountability in all state agencies. Accountable to the citizens of the state of Oregon.

*(This information furnished by Carlos F. Lucero.)*

# State Treasurer



**MITCHELL T. SHULTS**

## Libertarian

**OCCUPATION:** Director, Business Development, Intel.

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Investment and marketing professional for Intel. Co-founder of successful technology business. Senior manager, Arthur Andersen/Andersen Consulting.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** B.A., magna cum laude, Rice University, Economics and Political Science, 1982. Wilson High School, Portland, Oregon, 1982.

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Member, professional staff, Oversight and Investigations Subcommittee of the U.S. Congress' Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs, 1982.

### The Best Qualified Candidate

Mitch Shults is a proven business professional with almost 20 years of experience dealing with large financial systems. He is fully qualified to work with fund managers and other personnel in a cost effective way. Mitch's campaign hasn't been bought and paid for by special interests. Close to \$55 billion of your money is held by the Treasury. If you want these assets handled by a business professional, not a professional politician, vote Mitch Shults.

### Building the Common School Fund

The Common School Fund generates about \$20 million per year from about \$800 million in assets. As a member of the State Land Board, Mitch Shults will work to sell most state lands (not parks or beaches) to commercial and environmental interests. Once invested, the over \$2 billion in proceeds will generate over \$200 million every year for Oregon's children - without raising taxes. Mitch will use part of that money to finance scholarships for low-income children to attend the public or private school of their choice.

### Protecting Your Money

Mitch Shults will work to:

- Fully implement the tax-advantaged college savings program that the current Treasurer has failed to deliver.
- Encourage saving by eliminating State taxes on interest and dividends.
- Allow Oregonians to 'opt out' of Social Security in favor of private retirement savings accounts.
- Give Public Employee Retirement System (PERS) members the option of managing their own accounts.

**VOTE MITCH SHULTS**  
**"Because It's YOUR Money"**

**www.shults2000.com • info@shults2000.com**  
**800-631-8292**

*(This information furnished by Friends of Mitch Shults.)*

# State Treasurer



**LEONARD  
ZACK**

**Reform**

**OCCUPATION:** Restaurant  
Service

**OCCUPATIONAL  
BACKGROUND:** Treasurer,  
Oregon Right to Know

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Economics, University of Oregon 1983-89

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** None

Oregon needs effective solutions to its problems—solutions that can be implemented on a realistic financial basis. That's why I'm running for State Treasurer as a coalition candidate for the Reform Party and the Natural Law Party. I want to unite Oregon's reform-minded voters behind crucial democratic reforms and forward-looking, prevention-oriented solutions, including

- Ending special interest control of our politics through the elimination of PACs and soft money, and prevention of lobbying by former public servants
- Cutting taxes deeply and responsibly through elimination of government waste and fraud, and through cost-effective solutions to costly social problems
- Creating a prevention-oriented health care system, as opposed to a disease-care system bought and paid for by special interests
- Protecting the environment through the development of renewable, safe, non-polluting energy sources that will end America's dependence on foreign oil and save hundreds of millions of dollars in health and environmental costs
- Safeguarding our food supply through sustainable and organic agricultural practices, and protecting family farms and our rural communities
- Promoting education that develops the full mental potential of each student

Here's how these programs can work together for your benefit. Prevention-oriented health care can cut costs by 50%, thereby saving hundreds of millions of dollars that can be reinvested in education, environmental protection, and other critical social programs. Likewise, effective crime prevention, renewable energy sources, sustainable industries, and elimination of government waste can create new revenues that will help create new jobs, build a stronger Oregon, and reestablish our reputation as a pioneer among the U.S. states. As State Treasurer, I will ensure that our present financial resources are wisely invested and that new, effective revenue-generating programs are quickly explored and implemented. Please join me. Together, we can secure a more prosperous future.

*(This information furnished by Leonard Zack.)*

# Attorney General



**THOMAS B. COX**

**Libertarian**

**OCCUPATION:** database architect

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** database architect, information management consultant,

author, public relations professional

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** BA Behavioral Science, College of the University of Chicago, 1986 with honors

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** none.

**Fully Informed Juries**

Under the Oregon Constitution, every jury has the right to judge both the facts and the law of a case. Every juror has the right to vote Not Guilty if he or she disagrees with the law, regardless of the facts. This prevents the government from enforcing laws that the citizens don't believe in. I will direct my staff to inform every jury of this right.

**Asset Forfeiture**

My office will not pursue asset forfeiture cases except when criminal charges are filed, and will only allow forfeiture upon criminal conviction. We will only seize assets when they pose a flight risk in criminal cases, and will only seize those assets named in the criminal charges. We will prosecute any police officer or agency that seizes and confiscates property without due process, in violation of the Fourth Amendment of the Constitution of the United States.

**Harm During Warrantless Searches**

My office will prosecute any law enforcement officer or agency that wrongfully harms any person during any warrantless search. We will seek restitution for that harm and for any property damaged during wrongful searches.

**Focus on Violent Crimes**

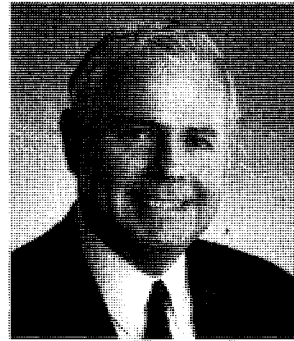
My office will set as its goal that every violent crime be prosecuted fully, and without plea bargains. Given our limited resources, we will shift all effort away from crimes that have no victim, toward crimes that threaten life and limb.

**Official Corruption**

I will create a continuing task force to investigate any reports of corruption on the part of the state's elected and appointed officials. It is only fair that the people who create and enforce the laws should be the first ones expected to live by those laws.

*(This information furnished by Thomas B. Cox.)*

# Attorney General



**KEVIN L. MANNIX**

**Republican**

**OCCUPATION:** Attorney; State Representative

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Assistant Attorney General, Oregon; Assistant Attorney General, Guam; Administrative Law

Judge; Circuit Court Judge, Pro-Tem; District Court Judge, Pro-Tem; State Senator; State Representative

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Bachelor of Arts and Law degrees, University of Virginia

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Judge; Senator; State Representative; Chair, House Judiciary Criminal Law Committee; member, Ways & Means, Labor, and Rules Committees; Emergency Board; Capitol Planning Commission; Chair, Farm Worker Housing Task Force

**Personal:** Married 26 years, father of three school-age children

**Courage, Leadership, Results**

Mannix had the courage to fight to enact Oregon's landmark anti-stalking law, mandatory minimum sentences for violent criminals, and tougher laws against repeat drunk drivers. He led efforts to expand consumer protection, reduce unnecessary regulations, provide fair tax hearings for taxpayers, reform Workers' Compensation, and improve services for senior citizens and developmentally disabled persons.

In *The Oregonian* (8/5/99), Peter Glazer, Chair of the Governor's Advisory Committee on DUII stated, "Oregonians owe a debt of gratitude to Rep. Mannix..." for his leadership in passing Oregon's repeat drunk driver law. Salem *Statesman Journal* (5/17/99): Mannix is "a consensus builder."

**Awards**

- 1999 Co-Legislator of the Year, Oregon Council of Police Associations
- 1999 Friend of the Children Award, Children's Healthcare Is A Legal Duty, Inc.
- 2000 Honoree, Oregon Certified Fraud Examiners Association

**Endorsements**

- Oregon State Police Officers Association
- Multnomah County Deputy Sheriffs Association
- Oregon Agricultural PAC
- Oregon Forest Products Transportation Association
- Oregon Farm Bureau PAC

**Safety and Protection**

Mannix will deliver safer homes, schools, and neighborhoods because he is tough on accountability, smart on prevention, and sensitive on treatment. He gets results.

Mannix's comprehensive approach to public safety includes classroom discipline, with teacher authority to maintain a positive learning environment, and full enforcement against property crimes.

Mannix will work with honest businesses to promote consumer education, toughen consumer protection laws, and quickly prosecute businesses that cheat Oregonians.

**Elect Kevin Mannix: The courage to fight for Oregon; the courage to fight for you.**

*(This information furnished by Kevin L. Mannix.)*



# Attorney General



**HARDY MYERS**

**Democrat**

**OCCUPATION:** Attorney General

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Attorney

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Bend,

Prineville schools; University of Mississippi; University of Oregon Law School

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** State Representative, Speaker of the House; chair, Oregon Criminal Justice Council; State Sentencing Guidelines Board; chair, Metro Charter Committee; Commission on Judicial Branch; Governor's Domestic Violence Law Council; Oregon Law Commission

**PERSONAL:** Hardy and Mary Ann have three sons: Hardy III, Christopher, Jonathan

**RE-ELECT HARDY MYERS  
YOUR DEDICATED ATTORNEY GENERAL**

Hardy was elected Attorney General after long private practice, distinguished public service. Surveys twice rated him Oregon's most outstanding legislator. He also served on panels that improved court procedures, strengthened criminal sentences, drafted Metro's charter.

**SUPPORTS STRONG LAW ENFORCEMENT**

Hardy Myers diligently helps prosecutors and other law enforcement punish and prevent crime. He achieved major expansion of victims' services, and defended over 4,700 criminal convictions on appeal. Hardy's public safety record includes forming his Safe Schools/Communities Coalition and seeking improved law enforcement funding. That record has earned him endorsement by many prosecutors like Michael Schrunk, Josh Marquis, Doug Harclerod, Mark Huddleston, Mike Dugan; sheriffs like Ris Bradshaw; police chiefs like Bernie Giusto.

**COMMITTED TO OPEN, HONEST GOVERNMENT**

Heading state government's lawyers, Hardy works to assure open, honest government by legal advice unaffected by his personal political views. He has fought for strong consumer protection, including Oregon's tobacco litigation. He works for effective child support, other family services; fights elder abuse and Medicaid fraud; and safeguards the honest conduct of charities.

**COMMITTED TO STRONG LEADERSHIP**

Hardy Myers contributes to Oregon's quality of life with strong, nonpartisan leadership in applying the rule of law to government, citizens, and corporations. He will give special priority to school safety, domestic violence reduction, victims' services, youth crime prevention/smoking reduction, enhanced consumer protection, elder abuse prevention, and strengthened law enforcement funding.

Hardy's bipartisan supporters include statewide leaders like Ron Wyden, John Kitzhaber, Barbara Roberts, Bill Rutherford, Neil Goldschmidt, and citizens throughout Oregon. He has earned your confidence and support.

**[www.hardymyers.com](http://www.hardymyers.com)**

*(This information furnished by Re-elect Attorney General Hardy Myers Committee.)*

## State Representative 34th District



**LANE  
SHETTERLY**

**Republican**

**OCCUPATION:** State Representative; Attorney in private practice, Dallas, Oregon.

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Public school teacher.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** BS Education, Western Oregon University (honors); JD, Northwestern School of Law (honors).

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Co-Chair, Joint Interim Judiciary Committee; Chair, Oregon Law Commission; Oregon Hunger Relief Task Force; Polk County Jail Advisory Committee; Polk Committee for Better Roads.

**Community Leadership:**

- Citizens Crime Commission
- Boy Scouts (Past Polk District chair)
- Dallas Retirement Foundation (Secretary)
- Dallas School Lunch Buddy
- Trinity Lutheran Church (Member/past President)
- Dallas Chamber of Commerce (Past president)
- Dallas Junior First Citizen (1984)
- Dallas First Citizen (1999)

**Personal:** Married 19 years to Francine; children, Joel (10) and Lauren (8)

**A RECORD OF RESULTS**

As your state representative I have sponsored legislation that:

- Requires independent audits of state agencies
- Expanded the First Break tax credit program to put at-risk youth to work
- Created tax-deferred savings accounts for college tuition
- Promotes fair hearings in contested cases involving state agencies.
- Put the Pledge of Allegiance back in our schools.
- Makes it easier for citizens to get rid of drug houses in their neighborhoods

**CHALLENGES AHEAD**

**Education:** "I support a strong public education system. Schools need the tools to help our children achieve high academic standards."

**Transportation:** "I support an improved statewide transportation system. We need a modern transportation system to sustain our economic well-being."

**Government and Taxes:** "I support accountability. Government can be made more effective through better management."

**Public Safety:** "I support tough sentences for career criminals and efforts to prevent crime and deter first time and juvenile offenders."

**Growth:** "We can balance growth with the need to preserve our quality of life through land use planning."

**"Lane Shetterly is an outstanding state representative. He has worked hard for the people of Polk and Benton counties, and he gets results."**

**Former State Representative John Schoon, Rickreall.**

**Reelect  
Lane Shetterly State Representative**

*(This information furnished by Citizens for Lane Shetterly.)*

## State Representative 34th District



**MARILYN L.  
SLIZESKI**

**Democrat**

**OCCUPATION:** Marketing Consultant

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Market and Public Opinion Researcher; Instructor, Oregon State University; Senior Research Assistant, College of Veterinary Medicine, Oregon State University.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** MBA, BS, College of Agriculture, Oregon State University

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Philomath City Councilor; Chair of Finance, Ordinance, and Budget Committees; Transportation Commission; Board of Directors, Council of Governments

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Philomath City Councilor; Chair of Finance, Ordinance, and Budget Committees; Transportation Commission; Board of Directors, Council of Governments

**COMMUNITY SERVICE:** Board of Directors, Philomath Community Foundation; Teen Pregnancy Prevention Task Force; Junior Great Books Instructor; Leadership Corvallis Graduate; past President, Parent Teacher Organization

**MARILYN SLIZESKI - PUTTING WORDS INTO ACTION**

**QUALITY EDUCATION**

I believe that for our children to succeed in the future, we must invest in them today. That's why I will fight for stable and adequate funding for our schools. And that's why **I am supported by the Oregon School Employees Association**. I do not support charter schools because I feel it undermines the public education system by taking away needed funds.

**LIVABLE COMMUNITIES**

We can build a safer and stronger community by keeping guns out of the hands of children, requiring criminal background checks at gun shows, and having adequate jail space for repeat offenders. I support community-based programs to **prevent crime before it starts**. We need responsible economic development and a fairer tax system.

**NATURAL RESOURCES CONSERVATION**

We must preserve our rural communities by protecting our natural resources. I support smart land-use planning that **protects our farmland from urban sprawl**. An investment in clean air and water is an investment in our future.

**HEALTHY FAMILIES**

All Oregonians deserve access to quality, affordable health care. I support a **Patients' Bill of Rights** that would return medical decisions to doctors and patients, not HMO bureaucrats. I believe reproductive health care decisions should be made by women and doctors, not by the government. I also believe we must **provide for seniors** by offering property tax relief for senior citizens on fixed incomes.

**VOTE MARILYN SLIZESKI**

**TOGETHER WE CAN CREATE A BETTER FUTURE**

*(This information furnished by Committee to Elect Marilyn Slizeski.)*

# State Representative 4th District



**STEVE  
WALKER**

## Constitution

**OCCUPATION:** Instructional  
Design Consultant

**OCCUPATIONAL  
BACKGROUND:** Welder,  
Private School Administrator,  
Teacher, Management: Red

ver Forests, Small Business Owner, Vineyard Owner.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** BS Education, St. Paul Bible  
College; MS, Educational Communications and Technology,  
Eastern Oregon University

**PREVIOUS GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Secretary, Treasurer:  
Clatsop County Republican Central Committee. Campaign treasurer-  
Election Commission for Representative.

**COMMUNITY SERVICE:** Kids Inc.- coach, referee, umpire (12 yrs);  
Information Prison Ministries- Bible class leader: FCI, Sheridan,  
SP, Salem; Board Member- A&B Foundation

**PERSONAL:** Wife- Mary; 4 Children, 2 Grandchildren

**"That government is best which governs the least, because  
its people discipline themselves." -Thomas Jefferson**

**Life**  
The Creator is the Author of human life, thus it is absolutely  
sacrosanct. The first duty of civil government is the protection  
of innocent human life from conception until natural death.

**Family**  
Since the family is the first Divine institution of government, it  
is the duty of civil government to recognize and protect the  
authority of the family unit.

**Liberty**  
True liberty comes from God and real freedom is born of self-  
government.

**Property**  
Individuals have the God-given right to own and steward their  
own property. I am opposed to the forced transfer of one's  
wealth to others by the state.

**Education**  
God has entrusted parents with the responsibility to train  
and educate their children. Thus locally controlled, or private,  
or home schools are most effective at meeting the  
educational challenges we face.

**Constitution**  
The Constitution established a representative federal republic  
making the people sovereign under God and over the state.  
Our founders purposed that the Constitution would limit the  
power and scope of the federal government, not the people.

**States Rights**  
The 10th Amendment strictly limits the federal government to  
those jurisdictions specifically stated within the Constitution. It  
was the plan of our founders that civil government always be  
operated at the most local level.

*This information furnished by Steve Walker.)*

## State Representative 35th District



### DEBRA RINGOLD Republican

**OCCUPATION:** Professor, Willamette University; Consultant to nonprofits, government agencies, and businesses

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Teaching

awards in public and private universities; Editorial board member, academic journals; Board member, national professional society

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Ph.D. University of Maryland; M.B.A. Southern Illinois University; B.A. Texas Tech University

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Corvallis School Board Budget Committee and Task Forces; Wilson Elementary School Site Council

**COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT:** Corvallis Caring Place Nonprofit Assisted Living Facility, Board of Directors; Family Building Blocks Relief Nursery, Board of Directors; Corvallis Kids Count, Steering Committee; Wilson Elementary School PTA, President; United Way of Benton County, Board of Directors

**PERSONAL:** Married 20 years, two children

#### Debra Ringold...Committed To Education

"Education enables people to care for themselves and make meaningful contributions to the Oregon we share."

- Stabilize K-12 and community college funding that fosters local control
- Strengthen enrollment-driven funding model for higher education
- Invest in faculties
- Make tuition affordable

#### Debra Ringold...Values Our Quality Of Life

"Livability is one of Oregon's valuable assets. Through hard work, we can have both a healthy economy and a healthy environment."

- Promote diverse economic development
- Ensure safe neighborhoods
- Find sound transportation solutions
- Restore watershed and salmon health

#### Debra Ringold...Equal Opportunities for All Oregonians

"Respect for all citizens, and genuine dedication to serving them, is the foundation of good government."

- Equal pay for equal work
- Create meaningful, family-wage jobs
- Make affordable housing a priority
- Improve access to affordable health care

"Debra will bring thoughtful problem-solving to the legislature."  
Bob Adams, Benton County Commissioner

"Her life-long commitment to education makes Debra a candidate worthy of your support." Representative Lane Shetterly

"Debra is one of the brightest candidates to seek the Oregon House in some time. Her interest is sound public policy—and that's refreshing!" Former Representative Tony VanVliet

*(This information furnished by Citizens for Debra Ringold.)*

## State Representative 35th District



### KELLEY WIRTH Democrat

**OCCUPATION:** Systems analyst, parent, community volunteer

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Computerized US Army Third Infantry Command Group (Germany);

University European Field Representative; Computer Technology adjunct faculty.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Bachelor of Science, Political Science, Oregon State University; Master of Science, Systems Management, University of Southern California; Corvallis High School.

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Chair, Corvallis Planning Commission; Corvallis Periodic Review Housing Work Group; Corvallis Land Development Hearings Board; Corvallis Housing and Community Development Commission.

**COMMUNITY SERVICE:** Corvallis Kids Count; League of Women Voters (Local Schools, Voter Services, Speakers Bureau, Initiatives and Referenda, Growth Management); Corvallis Indoor Parks Board; Founder, Sunset Meadows Neighborhood Association.

#### KELLEY WIRTH, FOR THE VALUES OUR COMMUNITY SHARES

Kelley Wirth's Corvallis roots cross social, political, and generational divides. Active in civic and community life, Kelley's spent years shouldering her share of responsibility to keep Corvallis the livable place our parents built and our children will inherit.

We can count on Kelley to take our community's values with her to the legislature:

**Kelley Wirth will make education her top priority. She'll fight for stable school funding and smaller class sizes.** With two children of her own, Kelley knows education is the key to success for children, for Corvallis, for Oregon.

**Kelley Wirth will work for a Patients' Bill of Rights that gives control over health care back to patients and their doctors.** She'll strive to reduce the costs of prescription drugs for seniors. Kelley will defend the Oregon Health Plan and work to expand its coverage.

**Kelley Wirth will resist attempts to weaken Oregon's air and water quality laws. She'll fight to protect our natural resources for future generations.**

**Kelley Wirth will fight any efforts to compromise a woman's right to make her own decisions about her own body.**

**Kelley Wirth will stand up for working families and defend Oregon's minimum wage laws.**

**"Kelley Wirth will be a tough, hardworking advocate who will bring new energy and ideas to the Oregon Legislature."--Governor John Kitzhaber**

*(This information furnished by Wirth for State Representative.)*

**State Representative  
36th District**

**State Representative  
36th District**



**BETSY L.  
CLOSE**

**Republican**

**OCCUPATION:** Oregon State Representative

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Teacher, Public Schools, Oregon and Washington; Instructor, Job Developer, Benton County

Comp. Youth Program; Teaching Assistant, Oregon State University.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** BA, Washington State University, 1972. BA Education, Central Washington University, 1974. MS, Oregon State University, 1978.

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Palestine Rural Fire Board; Greater Albany School Committee; Chair, Benton County Republican Party.

**LEGISLATIVE APPOINTMENTS:** Vice-Chair, House Interim Education Committee; House Revenue, Education Model Review Committee, Vice-Chair, House Human Resources, Agency Performance Committee. Commission for Women, Public Lands Advisory Committee.

**PERSONAL:** Married 28 years to husband, Chris, Willamette Industries; Four Children.

**BETSY CLOSE MAKES GOVERNMENT ACCESSIBLE TO YOU!**

**RE-ELECT BETSY CLOSE:**  
Working to Improve Education

Education is Betsy's top priority. As a leader on educational issues in the Oregon Legislature, Betsy worked to write the Public Charter School Law; voted to provide School Report Cards to parents; and voted for over a 10% increase to the K-12 education budget. Betsy's goals are investment of adequate resources and **accountability** for results in our children's schools.

**RE-ELECT BETSY CLOSE:**  
Holding the line on taxes

Betsy Close has worked to combat high taxes and wasteful spending. Betsy supports returning over-collected state taxes (the "Kicker") back to the owners, **the taxpayers**. Betsy was co-sponsor of the Senior Property Tax Rebate, co-sponsor of the referral to put the Kicker in the Constitution, and voted to refer an Oregon Income Tax Cut to the Voters.

**RE-ELECT BETSY CLOSE:**  
Working for Safe Communities

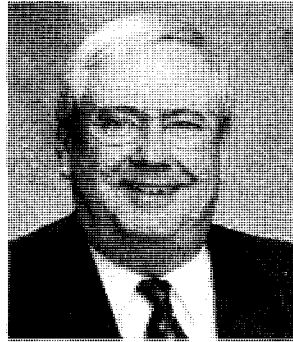
Betsy believes a good community is a **safe community**. Betsy voted for 100 new State Patrol Officers, raised the Community Corrections base budget amount by 11%, and referred Victim's Rights Measures to the Voters.

**RE-ELECT BETSY CLOSE:**  
Endorsed by

Oregon Police Chiefs for Safer Communities, Oregon State Police Officers Association, Oregon Small Business Coalition, National Federation of Independent business, Oregon Farm Bureau, AG-PAC, and Linn County Commissioner Dave Schmidt

**RE-ELECT BETSY CLOSE  
EFFECTIVE, STRONG, COMMON SENSE LEADERSHIP  
FOR DISTRICT 36**

*(This information furnished by Close Friends.)*



**JOHN  
DONOVAN**

**Democrat**

**OCCUPATION:** Retired.

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Marketing Coordinator for ITT Educational Services; High School Teacher and Coach; Small Business

Owner.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** BS, Illinois State.

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Albany Planning Commission; Albany Library Board; Linn County Public Health Advisory Council.

**CIVIC ACTIVITIES:** Chair, Community Mediation Services; Albany Chamber of Commerce; Albany Kiwanis Club; St. Mary's Parish Council; Helping Hands Homeless Shelter Board.

**JOHN DONOVAN--READY TO WORK FOR US!**

John and his wife Jane raised their four children in Albany. John is concerned about the same things we are. Whether volunteering at his church, or joining other parents to lobby for education in Salem, John has proven that getting out from behind a desk is the best way to solve local problems.

**ACCOUNTABILITY IN EDUCATION**

- \* Ensuring a quality education for our children by holding parents, students, and teachers accountable for the success of our schools.
- \* Leading the fight to get funding to the classroom.

**"John is committed to accountability in education, protecting our school funding and keeping class sizes small."  
Bob Stalick, Retired Greater Albany Public Schools Superintendent**

**HEALTH CARE FOR ALL**

- \* Fighting for a Patients' Bill of Rights.
- \* Reducing prescription drug costs for seniors.

**"I believe John is well informed about our community's medical needs and will work to improve health care for all of us."  
Dr. Ben Bonlander, Retired Albany Family Physician**

**A STRONG COMMUNITY**

- \* Promoting strong families by supporting family wage jobs.
- \* Supporting policies that cut red tape for small business.
- \* Working for adequate funding for local community law enforcement agencies.

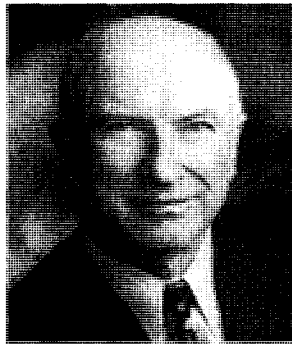
**"John Donovan is dedicated to keeping our community safe and reducing juvenile crime. John's been on the front lines supporting law enforcement." Linn County Sheriff Dave Burright**

**JOHN DONOVAN--A VOICE FOR OUR VALUES!**

**"John Donovan has the common sense, honesty and integrity that best represent our Oregon values. John deserves your vote." U.S. Congressman Peter DeFazio**

*(This information furnished by Committee to Elect John Donovan.)*

## Judge of the Supreme Court Position 2



**GREG  
BYRNE**

**Nonpartisan**

**OCCUPATION:** Business Attorney

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** United States Marine Corps 1959-67, Vietnam Veteran; Small Business Owner

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Harvard Law School; South Carolina University

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Circuit Court Judge Pro-Tempore

**FAMILY:** Wife Debra, father of four, grandfather of three.

**COMMUNITY SERVICE:** President, Northwest District (neighborhood) Association; President, American Amputee Foundation of Oregon; Chair, Oregon Community Foundation Advisory Committee

### EXPERIENCED

An Oregon lawyer 29 years, Greg has argued dozens of cases before the Supreme Court and has earned the highest rating for legal ability and integrity (*Martindale-Hubbell Directory*).

"Greg Byrne has all the skills and experience to be a great Supreme Court Judge. We need his perspective on the bench."  
Bob Smith, Former Oregon Congressman

### PROFESSIONAL

The bar association has selected Greg to investigate unethical attorneys and to advise new attorneys on professionalism.

### INDEPENDENT

Greg Byrne isn't supported by the powerbrokers or the trial lawyers association, insiders who want to keep the status quo on the Supreme Court. He is an independent thinker who would do what is right, not what is politically popular. Greg Byrne is the kind of person Oregon needs on the Supreme Court.

### THE TAXPAYERS' CHOICE

Greg Byrne is supported by those of us who pay taxes, not by politicians and special interests that spend our tax dollars. He has fought government abuse and saved taxpayers millions. Website: Byrne4SC.org.

### COMMON SENSE

"Greg Byrne's opponent sided with criminal defendants in four of his five opinions reviewed by the Supreme Court. The court unanimously reversed him all four times, including when he overturned a rape conviction because the prosecutor didn't prove that Coos Bay was in Coos County! That's why we support Greg Byrne."

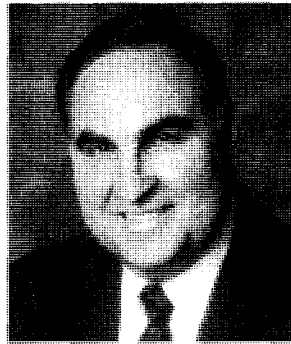
Steve Doell, Crime Victims United of Oregon

### GREG BYRNE WANTS AN OPEN COURT

"It's time to lift the veil of mystery from the Supreme Court. When elected, I will work to have the court hear cases all around Oregon, not just in Salem, and to televise all of its proceedings."

*(This information furnished by Greg Byrne for Supreme Court Committee.)*

## Judge of the Supreme Court Position 2



**PAUL J.  
DEMUNIZ**

**Nonpartisan**

**OCCUPATION:** Judge, Oregon Court of Appeals

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Judge, Court of Appeals, elected in 1990, re-elected in 1996; private law practice, 1977-1990;

Deputy Public Defender, 1975-1977

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** J.D., Willamette University, 1975; B.S., Portland State, 1972; Madison High School, 1965

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Oregon Supreme Court Access to Justice for All Committee, since 1997; Commission on Judicial Fitness, since 1998; Supreme Court Task Force on Racial and Ethnic Issues in the Judicial System Implementation Committee Chair, 1994-1996; Oregon Criminal Justice Council, 1985-1990

**MILITARY SERVICE:** U.S. Air Force, Vietnam veteran, 1966-1969. Appointed by Secretary of Defense to Defense Advisory Committee on Women in the Services, 1998 to present

**COMMUNITY SERVICE:** North Salem High mock trial coach, since 1998; Board of Visitors, Willamette University, since 1995; Volunteer coach for youth athletics, since 1983

**PERSONAL:** Wife, Mary; Children - Carrie, Peter, and Michael  
**Experience. Integrity. Fairness.**

"Judge DeMuniz is an individual of strong character and a life-long commitment to Oregon. He brings common sense to resolving conflict."

**Mark O. Hatfield  
Former U.S. Senator**

"Judge Paul DeMuniz is one of the most even-handed and practical judges to serve in Oregon. His decade of experience and passion for fairness are what sets him apart in this election."

**District Attorney Mike Schrunk  
Sheriff Dan Noelle  
Multnomah County**

"Judge DeMuniz is one of the hardest working, most productive and most influential jurists to have served on the Court of Appeals. Oregon would be very fortunate to have him on the Supreme Court."

**Mary Deits  
Chief Judge, Court of Appeals**

"I am proud to have had the opportunity in 1990 to appoint Paul DeMuniz to the Court of Appeals. I enthusiastically endorse him today. His service has been exemplary."

**Neil Goldschmidt  
Former Oregon Governor**

"I admire Paul DeMuniz as a person with enormous integrity. He has an immense capacity for hard work and a profound devotion to judicial duty and judicial ethics."

**Dave Frohnmayer  
Former Oregon Attorney General**

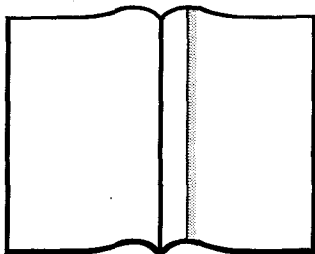
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*(This information furnished by Judge DeMuniz for Oregon Supreme Court Committee.)*

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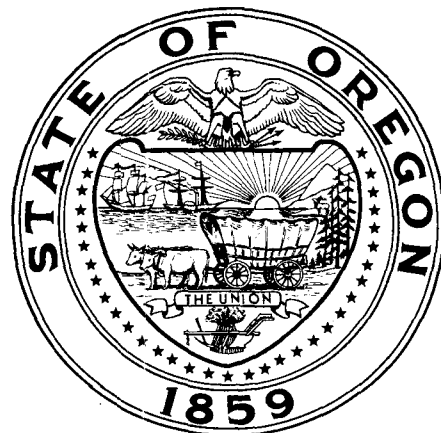
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