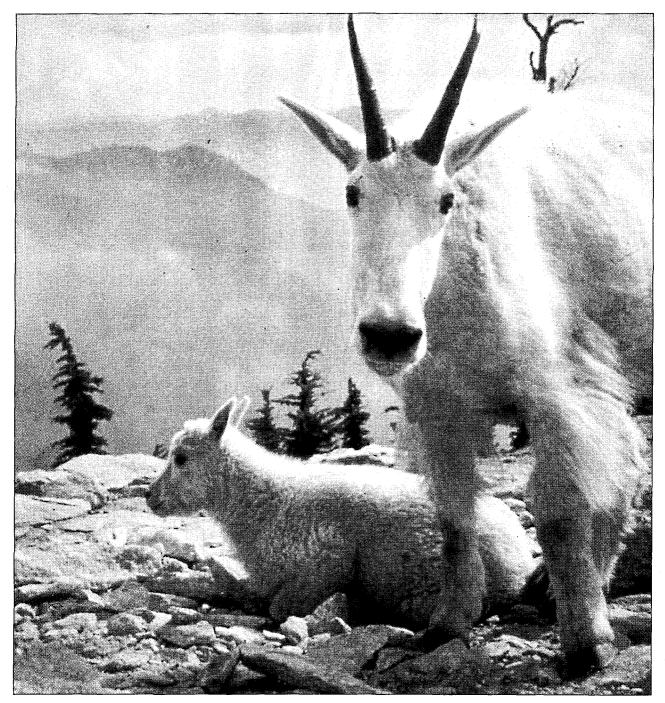
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VOTE BY MAIL PRIMARY ELECTION, MAY 21, 2002

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Dear Oregonian,

As Oregon's Secretary of State, one of my most important goals is to make sure that every Oregonian has the opportunity to register and to vote. Your vote is your voice. Voting gives each individual the power to make decisions about who leads our state and what laws are passed—and I am working hard to provide every Oregonian with the information and inspiration they need to exercise their precious right to vote.

The Voters' Pamphlet is the most direct and complete source of information on candidates and issues in our state. I encourage you to use this document as a resource to help you make thoughtful, informed decisions as you vote. Remember: the ballot you cast in May will affect all of our lives and the future of our state.

The May 2002 election will be Oregon's second statewide primary conducted entirely by mail. Two years ago, a total of over 900,000 Oregonians cast ballots in the first vote-by-mail Primary. The high turnout during the 2000 Primary reversed a steady twenty-year decline in the number of Oregonians casting Primary Election ballots. In fact, it represented a 16 percent increase over the highest number of votes ever cast in a polling place Primary Election.

This year, I challenge Oregon to do even better. The nation is experiencing a disturbing decline in voter participation, particularly among young people. We stand the risk of losing a whole generation of voters. You have the power to guarantee that does not happen, and to change Oregon for the better.

- If you have never registered to vote, are at least 18 years old, and are a U.S. citizen, seize this opportunity to make your voice heard and help shape the future of our state.
- If you are registered to vote and have not voted recently, or are not excited about the choices available to you this election, remember that your vote is the best way to have an effect on who runs for office and what measures are put on ballots and enacted into law.
- If you regularly vote and will do so this election, please take the time to share with others the reasons you vote and encourage them to vote too.

I give you this challenge in the firm belief that WE, the people, ARE the government. The government is what we make of it. If we are not happy with the policies or priorities of those now making the decisions, we have the power and the responsibility to redirect government to match our needs. You have the power to change our government with your voice—and you have the power to change our world with your vote.

Sincerely,

Bill Bradbury Secretary of State

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P.S. You will notice that the ballot measures contained in this document are numbered 10, 11 and 13. This is not an error; the original Measure 12 was a legislative referral that was removed from the ballot at the request of the legislature and by order of the Marion County Circuit Court.

On the cover: A Mountain goat (Oreamnos americanus) stands guard over its kid in the Wallowa Mountains of Eastern Oregon in this Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife picture.

Information

GENERAL

Your official 2002 Primary Election Voters' Pamphlet provides you with information about measures and candidates that will appear on your ballot. The pamphlet is divided into separate sections for measures and candidates. You can find page numbers for the beginning of each of these sections, as well as the alphabetical index of candidates, in the table of contents on this page.

Material in the measures section includes the state ballot title, estimate of financial impact, the complete text of the proposed measure, an impartial statement explaining the measure and any arguments filed by proponents and opponents of the measure.

The estimate of financial impact for each measure is prepared by a committee of state officials including the Secretary of State, the State Treasurer, the Director of the Oregon Department of Administrative Services and the Director of the Department of Revenue. The committee estimates only the direct impact on state and local governments.

The explanatory statement is an impartial statement explaining the measure. Each measure's explanatory statement is written by a committee of five members, including two proponents of the measure, two opponents of the measure and a fifth member appointed by the first four committee members, or, if they fail to agree on a fifth member, appointed by the Secretary of State. Explanatory statements can be appealed and may be changed by the Oregon Supreme Court.

Citizens or organizations may file arguments in favor of, or in opposition to, measures by purchasing space for \$500 or by submitting a petition signed by 1,000 voters. Arguments in favor of a measure appear first, followed by arguments in opposition to the measure, and are printed in the order in which they are filed with the Secretary of State's office.

Additionally, the state measures were referred to Oregon voters by the Legislature and you will find a "Legislative Argument in Support" for each of these measures. Oregon law allows the Legislature to submit, at no cost, an argument in support of each measure it refers to the people.

In the candidate section, partisan candidates appear before nonpartisan candidates. Every two years, at the primary election, the order in which each major political party's candidates appear is rotated. 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.

Miscellaneous voting aids, including congressional and district maps, drop site locations and a complete list of the state measures and candidates, are also a part of the Voters' Pamphlet. In an effort not to duplicate the printing of information, some of these voting aids are not a part of the state Voters' Pamphlet, but instead are included in your county Voters' Pamphlet, if your county has produced a Voters' Pamphlet.

The Voters' Pamphlet has been compiled 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 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 2002 Primary Election is:

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

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/may212002/may212002.htm

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, MAY 21, 2002.

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

Voter Registration Information

VOTER REGISTRATION

Who May Register To Vote

You may register to vote for the May 21, 2002, Primary Election if:

- 1. You are a citizen of the United States;
- 2. You will be at least 18 years old by May 21, 2002; and
- 3. You are a resident of Oregon.

How To Register To Vote

To register to vote in the May 21, 2002, election, your completed voter registration card must be either:

- · Postmarked by April 30, 2002;
- Delivered to a county elections office by April 30, 2002; or .
- Delivered to any voter registration agency (e.g., DMV) by April 30, 2002.

If Your Name, Mailing Address or Political Party Affiliation Has Changed

If you are currently registered to vote in Oregon but your name, mailing address or party affiliation has changed since you last completed a voter registration card, complete a new voter registration card and mail it to your county elections office.

If Your Residence Address Has Changed

If you are currently registered to vote in Oregon but your residence address has changed since you last completed a voter registration card, complete a new voter registration card and mail it to your county elections office.

If you notify your county elections office of your change of residence address after April 30, 2002, you must request that a ballot be mailed to you or go to your county elections office to get your ballot.

Where to Obtain a Voter Registration Card

Voter registration cards can be obtained from the Secretary of State's Office, any county elections office, many state agencies, and most banks and post offices, and are also in some telephone books. It is also available on-line at the Secretary of State's web page at http://www.sos.state.or.us/elections/other.info/vreg.htm

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

List of State Measures and Candidates

This is a complete listing of the statewide measures and state candidates for the Primary Election, May 21, 2002, as prepared by the Secretary of State, for the counties covered in this pamphlet. On election day, your ballot 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.

STATE MEASURES

NO. 10 — AMENDS CONSTITUTION: ALLOWS PUBLIC UNIVERSITIES TO RECEIVE EQUITY IN PRIVATE COMPANIES AS COMPENSATION FOR PUBLICLY CREATED TECHNOLOGY

(Vote Yes or No)

RESULT OF "YES" VOTE: "Yes" vote allows Oregon public universities to receive equity (stock) for technology that schools create and to hold certain stocks invested in Oregon technology development. RESULT OF "NO" VOTE: "No" vote rejects proposal allowing Oregon public universities to receive equity (stock) for technology that schools create or hold stocks invested in Oregon technology development.

NO. 11 — AMENDS CONSTITUTION: AUTHORIZES LESS EXPENSIVE GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND FINANCING FOR OHSU MEDICAL RESEARCH AND OTHER CAPITAL COSTS

(Vote Yes or No)

RESULT OF "YES" VOTE: "Yes" vote would authorize state to issue less expensive general obligation bonds rather than more expensive revenue bonds to finance OHSU medical research, capital costs.

RESULT OF "NO" VOTE: "No" vote rejects authorization for state to issue less expensive general obligation bonds to finance OHSU capital costs; maintains revenue bond financing under existing law.

NO. 13 — AMENDS CONSTITUTION: AUTHORIZES USING EDUCATION FUND PRINCIPAL IN SPECIFIED CIRCUMSTANCES; TRANSFERS \$220 MILLION TO SCHOOL FUND

(Vote Yes or No)

RESULT OF "YES" VOTE: "Yes" vote converts education endowment fund to stability fund; authorizes, conditions using fund principal for education; transfers \$220 million from fund to School Fund.

RESULT OF "NO" VOTE: "No" vote rejects: converting

education endowment fund to stability fund; authorizing, conditioning use of fund principal; transferring \$220 million from fund to School Fund.

DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATES

UNITED STATES SENATOR—(Vote for One)—Craig Hanson; Greg Haven; Bill Bradbury

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS, 4TH DISTRICT—(Vote for One)—Peter A. DeFazio

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS, 5TH DISTRICT—(Vote for One)—Darlene Hooley

GOVERNOR—(Vote for One)—Jim Hill; Caleb Burns; Ted Kulongoski; William Peter Allen; Bev Stein

STATE SENATOR, 8TH DISTRICT—(Vote for One)—Barbara Ross

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 15TH DISTRICT—(Vote for One)— Joseph Novak; Larry J. Johnson

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 16TH DISTRICT—(Vote for One)—Kelley Wirth

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 23RD DISTRICT—(Vote for One)—Peter Leung

REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES

UNITED STATES SENATOR-(Vote for One)-Gordon H. Smith

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS, 4TH DISTRICT—(Vote for One)—Liz VanLeeuwen

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS, 5TH DISTRICT—(Vote for One)—Brian J. Boquist; Craig L. Schelske

GOVERNOR—(Vote for One)—Roger Weidner; Kevin L. Mannix; W. Ames Curtright; Lee R. Shindler; Ron Saxton; Jack Roberts

STATE SENATOR, 8TH DISTRICT—(Vote for One)—Frank Morse

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 15TH DISTRICT—(Vote for One)— Betsy L. Close

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 16TH DISTRICT—(Vote for One)—Scott Bisson

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 23RD DISTRICT—(Vote for One)— Lane Shetterly

NONPARTISAN CANDIDATES

COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF LABOR AND INDUSTRIES—(Vote for One)—Victor Hoffer; Dan Gardner; Pavel Goberman; Don Frazier

SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION—(Vote for One)—Stan Bunn; Rob Kremer; Susan Castillo

JUDGE OF THE SUPREME COURT, POSITION 1—(Vote for One)—Thomas A. Balmer

JUDGE OF THE COURT OF APPEALS, POSITION 1—(Vote for One)—David J. Hunnicutt; David Schuman

JUDGE OF THE COURT OF APPEALS, POSITION 2—(Vote for One)—Walt Edmonds

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, BENTON COUNTY—(Vote for One)—Scott A. Heiser; Steven Black

Measure No. 10

Senate Joint Resolution 17—Referred to the Electorate of Oregon by the 2001 Legislature to be voted on at the Primary Election, May 21, 2002.

BALLOT TITLE

10

AMENDS CONSTITUTION: ALLOWS PUBLIC UNIVERSITIES TO RECEIVE EQUITY IN PRIVATE COMPANIES AS COMPENSATION FOR PUBLICLY CREATED TECHNOLOGY

RESULT OF "YES" VOTE: "Yes" vote allows Oregon public universities to receive equity (stock) for technology that schools create and to hold certain stocks invested in Oregon technology development.

RESULT OF "NO" VOTE: "No" vote rejects proposal allowing Oregon public universities to receive equity (stock) for technology that schools create or hold stocks invested in Oregon technology development.

SUMMARY: Currently, the Oregon Constitution prohibits the state from subscribing to or being interested in the stock of any company. The Constitution provides exceptions to that provision, allowing public colleges and universities to receive, hold, dispose of and receive dividends from stocks donated or bequeathed for higher education purposes. This measure amends the Oregon Constitution, allowing public colleges and universities to be compensated with stock when private companies use technology the schools created. The measure also allows public colleges and universities to hold stock received before December 5, 2002, if that stock was received as a state asset invested in the creation or development of technology within Oregon. The measure does not permit the use of taxpayer money for speculation or investment in the stock market.

ESTIMATE OF FINANCIAL IMPACT: There is no financial effect on state or local government expenditures or revenues.

TEXT OF MEASURE

Be It Resolved by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Oregon:

PARAGRAPH 1. Section 6, Article XI of the Constitution of the State of Oregon, is amended to read:

Sec. 6 (1) The state shall not subscribe to, or be interested in the stock of any company, association or corporation. However, as provided by law the state may hold and dispose of stock, including stock already received, that is donated or bequeathed; and may invest, in the stock of any company, association or corporation, any funds or moneys that:

[(1)] (a) Are donated or bequeathed for higher education purposes; [or]

[(2)] **(b)** Are the proceeds from the disposition of stock that is donated or bequeathed for higher education purposes, including stock already received; or

[(3)] (c) Are dividends paid with respect to stock that is donated or bequeathed for higher education purposes, including stock already received.

(2) Notwithstanding the limits contained in subsection (1) of this section, the state may hold and dispose of stock:

(a) Received in exchange for technology created in whole or in part by a public institution of post-secondary education; or

(b) Received prior to December 5, 2002, as a state asset invested in the creation or development of technology or resources within Oregon.

PARAGRAPH 2. The amendment proposed by this resolution shall be submitted to the people for their approval or rejection at a special election held throughout this state on the same date as the next biennial primary election.

NOTE: **Boldfaced** type indicates new language; [brackets and italic] type indicates deletions or comments.

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

Ballot Measure 10 amends the Oregon Constitution and would allow Oregon's public universities and colleges to hold and dispose of stock received in exchange for technology they create.

Currently, the Oregon Constitution prohibits the state from subscribing to or being interested in the stock of any company, association or corporation. The Oregon Constitution does provide limited exceptions to this prohibition. However, the prohibition extends to Oregon's public colleges and universities.

Out of the 50 states, 23 allow public universities to hold stock. When a public university in those states creates a technological advance, a private company can give that university stock in exchange for that innovation or for permission for the company to market, own, sell, or license that innovation. This practice has been used to develop non-tax revenues for public higher education.

The measure also allows the state to hold and dispose of stock received prior to December 5, 2002, if the stock is held as a state asset invested for economic development purposes, and the creation or development of technology or resources within Oregon.

While Ballot Measure 10 allows public universities to receive stock, Oregon law does not allow them to use taxpayers money to invest in the stock market.

Committee Members:

Senator David Nelson Representative Rob Patridge Patrick Clark Doug Goe Don McIntire

Appointed By:

President of the Senate Speaker of the House Secretary of State Secretary of State Members of the Committee

(This committee was appointed to provide an impartial explanation of the ballot measure pursuant to ORS 25 '.215.)

NO ARGUMENTS IN OPPOSITION TO THIS BALLOT MEASURE WERE FILED WITH THE SECRETARY OF STATE.

LEGISLATIVE ARGUMENT IN SUPPORT

Ballot Measure 10 Means More Good Jobs, A Stronger Economy, and Healthier Public Colleges and Universities for Oregon

Ballot Measure 10 was brought to the legislature by a coalition of business and higher education leaders. The reason: they wanted to make sure that Oregon has the ability to succeed in an ever more competitive world.

Ballot Measure 10 is a tool for the success of our economy and our public colleges and universities. Right now, it is a tool that Oregon lacks. That is why your legislature referred Measure 10 to the ballot.

What it does

Measure 10 will allow public universities to hold equity (stock) in companies that use the school's discoveries commercially. This change is a narrow one: it will not allow the use of any taxpayer dollars to invest in the stock market, and puts no public dollars at risk. Twenty-three states have given their public higher education systems this tool.

Why We Should Do It

Measure 10 will make it easier for new companies to start, grow, and succeed in Oregon – It will increase the ability of smaller, Oregon start-up companies to afford to commercialize the great ideas coming from our public universities – instead of those ideas being commercialized in other states.

Measure 10 will create good jobs and careers for Oregonians – Building local businesses around the discoveries of universities has created places like Silicon Valley, Route 128 in Massachusetts, and other sources of well-paying jobs and careers

Measure 10 will help Oregon's most important industries — Technological advances that Measure 10 will encourage are transforming both our new economic sectors such as high tech and biotech, and our traditional industries such as agriculture and forestry

Measure 10 is fair – Public universities – and public dollars – help create new discoveries. Measure 10 means that they can share in the success of those discoveries.

Yes on Measure 10
More Jobs, Stronger Schools, and No Risk to Taxpayers

Committee Members:

Senator David Nelson Representative Al King Representative Rob Patridge

Appointed By:

President of the Senate Speaker of the House Speaker of the House

(This Joint Legislative Committee was appointed to provide the legislative argument in support of the ballot measure pursuant to ORS 251.245.)

ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

BALLOT MEASURE 10 IN PLAIN ENGLISH

Ballot measures have to be written in legal language, to make sure they do exactly what they are supposed to do. Sometimes, however, that makes them difficult to understand.

Here is what Ballot Measure 10 would do - in plain English.

Ballot Measure 10 would change a constitutional provision dating from the 19th Century, which prevents any part of Oregon's state government from owning stock.

Today, the ability of public colleges and universities to accept stock has become an important tool to build a state's economy and provide non-tax funding for universities. But Oregon's public universities aren't allowed to do this.

Some of the world's most important scientific and engineering advances are made at public universities. In most states, public universities are allowed to accept stock from private companies that want to market those discoveries. Ballot Measure 10 will amend our constitution and allow state-owned universities to accept equity in a company (in the form of stock), as compensation for the right to commercialize a discovery made by the school. Not only does that help create successful companies, but it allows the public to share in their success.

Ballot Measure 10 will not permit public universities to use taxpayer money to invest in stocks. It will not put taxpayers' money at risk. What it will do is make a small, but important change in the Oregon Constitution – a change that will enable Oregon's public universities to help build Oregon companies, create Oregon jobs, and strengthen Oregon's system of higher education.

VOTE YES ON BALLOT MEASURE 10

(This information furnished by Jim Johnson, Committee for Oregon's Future.)

(This space purchased for \$500 in accordance with ORS 251.255.)

ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

An Important Message from State Treasurer Randali Edwards

BALLOT MEASURE 10: NO RISK TO TAXPAYERS AND A BETTER FUTURE FOR OREGON

I enthusiastically support Ballot Measure 10. It is a proven strategy that more and more states are using to compete successfully in the national and world marketplace.

This measure is simple. It ensures that research and ideas at our public universities can become businesses, to create new jobs and strengthen our economy.

Ballot Measure 10 will also strengthen our public colleges and universities, which are important to our economy and the future of our young people.

Most of us in our daily lives don't think a lot about exchanging the rights to use technology for stock positions in start up companies. And these days, seeing the word "stocks" with public institutions could raise a question.

As your Treasurer, I thought it is also important to make very clear what Measure 10 will NOT do:

Measure 10 does not allow the state government or public colleges and universities to invest taxpayer money in the stock market. That is not allowed by the Oregon Constitution, and Measure 10 will not change that.

And as the official fiscal impact statement shows, Ballot Measure 10 comes at no cost to taxpayers.

It is very rare that we have the opportunity to do some much for our economy, our state and our future – at no cost and no risk to Oregon taxpayers. That is why I urge you to join me in voting YES on Ballot Measure 10.

State Treasurer Randall Edwards

(This information furnished by State Treasurer Randall Edwards.)

ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

Oregon's Chambers of Commerce Support Measure 10

It's a simple formula:

University discoveries + entrepreneurial businesses = new economic growth for Oregon.

New ideas = new businesses = new economic growth.

It's a familiar equation in places like California, Massachusetts, and Texas, where the innovative ideas coming out of the universities have inspired hundreds of start-up companies and created thousands of new jobs.

But in Oregon we're missing an important part of the equation. Our constitution doesn't allow public universities to hold stock in the companies they help create -- a barrier that makes universities less interested in marketing their discoveries, and investors less interested in exploring partnerships with our universities.

Measure 10 solves this problem by simplifying the process by which new ideas are turned into new businesses -- a critical tool for building prosperity in Oregon.

As Chambers of Commerce we represent Main Street businesses from across the state. Measure 10 is important to our communities and should be important to everyone who is interested in a stronger economy, jobs and a better a future for Oregon. All at no risk to taxpayers.

We urge you to vote yes on Measure 10.

Portland Metropolitan Chamber of Commerce Corvallis Area Chamber of Commerce Bend Chamber of Commerce Eugene Area Chamber of Commerce

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ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

A Message from the Oregon State Building and Construction Trades

Ballot Measure 10 Means Good Jobs for Oregon

It may be surprising to find unions representing construction workers asking you to vote YES on Ballot Measure 10. At first glance, Ballot Measure 10 seems like it is about stock, technology and universities. But if you care about jobs, and the future of Oregon's working families, your YES vote for Ballot Measure is an important one.

As the Oregon State Building and Construction Trades, we are the union workers who build Oregon. We depend on a strong Oregon economy to be able to provide for our families, and make Oregon a better place to live.

Ballot Measure 10 will help do that. By allowing our public universities to take stock in return for technology they develop, it will make it easier for new companies to start and prosper here in Oregon. And Ballot Measure 10 will do that for Oregon's most important industries.

When that happens, it will mean jobs for the people who work in those companies. It will mean jobs for people like us, who will build them. It will mean a state with a more stable economy, which is good for the communities we live in, the schools our children go to, and the future we will all share.

And Ballot Measure 10 can help do that at no cost and no risk to taxpavers.

No matter your walk of life, or what you do for a living, Ballot Measure 10 means a stronger and more prosperous Oregon. That is why the working men and women of Oregon's Building Trades are asking you to join them in voting YES on Ballot Measure 10.

Bob Shiprack Oregon State Building and Construction Trades

(This information furnished by Bob Shiprack, Oregon State Building and Construction Trades Council.)

ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

Oregon's University Presidents Support Ballot Measure 10

HELP OUR UNIVERSITIES CREATE NEW COMPANIES, NEW JOBS, AND NEW PROSPERITY IN OREGON

Most people understand that universities make a great impact on our young peoples' future. But our public universities also play a pivotal role in Oregon's economic future.

That is what Ballot Measure 10 is about: helping universities build prosperity with new companies, new jobs and new opportunities for Oregonians.

Today, new ideas are the most powerful force for economic success. But in Oregon, there's a significant roadblock standing between new ideas and new businesses: our State Constitution bars public universities from holding stock in the companies that emerge from their research.

In states with no such restriction, universities have collaborated with the private sector to create hundreds of new businesses and jump-start the economy.

- In California, the innovative ideas coming out of the UC system and Stanford University created the basis for Silicon Valley.
- MIT has helped create nearly 4,000 companies employing more than 1.1 million people and with annual sales topping \$232 billion.

And when those companies succeed, the universities share in the success. That's only fair, and helps bring new resources to schools.

With Ballot Measure 10, we can create jobs and opportunities right here in Oregon, at no cost and no risk to taxpavers.

Nearly half the states in the nation have given this tool to their public universities. Ballot Measure 10 offers us the choice of joining them, or being left behind.

PLEASE JOIN US IN VOTING YES ON BALLOT MEASURE 10

David B. Frohnmayer President, University of Oregon*

Paul G. Risser President, Oregon State University*

Daniel O. Bernstine President, Portland State University*

Elisabeth Zinser President, Southern Oregon University*

*Titles used for identification purposes only, and do not constitute a position on this measure by any institution of the Oregon University System or the Oregon State Board of Higher Education.

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ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

A RETIRED BUSINESS PERSON TALKS ABOUT BALLOT MEASURE 10

Dear Fellow Oregonians,

I'm retired now. But for 18 years I worked as an executive here in Oregon. I am proud of the products we made, and the services we provided for customers around the world. But I am just as proud of what our company has meant to Oregon: over 4000 well-paying jobs for Oregonians, a stronger economy for our state, and opportunities for our young people to have good careers here at home.

But as I look to our future, I am also concerned. That is why I urge you to join me in voting yes on Ballot Measure 10.

Ours was a high technology company. Basically, we built on the power of new ideas. And new ideas are what will keep our economy healthy.

In Oregon, we are blessed with good public universities, which are the source of many of these ideas. There is no question that many of the discoveries made in our public universities will end up creating new businesses, new jobs and a better world.

The question is, will that happen in Oregon, or will the benefit go to another state?

When our public universities have a great idea with commercial potential, <u>Ballot Measure 10 will make it more likely that an Oregon start up company will be able to develop it and succeed.</u> In effect, it will make our public universities a partner in our economic success.

As a businessman, I've seen this tool used time after time - notably in the state of Washington. As an Oregonian, I would like to see it happen here.

Once again, I'm retired. But I still care about our future, and those who will follow us. <u>Help give Oregon the tools to create a better future</u>. Please vote yes on Measure 10.

Sincerely,

Robert D. "Skip" Rung Retired R&D executive Corvallis

(This information furnished by Skip Rung.)

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ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

Republicans AND Democrats Agree: Ballot Measure 10 is Important for Oregon's Future

As Republican and Democratic legislative leaders, there are many issues we differ on.

But Ballot Measure 10 is not one of them. We all strongly support it, and urge our fellow Oregonians to join us in voting yes.

Ballot Measure 10 was brought to the legislature by a broad coalition of Oregon's business and university leaders as a key missing piece of our economic and education future. We overwhelmingly referred it to the ballot, because:

- Measure 10 will help build Oregon's economic future, with new, cutting edge companies and the good jobs that come with them.
- Measure 10 will encourage technological advances that will strengthen Oregon's most important industries, including high technology, agriculture and forestry.
- Measure 10 will help our public colleges and universities share in the success of the new ideas they create.
- And Measure 10 will do all this at no risk or cost to taxpayers.

A healthier Oregon economy. More Oregon jobs. Stronger Oregon public colleges and universities.

Those are things that ALL Oregonians can get behind.

Please Vote YES on Ballot Measure 10!

Rep. Mark Simmons Speaker, Oregon House of Representatives

Rep. Deborah Kafoury House Democratic Leader

Senator David Nelson Senate Republican Majority Leader

Senator Kate Brown Senate Democratic Leader

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ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

Ballot Measure 10 Connects Small Businesses to BIG IDEAS

I am the CEO of Tripwire, Inc., a young, vital high-tech business built on software technology developed at, and previously owned by Purdue University. We started our company by obtaining ownership of the software in exchange for providing Purdue University stock in our company. Had Purdue been prohibited from receiving stock in our company, we may not have been able to start-up and grow our business to its current size of 150 employees in the Portland area and bring to Oregon \$46 million in out-of-state venture capital. Like small companies, dairy farming operations, forestry businesses or manufacturers who came before me, my company needs access to certain natural resources to survive. In our case, it was - and continues to be - the intellectual creations that are developed on our university campuses.

Oregon's intellectual resources are rich and abundant. In fact, some of the world's most prominent researchers are working at our schools of higher education, and they are making life-altering breakthroughs in medicine, engineering, and computer software.

But right now, an outdated prohibition in Oregon's constitutions makes it near impossible for small businesses to draw on the brain-power at our state's public universities.

Because they are barred from accepting stock, Oregon's public universities can only work with corporations large enough to pay cash for the right to turn university ideas into products – a limitation that cuts small entrepreneurial companies right out of the loop.

Yet it is those young start-up companies that are most likely to stay in Oregon, create new jobs, and generate new tax revenues.

Leading economists agree: small businesses will be the cornerstone of Oregon's economic recovery.

If you believe innovative new companies and high-paying new jobs are good for Oregon, please vote YES on Ballot Measure 10.

W. Wyatt Starnes

Founder, President and Chief Executive Officer, Tripwire, Inc.

Help Small Businesses Build Oregon's Future Vote Yes on Ballot Measure 10

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ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

A Message from Congressman Earl Blumenauer

Measure 10 Will Help Turn Federal Funds Into Jobs for Oregon

Dear Fellow Oregonian.

Ballot Measure 10 is a good idea for Oregon, allowing us to be more competitive in the world economy, by translating our technological breakthroughs into Oregon success stories.

But one benefit of Measure 10 might not be so obvious: it helps leverage federal funding we receive into jobs that we can keep.

In Congress, my colleagues and I work hard to deliver federal funds to Oregon. One of the most important uses for those funds is research at our public colleges and universities. It is that research which often results in discoveries that have great commercial potential.

While federal money helps create these discoveries, all too often it is other states that reap the ultimate benefits. That is because the only way that smaller Oregon companies or start-ups can afford the rights to take these innovations to market is by offering their stock in exchange. It is a well-accepted strategy in other states. But unless we pass Measure 10, it is a strategy that is closed off to Oregon's public universities.

And that puts us at a disadvantage.

It may seem complicated, but this is the bottom line: we turn federal dollars into research for Oregon. By voting yes on Measure 10, we will also be able to turn those federal dollars into jobs and a better future.

Please join me in voting yes on Ballot Measure 10.

Sincerely.

Congressman Earl Blumenauer

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ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

Ballot Measure 10 is Important for Oregon's Traditional Industries: Agriculture and Forestry

When you think about technological advancement, it's easy to picture computers, microchips, or new advances in medicine.

But you might not think of farmers, ranchers or those who make their living in the forest products industries.

You should. And if you care about the future of Oregon's rural economy and traditional industries, you should care about Ballot Measure 10.

To survive, agriculture, forestry, ranching and dairy farms need new ways to be more productive, efficient and environmentally friendly. Oregon's public universities have a great tradition of making these kinds of discoveries. But right now, they are denied one of the most important tools for taking those discoveries to market

By allowing our public colleges and universities to take an equity interest in companies that commercialize the school's ideas, we increase the chance that these advances will turn into successful businesses, jobs and a better future – right here in Oregon. And we increase the chances that these Oregon discoveries will benefit Oregon's farms, forests and a rural economy that desperately needs them.

Help Rural Oregon's Economic Future Please Vote Yes on Ballot Measure 10

Stan Timmermann

Pendleton wheat farmer

Paulette Pyle

Oregonians for Food & Shelter

Andy Anderson, Secretary

Oregon Farm Bureau Political Action Committee

Ray Wilkeson, Legislative Director

Oregon Forest Industries Council

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ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

Oregon Students Support Ballot Measure 10

We are Oregonian students, attending Oregon public colleges and universities. Clearly, we like it here – and we would like to have the option of building our lives and our futures here. For that to happen, however, means having strong career opportunities: a vital economy and the jobs that go with them.

That is why we strongly support Ballot Measure 10.

Oregon's public universities create great ideas, many of which will turn into successful businesses. In other states, public universities can participate in the process, by getting a piece of the companies taking the idea to market. When that idea succeeds, the community gets a better economy and new jobs, and the university gets resources to offer a better education.

You can see why a student would be interested in that.

Right now, however, Oregon's public colleges and universities don't have that tool. That's why Measure 10 is so important.

When you vote, please remember those of us who are students today. Even more importantly, remember those who will be in Oregon's schools tomorrow. Helo Oregon be the place for all of us to learn, grow and succeed.

Signed,

Michael Pfohman, Oregon State University Kevin Weichbrodt, Graduate Student Portland State University Thomas R. Delegarde, UO Graduate student Kenneth Andrew Colwell, UO Graduate student

(This information furnished by Phil Donovan, Committee for Oregon's Future.)

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ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

<u>Ballot Measure 10 and Bioscience</u> Boosting Oregon's Most Important Emerging Industry

Bioscience is the most powerful emerging industry of the 21st Century. What is bioscience? It is the use of advanced biological information and techniques to develop new human therapeutics, to more rapidly and accurately diagnose and cure diseases, to improve agricultural output, to provide better ways to protect the environment, to produce novel tools for research and to design the next generation of medical devices.

It has the power to make the world a better place. And it will be a tremendous source of economic strength and jobs. Both the State of Oregon and the City of Portland have targeted developing bioscience as one of Oregon's most critical economic goals.

Oregon's public universities have made some great discoveries in the field of bioscience. But while we can be very proud of the work that has been done in our schools, Oregon has not reaped nearly the economic benefit it should:

Only about 15% percent of the technologies developed at Oregon universities and research have led to the formation and growth of Oregon Bioscience companies.

The remaining 75% have been licensed by companies in other states.

One reason for that? Oregon's public universities have been shut out of one of the most effective ways of building local bioscience companies from the ground up.

By voting yes on Ballot Measure 10, we can change that. The ability to offer stock in exchange for the right to develop the commercial potential of university discoveries will help level the playing field between Oregon start-up companies and huge out-of-state corporations.

The current recession shows how important it is for Oregon to have a stronger, diverse and advanced economy. With Ballot Measure 10, we help lead the next great industry. Without it, we risk being left behind.

(This information furnished by Jeff Lipps, PhRMA, OrBIO.)

ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

BEV STEIN SUPPORTS MEASURE 10

Measure 10 will help create Oregon jobs and help build hundreds of Oregon companies. That fits Bev Stein's commitment as governor to get Oregon working again.

BEV STEIN SUPPORTS HIGHER EDUCATION

Measure 10 will help strengthen Oregon's public colleges and universities. That fits Bev Stein's commitment as governor to improve education – at all levels – in Oregon.

BEV STEIN SUPPORTS A STRONG ECONOMY

Measure 10 will allow Oregon's public universities and colleges to hold and dispose of stock received in exchange for technology they create. This change will mean:

- Hundreds of companies and thousands of jobs will be created here in Oregon instead of us losing them to other states.
- Oregon's most important industries will be strengthened, including high technology, agriculture, bioscience and forestry.
- Because public universities will benefit, that means you the taxpayer – will benefit from the success of the schools' discoveries.

BEV STEIN BELIEVES IF YOU PAY FOR A NEW IDEA, IT IS ONLY FAIR FOR YOU TO SHARE IN THE BENEFIT.

The following Oregon business leaders join Bev in supporting this important change in state law:

Janice Wilson, retired bank executive Hiroshi Morihara, CEO, Persimmon Group Gale Castillo, Owner, Bellisimo Fine Gifts Marcus Simantel, Farmer

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Measure No. 11

House Joint Resolution 19—Referred to the Electorate of Oregon by the 2001 Legislature to be voted on at the Primary Election, May 21, 2002.

BALLOT TITLE

1 1 AMENDS CONSTITUTION: AUTHORIZES LESS EXPENSIVE GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND FINANCING FOR OHSU MEDICAL RESEARCH AND OTHER CAPITAL COSTS

RESULT OF "YES" VOTE: "Yes" vote would authorize state to issue less expensive general obligation bonds rather than more expensive revenue bonds to finance OHSU medical research, capital costs.

RESULT OF "NO" VOTE: *No" vote rejects authorization for state to issue less expensive general obligation bonds to finance OHSU capital costs; maintains revenue bond financing under existing law.

SUMMARY: Amends Constitution. The measure authorizes the sale of less expensive general obligation bonds, in place of more expensive revenue bonds previously authorized by the 2001 Legislature under the Oregon Opportunity Act. Net bond proceeds, which may not exceed \$200 million, would finance statewide medical and technology research, and other capital costs, for Oregon Health and Science University (OHSU). Bond proceeds may not be used for OHSU operating expenses. The measure limits the amount of the indebtedness incurred under this measure to one-half of one percent of the real market value of all property in the state. Measure specifies sources of repayment: General Fund, lottery funds, tobacco settlement funds, and amounts appropriated from other sources, but not including ad valorem property taxes. Other provisions.

ESTIMATE OF FINANCIAL IMPACT: The measure authorizes the issuance of general obligation bonds for Oregon Health and Science University in an amount that produces net proceeds up to \$200 million. Principal and interest on the bonds will cost an estimated \$15.8 million per year for 20 years, for an estimated total cost to the state of \$316 million (including \$115.3 million of interest). Passage provides interest savings of approximately \$1.6 million per year totaling \$31.5 million over the 20 years.

There is no financial effect on local government expenditures or revenues.

TEXT OF MEASURE

Be It Resolved by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Oregon:

PARAGRAPH 1. The Constitution of the State of Oregon is amended by creating a new Article to be known as Article XI-L, such Article to read:

ARTICLE XI-L

SECTION 1. (1) In the manner provided by law and notwithstanding the limitations contained in section 7, Article XI of this Constitution, the credit of the State of Oregon may be loaned and indebtedness incurred, in an aggregate outstanding principal amount not to exceed, at any one time, one-half of one percent of the real market value of all property in the state, to provide funds to finance capital costs of Oregon Health and Science University. Bonds issued under this section may not be paid from ad valorem property taxes.

- (2) Any indebtedness incurred under this section shall be in the form of general obligation bonds of the State of Oregon containing a direct promise on behalf of the State of Oregon to pay the principal, premium, if any, and interest on such bonds, in an aggregate outstanding principal amount not to exceed the amount authorized in subsection (1) of this section. The bonds shall be the direct obligation of the State of Oregon and shall be in such form, run for such period of time, have such terms and bear such rates of interest as may be provided by statute. The full faith and credit and taxing power of the State of Oregon shall be pledged to the payment of the principal, premium, if any, and interest on such bonds provided, however, that the ad valorem taxing power of the State of Oregon may not be pledged to the payment of such bonds.
- (3) The proceeds from bonds issued under this section shall be used to finance capital costs of Oregon Health and Science University and costs of issuing bonds pursuant to this Article. Bonds issued under this section to finance capital costs of Oregon Health and Science University shall be issued in an aggregate principal amount that produces net proceeds for the university in an amount that does not exceed \$200 million.
- (4) The proceeds from bonds issued under this section may not be used to finance operating costs of Oregon Health and Science University.
- (5) As used in this Article, "bonds" means bonds, notes or other financial obligations of the State of Oregon issued under this section.

SECTION 2. The principal, premium, if any, interest and any other amounts payable with respect to bonds issued under section 1 of this Article shall be repaid as determined by the Legislative Assembly from the following sources:

- (1) Amounts appropriated for such purpose by the Legislative Assembly from the General Fund, including any taxes levied to pay the bonds other than ad valorem property taxes:
- (2) Amounts allocated for such purpose by the Legislative Assembly from the proceeds of the State Lottery or from the Master Settlement Agreement entered into on November 23, 1998, by the State of Oregon and leading United States tobacco product manufacturers; and
- (3) Amounts appropriated or allocated for such purpose by the Legislative Assembly from other sources of revenue.

SECTION 3. Bonds issued under section 1 of this Article may be refunded with bonds of like obligation.

SECTION 4. The Legislative Assembly may enact legislation to carry out the provisions of this Article.

SECTION 5. This Article shall supersede all conflicting provisions of this Constitution.

<u>PARAGRAPH 2.</u> The amendment proposed by this resolution shall be submitted to the people for their approval or rejection at a special election held throughout this state on the same date as the next biennial primary election.

NOTE: **Boldfaced** type indicates new language; [brackets and italic] type indicates deletions or comments.

Measure No. 11

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

Ballot Measure 11 amends the Oregon Constitution by adding an Article relating to the Oregon Health and Science University (OHSU).

Currently, the Oregon Constitution limits the amount of debt for which the state may be generally obligated. This limitation applies to the issuance of bonds for which the repayment would be a general obligation of the state.

The measure creates an exception to the constitutional debt limitation for general obligation bonds issued to finance the capital costs of OHSU. Bond proceeds may not be used to finance the operating costs of OHSU.

The measure limits the aggregate outstanding principal amount of the bonds to no more than one-half of one percent of the real market value of property in the state. The measure limits the amount of net proceeds that may be produced from the bonds to \$200 million.

The measure provides that the bonds may be repaid from revenues raised from taxes, the tobacco Master Settlement Agreement and other sources of revenues. The measure prohibits the state from imposing an ad valorem property tax to raise revenue for repayment of the bonds.

If this measure passes, the State Treasurer is directed by law to issue general obligation bonds that would obtain net proceeds not to exceed \$200 million to finance the capital costs of the Oregon Opportunity program, created by OHSU to develop statewide medical research and biotechnology opportunities. If this measure does not pass, the State Treasurer is directed by law to issue revenue bonds that would obtain net proceeds not to exceed \$165 million to finance capital and limited non-capital costs of the Oregon Opportunity program. However, these revenue bonds would be payable solely from tobacco settlement funds and would carry a higher rate of interest than state general obligation bonds. If this measure passes the authority to issue these revenue bonds is repealed.

Committee Members:

Senator Jason A. Atkinson Representative Lane Shetterly Patrick Clark Mark C. McClanahan John W. Osburn

Appointed By:

President of the Senate Speaker of the House Secretary of State Secretary of State Members of the Committee

(This committee was appointed to provide an impartial explanation of the ballot measure pursuant to ORS 251.215.)

LEGISLATIVE ARGUMENT IN SUPPORT

VOTE YES ON BALLOT MEASURE 11

A YES vote on Measure 11 will make Oregon a national leader in medical research and scientific discoveries. A YES vote will give Oregonians access to the latest advances in health care. A YES vote means more money for Oregon, leading to more jobs and more cures.

Last year, the Oregon Legislature passed "The Oregon Opportunity Act," which authorizes the state to issue bonds to attract new medical research activities.

The money to finance these bonds will come from the tobacco Master Settlement Agreement. The question is, What type of bonds should be issued? There are two choices:

- General obligation bonds, which are less expensive because the interest rates are lower.
- Revenue bonds; which are more expensive because the state must pay higher interest rates.

Because general obligation bonds are less expensive to issue, they provide Oregon more for its money. General obligation bonds will return \$200 million. For the same investment, revenue bonds will raise about \$165 million, because the state would be forced to pay nearly \$35 million more in higher interest charges.

The ballot title makes this clear and reads as follows: "Amends Constitution: Authorizes Less Expensive General Obligation Bond Financing for OHSU Medical Research and Other Capital Costs."

A vote of the people is required to authorize the use of general obligation bonds, so the Legislature referred this matter to the public as Ballot Measure 11.

In summary, a **YES vote** will save Oregon nearly \$35 million in interest costs - money that can be used to support new jobs and medical advances in Oregon.

Committee Members:

Senator Jason A. Atkinson Representative Betsy Johnson Representative Lane Shetterly

Appointed By:

President of the Senate Speaker of the House Speaker of the House

(This Joint Legislative Committee was appointed to provide the legislative argument in support of the ballot measure pursuant to ORS 251.245.)

ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

Associated Oregon Industries (AOI) encourages Oregonians to vote YES on Measure 11.

A YES vote will help our state:

Capitalize on groundbreaking research

Currently, out-of-state companies are benefiting from Oregon's research and development efforts. For instance, while the research and clinical trials on the leukemia-fighting drug Gleevec, have been conducted in Oregon, a New York-based pharmaceutical company will end up as the primary benefactor when the drug is brought to market.

A YES vote will help keep the benefits of Oregon research and development here in Oregon.

Establish new companies

More than 400 inventions have come out of Oregon Health & Science University (OHSU) since 1985, and the university has entered into more than 300 agreements to license these discoveries. But because Oregon lacks both infrastructure and capital, the new companies that could market these products usually start up in other states.

A YES vote will help new companies make a solid start in Oregon.

Develop new products

Bioscience development can spur economic activity in related industries. Already, local companies have begun producing bioscience-related medical devices, software and agricultural products.

A YES vote will encourage more new product development.

Attract more federal dollars

OHSU is attracted more than \$200 million research dollars last year. More than 97 percent of these dollars came from out-of-state. A YES vote will help OSHU toward their goal of doubling the amount of research awards they receive in the next decade.

Vote YES on Measure 11 $-\mbox{ to keep the companies, jobs and wealth in Oregon.}$

AOI is a business organization representing over 20,000 companies. Our member businesses employ all together more than 325,000 Oregonians – over 30 percent of Oregon's private workforce.

(This information furnished by Richard Butrick, Associated Oregon Industries)

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ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

YES for Measure 11 Saves Millions in Interest Costs

People in all parts of Oregon support a YES vote on Measure 11 to save nearly \$35,000,000 in bond interest costs – providing more funding for medical research that will benefit all Oregonians.

Ballot Title Clearly Shows Benefits of Voting YES for Measure 11

The ballot title clearly states the measure's purpose: "Yes vote would authorize state to issue less expensive general obligation bonds rather than more expensive revenue bonds to finance OHSU medical research, capital costs."

The official ballot summary adds, "The measure authorizes the sale of less expensive general obligation bonds, in place of more expensive revenue bonds previously authorized by the 2001 Legislature under the Oregon Opportunity Act."

It's as simple as that. A YES vote saves Oregon money that will be better used than paying higher interest costs.

A YES vote means more money for medical research leading to medical advances that benefit all Oregonians.

A YES vote for Measure 11 means more jobs – construction jobs right away and then medical research and biotechnology jobs here in Oregon.

We are volunteer members of The Oregon Opportunity Committee from across the state. We support medical research and more jobs in Oregon. Please join us in voting YES for Measure 11:

Senator Mark O. Hatfield, co-chair, Portland Governor John Kitzhaber, co-chair, Salem Chris Chandler DiTorrice, Newport Karen Hinsdale, Portland John Whitty, Coos Bay Donald L. Krahmer, Jr., Portland, Mary Botkin, Portland Elizabeth McCool, Bend George Passadore, Portland Craig Campbell, Keizer Jim Johnson, Portland Neil Bryant, Bend William Thorndike, Jr., Medford Ronald E. Timpe, Portland Scott Gibson, Portland Brett Wilcox, The Dalles Rex Wilson, M.D., Baker City Tom Imeson, Portland Junki Yoshida, Portland Jim Inkster, Bend Steve Forrester, Astoria

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ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

AYES vote on Measure 11 benefits small towns, rural Oregon and communities of all sizes.

As representatives of hospitals serving all of Oregon – including small towns, rural areas and larger communities — we urge you to vote YES vote on Measure 11.

YES means better health care for all Oregonians.

A YES vote supports the Oregon Opportunity, which will allow OHSU to invest in programs all across Oregon. These include the Rural Health Institute, the Physicians Practice Network and programs to extend leading edge technology to rural areas.

The Oregon Opportunity will also help improve coordination between OHSU and health care professionals around the state, so patients in all areas can be diagnosed and treated without leaving their communities.

A YES vote supports all of these important benefits.

YES means improved access to clinical trials.

Clinical trials play a vital role in the development of new drugs and medical discoveries. A YES vote means more people in all areas of the state will be able to participate in these trials, allowing Oregonians to benefit from new treatments years before they become generally available.

A YES vote is good for Oregon's health.

OHSU has received national recognition for its support of rural and community health care. A YES vote on Measure 11 will allow them to take this commitment to the next level.

A YES vote will **not** increase your taxes. It **will** allow Oregon to get the most for its money.

A YES vote saves Oregon money, supports the Oregon Opportunity and promotes high quality care all across Oregon. We recommend voting YES on Measure 11.

Grande Ronde Hospital - La Grande Tuality Healthcare - Hillsboro Asante Health System – Medford, Grants Pass, Central Point St. Charles Medical Center – Bend Central Oregon Community Hospital – Redmond Columbia Memorial Hospital - Astoria

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ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

BUILDING TRADES SUPPORT MEASURE 11

We are nearly 30,000 skilled craftspeople in the construction industry urging you to vote YES on Ballot Measure 11.

We are asbestos workers, boilermakers, brick and stone masons, cement masons, carpenters, electricians, elevator constructors, glaziers, ironworkers, laborers, linoleum and carpet layers, mill-wrights, operating engineers, painters and tapers, pile bucks, plumbers, pipefitters and steamfitters, roofers, sheet metal workers, sprinklerfitters and teamsters.

We support the Oregon Opportunity and Ballot Measure 11 because Oregon must not pass up the chance to capture the benefits of the biotechnology wave for all Oregonians. Most important to us, the Oregon Opportunity means **JOBS**.

OHSU will break ground on approximately \$300 million of new construction in 2002 on Marquam Hill alone.

If the North Macadam plan is ratified, that could represent up to \$400 million in additional construction between OHSU and private developers.

Local firms estimate 22-26 new jobs for every million dollars in construction.

That means there is a potential of as much as \$700 million in local construction between 2002-2005 on Marquam Hill and North Macadam, and approximately 18,000 construction jobs.

These jobs start this fall, at a time when Oregon desperately needs them.

The Oregon Opportunity has the potential to create more than just construction jobs. The biotech industry created 437,000 new American jobs in 1999 alone. These are good jobs, with an average salary of \$50,000. And four or five low-tech jobs are created for every technology job.

OHSU expansion will stimulate other economic activity, including development in retail, housing and services. Spin-off companies and innovative health care developments will help expand and diversify Oregon's economic base.

We, the working people of the construction trades, hope that you will join us in voting **YES on Ballot Measure 11** for new jobs now and lasting economic benefits.

Oregon State Building and Construction Trades Council

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ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

Chambers of Commerce Support a YES Vote on Measure 11

Chambers around the state are endorsing a YES vote on Measure 11 because it is one of the best economic development measures to come along in years.

We ask you to read the whole ballot title and the visit the Web site www.OregonOpportunityCommittee.com for additional information before you vote.

Why Oregon Opportunity? Because that's what this measure is about. It's about:

- A public-private partnership to build medical research facilities to bring hundreds of millions of dollars in research funds to this state each year.
- Making Oregon a leader in bioscience and medical research that will benefit all Oregonians.
- Creating thousands of jobs immediately and for years to come.

A YES vote for Measure 11 would save more than \$1,000,000 of interest each year. Our state has already authorized bonding as part of The Oregon Opportunity Act signed into law last year. Now we get to chose the type of bonds and reduce the amount of interest to be paid.

It makes good sense to us to pay less interest and put more into medical research and jobs.

Please join us and other chamber members around the state in saying **YES for Measure 11:**

- Portland Metropolitan Chamber of Commerce
- Union County Chamber of Commerce
- Greater Hillsboro Area Chamber of Commerce
- Bend Chamber of Commerce
- Wallowa County Chamber of Commerce
- Lincoln City Chamber of Commerce

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ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

Seniors Support YES on Measure 11

The Oregon State Council of Senior Citizens, United Seniors of Oregon, Portland Gray Panthers and the Oregon - Greater Idaho Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association urging you to support the Oregon Opportunity and vote YES on Ballot Measure 11.

One in seven Oregonians is over 65 today; in little more than 20 years that proportion will increase to nearly one in four. We support research at Oregon Health & Science University (OHSU) — especially the research conducted at the Oregon Aging and Alzheimer's Disease Center and the Center for Healthy Aging.

The Oregon Aging and Alzheimer's Disease Center is one of the nation's leading research and treatment centers in aging and neurodegenerative diseases. The OHSU Center for Healthy Aging is a new initiative committed to research on health behaviors and aging.

These two centers are working to improve the quality of life of senior citizens in Oregon. But healthy aging research at OHSU is just one aspect of the Oregon Opportunity. We also support the wide range of medical research at OHSU, including prevention, treatment and cure of cancer.

By voting YES on Ballot Measure 11, you can help make a \$35,000,000 contribution to medical research in Oregon. This is money that will otherwise be lost paying higher interest rates on revenue bonds.

A YES vote on Ballot Measure 11 will not cost Oregonians money — it will save Oregonians money and put it to use supporting vital medical research.

Senior citizens across the state urge you to support the Oregon Opportunity and vote YES on Ballot Measure 11.

Alzheimer's Association, Oregon-Greater Idaho Chapter Oregon State Council of Senior Citizens Portland Gray Panthers United Seniors of Oregon

(This information furnished by Jim Hulden, The Oregon Opportunity Committee.)

ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

AFSCME supports YES on Measure 11

AFSCME Local 328 represents 4,000 health care professionals and support staff at Oregon Health and Science University (OHSU). OHSU is the crown jewel of Oregon's health care system. We care for the sickest and poorest of Oregon's citizens. When no one else can help — WE DO! Ballot Measure 11 builds on this legacy of caring and healing.

We are also proud members of AFSCME (American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees) Council 75. Our membership includes 22,000 employees of the State of Oregon, cities, counties, towns, colleges, universities, hospitals and other health care facilities. We are urging you to support the passage of Ballot Measure 11.

Like most Oregonians, we are concerned about Oregon's economy, and we believe that passage of Ballot Measure 11 is a step in the right direction. This measure supports the Oregon Opportunity program, which will create family wage jobs around the state — starting this summer.

The Oregon Opportunity is perhaps one of the best investments in our state — ever — and the new jobs could not come at a better time.

AFSCME is the largest public employee union in the nation and one of the 87 unions affiliated with the AFL-CIO.

Please join the working people of AFSCME Local 328 and Council 75 in voting Yes on Ballot Measure 11.

(This information furnished by Mary Botkin, American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees (AFSCME) - State Council 75.)

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ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

Would you rather finance your home at 8 percent -- or go with another mortgage company offering 6 percent? The choice is simple; you would select the 6 percent interest rate mortgage.

That's the same kind of choice we as voters get with Measure

The state has already authorized issuing bonds as the public part of the funding for the Oregon Opportunity – a statewide effort to make Oregon a national leader in medical research. As voters we get to say YES to using less-expensive general obligation bonds – saving millions of dollars in interest costs. (A "no" vote would require Oregon to issue the higher interest revenue bonds.) Either way, both types of bonds will be financed from tobacco settlement funds.

The only real question Measure 11 is asking is, "How much interest should be paid?" A YES vote saves millions -- more money for creating jobs in Oregon now and for medical research to benefit all Oregonians.

As the Bend newspaper, *The Bulletin*, said in its editorial endorsement:

"Measure 11 deserves Oregonians' support...voters should approve Measure 11. It will bring in an extra \$35 million, and the investment promises to benefit the state significantly in the long run."

-- The Bulletin, March 7, 2002

Please review the ballot title, visit our Web site at www.OregonOpportunityCommittee.com, and join us in saying YES to getting more for Oregon's money.

(This information furnished by Jim Hulden, The Oregon Opportunity Committee.)

ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

A Yes vote on Measure 11 supports medical research to fight disease and improve lives

Medical research is our best hope to find treatments and cures for today's most debilitating or life-threatening diseases. A Yes vote on Measure 11 is the best way to help Oregon make a difference in this important fight. A Yes vote supports the Oregon Opportunity and gives OHSU the resources it needs to play a leading role in some of the most important medical research of our time – where breakthrough discoveries may eventually save millions of lives.

The research being done at OHSU is essential to preventing or treating a wide range of devastating diseases, including leukemia, cystic fibrosis, muscular dystrophy, Alzheimer's and others. A Yes vote will bring hundreds of millions of dollars into the state, strengthening OHSU's capacity for biomedical research and accelerating the pace of medical discovery. The benefits of this will include new treatments and cures, as well as the creation of new jobs and new biotech companies dedicated to finding ways to eliminate disease.

A Yes vote improves access to the highest quality care available

Clinical trials are an important part of the discovery process. They also give patients access to treatments years before they become more widely available. Measure 11 will benefit Oregonians directly by giving residents across the state access to clinical trials and improving the quality of care for all.

By supporting medical research you can help eradicate disease. Your Yes vote will contribute to the cure. It will increase medical research funding by \$35 million — money that would otherwise be lost to higher interest rates. That's why we urge you to vote Yes on Measure 11 to support the Oregon Opportunity and improve Oregon's quality of life.

Alzheimer's Association, Cregon-Greater Idaho Chapter The American Heart Association, Northwest Affiliate Cystic Fibrosis Foundation, Oregon Chapter The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society Muscular Dystrophy Association

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ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

A Yes vote on Measure 11 supports research to advance medicine and create jobs.

Breakthroughs in bioscience and medical research are opening doors to new treatments and cures for patients at the same time they are creating new jobs. That's why the **Oregon Medical Association**— the unified voice of Oregon physicians promoting the welfare of patients, physicians, and the practice of medicine—recommends a **Yes vote on Measure 11**.

A Yes vote is good medicine and good for Oregon.

A Yes vote on Measure 11 improves the quality of care available to Oregonians by giving people in all areas of the state access to clinical trials and potential new treatments for patients.

A Yes vote on Measure 11 will create new, well-paying job opportunities in Oregon, while bringing millions of research and development dollars into the state's economy.

Becoming a national leader in biotechnology research will advance treatments and cures for patients, improve lives and strengthen our state's economy. The Oregon Medical Association urges you to support the Oregon Opportunity and Ballot Measure 11.

(This information furnished by Robert Dernedde, Oregon Medical Association.)

ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

A "Yes" vote on Measure 11 will help Oregon reap lasting economic benefits.

The economic opportunities that result from becoming a national leader in the emerging bioscience field are unprecedented. That's why we're urging Oregonians to vote Yes on Measure 11.

A "Yes" vote will mean new jobs and new investments in Oregon

- The Oregon Opportunity will bring more start-up companies and more well-paying, clean, high-tech jobs to Oregon.
- Becoming a bioscience leader will bring Oregon hundreds of millions of dollars in research funds every year.
- The Oregon Opportunity will bring improved health care and a higher quality of life.

A "Yes" vote means Oregonians get more for our money.

The Legislature has set aside a fixed amount of money to finance bonds to support the Oregon Opportunity. The only remaining question is, What kind of bonds should Oregon issue?

A "Yes" vote on Measure 11 lets the state save nearly \$35 million in interest by issuing less-expensive general obligation bonds. A "No" vote would force the state to issue more-expensive revenue bonds – which means we'd pay nearly \$35 million more in interest costs and have less money that could lead to new cures and new jobs for Oregonians.

A "Yes" won't cost us more or raise our taxes. Instead, it will save Oregonians money.

Vote "Yes" for new jobs today.

Some of the benefits of a Yes vote on Measure 11 start right away. Construction of the new lab facilities alone, scheduled to begin this fall, will mean thousands of new jobs at a time when Oregon desperately needs them.

To pave the way for economic opportunity and save Oregon nearly \$35 million in interest costs, we strongly recommend a Yes vote on Measure 11, the Oregon Opportunity.

Union County Economic Development Corporation North Lincoln Economic Partnership Central Coast Economic Development Alliance

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ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

The **Oregon Business Association** (OBA) is a statewide, bipartisan business organization, dedicated to ensuring Oregon's long-term economic competitiveness.

The OBA sees the expansion of the biotechnology industry as critical to Oregon's future. Measure 11 supports this expansion.

"We have done a pretty good job of diversifying Oregon's economy over the last 20 years," said Lynn Lundquist, president of the OBA. "Development within the biotechnology industry can help secure our economic base."

Oregon has a limited window of opportunity.

"At least a half a dozen states are competing to become the 'Silicon Valley' of biotechnology," said Tom Kelly, chairman of the board of the OBA. "The work of Oregon Health & Science University has made Oregon a front-runner. If we drag our feet, we lose."

A vibrant economy requires sustained investments in basic infrastructure. Right now, OHSU lacks key research facilities that are critical to Oregon's economic growth. Passage of Ballot Measure 11 will help.

Measure 11 won't increase our spending — it will help Oregon get the most for its money.

A YES vote means Oregon will receive \$200 million for the bonds it issues. A NO vote means the bonds will return only about \$165 million investment — with \$35 million lost in interest payments.

The choice is clear. A YES vote saves Oregon money and supports our future.

The urban and rural, large and small, new and established companies of the OBA urge you to vote YES on Measure 11. A YES vote will help us to attract new companies to our state. In doing so, we can achieve and sustain a competitive marketplace for all Oregon businesses and industry.

(This information furnished by Tom Kelly, Oregon Business Association.)

ARGUMENT IN OPPOSITION

DON'T LET OHSU USE YOUR MONEY TO BUILD AN AERIAL TRAM IN PORTLAND!

That's right. OHSU wants to build a "ski resort" style aerial tram over Portland's oldest residential suburb, dating from the 1870s, to connect its Marquam Hill campus with new facilities to be built downtown in the North Macadam District on the Willamette River. And they want to use our money to build it.

A tram would cost \$20 million or more to build, more for stations at each end, and millions each year to operate. Just to move doctors and researchers who think their time is too valuable to take the bus a mere two-thirds of a mile between facilities.

Instead OHSU should operate a small fleet of alternative fuel shuttle buses which would save millions in start up and operational costs, provide a direct, reliable, efficient and cost effective transportation system to connect their facilities without harming the surrounding neighborhoods, and would save Portland's scenic views from 200' tall steel "erector set" style towers and massive cables strung over homes, businesses, sidewalks, streets and I-5.

OHSU is a public corporation, no longer part of Oregon's higher education system. But it still receives state funding. It now wants more of our money. We can support OHSU's goal to expand research facilities in the hopes of fueling economic growth and creating new jobs, but must say NO to wasting scarce public funds in difficult economic times to build an unnecessary and wasteful "carnival ride" boondoggle. Tell OHSU with your votes to use common sense, get its head out of the sky and use our state's resources sensibly. Or not at all.

TELL OHSU TO SPEND FUNDS ON RESEARCH FACILITIES, LABORATORY SPACE AND PATIENT CARE FACILITIES. NOT ON AMUSEMENT PARK RIDES! SAY NO TO WASTE!

Your South Portland National Historic District neighbors:

Larry Beck
Craig Rowland
JoEllyn Loehr
Frank Buehler
Mark Gould
Alice Sayre
Barbara Hutchinson

(This information furnished by Larry Beck; Craig Rowland; JoEllyn Loehr; Frank Buehler; Barbara Hutchinson; Alice Sayre; Mark Gould.)

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Measure No. 13

House Joint Resolution 76—Referred to the Electorate of Oregon by the Legislative Assembly of the 2002 Second Special Session to be voted on at the Primary Election, May 21, 2002.

BALLOT TITLE

AMENDS CONSTITUTION: AUTHORIZES USING EDUCATION FUND PRINCIPAL IN SPECIFIED CIRCUMSTANCES; TRANSFERS \$220 MILLION TO SCHOOL FUND

RESULT OF "YES" VOTE: "Yes" vote converts education endowment fund to stability fund; authorizes, conditions using fund principal for education; transfers \$220 million from fund to School Fund.

RESULT OF "NO" VOTE: "No" vote rejects: converting education endowment fund to stability fund; authorizing, conditioning use of fund principal; transferring \$220 million from fund to School Fund.

SUMMARY: Amends constitution. Under existing law, the state deposits a portion of state lottery proceeds into the education endowment fund; fund's earnings are used for public education, student assistance; principal is retained in fund. Measure converts education endowment fund to education stability fund. Measure authoizes legislature to use any portion of education stability fund principal for public education if three-fifths of the members of each house of legislature approve, and either (1) legislature makes required finding as to decline in projected state revenue or in seasonally adjusted nonfarm employment, or (2) Governor declares emergency. On May 1, 2003, measure transfers \$220 million from stability fund to State School Fund to be used as provided by law for moneys in State School Fund. Other provisions.

ESTIMATE OF FINANCIAL IMPACT: The education stability fund will be reduced by \$220 million in May 2003. This amount will go into the State School Fund to be distributed to school districts at that time.

Earnings on this education stability fund will be reduced by an estimated \$10.7 million per year beginning in mid-2003.

This measure has no financial effect on local government expenditures or revenues.

TEXT OF MEASURE

Be It Resolved by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Oregon:

PARAGRAPH 1. Senate Joint Resolution 50, Seventy-first Legislative Assembly, 2002 First Special Session, is rescinded. The Secretary of State may not refer Senate Joint Resolution 50, Seventy-first Legislative Assembly, 2002 First Special Session, to the people for their approval or rejection at a special election held throughout this state on the same date as the next primary election.

<u>PARAGRAPH 2.</u> The Constitution of the State of Oregon is amended by creating new sections 4e and 4f to be added to and made a part of Article XV, and by amending section 4, Article XV, such sections to read:

Sec. 4. (1) Except as provided in subsections (2), (3), (4), [(5)] (8) and [(6)] (9) of this section, lotteries and the sale of lottery tickets, for any purpose whatever, are prohibited, and the Legislative Assembly shall prevent the same by penal laws.

(2) The Legislative Assembly may provide for the establishment, operation, and regulation of raffles and the lottery commonly

known as bingo or lotto by charitable, fraternal, or religious organizations. As used in this section, charitable, fraternal or religious organization means such organizations or foundations as defined by law because of their charitable, fraternal, or religious purposes. The regulations shall define eligible organizations or foundations, and may prescribe the frequency of raffles, bingo or lotto, set a maximum monetary limit for prizes and require a statement of the odds on winning a prize. The Legislative Assembly shall vest the regulatory authority in any appropriate state agency.

(3) There is hereby created the State Lottery Commission which shall establish and operate a State Lottery. All proceeds from the State Lottery, including interest, but excluding costs of administration and payment of prizes, shall be used for any of the following purposes: creating jobs, furthering economic development, financing public education in Oregon or restoring and protecting Oregon's parks, beaches, watersheds and critical fish and wildlife habitats.

(4)(a) The State Lottery Commission shall be comprised of five members appointed by the Governor and confirmed by the Senate who shall serve at the pleasure of the Governor. At least one of the Commissioners shall have a minimum of five years experience in law enforcement and at least one of the Commissioners shall be a certified public accountant. The Commission is empowered to promulgate rules related to the procedures of the Commission and the operation of the State Lottery. Such rules and any statutes enacted to further implement this article shall insure the integrity, security, honesty, and fairness of the Lottery. The Commission shall have such additional powers and duties as may be provided by law.

(b) The Governor shall appoint a Director subject to confirmation by the Senate who shall serve at the pleasure of the Governor. The Director shall be qualified by training and experience to direct the operations of a state-operated lottery. The Director shall be responsible for managing the affairs of the Commission. The Director may appoint and prescribe the duties of no more than four Assistant Directors as the Director deems necessary. One of the Assistant Directors shall be responsible for a security division to assure security, integrity, honesty, and fairness in the operations and administration of the State Lottery. To fulfill these responsibilities, the Assistant Director for security shall be qualified by training and experience, including at least five years of law enforcement experience, and knowledge and experience in computer security.

(c) The Director shall implement and operate a State Lottery pursuant to the rules, and under the guidance, of the Commission. The State Lottery may operate any game procedure authorized by the commission, except parimutuel racing, social games, and the games commonly known in Oregon as bingo or lotto, whereby prizes are distributed using any existing or future methods among adult persons who have paid for tickets or shares in that game; provided that, in lottery games utilizing computer terminals or other devices, no coins or currency shall every be dispensed directly to players from such computer terminals or devices.

(d) There is hereby created within the General Fund the Oregon State Lottery Fund which is continuously appropriated for the purpose of administering and operating the Commission and the State Lottery. The State Lottery shall operate as a selfsupporting revenue-raising agency of state government and no appropriations, loans, or other transfers of state funds shall be made to it. The State Lottery shall pay all prizes and all of its expenses out of the revenues it receives from the sale of tickets or shares to the public and turnover the net proceeds therefrom to a fund to be established by the Legislative Assembly from which the Legislative Assembly shall make appropriations for the benefit of any of the following public purposes: creating jobs. furthering economic development, financing public education in Oregon or restoring and protecting Oregon's parks, beaches, watersheds and critical fish and wildlife habitats. Effective July 1, 1997, 15% of the net proceeds from the State Lottery shall be deposited, from the fund created by the Legislative Assembly under this paragraph, in an education [endowment] stability fund. Earnings on moneys in the education [endowment] stability fund

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shall be retained in the fund or expended for the public purpose of financing public education in Oregon as provided by law. Except as provided in subsections (5) and (7) of this section, moneys in the education [endowment] stability fund shall be invested as provided by law and shall not be subject to the limitations of section 6, Article XI of this Constitution. The Legislative Assembly may appropriate other moneys or revenue to the education [endowment] stability fund. The Legislative Assembly shall appropriate amounts sufficient to pay lottery bonds before appropriating the net proceeds from the State Lottery for any other purpose. At least 84% of the total annual revenues from the sale of all lottery tickets or shares shall be returned to the public in the form of prizes and net revenues benefiting the public purpose.

(5) The Legislative Assembly may appropriate, allocate or transfer any portion of the principal of the education stability fund created under paragraph (d) of subsection (4) of this section for expenditure on public education if:

(a) The proposed appropriation, allocation or transfer is approved by three-fifths of the members serving in each house of the Legislative Assembly and the Legislative Assembly finds one of the following:

(A) That the last quarterly economic and revenue forecast for a biennium indicates that moneys available to the General Fund for the next biennium will be at least three percent less than appropriations from the General Fund for the current biennium;

(B) That there has been a decline for two or more consecutive quarters in the last 12 months in seasonally adjusted nonfarm payroll employment; or

(C) That a quarterly economic and revenue forecast projects that revenues in the General Fund in the current biennium will be at least two percent below what the revenues were projected to be in the revenue forecast on which the legislatively adopted budget for the current biennium was based; or

(b) If the proposed appropriation, allocation or transfer is approved by three-fifths of the members serving in each house of the Legislative Assembly and the Governor declares an emergency.

(6) The Legislative Assembly may by law prescribe the procedures to be used and identify the persons required to make the forecasts described in subsection (5) of this section.

(7) On May 1, 2003, the State Treasurer shall transfer \$220 million from the education stability fund created under paragraph (d) of subsection (4) of this section to a fund created by law and known as the State School Fund. Moneys transferred under this subsection may be used in the manner provided by law for moneys in the State School Fund.

[(5)] (8) Effective July 1, 1999, 15% of the net proceeds from the State Lottery shall be deposited in a parks an natural resources fund created by the Legislative Assembly. Of the moneys in the parks and natural resources fund, 50% shall be distributed for the public purpose of financing the protection, repair, operation, and creation of state parks, ocean shore and public beach access areas, historic sites and recreation areas, and 50% shall be distributed for the public purpose of financing the restoration and protection of native salmonid populations, watersheds, fish and wildlife habitats and water quality in Oregon. The Legislative Assembly shall not limit expenditures from the parks and natural resources fund. The Legislative Assembly may appropriate other moneys or revenue to the parks and natural resources fund.

[(6)] (9) Only one State Lottery operation shall be permitted in the State.

[(7)] (10) The Legislative Assembly has no power to authorize, and shall prohibit, casinos from operation in the State of Oregon.

SECTION 4e. (1) The amendment to section 4 of this Article by House Joint Resolution 76 (2002 second special session) becomes operative on April 30, 2003.

(2) This section is repealed on January 1, 2008.

SECTION 4f. Notwithstanding any other provision of this

Constitution, if the amendment to section 4 of this Article proposed by Senate Joint Resolution 50 (2002) is approved by the people at a special election held on the date of the primary election on May 21, 2002, the amendment to section 4 of this Article proposed by Senate Joint Resolution 50 (2002) shall not be effective and the amendment to section 4 of this Article proposed by House Joint Resolution 76 (2002 second special session) shall be effective in lieu thereof.

<u>PARAGRAPH 3.</u> The amendment proposed by this resolution shall be submitted to the people for their approval or rejection at a special election held throughout this state on the same date as the next primary election.

NOTE: **Boldfaced** type indicates new language; [brackets and italic] type indicates deletions or comments.

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

Ballot Measure 13 amends provisions of the Oregon Constitution relating to the education endowment fund.

The measure converts the education endowment fund into an education stability fund by changing the name of the fund and specifying conditions under which moneys may be appropriated from the principal of the fund.

Currently 15 percent of the net proceeds of the state lottery are deposited into the education endowment fund. The principal of the fund is invested as provided by law. The legislature may not expend the principal of the fund. Earnings on moneys in the fund may be expended on public education. State law provides that the earnings shall be expended on repayment of bonds to finance kindergarten through grade 12 public education, on need-based scholarships for higher education students and on other public education purposes.

The measure allows the legislature to expend the principal of the fund for public education if there is an economic downturn and the expenditure is approved by three-fifths of the members in each house of the legislature. The measure also allows the legislature to expend the principal of the fund for public education if the Governor declares an emergency and the expenditure is approved by three-fifths of the members in each house of the legislature.

The measure provides for a transfer on May 1, 2003, of \$220 million from the fund to the State School Fund to be used for kindergarten through grade 12 public education. After the May 1, 2003, transfer, the fund will have a balance of approximately \$58 million that will increase annually by about \$50 million.

The measure becomes operative on April 30, 2003.

Committee Members:

Senator Charles Starr Representative Lane Shetterly Representative Mary Nolan Senator Cliff Trow Robert "Ozzie" Rose

Appointed By:

President of the Senate Speaker of the House Secretary of State Secretary of State Members of the Committee

(This committee was appointed to provide an impartial explanation of the ballot measure pursuant to ORS 251.215.)

LEGISLATIVE ARGUMENT IN SUPPORT

OREGON NEEDS A SCHOOL STABILITY FUND

Oregon is one of only three states without a stability fund. That means when our economy slows in a recession, and revenues decline, we are faced with either raising taxes or cutting programs and services. Neither option is easy, and both can make the recession worse, slowing our recovery.

Forty-five percent of Oregon's general fund budget is devoted to our public schools. So when we experience a budget shortfall, our schools are at risk for drastic cuts in funding.

Ballot Measure 13 offers Oregon a tool to deal with temporary revenue shortfalls that will strengthen our economy, and protect our schools.

In the current recession, schools face a shortfall of more than \$300 million. This shortfall would result in school closures, increased class sizes, program reductions and other serious consequences. Our children deserve better.

That's why, in addition to establishing a stability fund for the future, Measure 13 transfers \$220 million from the fund to schools in this biennium. This will help our schools weather the current downturn, until our economy recovers.

Ballot Measure 13 is a prudent way to convert the existing Education Endowment Fund to a permanent school stability fund. It doesn't raise taxes. It doesn't take money from other programs or services. It relies on the current lottery funding for the Endowment Fund, which will continue at about \$50 million annually.

Even with the transfer of \$220 million to school in this biennium, the stability fund will end this biennium with \$58 million, and grow to more than \$600 million in the next ten years.

By establishing a permanent school stability fund and transferring badly needed funds to support Oregon schools in this biennium, Measure 13 provides what Oregon needs now and for the future.

VOTE YES FOR BALLOT MEASURE 13

Committee Members:

Senator Charles Starr Representative Kurt Schrader* Representative Lane Shetterly **Appointed By:** President of the Senate

Speaker of the House Speaker of the House

*Member did not sign statement

(This Joint Legislative Committee was appointed to provide the legislative argument in support of the ballot measure pursuant to ORS 251.245.)

ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

Ballot Measure 13

Vote YES for school funding now:

BM 13 provides 220 million dollars for school funding now. This money is needed to make up for the revenue short fall resulting from the economic recession we are experiencing. Without these dollars local schools will have to further cut their budgets, this means teachers and that means larger classes with less individual attention. Attention children desperately need to insure they reach their potential. Further, fewer teachers mean loss of programs. Programs that our children need to prepare them for the future. Programs our children need to enable them to meet the current requirements for advancement and graduation. And, programs Oregon needs to continue filling the skilled job markets our new economy is creating.

Vote YES for school funding in the future:

BM 13 creates an Education Stability Fund. Our current revenue shortfall is the result of a recession. Oregon's current and future children cannot afford to have economic downturns rob them of their educational opportunities. BM 13 will provide for future stable education funding. History tells us recessions tend to run in ten-year cycles. By the next recession this Fund should have almost a Billion dollars balance: A balance that will ensure educational stability in Oregon.

Vote YES for educational stability:

There is no better way to ensure stability in Oregon's educational funding than to save for the economic down turns. BM 13 does just that. Funding for BM 13 will come from lottery receipts. Currently 15% of the lottery receipts go to the already existing Education Endowment Fund account. BM 13 merely renames that account and restructures it as a savings account dedicated to education. BM 13 protects Oregon's children against future economic recessions. It is the responsible way to guarantee our schools will always have the necessary resources to provide a sound basic education. Please vote yes for Oregon's children.

(This information furnished by Bob Jenson.)

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ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

WHAT IS THE SCHOOL STABILITY FUND?

Measure 13 gives us the opportunity to create a long sought after rainy day fund and stabilize school funding when times are tough. The money will come from an existing state savings account that is essentially unused and will not increase your taxes or create any new fees. Once established, the School Stability Fund will immediately provide \$220 million dollars to public education this fiscal year to stop devastating cuts. The fund will have an additional \$60 million dollars set aside in it, which is expected to grow to well over \$600 million dollars over the next decade. It will be set aside for future public education needs.

WHAT DOES THE SCHOOL STABILITY FUND MEAN TO YOU?

The next time Oregon faces serious economic challenges, our schools could be protected from serious cutbacks and already burdened Oregonians could be protected from tax increases. And, while we weather the end of this recession, the School Stability Fund will provide \$220 million dollars to our public schools this coming fiscal year.

WHAT HAPPENS WITHOUT THE SCHOOL STABILITY FUND?

<u>Our public schools will suffer over \$300 million dollars of cuts in state funding next fiscal year.</u> This could lead to school closures, larger class sizes, and layoffs for many of our quality teachers. There are no other funds available to help mitigate the devastating cuts that will happen to our schools.

If this measure fails massive cuts or tax increases are the only other options. Neither of which will be positive for Oregon's struggling economy.

PLEASE SUPPORT OREGON'S PUBLIC SCHOOLS TODAY AND FOR THE YEARS TO COME!

This information and endorsement is sponsored by:

State Representative Max Williams-Tigard State Representative Vic Backlund-Keizer State Representative Tim Knopp-Bend

(This information furnished by Tim Knopp.)

ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

OREGON NEEDS A SCHOOL STABILITY FUND

Oregon is one of only three states without a budget stability fund to help protect its public schools from drastic cuts during an economic recession.

We need a school stability fund now more than ever. Most of the funding of our local schools comes from the state. So when the state's revenues fall during a recession, it means direct cuts to schools. Like a savings account, the school stability fund can be used to fund schools during hard times.

That's why it is so important to vote yes on Ballot Measure 13 to create a school stability fund to protect our schools.

Next school year, the state's school budget is short more than \$300 million because of the economic recession in Oregon. This huge shortfall will seriously hurt the classroom. Our children deserve better.

That's why, in addition to establishing a stability fund for the future, Measure 13 transfers \$220 million from the fund to schools now. This will help schools weather the current economic downturn.

Measure 13 sensibly changes the existing Education Endowment Fund to a permanent school stability fund. It doesn't take money from other programs or services. **Measure 13 doesn't raise taxes.** And the school stability fund will be there for schools in the future. It will continue to grow each year from lottery funds.

A budget fund also will help protect the state's good credit, which local school districts rely on when issuing bonds. And good credit keeps government costs down.

Ballot Measure 13 offers Oregon a prudent financial tool to strengthen our finances and protect our schools now and in the future.

Join us, Oregon's Democratic State Treasurer and Republican House Speaker Pro Tem, in bipartisan support of Measure 13. It's good for Oregon.

VOTE YES ON MEASURE 13

Randall Edwards, State Treasurer

Rep. Lane Shetterly, House Speaker pro tem

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ARGUMENT IN FAVOR

<u>Democrats and Republicans Agree – Oregon Needs a</u> School Stability Fund

A Bipartisan Effort Placed Measure 13 on the Ballot

House and Senate Democrats presented the initial proposal for a School Stability Fund, and then Republicans quickly joined the effort. Democrats and Republicans worked together to place the School Stability Fund before Oregon voters. Members of both parties decided to give Oregonians the chance to create the state's first ever rainy day fund for schools.

Democrats Who Voted Yes on HJR 76 (Oregon House Roll Call, March 2, 2002):

Representative Devlin

Representative Monnes Anderson

Representative Ringo

Representative Schrader

Representative Verger

Oregon's Legislative Leaders Back the School Stability Fund

Legislative leaders from the Oregon House and Senate support Measure 13. House Speaker Mark Simmons, Senate Majority Leader Dave Nelson and House Majority Leader Karen Minnis all urge you to vote yes on Measure 13.

- "The next time Oregon faces serious economic challenges, the School Stability Fund could protect our schools from serious cutbacks and already burdened Oregonians could be protected from tax increases."
- House Speaker Mark Simmons
- "A quality education is the best tool we can provide to our children. Help Oregon's children be all they can be Vote Yes on Measure 13."
- Senate Majority Leader Dave Nelson
- "Oregon is only one of five states that does not have a rainy day fund. Now is the time to act for our public schools and for our future. Please join me in protecting Oregon's schools today and in the years to come. Please join me in supporting Measure 13."
- House Majority Leader Karen Minnis

JOIN YOUR OREGON LEGISLATORS IN SUPPORTING THE SCHOOL STABILITY FUND

VOTE YES ON MEASURE 13

(This information furnished by House Speaker Mark Simmons.)

ARGUMENT IN OPPOSITION

The Education Community Urges You To
Vote No on Measure 13
It's A Short-Sighted Idea For Solving A Bigger Problem

 Measure 13 is the wrong answer for Oregon's school funding problem.

Our opposition to a ballot measure that purports to solve Oregon's school funding problem probably surprises you since we are the staff and school board members of Oregon's public schools. The education community wants a school stabilization fund that helps solve Oregon's serious, long-term, school funding problem. But, Measure 13 doesn't do that. It doesn't protect schools from more budget cuts. And, it doesn't provide adequate and stable funding for public education. Measure 13 is the wrong answer to Oregon's school funding problem.

 Voting No on Measure 13 is not a vote against public education.

Public education has suffered deep cuts in the last decade. Measure 13 does not prevent cuts to public education now and it won't prevent cuts in the future. Measure 13 is another short-sighted, band-aid approach when what is needed is a long-term funding solution.

 Measure 13 exhausts a long-term funding source to partially fill a shortfall.

Measure 13 converts Oregon's Education Endowment Fund into a "rainy day" fund and then spends most of the money. This use of one-time money sets up schools for an even larger shortfall in the near future. Raiding this trust fund is not a sound way to balance the budget or set a stable course for the future.

Measure 13 is an ill-conceived Constitutional Amendment.
 Oregon's Constitution should be amended with great thought and care. Measure 13 locks into Oregon's Constitution an ill-conceived measure that is the wrong answer to Oregon's school funding problem.

Vote for Real Solutions to Public Education Funding Cuts Vote NO on Measure 13

Oregon Education Association Oregon School Boards Association

(This information furnished by Kris Kain, President, Oregon Education Association and Tom Bennett, President, Oregon School Boards Association.)

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ARGUMENT IN OPPOSITION

THE OREGON CENTER FOR PUBIC POLICY URGES A "NO" VOTE ON MEASURE 13

Measure 13 Violates Majority Rule.

Measure 13 requires a super-majority of the Legislature to authorize spending money for education during a recession. The super-majority requirement empowers a minority to override the majority who want to fund education.

Measure 13 Takes Before It Provides.

Measure 13 requires the automatic stockpiling of funds even as the Legislature is cutting education and safety net budgets in a recession. Would you keep making automatic payments into a holiday gift fund if you lost your job?

Measure 13 Is Half An Umbrella For A Rainy Day.

Measure 13 is not a "rainy day fund." When Oregon has an economic downturn, the Measure 13 fund cannot be spent on the economic safety net. Measure 13 ignores those state services with increased needs during a downturn, such as assistance to families with children who don't have or run out of unemployment insurance, help for laid-off families to purchase food, health insurance for families losing employer-provided coverage, and job retention and training assistance. Education spending is important to maintain during an economic downturn, but children made hungry, homeless, or sick cannot learn.

Measure 13 Seeds Additional Rain Clouds Over Oregon.

The pool of money created by Measure 13 is not big enough to prevent budget cuts or tax increases during, or immediately after, a recession. The next Legislature faces a budget shortfall, and Measure 13 will not help them meet it. Measure 13 depletes the fund so heavily that the fund will not help Oregon pull out of this or another recession in the foreseeable future.

While well intentioned, Measure 13 is seriously flawed. PLEASE VOTE "NO" ON MEASURE 13.

(This information furnished by A. Charles Sheketoff, Oregon Center for Public Policy.)

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ARGUMENT IN OPPOSITION

The Oregon Legislature has asked you to approve using \$220 million of the existing Education Endowment Fund and turning the remainder into a stability fund for schools.

I am asking you to VOTE NO on this measure.

While I support creating a stability fund to help finance schools during economic downturns, creating one and then immediately tapping it for \$220 million is irresponsible. First, it will virtually deplete the fund, leaving such a small principle that it will take years to rebuild. Second, and much more serious, is the fact that using \$220 million of one-time revenue will create a huge financial cliff for our schools in the next budget which will be developed over the next six months.

The House Speaker has said that Ballot Measure 13 will tell us "what kind of priority voters place on education." The Medford *Mail Tribune* didn't mince words in its assessment of this measure in a March 5, 2002 editorial: "Asking voters to rob one education fund to pay for another will tell us what kind of priority voters place on education? That is just rubbish."

The fact is that we need new PERMANENT revenue to fund our schools -- because educating our children is not a one-year enterprise. We expect our third graders to become fourth graders, and then fifth-graders and so on until they graduate. Ballot Measure 13 focuses only on the next few months, not on the next few years. We deserve better.

If you care about the quality of cur schools, VOTE NO on Ballot Measure 13. Let the legislature know that our children deserve permanent funding for their education — not short term "fixes" which simply create a bigger problem in the future.

VOTE NO ON BALLOT MEASURE 13

(This information furnished by John A. Kitzhaber, Governor, State of Oregon.)

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BENTON COUNTY VOTERS' PAMPHLET



PRIMARY ELECTION MAY 21, 2002

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 Benton County Voter:

On May 21, 2002, an election will be held in Benton County. As a voter, you will have an opportunity to exercise your right to vote on candidates and measures for the County, the State of Oregon, and Congressional candidates.

The <u>Benton County Voters' Pamphlet</u> is inserted in the statewide Voters' Pamphlet, and together they provide information on candidates and measures which appear on ballots within Benton County.

Please remember that all ballots, whether mailed or delivered, must be <u>received no later than</u> 8:00 p.m. on May 21, 2002. Ballots should be mailed or delivered to:

• The Benton County Elections Office, located in the basement of the historic Courthouse at 120 NW 4th Street in Corvallis.

OR

• One of the official ballot drop sites located throughout the County. A list of ballot drop site locations is included in this Voters' Pamphlet.

The <u>Benton County Voters' Pamphlet</u> contains the text of all measures with explanatory statements, paid arguments favoring or opposing those measures, and filed candidate statements. The Pamphlet also includes information on voter registration, absentee ballots, and how to properly complete your ballot.

We hope this Voters' Pamphlet will help you become better informed about the issues and candidates in this election.

Sincerely,

Annabelle Jaramillo

Chair

Jay Dixon
Commissioner

Linda Modrell Commissioner

REMEMBER TO VOTE

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City of Albany

Measure No. 22-07

Measure No. 22-08

BALLOT TITLE

MEASURE PROPOSING ANNEXATION OF PROPERTY ADJOINING FESCUE STREET SE

QUESTION: Shall the four parcels totaling approximately 68 acres adjacent to Interstate 5, south of Fescue Street be annexed?

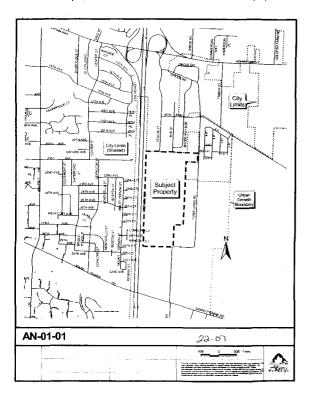
SUMMARY: Approval of this measure would annex approximately 68 acres to the City of Albany. The property to be annexed is located at the southern end of Fescue Street, east of Interstate 5. Upon annexation, the property would be zoned IP (Industrial Park).

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

Annexation Proposal (File No. AN-01-01)

The Albany City Council has referred to the Albany voters the question of annexation for properties located along the east boundary of Interstate 5 and south of Fescue Street SE. The total area of the four parcels is approximately 68 acres.

The property owner has requested annexation in order to be eligible to connect to city utilities and develop the property. The property is currently a rye grass field. No specific development application has been submitted to the City for this property. If annexed, the parcel would be zoned Industrial Park (IP).



(Submitted by City of Albany)

NO ARGUMENTS FOR OR AGAINST THIS MEASURE WERE FILED.

BALLOT TITLE

A MEASURE PROPOSING ANNEXATION OF PROPERTY AT 4212 SANTIAM HIGHWAY.

QUESTION: Shall the 16.8-acre parcel adjacent to Santiam Highway (Highway 20), west of Goldfish Farm Road, be annexed?

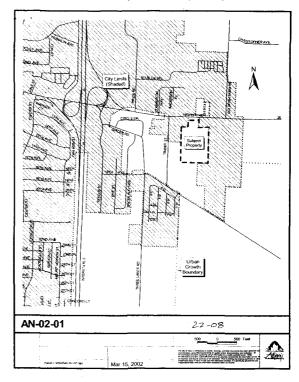
SUMMARY: Approval of this measure would annex approximately 16.8 acres to the City of Albany. The property to be annexed is located at 4212 Santiam Highway SE. Upon annexation, the property would be zoned CC (Community Commercial) and RS-6.5 (Residential Single Family).

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

Annexation Proposal (File No. AN-02-01)

The Albany City Council has referred to the Albany voters the question of annexation for the property located at 4212 Santiam Highway SE, a 16.8-acre parcel south of US Highway 20/Santiam Highway and west of Goldfish Farm Road.

The property owner has requested annexation in order to be eligible to connect to city utilities and develop the property. No specific development application has been submitted to the City for this property. If annexed, the northern 5 acres of the parcel would be zoned Community Commercial, and the southern 12 acres would be zoned Low-density residential (RS-6.5).



(Submitted by City of Albany)

NO ARGUMENTS FOR OR AGAINST THIS MEASURE WERE FILED.

Chinook Road District

Measure No. 02-17

BALLOT TITLE

CHINOOK ROAD DISTRICT MAINTENANCE FEE INCREASE

QUESTION: Shall residents of the Chinook Road District of Benton County, Oregon increase the road fees 50% based on the assessed value of real estate to cover increased operations and maintenance costs?

SUMMARY: An increase in resident fees is needed to fund road maintenance within the district. Increased funding will allow the district to continue service of roadways in line with past practice. It may also allow improving road surfaces and drainage, especially in areas of high traffic. Additionally, increased funding will allow the continuance of resources needed for snow removal, brush control and traffic sign maintenance within the district.

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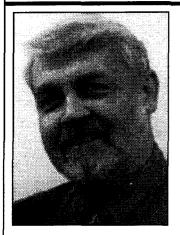
(Submitted by Jay Sorgen, Chinook Road District)

NO ARGUMENTS FOR OR AGAINST THIS MEASURE WERE FILED.

Benton County

Commissioner, Position 1

Commissioner, Position 1



DON GIST

REPUBLICAN

OCCUPATION: Sales & Service, floorcoverings.

OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND: 37 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 Sitting 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 40 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. In 1985 Don and his family moved into the City of Philomath and opened Donde's Floorcovering. In 2000 Don turned the business over to his son Darren, and filed for election to serve on the Benton County Board of Commissioners. Don & De continue to work with their son at Donde's Floors To Go.

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. Don considers it to be a priviledge to be a commissioner for all the citizens of Benton County.

(This information furnished by Don Gist for Commissioner)



LINDA MODRELL

DEMOCRAT

OCCUPATION: Benton County Commissioner

OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND: Policy Developer, Oregon Health Plan; Manager, Business Services & Computer System, OSU Agricultural Sciences & Extension; Oregon Community Partnership Team; small business owner.

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: Oregon State University: MBA, B.S.; Linn-Benton Community College: A.A.

PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE: Chair, Benton County Commission; Chair, Arca Commission on Transportation; Linn-Benton-Lincoln-Lane Regional Investment Board; Local Government Advisory Committee, Oregon Department of Human Services; Measure 7 Taskforce; Oregon Waste Policy Leadership Group; Community Services Consortium Board; 5-Year Financial Planning Task Force; State of Oregon Healthy Children Cluster; School-Based Health Clinics Steering Committee.

Re-Elect Linda MODRELL LINDA MODRELL: Gets the Job Done

- Fought for new state road money for our county and the region
- Promoted environmental health with county use of green power, hybrid cars and green building
- · Co-Sponsored 2000 Linn-Benton Housing Summit
- Organized 2001 Transportation Funding Summit

LINDA MODRELL: Committed to Community

- League of Women Voters
 Benton Habitat for Humanity Board
- former Corvallis Arts Center Trustee NOW former Treasurer OSU Federal Credit Union AAUW Philomath Chamber Board Business Enterprise Center Board NAACP Kiwanis

LINDA MODRELL: Stands for . . .

Accountability. I've tracked results to be sure our tax dollars are solving problems. I've followed through on getting public nuisance properties cleaned up and back into productive use. I voted for creation of the Law Enforcement Review Committee.

Prevention. I've strengthened an early identification program of primary school children with behavioral problems. I've encouraged rehabilitative programs as essential to our justice system and worked to bring mental health services to the poor through the Accountable Behavioral Health Alliance Board.

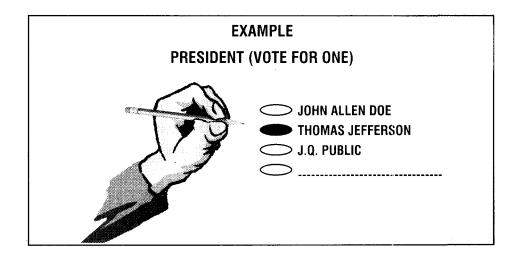
Quality of Life. Benton County is one of Oregon's jewels. I've been working hard to protect both its beauty and its prosperity for livability. I am proud that we'll soon celebrate the opening of Fort Hoskins Historic Park and Beazell Memorial Forest (Fall 2002).

Re-Elect Linda Modrell

(This information furnished by Linda Modrell)

VOTING INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. TO VOTE YOU MUST USE A PENCIL TO BLACKEN THE OVAL () TO THE LEFT OF THE CANDIDATE OR RESPONSE OF YOUR CHOICE.
- 2. TO WRITE-IN A NAME BLACKEN THE OVAL () TO THE LEFT OF THE DOTTED LINE AND WRITE-IN THE NAME ON THE DOTTED LINE.



ABSENTEE Please select the category(ies) that applies(y) to you: APPLICATION □Other □Overseas □Snowbird □Student □Military I am applying for an absentee ballot for: BENTON COUNTY ELECTIONS DIVISION 120 NW 4TH ST RM 13 CORVALLIS, OR 97330 ___ (mth/day/yr) ☐ This election only ____ ☐ All future elections until __ (mth/day/yr) ☐ I will be away from ______ (mth/day) till ______ (mth/day) yearly Tel: (541)766-6756 Fax: (541)766-6757 Website: www.co.benton.or.us/elections _____ (mth/day) till ______(mth/day) yearly I will be in Benton County from ___

This will continue to happen until ____

___ (mth/day/yr)

Name (Last, First, Middle)	Date of Birth	
Absentee Address Line 1		
Absentee Address Line 2 (if needed)		
City, State, Zip / COUNTRY		
enton County Residential Address		
City, State, Zip		
Signature:	Date:	

E-mail: bcelections@co.benton.or.us

Note: An original signature is required. Mail or fax completed form. Do not e-mail. Thank you!

VOTING IN OREGON

WHO MAY REGISTER TO VOTE?

Anyone who is:

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

You may register to vote before your 18th 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 the 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 designate or change a party affiliation after the 21st day before the 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 you name, signature, residence address and, if different, you 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 21st 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 you new county.

BENTON COUNTY ELECITONS COUNTY ELECTIONS BALLOT DROP SITES

24-HOUR BALLOT DROP SITES

Benton County Courthouse 180 NW 5th St., Corvallis

Wells Fargo Bank Next to Pizza Hut, in the Timberhill Mall 2543 NW Kings Blvd., Corvallis

Adair City Hall

6030 NE William R. Carr Ave. - Adair Village Mon. - Fri. 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM 745-5507

John Boy's Alsea Mercantile Store 186 Main Street

Alsea, Oregon 97324 Mon – Sat 6:00 AM to 9:00 PM Sun 7:00 AM to 8:00 PM 487-4462

Corvallis Public Library 645 NW Monroe Ave. - Corvallis

Mon. - Fri. 9:00 AM to 9:00 PM Sat. 9:00 AM to 6:00 PM Sun. 10:30 AM to 11:00 PM ' 757-6926

O.S.U. Memorial Union

Mon. - Thur. 7:00 AM to 11:00 PM Fri. 7:00 AM to MIDNIGHT Sat. 7:30 AM to MIDNIGHT Sun. 10:30 AM to 11:00 PM 737-2416

Senior Citizens Center

2601 NW Tyler Ave. - Corvallis Mon. - Fri. 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM 766-6959

Monroe City Hall

664 Commercial Št. - Monroe Mon. - Fri. 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM 847-5175

North Albany Middle School 1205 North Albany Rd. NW - Albany Mon. - Fri. 7:00 AM to 4:00 PM 967-4541

Philomath Public Library 1050 Applegate - Philomath Mon., Thur., Fri., Sat. 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM Tues., Wed. 10:00 AM - 8:00 PM 929-3016

Benton County Elections Office 120 NW 4th St. - Corvallis Basement, Benton County Courthouse Mon. - Fri. 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM 766-6756

ALL DROP SITES WILL BE OPEN ON ELECTION
DAY UNTIL 8:00 PM

Benton County VOTERS' PAMPHLET Primary Election May 21, 2002

Elections Office Open 7:00 A.M. to 8:00 P.M. Election Day

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Election Questions?

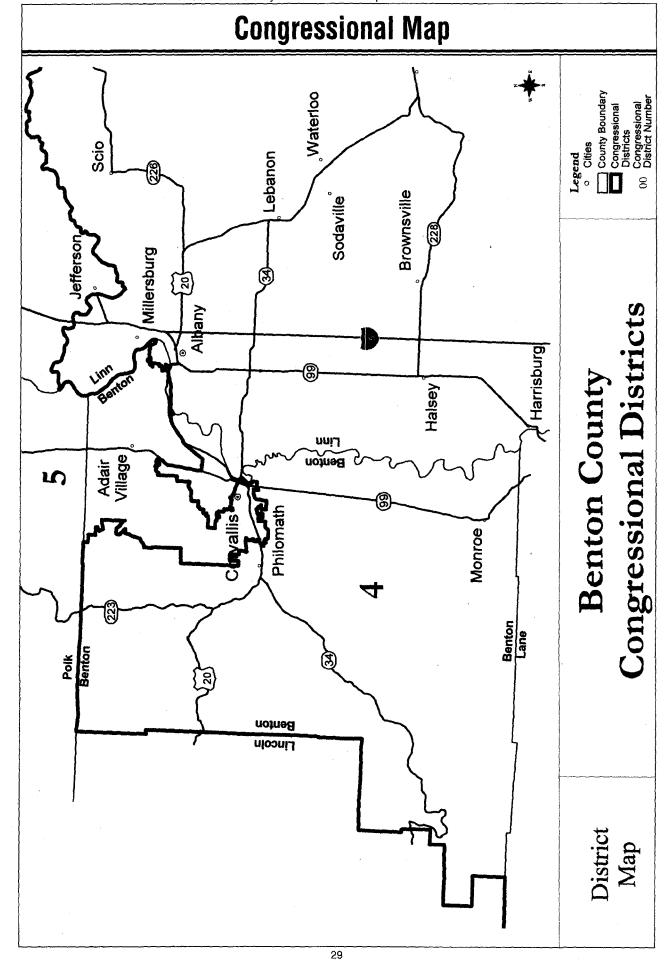
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Duties and Responsibilities of Republican Precinct Committeepersons

President Bush has worked hard to earn the trust of Oregonians and to bring his message of positive, American ideals to our state. He is counting on us to continue to spread his message across the state of Oregon and to win Oregon in 2004.

Precinct committeemen and committeewomen are the grassroots representatives of the Republican Party in Oregon. Precinct Committee Persons (PCPs) "put a face" on the party in their neighborhoods and communities, attend regular meetings of their county Republican central committee – helping to set the party agenda in the county – and help to spread the Republican message at the local level.

As a PCP you have a voice in selecting Republican Party leadership in your county, the state and nationally - you may even seek a leadership position yourself. County leaders help select the state party leaders who in turn participate on the Republican National Committee and elect the national party leaders.

PCPs are often called on by Republican candidates to help with grassroots campaigning. You may be asked to "walk" your precinct with a candidate, introducing the candidate to friends and neighbors. Or, you may be asked to distribute campaign materials. You will become the Republican Party in your community.

As you work to spread the Republican message and elect Republicans to office, please keep in mind the following accomplishments of Republicans who have consistently fought for the rights of every citizen.

- 1872 "The first official recognition of women in a major party platform..."
- 1884 Promotes the eight-hour workday
- 1916 The first major party to endorse the right of women to vote.
- 1940 Platform includes a call to racially integrate the armed forces.
- 1953 President Eisenhower appoints the first women, as Secretary of the Department of Health, Education and Welfare and US Ambassador to Italy, a major power. They are Oveta C Hobby and Clare B. Luce, respectively.
- 1954 Supreme Court declares segregation illegal. Eisenhower integrates Washington DC schools.
- 1964 Civil Rights Act basically suspends the use of literacy tests and other devices aimed to keep blacks from voting. It passes the House with 85% of Republicans voting yes.
- 1981 Reagan tax cut of 25%.
- 1994 Representatives Newt Gingrich and Dick Armey's "Contract with America" bold plan that led to a balanced budget and welfare reform.

This fall, Oregon Republicans will work to retain and extend our majorities in both chambers of the Oregon Legislature, send new Republican representatives to the United States Congress, reelect Senator Gordon Smith, elect a Republican Superintendent of Public Instruction and elect a Republican Governor. PCPs will have key roles in bringing about these victories.

While Republican precinct persons are encouraged to support the candidates of their choice in the primary election, it is expected that PCPs – as representatives of the party – during the general election will support all Republican candidates receiving the party's nomination.

If you would like more information about the Oregon Republican Party, or would like to be more involved with the GOP in Oregon, please call our state party headquarters at (503) 587-9233. You may send e-mail to info@orgop.org or visit our website at www.orgop.org

Perry Atkinson Chairman, Oregon Republican Party PO Box 789, Salem, OR 97308

Remember...

You cannot bring about prosperity by discouraging thrift.
You cannot strengthen the weak by weakening the strong.
You cannot help the wage-earner by pulling down the wage-payer.
You cannot further the brotherhood of man by encouraging class hatred.
You cannot help the poor by destroying the rich.
You cannot keep out of trouble by spending more than you earn.
You cannot build character and courage by doing for them what they could and should do for themselves.

Abraham Lincoln

Special thanks to Carl Daugherty, Chairman of Douglas County Republicans for the research quoted here

(This information furnished by Oregon Republican Party.)

United States Senator



GORDON H. SMITH

Republican

OCCUPATION: United States Senator

OCCUPATIONAL

BACKGROUND: Smith Frozen

Foods

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: Southwestern University, J.D.; Brigham Young University, B.S.

PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE: United States Senator, 1997-present; Oregon State Senator, 1993-January, 1997; President of the Oregon State Senate, 1995-1996

U.S. Senator Gordon Smith Leadership for a Stronger Economy and Better Quality of Life

From the silicon forest to the Douglas Fir forest to the family farm, Senator Gordon Smith is working to improve Oregon's economy and quality of life by reducing taxes on families, promoting more balanced natural resource policies, and providing better schools.

Providing Tax Relief

Senator Smith believes that Oregon families and small businesses should keep more of what they earn. In the Senate, he worked for passage of the President's tax cut package, which provided tax relief for over one million Oregonians; authored a tax depreciation measure that will help create jobs in Oregon's struggling high-tech industries and farms; and worked to expand tax-deferred education savings accounts that now help Oregonians meet rising tuition costs.

Protecting Oregon's Rural Communities

Gordon Smith knows firsthand that Oregon's economy depends on the careful stewardship of the land and sea. That's why he has worked in the Senate to reform many flawed and outdated regulations; worked to ensure that environmental protection is based on sound science, not political science; and promoted a common sense approach to federal forest management and sustainability for communities that rely on forests.

Improving Oregon Schools

Senator Smith believes that every child should have the opportunity to receive a world-class education. Over the years, he has worked to increase parental involvement and local control of education spending, and increase accountability for achieving academic standards. Moreover, the Senator has authored legislation that provides more resources for teacher quality and training, provides communities greater flexibility in following education programs, and helps schools reduce student drop-out rates.

U.S. Senator Gordon Smith Leadership for a Stronger Economy and Better Quality of Life

(This information furnished by Gordon Smith for U.S. Senate 2002, Inc.)

Representative In Congress 4th District



LIZ VANLEEUWEN Republican

OCCUPATION: Agriculture; Organization Volunteer

OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND: Small business owner/co-manager; Legislator; Teacher – secondary and adult education;

News reporter; Editor; Oregon State University Foreign Student Coordinator; various offices and responsibilities in organizations and churches.

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: High School, Lakeview, Oregon; B.S. Oregon State College; Miscellaneous graduate classes.

PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE: 9 Term Oregon State Representative 1981-1999; Linn Soil and Water Conservation District Director; Vice-Chair South Santiam Watershed Management Area (SB1010) Local Advisory Committee; Linn County Commission on Children and Families; Benton, Lane, Lincoln and Linn Regional Strategies Board; Western States Legislative Forestry Task Force; Pacific NorthWest Economic Region Board; Numerous Legislative Committees including Ways and Means; Governor Straub's Day Care Task Force; Linn Court Appointed Special Advocates; Mid-Willarnette Valley Air Pollution Authority Advisory;

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT: American Agri-Women; Alliance For America; American Legion Auxiliary; AWANAS; Linn Extension Association; 4-H Clubs; Future Farmers of America; Peer Court; Court Appointed Special Advocates; Chambers of Commerce; Farm Bureau; Citizens For a Drug Free Oregon; Grange; OSU's Jackman Foundation; Sunday School and Bible School Teacher; Women for Timber; 3rd Force for Forestry; Oregon Women for Agriculture.

LIZ VanLEEUWEN in 18 years as State Representative for House District 37 is known for her commitment to her constituents and for helping them solve their personal problems with government agencies.

LIZ VanLEEUWEN is conservative, practical, hard working. She believes most decision making is done best at the local level. Liz is known for her honesty and integrity; and, for her unwillingness to "play politics". She feels that government should be the servant, not the master, of the people.

LIZ VanLEEUWEN always seeks to make wise and balanced use of all our resources: human, natural and monetary.

PLEASE VOTE LIZ VanLEEUWEN for CONGRESS!

(This information furnished by Liz VanLeeuwen for Congress committee.)

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, Central and Perrydale School District Budget Committees

ORGANIZATIONS: Boy Scouts (Eagle), Veterans of Foreign Wars, American Legion, National Federation of Independent Businesses. Elks

FAMILY: Peggy, six children.

Character and real experience matters!

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

Brian says consolidate federal education programs, agencies, bureaucracy then mandate 95% of federal education dollars to classroom instruction under local control and accountability.

Brian is pro-defense and pro-veteran and is a veteran. Spend wisely not blindly ... that takes experience not flashy publicity.

Brian wants an economic stimulus package, permanent elimination of the death, marriage and capital gains taxes. Cut the IRS. Simpler is fairer!

Brian says save Oregon for our children not from our children. Federal bureaucrats have proven how not to tell the truth. It is time for Congress to prove "citizens" are the government.

Brian says honor seniors, No cuts. Provide flexible affordable prescription care. Safeguard their future while rebuilding ours!

Brian says prosecute criminals, enforce existing laws, and support the U.S. Constitution.

Brian supports parental notification.

"A strong economy in the future means supporting small businesses and families now. A smart defense means taking the fight to the terrorists not running away from Washington DC. A strong defense means supplying the troops in the field not funding pork barrel projects. Congress is not a choir, tough decisions take leadership. We must balance economic issues, defense spending, transportation, and education funding. I will use my 26 years of business, military, education, and international experience on five continents as a voice of leadership for positive change."

"I'm asking for your vote this election."

Visit www.boquist2002.com

(This information furnished by Brian J. Boquist.)



CRAIG L. SCHELSKE Republican

OCCUPATION: Businessman; Farmer; Homebuilder.

OCCUPATIONAL
BACKGROUND: Agriculture;
Construction; Fisheries;
Manufacturing; Media.

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: B.A., International Business/Marketing, Oregon State; Graduate studies, Middle Tennessee State; currently pursuing a MPP, Regent University.

PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE: None.

"Willamette Values, Unwavering Commitment"

"My mission is to empower you, the people of the 5th District, so you can achieve the American Dream. My life experiences have taught me how to get from the impossible to the possible and how to turn from the doubtful to the hopeful. This is the spirit of leadership I propose -knowledgeable, decisive, and assertive- for a new Oregon."

Jobs and Economy: We must seek prosperity through balance, utilization and diversification; create jobs by encouraging business and industry; provide an even playing field for farmers through deregulation and trading opportunities while enforcing "fair trade."

Taxes: I support President Bush's tax reduction act and will oppose efforts to repeal it. The government should not keep your money in times of federal surplus. I support the President's stimulus plan. The additional targeted tax cuts are needed to promote economic recovery.

President Bush: Great leadership: character, integrity, vision and fortitude. Like him I will extol our values, provide vision, encourage unity, and strengthen our resolve to protect our nation and freedoms.

Defense: America is at war. I support additional funding for our military and intelligence services.

Education: I believe funding needs to be targeted at classrooms. I support smaller class sizes, increased funding of the "No Child Left Behind Act," giving teachers the tools needed to provide a disciplined and focused environment, and standardized testing to measure our progress towards our educational goals.

Seniors: I will protect the Social Security benefits of seniors. Social Security funds must be spent on Social Security benefits, not government programs. I support a prescription drug benefit and strengthening Social Security.

2nd Amendment: I strongly support our Constitutional rights.

Vote Craig Schelske for Congress.

Endorsements and information: www.Schelskeforcongress.com

(This information furnished by Craig Schelske for Congress.)



W. AMES CURTRIGHT Republican

OCCUPATION: Retired; CEO, Oregon Research & Development Corp.; CEO, Ames Research Labs

OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND: Owner, Inventor, Snow Roof Systems;

Farm Owner. Holds five Patents on moving Map technology. Former Science, Math and Physics Teacher, Vietnam Veteran, Navy; Bush and Float Plane Pilot.

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: Benson Polytechnic High School, Portland; Graduated George Fox College, B.S., Pre-med; Attended Northwest Christian College, University of Oregon, Western Oregon State College, and Western States Chiropractic College

PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE: None

EVERY LAW WE PASS COSTS US A LITTLE MORE MONEY AND A LITTLE MORE FREEDOM.

LESS GOVERNMENT AND LESS TAXES

W. Ames Curtright will work to downsize government. When businesses cut back, our government must do the same. Oregon businesses are the heart of our economic engine and must be encouraged to flourish. Thriving businesses hire more people. "Let's get government off the backs of our businesses. Let's deregulate to stimulate business and create new jobs."

FORESTS / ENVIRONMENT

W. Ames, a scientist, will be "The Flying Governor". He will work to increase Oregon's watersheds, phase out clear-cutting on State and Federal forest lands and restore our fish. He will fight global warming through increased reforestation and old growth protection.

PRISON AND MENTAL HEALTH REFORM

W. Ames will increase treatment programs in mental health including schizophrenia and drug and alcohol addiction. Enough is enough. Prisons should be for violent offenders, not for those with mental health conditions.

EDUCATION

As a former teacher, will initiate and support legislation to allow teachers and educators more freedom to use discipline. He supports home schooling, and state and federal funding for private schools. He feels Morality and Ethics need to be taught at the three levels of education. He seeks to create three new trade high schools in Oregon. "Give kids a goal and we give them identity."

AGRICULTURE

As a farm owner, **W. Ames** is for tariffs on all foreign imports and substantial help for farmers on NAFTA and GATT issues.

(This information furnished by William Ames Curtright.)

Governor



KEVIN L. MANNIX

Republican

OCCUPATION: Small business owner and attorney.

OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND: Assistant Attorney General, Oregon; Assistant Attorney General, U. S. Territory of Guam:

Administrative Law Judge; Circuit Court Judge, Pro-Tem; District Court Judge, Pro-Tem.

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: Bachelor of Arts and Law Degrees, University of Virginia

PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE: State Representative; State Senator; Emergency Board; Joint Legislative Ways and Means Committee; House Judiciary, Labor and Rules Committees.

KEVIN MANNIX EXPERIENCED, PRINCIPLED LEADERSHIP A CHAMPION FOR US

- During more than a decade of legislative service (1989-1997, 1998-2001) Kevin Mannix earned a reputation as a consensus builder and a problem solver.
- The Salem Statesman Journal called Mannix "...remarkably effective" (12/15/96). The Oregonian praised Mannix's "analytical approach to governance" and said he was "one of Salem's more productive—and constructive—legislators" (1/19/97).
- As a member of the legislature's Ways and Means Committee, Kevin Mannix helped to draw up Oregon's budget. Doing this he dealt with every state agency – large and small. He's the only Republican candidate with legislative experience.

KEVIN MANNIX WILL HOLD THE LINE ON TAXES

- Kevin Mannix is the only candidate to sign a pledge <u>not</u> to increase taxes.
- Kevin Mannix passed the bill that put the income tax "kicker" in the constitution, keeping your refund safe from greedy special interests.
- Kevin Mannix received the 1999 "Friend of the Taxpayer" award from Citizens for a Sound Economy.

KEVIN MANNIX WILL LEAD OREGON TO ECONOMIC RECOVERY

- Kevin Mannix will make Oregon a great place to do business by reducing state government regulations by 50%.
- Kevin Mannix will be a champion for existing businesses and be Oregon's top recruiter of new businesses to bring new family wage jobs to all of Oregon.
- · Kevin Mannix supports deepening the Columbia River channel.

KEVIN MANNIX ENDORSED AND RESPECTED

Oregon Council of Police Associations Oregon School Employees Association Oregon Right to Life

Confederated Tribes of the Grand Ronde Community of Oregon

On the Internet: www.mannixfororegon.org

(This information furnished by Mannix for Oregon.)



JACK ROBERTS

Republican

OCCUPATION: Oregon Labor Commissioner

OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND: Attorney, Lane County Commissioner

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: LL.M. in Taxation, New York University School of Law, 1980; J.D., University of Oregon Law School, 1978; B.S., University of Oregon School of Journalism, 1975.

PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE: Lane County Commissioner 1989-1995; Oregon Labor Commissioner 1995 – present

JACK ROBERTS: LIMITED GOVERNMENT AND LOWER TAXES

Experienced Leadership – Not Higher Taxes and Bigger Government

- Roberts will balance the state budget without new taxes or keeping over-collected income tax "kicker" refunds.
- During the past eight years, while the total state budget grew by 70%, Roberts limited spending in his agency to less than 1% a year.
- Roberts opposed keeping income tax refunds to grow government in 2001 and opposed Kitzhaber's \$244 million tax increase in 2002.

JACK ROBERTS: A STRONGER ECONOMY AND MORE JOBS

Governor Kitzhaber Proposed a Tax Increase – Roberts Proposed an Economic Plan

Reduce Taxes, Control Spending

 Cut the state capital gains tax to 5% over 5 years; support and enforce a limit on state spending growth.

Reduce Regulations, Create Jobs

 Remove regulations that harm job creation; create tax incentives to keep and attract more jobs.

Balanced Use, Management of Natural Resources

 Fight for jobs and families whose livelihoods depend on the responsible use of natural resources: farming, ranching, timber and fisheries; defend hydro-electric dams.

JACK ROBERTS: A CONSERVATIVE LEADER WHO CAN WIN

- Roberts is the only candidate who has already won two statewide elections against tough Portland Democrats: in 1998 with 60% of the vote, winning all 36 Oregon counties and in 1994 by defeating a 16-year liberal Democrat incumbent.
- Roberts will defend 2nd amendment rights; support parental nótification for abortion; protect property rights; appoint common sense judges.

Learn more: www.robertsforgovernor.com

(This information furnished by Jack Roberts for Governor.)

Governor



RON SAXTON

Republican

OCCUPATION: Business Attorney

OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND: Law/Business/Farming

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: Albany, Oregon Public Schools; Willamette University, B.S.; University of Virginia Law School, J.D.

PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE: School Board

COMMUNITY SERVICE: SMART reading program; Little League baseball and youth basketball coach; church deacon; Coalition for School Funding Now!

"(Ron Saxton)...a person with those qualities I associate with another Oregonian that I admire greatly, Mark Hatfield – a deep ethical sense and a huge storehouse of common sense." KATU News February 11, 2002

- Secretary of State George Shultz

RON SAXTON, PRIORITIZING SPENDING

"As governor, Ron Saxton will set priorities. He understands that government services must not grow faster than our ability to pay for them."

-Mark Jones, Mayor, Newport

RON SAXTON, ADVANCING EDUCATION

"Ron Saxton wants a great principal in every school and a great teacher in every classroom. He will find good teachers, train them, support them and move them out if necessary.

-Camille Hukari, Farmer, Hood River

RON SAXTON, HANDLING BUDGETS

"Ron Saxton has experience that goes beyond government to a real understanding of our challenges, He knows there should not be a government program for every problem."

-Neil Bryant, former State Senator, Bend

RON SAXTON, CREATING JOBS

"As governor, Ron Saxton will lead the state to develop a reputation where businesses take root and grow to create jobs in Oregon."

-Bill McCormick, Business Owner, Portland

RON SAXTON, MANAGING RESOURCES

"Ron Saxton will be the governor who returns Oregon's natural resource businesses to their place as leaders in the global economy."

-Todd Kellstrom, Mayor, Klamath Falls

RON SAXTON, BUILDING ONE OREGON

"Ron has a foot in both Oregons. He'll be an effective governor because he understands the challenges of small town Oregon and downtown Portland."

- Congressman Bob Smith, Medford

"I ask for your vote so that I can lead government to finally understand there's a time to help, and a time to get out of the way."

-Ron Saxton

ELECT RON SAXTON!

www.saxtonforgovernor.org

(This information furnished by Friends of Ron Saxton.)



ROGER WEIDNER

Republican

OCCUPATION: State Director--THE CONSTITUTIONAL
DEFENDERS; Vice President—
OREGON JUDICIAL WATCH

OCCUPATIONAL

BACKGROUND: Portland City Fireman; Multnomah County

Deputy District Attorney; Private Practice of law; THE CONSTITUTIONAL DEFENDERS; OREGON JUDICIAL WATCH

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: Cleveland High School; Brigham Young University; Portland State University; Lewis and Clark Law School. Graduated with a J.D.(Juris Doctor) degree

PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE: U.S. Army 101st Airborne Division; Portland City Fireman. Multnomah County Deputy District Attorney; Director of the Consumer Fraud Department in the Multnomah County District Attorneys office.

TOP PRIORITIES IF ELECTED GOVERNOR

- Pass Measure I, to repeal Article VII(amended) of the Oregon Constitution—This will be the first step in re-establishing constitutional government in Oregon.
- 2. Creat the Oregon Judicial Counsel
- 3. Conduct a systematic review of all criminal prosecutions and convictions in the state to commute the sentence or grant new trials in cases where there is strong, convincing, credible evidence the accused was denied at trial "equal protection" or "due process" of the law.
- 4. Instruct all state agencies that the Governor will not tolerate any action by the agencies that deprives the sovereign citizens of Oregon of their constitutionally guaranteed rights to "equal protection" and "due process" of law.
- 5. Encourage passage of the Family Protection Amendment which will preclude the state from permanently removing children from the parent's home without jury trial.
- Put all future prison construction in this state on hold while a comprehensive review is completed to determine how many current prison inmates are there as a result of sham prosecutions.
- Establish citizens review boards (to act as board of directors) for all state agencies.
- To cure the current budget crisis I will recommend the phasing in, over time, of a 2.5 percent gross receipts tax to replace current income and property taxes.
- 9. I will compel Worker Compensation Carriers to provide immediate mandated medical treatment to injured workers without the workers first being required to submit to costly litigation.

(This information furnished by Roger Weidner.)

State Senator 8th District



FRANK MORSE

Republican

OCCUPATION: Retired

OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND: First Christian Church, Forest Grove, Associate Pastor, 1966-68. Morse Bros. Inc., President, 1970-2000; Merged with MDU

Resources Group Inc., 1998; President, 1982-2000. Environ-Metal Inc. Business start-up 2000 to present, Chairman of the Board

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: Lebanon Union High School; Northwest Christian College, BTh; Oregon State University, MA; Doctor of Humanities, Northwest Christian College

PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE: Governor's Mineral Task Force (Gov. Atiyeh)

Business and Community Leader

Frank Morse was born in Lebanon raised in the Mid-Valley. Frank knows our communities and has dedicated his life to making our communities better places to live.

As one of the owners of Morse Brothers, Frank has created family-wage jobs throughout Western Oregon.

Frank has volunteered his time in numerous community activities, including chairing the Samaritan Albany Hospital Board, the Albany Chamber of Commerce Board, the Northwest Christian College Trustees and is chair-elect of the Samaritan Health Services Board. He has served on the Albany Boys and Girls Club Board and is active in his church.

FRANK MORSE Building Strong Communities

- · Frank Morse has a passion for education;
- · A commitment to business growth and jobs; and
- Will provide leadership for better fiscal management in state government.

FRANK MORSE Leading by Example

Instead of living a quiet retirement with his wife Linda, Frank decided to give back to his community and his state by running for the state Senate. Frank believes he can bring his solid business experience to build a better Oregon.

Frank Morse has earned the reputation of being a fair-minded businessman who finds solutions between parties with differing views. Frank will bring that same thoughtful approach to the legislature.

"I ask for your vote in the Republican Primary. Together we can build strong communities by improving our education system, encouraging more job creation, and better management of taxpayer dollars. Thank you for your support." Frank

VOTE FRANK MORSE Building Strong Communities

(This information furnished by Frank Morse for State Senate.)

State Representative 15th District



BETSY L. CLOSE

Republican

OCCUPATION: Oregon State Representative

OCCUPATIONAL

BACKGROUND: Public School Teacher, Oregon and Washington; Job Developer, Instructor for Benton County

Youth Program; Graduate Teaching Assistant, Oregon State University; Bank Teller.

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: MS, Oregon State University, 1978; BA Education, Central Washington University, 1974; BA, Washington State University, 1972

PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE: Palestine Rural Fire Board of Directors; Albany School Committee for Zone 1; Chair, Benton County Republican Party

LEGISLATIVE APPOINTMENTS: Assistant Majority Leader; Chair, House Water and Environment Committee; Co-Chair, Joint Natural Resources Committee; Member, House Education Committee, State Lands Advisory Board

PERSONAL: Married 30 years, Four children 26 Year Resident of Benton County

BETSY CLOSE MAKES GOVERNMENT ACCESSIBLE TO YOU!

RE-ELECT BETSY CLOSE

Working to Improve Education

Education is top priority for Betsy. As a member of the Ways and Means Education Subcommittee, Betsy worked to pass an 11 % increase for K-12 education, and to increase financial aid to qualifying university students. Betsy's goals are investment for adequate resources and accountability for results in our children's schools.

RE-ELECT BETSY CLOSE

Holding the Line on Taxes

Betsy Close worked to combat high taxes and wasteful spending. For this, Betsy has been awarded the Taxpayer Medal of Honor by the Taxpayers Association of Oregon, and the Friend of the Taxpayer Award from Citzens for a Sound Economy. Betsy passed a Senior Property Tax Rebate bill to help our low income seniors. She voted to make sure your Bush Tax Cut rebate would not be taxed by the State.

RE-ELECT BETSY CLOSE

Standing for Jobs and a Strong Economy

Betsy knows that Oregon's small businesses are critical for strong communities. That's why Betsy voted to reduce the capitol gains tax to create more jobs. In doing so, Betsy gained the endorsement of the National Federation of Independent Business. Betsy's vote to provide continued funding for the successful JOBS PLUS program assisted unemployed workers.

RE-ELECT BETSY CLOSE EFFECTIVE, STRONG, COMMON SENSE LEADERSHIP FOR DISTRICT 15

(This information furnished by Close Friends.)

State Representative 16th District



SCOTT BISSON

Republican

OCCUPATION: Small Business Owner; Commercial Artist.

OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND: Owner, Quantum Creative Class 1989-present; National and International Artist;

Construction, Real Estate Sales.

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: Philomath Public School System 12 Years; Linn Benton Community College; Oregon State University; Pilchuck Glass School; Norm F Webb School of Real Estate.

PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE: City of Philomath Budget Committee 2000-2001.

Scott Bisson's Vision

Bring together the good ideas of the citizens and make progress toward our common goals.

- Well Funded Schools
- Good Roads
- Strong Local Economy
- Efficient Government
- Affordable Housing
- Sustainable Livable Communities
- · Independent Thinking

Ensure that money allocated for **education** and **roads** is spent there and not siphoned off for pet projects.

As a small business owner and employer, Scott Bisson will promote the health and well being of **small businesses** and the employees that empower them.

Support **affordable housing** by keeping bureaucracy small and promoting programs to encourage home ownership.

Scott Bisson is committed to preserving the **environment** and **human culture.** The two can coexist.

Scott Bisson is for fiscal and personal responsibility.

"We all see the problems, now let us focus on the **solutions** to these problems. We need to make win-win decisions. I believe the people of District 16 are resourceful and smart enough to overcome these challenges.

Please work with me to accomplish these goals. Your input and expertise are greatly appreciated!"

Scott Bisson

(This information furnished by Bisson for State Representative.)

State Representative 23rd 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: Chair, House Revenue Committee; Chair, House Civil Judiciary Committee; Member, Oregon Hunger Relief Task Force; Chair, Oregon Law Commission; Polk County Jail Advisory Committee; Polk Committee for Better Roads.

Community Leadership:

Citizens Crime Commission

Boy Scouts (Past Polk District chair)

Dallas Community Foundation

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 21 years to Francine; children, Joel (12) and Lauren (10)

A RECORD OF RESULTS

As your state representative I have sponsored legislation that:

- · Increased penalties for acts of eco-terrorism
- · 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
- Requires independent audits of state agencies
- Makes it easier for citizens to get rid of drug houses in their neighborhoods
- Gives income tax relief to low income working Oregonians

WHAT OTHERS SAY

"Lane Shetterly, one of the ablest members of the Oregon House..." Albany Democrat Herald, February 19, 2002.

"State Rep. Lane Shetterly...a serious leader in the Oregon legislature..." The Oregonian, April 2, 2001.

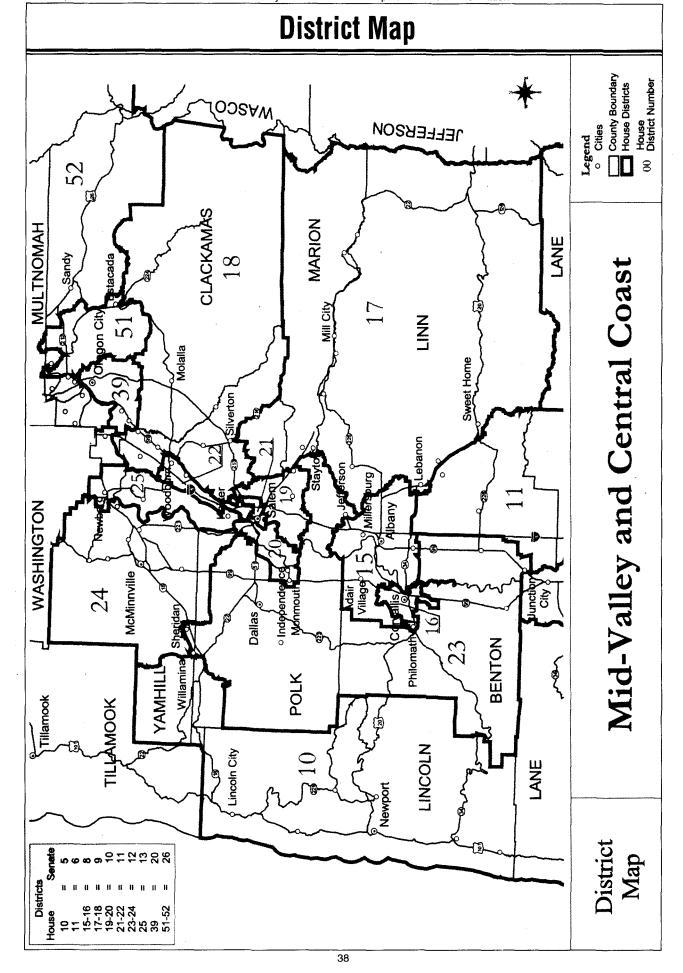
Rep. Shetterly has "brought experience and perspective to the legislature." *Itemizer Observer*, January 10, 2001.

"...Shetterly's outstanding work during two terms in the Legislature gives him a strong advantage." Statesman Journal, September 26, 2000.

VOTE FOR EXPERIENCE AND LEADERSHIP

VOTE FOR LANE SHETTERLY

(This information furnished by Citizens for Lane Shetterly.)



United States Senator



BILL BRADBURY

Democrat

OCCUPATION: Secretary of

State

OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND: Executive Director, For the Sake of the

Salmon; television journalist; restaurant owner.

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: High school (1960-1964); Antioch College (1967-1969)

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

Family: Bill is married to Katy Eymann. He has two daughters.

BILL BRADBURY -- A PROVEN OREGON LEADER

For more than 20 years, Bill has been a champion of working families. He has fought for a cleaner environment, a healthy economy, affordable healthcare and individual rights. These are the Oregon values that he will bring to the United States Senate.

The experience to make a difference

Small business owner; Oregon Senate Majority Leader; Oregon Senate President; Oregon Secretary of State.

A Person of Integrity

"...a political pro with a lot of integrity." *The Oregonian* (October 3, 1999)

Putting Politics Aside

Bill has found common ground on difficult problems. He has been praised by *The Oregonian* for his "bi-partisan fairness and openness" (October 13, 2000).

BILL BRADBURY -- A VOICE FOR OREGON

Getting Oregonians Back to Work

Bill believes that helping unemployed Oregonians must be a top priority. He will fight to allow unemployed workers to keep their health care coverage.

Standing up for the Rights of Oregonians

From death with dignity to a women's right to choose, Bill trusts Oregonians to make decisions about their lives without government interference.

Making Health Care Affordable & Accessible

Bill will work to strengthen Medicare and lead the fight for prescription drug benefits for seniors. He'll stand up for a real Patients' Bill of Rights that protects Oregonians from HMO and insurance company abuse.

Protecting our Environment

As someone who has lived in rural Oregon for more than 20 years, Bill has made it his mission to find the right balance between encouraging wise stewardship of our natural heritage and protecting local jobs.

Phone: 503-232-3113

Online: www.Bradbury2002.com

(This information furnished by Bill Bradbury for U.S. Senate.)

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.

EFFECTIVE, OUTSPOKEN, OREGON LEADERSHIP

A FIGHTER: "A man-of-the-people populist who's not afraid to speak his mind when it comes to taxes and spending, forests and logging, Social Security and the need to regulate utilities and other big-business sectors." *Register-Guard*, 8/26/01

GETS THE JOB DONE: "Thanks to DeFazio's straight-shooting style, he has become one of the most trusted and respected members of Congress and he has the experience and political clout to get the job done." Curry County Reporter, 8/22/01

FOR CONSUMERS AGAINST DEREGULATION

"Oregon Congressman Peter DeFazio has warned against deregulation all along. Events have proved him right." *Democrat Herald*, 1/19/01

"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 the little guy." Register-Guard, 4/29/00

PRO WORKERS AND ENVIRONMENT, AGAINST NAFTA, WTO, FTAA

"Rep. Peter DeFazio has made some name for himself as a critic of world trade agreements, opposing such treaties as NAFTA because of provisions he says harm American businesses and consumers." *Gazette Times*, 3/17/00

FIGHTING TO PRESERVE SOCIAL SECURITY

"DeFazio offers plan to protect Social Security." News-Review, 2/12/02

Peter 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.

CONVERTING PAYRAISES TO SCHOLARSHIPS

Among DeFazio's proudest accomplishments is the \$198,000 he has given to fund scholarships in Oregon, and reduce the national debt.

"DeFazio turns down Congress' pay raise ¬ example to the rest of Congress." *Umpaua Free Press*, 7/22/99

"DeFazio....is one of the best congressmen Oregon has produced. His value to our state and the nation grows with every term he serves." *Daily Astorian*, 8/15/01

(This information furnished by DeFazio for Congress.)

Representative In Congress 5th District



DARLENE HOOLEY

Democrat

OCCUPATION: US Representative

OCCUPATIONAL
BACKGROUND: High school teacher

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

Family: Adult children, Erin and Chad

Message from Darlene Hooley

"When I first ran for Congress, while others were busy fingerpointing, I rolled up my sleeves to work on the issues Oregonians care about: strengthening the economy, improving education, providing affordable health care access, protecting privacy, and keeping our communities safe: I want to continue to find common ground to get things done for Oregon."

Getting Oregon Back to Work and Back in Business

- Jump-starting Oregon's economy, and investing in small businesses
- Fighting to make sure that those who lose their jobs won't lose their health insurance or unemployment benefits

Standing Up for Seniors and Veterans

- Fighting to protect and preserve Social Security and Medicare
- · Insisting on fair, affordable pricing for prescription drugs
- · Improving the quality of veterans health care

Creating Educational Opportunities

- Working to lower class sizes and provide up to date textbooks
- · Championing affordable college and job-training

Darlene Hooley: She Gets It — and Gets It Done!

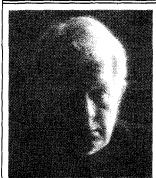
"Darlene Hooley has been a real partner in delivering needed resources to help us shut down deadly methamphetamine labs." Raul Ramirez, Marion County Sheriff

"Darlene Hooley is working to keep small businesses and family farms, the backbone of Oregon's economy, strong by championing common-sense tax relief measures that will allow us to keep family-owned businesses in the family."

Don Uselman, owner/operator White's Restaurant

"Darlene Hooley is our champion in making prescription drugs more affordable and in protecting Social Security and Medicare." Wilma Gritton, Oregon State Council of Senior Citizens

(This information furnished by Darlene Hooley for Congress.)



WILLIAM PETER ALLEN

Democrat

OCCUPATION:

Management/Engineering Consultant; Writer of Internet Books/Papers on Management, Engineering, Physics, Economics, Christianity

OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND: Veteran; GE Missile/Space, Nuclear, Computers; Boeing Jet Aircraft; City/County Government; PSU, Assistant Professor, Management, Small Business

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: Portland's Jefferson High; OSU BS/MS Industrial Engineering

PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE: None

ANGER WITH BUSINESS AS USUAL

I developed a political/economics study, to determine why Oregon doesn't function well. The basic problem is a secret economic inequality: an Oregon net loss of \$20 billion each year, paid in federal income taxes and allocated, through federal spending programs, to other, more preferred, states. The study culminated in my free detailed problems/solutions on-line Internet book, OREGON: A NEW DEMOCRACY.

Two-thirds of the states receive more money back in federal spending than they pay in US taxes, bringing technology, stable employment, small business spin-offs, good wages, profits, wealth, and state taxes. To place our \$20 billion per year loss in perspective, it is equal to the hiring of 400,000 new teachers, or \$5,900 from every man, woman, and child in Oregon.

We have sacrificed our schools, our economic system, and suffer severe taxation, in order to subsidize theirs. They prosper, while we do not.

What is the new governor's major task? To gain interstate economic equality, and the return of Oregon's lost \$20 billion per year. How? By a US Constitutional amendment, and/or obtaining over \$20 billion per year in federal spending.

But, if the US government fails to support our efforts, we should consider legally seceding from the US and becoming an independent nation state. With secession, we would close our borders, stop all immigration, keep our \$20 billion each year, provide for education, protect our own economy, provide free health care for all, and return money to the citizens. With secession, private funds, and my investment software, we can, in eight to twelve years, replace all taxes within a self sufficient, financially independent, Oregon Territory.

BOLDNESS FOR THE CREATIVE AND NEW

www.wpallen.com and www.petereliason.com

(This information furnished by William (Pete) Allen.)

Governor



CALEB BURNS

Democrat

OCCUPATION: Clinical Psychologist

OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND: Psychologist, Portland-Gresham, 1987 to present

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: B.A., Claremont Men's College, 1972; Ph.D. in Psychology, University of Hawaii, 1984.

PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE: None.

WHY VOTE FOR CALEB BURNS?

Because our children have been guinea pigs too long in Oregon's "Statewide Educational Reforms." Voting for Caleb tells Oregon's politicians that our students, our teachers and our schools cannot continue to be subjects in an unproven, radical educational experiment!

OUR POLITICIANS AND PRESS AREN'T LISTENING TO US! By voting for Caleb, you will send a clear message that these dozens of state-imposed, unproven, wasteful mandates on our schools and students must stop! Wasting Oregon's tax dollars year after year on these stressful tests must end!

CALEB IS A PSYCHOLOGIST WITH TESTING EXPERTISE:

The CIM tests fail to meet professional standards for valid test-construction. Also, these "Statewide Reforms" cost several hundred million dollars a year (more than \$350 a student), take excessive time to administer (CIM tests consume many months of precious high school education time), take many months to score and have very limited acceptability. (Oregon's public schools and colleges are the only schools accepting CIM results.)

Compare these "reform" tests with nationally-normed and validated, widely-accepted tests, such as the Stanford Achievement Test. Nationally-standardized tests (used by almost all private schools) have proven validity, take several hours and less than \$10 to administer, provide excellent data in weeks, are in line with national curricula, and are accepted by every major school system in the United States.

To learn more about Oregon's "reforms" (or to join a group of parents and students concerned about them), go to Caleb's website: http://www.teleport.com/~calebb/burnsgov.htm or email calebb @teleport.com

PARENTS: WITHDRAW YOUR STUDENTS FROM THESE "REFORMS!"

Whether you vote for Caleb or not, please spread the word that with a simple letter, parents can withdraw their children from these stressful, unproven tests. (The letter Caleb used himself is on his website.)

(This information furnished by Caleb Burns.)



JIM HILL

Democrat

OCCUPATION: Attorney

OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND: Corporate Accounts Manager, Mentor Graphics Corp.; Personnel Consultant, State Farm Insurance; Hearings Referee,

Oregon Department of Revenue; Assistant Attorney General, Oregon Department of Justice.

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: J.D., Indiana University College of Law; M.B.A., Indiana University; B.A. in Economics, Michigan State University.

PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE: Oregon State Treasurer, 1993-2001; Oregon State Senator, 1987-1993; Oregon State Representative, 1983 to 1987.

Community Service: Northwest Health Foundation, Board Member; Friends of Opal Creek, Board Member.

JIM HILL - PROVEN LEADERSHIP FOR OREGON SCHOOLS As Governor, Jim Hill will create a stable K-12 schools funding base by increasing taxes on tobacco and alcohol. Jim Hill will stop the cuts to education, giving our children the high quality schools they deserve.

As State Treasurer, Jim Hill helped provide more than \$570 Million Dollars to K-12 schools through the Common School Fund.

Jim Hill created the School Bond Guarantee Act saving millions of dollars each year for local school districts.

Jim Hill implemented the College Savings Program to help Oregonians save, tax-free, for their children and grandchildren's college education.

JIM HILL- PROVEN LEADERSHIP FOR OREGON'S ECONOMY As Governor, Jim Hill will use his extensive experience in economic development to revitalize Oregon's economy and bring down our high rate of unemployment.

As State Treasurer Jim Hill's 'Invest in Oregon' policy put \$1.2 billion to work in Oregon's economy, creating thousands of family-wage jobs.

Jim Hill created the Oregon Growth Account providing millions of dollars to our local small and emerging businesses.

JIM HILL – PROVEN LEADERSHIP FOR A BETTER OREGON As Governor, Jim Hill will create a rainy day fund to protect education, public safety, and healthcare from future cuts.

As Governor, Jim Hill will create a prescription drug program to help low income seniors pay for the medications they need.

As Governor, Jim Hill will fight to protect Oregon's environment and natural resources to ensure the Oregon we leave to future generations is the Oregon we cherish.

(This information furnished by Friends of Jim Hill.)

Governor



TED KULONGOSKI

Democrat

OCCUPATION: Attorney

OCCUPATIONAL

BACKGROUND: Private law

practice

EDUCATIONAL

BACKGROUND: Undergraduate

and law degree; University of Missouri

PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE: Oregon Supreme Court Justice; Oregon Attorney General; Insurance Commissioner; State Legislator; United States Marine Corps

Married to Mary Oberst; three children.

Ted Kulongoski: The Experience to Get Things Done, The Common Sense to Do Them Right

One of Us

Ted Kulongoski knows the value of hard work and perseverance. Raised by nuns after his father died, Ted joined the Marines at 18, and put himself through college and law school working as a truck driver and steelworker.

Standing up for Oregonians

Nobody's fought harder for Oregon's working families, and nobody has more experience to be Governor:

- After law school, Kulongoski began a Eugene law practice to defend the <u>rights of workers</u>.
- As <u>Insurance Commissioner</u>, he helped lead the Oregon Comeback, <u>creating thousands of new lobs</u> and helping Oregon recover from its worst economic downturn since the Great Depression.
- As <u>Attorney General</u>, Kulongoski reformed the Juvenile Justice system to <u>hold juvenile offenders accountable</u> for their crimes. He cracked down on scam artists who take advantage of senior citizens, and created a task force to <u>reduce elderly</u> abuse.
- As <u>Supreme Court Justice</u>, he had a reputation for <u>integrity and fairness</u>.
- As a <u>fiscally responsible</u> Governor, Kulongoski will review every state program to <u>eliminate waste and reduce bureaucracy</u>. His education plan puts a cap on education bureaucracy, and makes sure more money goes into classrooms, where it's needed. It'll mean <u>\$80 million a year more for teachers, books, and supplies, without a tax increase.</u>

Oregon's leaders agree: Ted Kulongoski has the experience to get things done, and the common sense to do them right. That's why he's endorsed by:

Gov. John Kitzhaber
Former Governor Barbara Roberts
Former Governor Neil Goldschmidt
Oregon AFL-CIO
Oregon State Police Officers' Association
Oregon State Fire Fighters Council
Oregon League of Conservation Voters

www.tedforgov.com

(This information furnished by Kulongoski for Governor.)



BEV STEIN

Democrat

OCCUPATION: Candidate for Governor

OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND: For over a decade, Bev Stein has been one of Oregon's most effective leaders – using a common

sense approach to produce results for the people of Oregon.

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: After graduating from the University of California and the University of Wisconsin Law School, Bev balanced budgets and solved tough problems as a state legislator and Multnomah County Chair.

PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE: Multnomah County Chair (1993 – 2001): Bev managed a billion-dollar budget, reduced crime and improved access to health care; State Representative (1989 – 1993): streamlined government and fought for education.

Bev Stein is anything but a typical politician. She'll do what is right, not just what's easy. Bev's common sense approach to solving problems has earned her a reputation as one of Oregon's most effective elected leaders.

A Message from Bev Stein:

Oregon is facing tough times. We have the nation's highest unemployment rate and the nation's highest level of childhood hunger.

That's why I am running for Governor — to offer you bold leadership that will get Oregon moving again in the right direction.

I have developed a "Roadmap to the Future", my detailed plan to put Oregon back on the right track:

- Improving the availability of good paying jobs...Investing in worker retraining.
- · Protecting our drinking water...Making polluters pay.
- Improving schools by reducing class sizes...Supporting our teachers...Preventing cuts to school funding.
- Increasing the quality and availability of in-home nursing care...
 Helping seniors maintain independent lifestyles...Reducing the price of prescription drugs.

Please join me in putting Oregon back on the right track. I would be honored to have your vote.

Bev is endorsed by

- Oregon Nurses Association
- · Oregon League of Conservation Voters
- · Letter Carriers Local 82
- · Communication Workers of America
- Oregon Women's Political Caucus
- · Thousands of everyday Oregonians

To learn more about my plan for Oregon's future, please visit www.steinforgov.com or call 503-220-0100.

(This information furnished by Bev Stein.)

State Senator 8th District



BARBARA ROSS

Democrat

OCCUPATION: Social Services Administrator

OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND: Senior Services Case Manager, Albany, Oregon; Special Projects Coordinator and

Student Retention Initiative Director, Oregon Department of Human Services. Early work experience: Mental Health Clinic Director, College Instructor, Child Welfare Worker, Public School Teacher.

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: BS; MSW; University of Texas

PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE: Oregon State Representative (1995-2001); Benton County Commissioner (1976-1986); School Board Member (1993-2001).

Dear Voter,

We need to work together to rebuild our state's economy. Oregon businesses need our help to grow and provide more jobs. Workers who have lost employment need assistance in retraining or searching for new careers. Our state needs to diversify our economy in order to remain strong during belt-tightening times. In the legislature I will focus on issues that impact the state's economic health.

In addition, I will work for action in the following critical areas:

Education

Stabilize funding of local school districts, universities, community colleges, and preschool programs. Provide the best possible education for our future workforce.

Transportation

Repair our deteriorating highways, bridges, and short line railroads so that we can promote safety, commerce, and personal mobility.

· Health Care

Promote accessible, affordable, quality health care for every Oregonian, particularly our seniors who struggle with the rising cost of prescription drugs and children who need preventative care.

Seniors

Protect the services that help elderly citizens remain in their own homes, such as Oregon Project Independence.

Housing

Ensure the existence of safe, affordable housing, especially for young families and seniors.

Employment

Support extending unemployment benefits for displaced workers.

I am deeply committed to helping local businesses and individual constituents. If you have difficulty with an agency, I'll be at your side, cutting through the bureaucracy, looking for real answers.

Send me to the Oregon Senate so I can fight for you and all of Oregon.

Sincerely, Barbara Ross

(This information furnished by Barbara Ross.)

State Representative 15th District



LARRY J. JOHNSON

Democrat

OCCUPATION: Building Contractor

OCCUPATIONAL
BACKGROUND: Timber,
farming, manufacturing and rare
metals. Owned and operated
building construction business

for many years.

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: Lebanon area Elementary and High School-11 years, graduated Corvallis High School, various classes Linn-Benton Community College.

PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE: Elected Sweet Home City Council, Democratic precinct Committeeman since 1986, elected Linn County Commissioner twice.

Having lived and worked in Oregon and the mid-Willamette Valley all of my life I have a commitment to my community and to this great State. These are not hollow words. This time of year you are going to hear from many politicians telling you what you want to hear. Listen closely.

LARRY JOHNSON IS A PROVEN LEADER

As an elected official, Larry was actively involved in making a number of projects a reality. The Linn County Jail, the Oak Creek Juvenile Detention Center, the Linn County Fairgrounds and the new four lanes on Highway 34 between I-5 and Lebanon.

LARRY JOHNSON PUTS PEOPLE BEFORE POLITICS

It has always been Larry's basic philosophy that he is a public servant. He has always provided leadership in any position that he has been elected to. For Larry, putting principle above politics is more then a saying- it's a way of life.

LARRY JOHNSON MAKES GOVERNMENT WORK FOR YOU Government should help and not hinder its citizens. Government should be fair, just, impartial and should use common sense in dealing with its citizens. This is not always the case. Larry's goal is to change this mind set in Salem.

EXPERIENCE IS THE DIFFERENCE

Larry believes that we need someone in Salem who is not afraid to make the tough and hard decisions. We need someone who will not play politics or give you the same rhetoric over and over. It is high time that the issues of the economy, education and health care are adequately addressed and not just given lip service.

"A vote for Larry Johnson is a vote you."

(This information furnished by Friends of Larry Johnson.)

State Representative 15th District



JOSEPH NOVAK

Democrat

OCCUPATION: Restaurant

Owner

OCCUPATIONAL
BACKGROUND: Aerospace,
Senior Analyst, Apollo

Command Module; Metallurgical Industry, Technical, Lead

Process Control/QA; Restaurant Owner

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: Electro-mechanical Technology, Hungary; Electronics and related studies, California; Metallurgy, Oregon

PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE: elected - Chairman, North Albany Service District; elected - Linn-Benton Community College Board (21st year); elected - President, Linn County Restaurant Association

A resident of Albany, Oregon for 33 years, Joseph and his wife Matilda have four adult children and five grandchildren. Joseph is active in many community events and organizations, and has received the Excellence in Community Service Award. Serving as Chaplain for Life of the Veterans Commemoration Association (administrators of the Albany Veterans Day Parade), he received the Citizen Veteran of the Year award in 1994.

(This information furnished by Joseph Novak.)

State Representative 16th District



KELLEY WIRTH

Democrat

OCCUPATION: State Representative

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: State Representative; 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 – WORKING HARD FOR THE VALUES WE SHARE

When we elected Kelley Wirth to the State Legislature, she said she would fight for the values our community shares. During her first term she delivered on that promise. Kelley has shown we can count on her to work hard for the values we share...

FOR EDUCATION.

- · Increased funding for K-12 education.
- Expand Oregon State University's Veterinary Medicine Program
- Helped our growing community colleges with increased funding.

FOR STRONG COMMUNITIES.

- Sponsored bills to begin cleaning up the Willamette River, and improve our drinking water.
- Protected citizen participation by passing legislation to deter SLAPP suits (Strategic Lawsuits Against Public Participation).
- Supported finding local solutions to local concerns. Fought to maintain our community's ability to pass a local smoking ordinance.

FOR HEALTHY FAMILIES.

- Fought for increased funding of Oregon Project Independence.
- Passed a Patients' Bill of Rights.
- Funded domestic violence prevention.

FOR OUR FUTURE.

Kelley Wirth puts education first. She is dedicated to finding a solution for long-term adequate, stable public school funding. Kelley will work to secure to funding for the services our seniors rely on, the protection of our clean air and water, and for the values that define our quality of life.

(This information furnished by Wirth for State Representative.)

State Representative 23rd District



PETER LEUNG

Democrat

OCCUPATION: Owner, China Delight Restaurant

OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND: Computer Programmer; Systems Analyst; Computer Manager; University Researcher; College Instructor;

Prison Officer; Small Business Owner

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: Wayne State University, B.A and PhD Studies; University of Windsor (Ontario, Canada)

PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE: Chair, Benton County Food Services Advisory Board; Past Chair, Oregon Commission on Asian Affairs; President, Corvallis Branch of the NAACP; Business Advocacy Committee of the Economic Development Partnership

COMMUNITY SERVICE: OSU Symphony Society, Corvallis Convention and Visitor Bureau

PETER LEUNG: COMMON SENSE PRIORITIES AND PROVEN COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP

Public Education: Peter Leung will fight for long-term school funding

- Peter will make schools his top priority. He'll fight for adequate funding, reduced class size and efficient use of financial resources.
- Peter is committed to making higher education more affordable for working families.

Jobs and the Economy: Peter Leung is a leader for small businesses

- Peter is committed to <u>attracting new business and industry</u> to our community to create good-paying jobs for our citizens.
- Peter believes that governments should be <u>fiscally responsi-</u> ble and responsive to the needs of our citizens.

Strong and Safe Communities: Peter Leung will protect the livability of our community

- <u>Our streets, parks and homes must be safe.</u> Peter will prioritize basic fire, police and EMS services.
- We must protect Oregon's strong land-use laws. <u>Peter will lead the fight to protect our farm and forestland from over-development.</u>

Senior Citizens: Peter knows our seniors deserve dignity and independence.

- Peter will work to lower the outrageous cost of prescription drugs now.
- Peter will advocate for programs like Project Independence that <u>allow seniors to live independently and stay in their homes.</u>

"As a small businessman, I know that we need to invest our state dollars wisely and promote sensible economic development to create good-paying jobs for our community.

I ask for your vote, and look forward to earning your support."

Peter Leung

(This information furnished by Friends of Peter Leung.)

Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor and Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor and **Industries**

Industries



DON **FRAZIER** Nonpartisan

OCCUPATION: Executive / Industrial Trainer. President-CEO of Protocol, Inc. (an Oregon Corporation).

OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND: Construction Laborer (Local #296, Portland);

Carpenter (Local #1388, Oregon City); Oregon Teaching Certificate (Vocational Education; Building Construction Technology, Expired); Teacher (Portland Public Schools: Madison-Marshall); Adjunct Instructor (Portland Community College); General Contractor; Auditor and Service Provider to the High-Tech Industry

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: University of Arizona, B.A. in Psychology; Portland Community College, A.A. in Vocational Education. Also Attended: Biola University, Western Seminary, Oregon Graduate Institute

PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE: None

Don Frazier has a leadership and desire to bring to Oregon the ability to find creative solutions for developing and expanding jobs and businesses. Don has worked inside the trades, taught the trades, and has founded and developed an expanding small business based on working with both management and organized labor.

Don's great desire is to see these principles, developed in the world of work, be expanded so that other Oregonians may be able to implement their dreams and visions. To accomplish this, Don seeks to develop a strong relationship with the local communities, businesses and labor to increase true journeymen, solid family owned businesses and an environment for diverse large corporations.

Oregon's greatest resource is its people and our investment should be in developing our youth, stabilizing our infrastructure, and providing for our elderly in dignity.

This is why Don is willing to be elected as Labor Commissioner of Oregon.

(This information furnished by Donald S. Frazier.)



DAN **GARDNER**

Nonpartisan

OCCUPATION: State Representative; Electrician

OCCUPATIONAL **BACKGROUND:** State

Representative (1997-present); Electrician (22 years); Member, nternational Brotherhood of

Electrical Workers.

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: Graduate, National Joint Electrical Apprenticeship Program, Attended Mt. Hood and Portland Community Colleges.

PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE: House Minority Leader (1999-2001); Citizen's Budget Advisory Committees: Multnomah County Sheriff, Multnomah County Juvenile Justice.

DAN GARDNER FOR LABOR COMMISSIONER: MY JOB IS OFIEGON'S JOBS

Shared Priorities

- Oregon's unemployment rate is the highest in the nation. As Labor Commissioner, I will focus on attracting new jobs to Oregon, helping local business expand, and keeping current iobs here.
- We can also expand educational opportunities: provide worker training, retraining and vocational education to give Oregonians the skills they need to compete in a global market.

On the Job for Oregon's Jobs

- My campaign has been a Job Tour of Oregon, because the best way to learn about the needs of Oregon's workers is to get into their shoes and work alongside them.
- I've processed fish in Astoria, visited Medford lumber mills, worked on assembly lines in Sandy and Eugene, helped at farms of all types: cranberry, grass seed, cattle and orchards; served in restaurants and taught in schools, and put together Oregon-made products, from computer chips to
- As Labor Commissioner, I will use what I've learned to balance the needs of employers to understand the law, and of employees to have it enforced fairly.

Bringing People Together

- I will bring together labor, business and government to promote innovative partnerships for good family wage jobs with a future and help our state grow.
- · I am honored with the support of individuals and groups from across Oregon and across the political spectrum: Democrats, Independents and Republicans, businesses and labor unions. I will represent and bring together every sector of the economy and every part of the state as Oregon's next Labor Commissioner.

ENDORSERS INCLUDE:

Governor John Kitzhaber, M.D. Oregon AFL-CIO Oregon Business Association

(This information furnished by Committee to Elect Dan Gardner.)

Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor and Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor and Industries

Industries



PAVEL GOBERMAN Nonpartisan

OCCUPATION:

Owner/Instructor of "GET ENERGIZED!(tm)", a business helping people stay fit, prevent illness and aging. Producer of video and author of health and fitness book GET ENERGIZED! (503) 6 GET FIT,

www.getenergized.com.

OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND: Machinist, Mechanic, Welder, Truck Driver, Beekeeper, Manager, Social Worker, Counselor. Received an award for good management. Left Russia 23 years ago for political reasons.

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: BA+ Degree, University of Moscow, Russia. Attended a few US Colleges and Universities.

PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE: I'm honest, incorruptible. 2000 State Senate Nominee. Tank Army.

Dear Oregonians,

Thank all of you for trusting and voting for me. Politics and Corruption: most of us do not trust politicians. It is simple: if a candidate accepts contributions, he/she loses independence, and becomes a puppet in the hands of donors. But not me! I do not accept contributions, and as Commissioner of BOLI, I will enforce the law; I will be fair to workers and employers.

BOLI is corrupted and does not do it's duty and obligations. Every year many thousands of families are hurt by violations of laws in the workplace. I promise to reduce complaints. I will improve the apprenticeship program, fair pay, reduce wasteful spending, and increase productivity. To avoid layoffs, I will negotiate between employers and workers.

Help yourself by not voting for those who advertise heavily; ignore the endorsements (why is someone thinking for you?). Vote for me and I will work for you. Our government needs "fresh, honest blood" to stop corruption.

Politics <=> Corruption <=> Crime <=> Endorsements <=> Media.

YOU, THE PEOPLE, ARE THE BOSS!

Do not donate to public TV or Radio until they sponsor Debates and Forums of candidates.

Volunteers to fight corruption needed.

(This information furnished by Pavel Goberman.)



VICTOR HOFFER

Nonpartisan

OCCUPATION: Attorney at Law; Paramedic.

OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND: Firefighter; Chaplain; Teacher; High School Mock Trial Coach; Senior member, Civil Air Patrol,

U.S. Air Force Auxiliary.

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: Juris Doctor, Northwestern School of Law of Lewis & Clark College; M.A., Assemblies of God Theological Seminary; B.A., Southern California College; other studies: National Fire Academy, Fuller Theological Seminary.

PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE: Mt. Angel City Councilor; Lt. Governor of Disability Rights, 12th Circuit, American Bar Association/Law Student Division; Vice-President, Oregon State Paramedic Association; Chair, Washington County Medical Advisory Board.

Green grass-Blue benches-Red leaves

Victor Hoffer started his work career mowing lawns, painting park benches, and raking leaves. He has worked many jobs and understands what it means to work for a living. Victor worked as a teenager and believes teenagers should be able to find and hold full and part-time jobs.

Sweet strawberries-Choking smoke

Victor Hoffer has knelt in mud picking strawberries and crawled in house fires with a water charged fire hose. From the sweet smell of strawberries to the choking smell of smoke he has worked various jobs. Victor knows the needs of working people and the importance of education and apprenticeship programs.

Hot summer days-Cold winter nights

Victor Hoffer worked the road crew while in college and works as a paramedic today. From shoveling hot asphalt on hot August days to working in the snow at auto accidents on cold December niahts he believes that workers should be paid fairly and honestly. He will enforce wage and hour law.

You caught him

Victor Hoffer is admittedly a lawyer. Yes, an attorney. He lost a iob due to a disability. He didn't like it and went to law school. He knows the law and will enforce state civil rights laws. He will protect the people of Oregon.

Commitment to Excellence

Victor Hoffer is committed to excellence. He will lead the Bureau of Labor and Industries in its mission of serving and protecting Oregonians.

(This information furnished by Victor Hoffer for Labor Commissioner.)

Superintendent of Public Instruction



small business owner

STAN BUNN

Nonpartisan

OCCUPATION: Superintendent of Public Instruction

OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND: Adjunct professor, George Fox University; State Senator;

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: Lafayette/Dayton schools; Willamette University, Economics, BA; Willamette University Law School, JD (cum laude)

PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE: Chair, Education Committee, Legislative Ways and Means; State Representative; Committees: Education, Health and Human Services, Agriculture and Natural Resources; Chair, Oregon Government Ethics Commission; Oregon Traffic Safety Commission; Coastal Salmon Restoration Task Force

COMMUNITY/PUBLIC SERVICE, OTHER: Municipal Judge; Police officer, US Capitol; Captain, US Army Reserve; Oregon National Guard; Member, United Methodist Church

EDUCATION AWARDS/RECOGNITION: Outstanding Service to Hearing Impaired Children (1987, Oregon School for the Deaf); President's Award for Outstanding Contribution to Oregon Schools (1991, Confederation of School Administrators); Outstanding Contribution to Oregon Community Colleges (1993, Howard Cherry Award); Recognition for Support of Oregon's Pre-Kindergarten Program (1995, Oregon Head Start Association); Education Citizen of the Year (2000, Oregon Education Association)

STAN BUNN'S LEADERSHIP IMPACTING EDUCATION:

Oregon Reading Initiative launched

Hundreds of educators trained annually at State Reading Summit

Oregon's Report Card on schools designed and put into use

Student <u>dropout rate declined</u> 16% over the past year Worked for <u>class size reduction</u>

<u>Student achievement</u> and test scores continued to rise Oregon students ranked in top 2 states on SAT tests <u>Encouraged local control</u> of schools

STAN BUNN'S STATEMENT TO YOU: "I am a fifth generation Oregonian who grew up on the family farm near Dayton. I picked beans and berries and earned FFA's State Farmer Degree, learning to work hard. I have carried that heritage into my 25 years of public service. I'm grateful for the opportunity I've had to work for the improvement of our schools and the 'relentless pursuit of success for each student' in Oregon over these past four years. Together, we are making a difference. I want to continue the work, and lask for your vote for Superintendent of Public Instruction."

(This information furnished by Oregonians for Better Education.)

Superintendent of Public Instruction



SUSAN CASTILLO

Nonpartisan

OCCUPATION: State Senator

OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND: Journalist, KVAL-TV, Eugene, 1982-1997. Oregon Public Broadcasting Radio, 1979-1982.

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: B.A., Oregon State University

PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE: State Senator 1997-present. Senate Education and Senate Health and Human Services Committees; Governor's Advisory Committee on DUII; Oregon Commission on Hispanic Affairs; Advisory Committee on Agricultural Labor; Senate Transportation Committee.

COMMUNITY SERVICE: Birth to Three Board Member; Lane Business Education Compact; Oregon Environmental Council; U of O Art Museum Board.

Susan Castillo Committed to Schools – Leadership We Can Trust

Oregon needs a Superintendent with integrity and commitment to Oregon's public schools. Susan Castillo is the only candidate with a record of both.

Our Priorities. Focused Leadership.

As Vice Chair of the Senate Education Committee, Susan Castillo has fought for:

- · Improving schools, providing quality education for all kids.
- · Providing stable funding.
- Making sure that tax dollars go to the classroom, not to bureaucracy.
- High standards, high expectations for students and giving teachers and schools the tools to achieve them.
- Increased parental involvement.
- Reinforcing what is working, and changing what isn't.

As Oregon's education leader, Susan will:

- Be a resource for local schools, instead of a source of bureaucracy.
- Be an effective, statewide champion for <u>all</u> our public schools.

Endorsed by Those We Trust

Susan Castillo has won enthusiastic, statewide and bi-partisan support. Just some examples:

American Federation of Teachers – Oregon Oregon School Boards Association Oregon School Employees Association Oregon State Council of Senior Citizens Oregon Nurses Association AFL-CIO – Oregon

Governor John Kitzhaber U.S. Senator Ron Wyden Congressman Peter DeFazio Congressman David Wu Neil Goldschmidt State Senator Lenn Hannon State Rep. Janet Carlson State Rep. Bob Jenson Randy Papé (Eugene) Bill Thorndike (Medford)

Former State Senator Jeanette Hamby Former Governor Barbara Roberts State Treasurer Randall Edwards

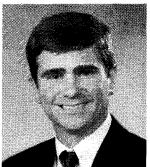
Ken Lewis (Co-Founder, I Have a Dream Foundation*)

*Organizations for purposes of identification only

SUSAN CASTILLO FOR STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION

(This information furnished by Susan Castillo for Superintendent of Public Instruction.)

Superintendent of Public Instruction



ROB KREMER Nonpartisan

OCCUPATION: President, Oregon Education Coalition; Executive Director, Oregon Public Charter School Service Center; Private Investor

OCCUPATIONAL
BACKGROUND: Investment

Banker; Small Business Owner; Administrator, Columbia Education Center; Adjunct Professor, PSU Graduate School of Business

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: MBA & BA, Economics (Phi Beta Kappa, with Honors) University of Chicago; Willamette University; West Linn HS

PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE: Member, Oregon Charter School Task Force; Legislative Consultant on school issues, 1997, 1999 and 2001 sessions; Consultant on public school start-up issues in 18 school districts

Personal: Rob and Mary have two school-aged children: Jessica and Jeff

ROB KREMER Fighting to Hold Schools Harmless From Budget Cuts

Kremer was the only statewide candidate to release a plan that balanced the budget without cutting schools. *The Oregonian* (1/14/02) said, "There is a model out there: Rob Kremer...has offered a specific budget-balancing plan that protects school funding...Kremer deserves credit."

ROB KREMER

Smaller, New, Innovative Public Schools That Get Results

"When I dropped out, I thought I'd never graduate from high school. But thanks to the public school that Rob helped develop, I'm getting a diploma and looking forward to college." --Demetrius Rivers, Senior (Portland)

"I love my public school and my teachers. They taught me how to read. Thank you Rob Kremer."

--Rosalie Bigongiari, 2nd Grader at Village School (Eugene)

ROB KREMER Cutting CIM Bureaucracy So More Money is Spent on the Kids

Parents, teachers and students believe the CIM wastes valuable school time and resources. Kremer will release students and teachers from the CIM and still hold schools accountable with rigorous testing standards.

ROB KREMER Supports Local Control

"Finally, a Superintendent who believes in parents and teachers. Under his leadership, schools will deal with a lot less bureaucracy. That's why, as Crook/Deschutes ESD Chair, I'm joining school board members from Hillsboro to Grants Pass, Ontario to Astoria who endorse Rob Kremer."

--Scott Pillar

Too Many Supporters to List Them All... Former Congressman BOB SMITH Senator TOM HARTUNG

www.VoteForRob.com

(This information furnished by Your Kids, Your Schools.)

Judge of the Supreme Court Position 1



THOMAS A. BALMER Nonpartisan

OCCUPATION: Associate
Justice, Oregon Supreme Court

OCCUPATIONAL
BACKGROUND: Attorney in
private practice; managing
partner of law firm; Oregon
Deputy Attorney General;

U.S. Department of Justice trial attorney; maintenance painter; mailroom clerk

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: Portland, Oregon Public Schools; B.A. with High Honors in Government, Oberlin College (1974); J.D., University of Chicago Law School (1977)

PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE: Deputy Attorney General, Oregon Department of Justice (1993-97); Trial Attorney, U.S. Department of Justice (1979-80)

"Balmer's selection strengthens and broadens the court."

The Oregonian, October 5, 2001

Retain Justice Tom Balmer on Oregon's Supreme Court

When Governor Kitzhaber appointed Tom Balmer to Oregon's Supreme Court, he chose a person with experience, integrity and deep roots in Oregon.

Experience

Judge Tom Balmer has hands-on experience in the public and private sector and in key areas the Supreme Court will be dealing with in coming years. He has tried jury cases, argued before the U.S. Supreme Court, advised individual and business clients on a wide variety of matters, and counseled elected and government leaders on constitutional and public law issues. As Deputy Attorney General, he argued criminal, election and constitutional law cases in Oregon and Federal courts. And Tom Balmer's reputation as a thoughtful scholar and a practical problem-solver is well known. Rarely has someone come to the Court with such broad, well-rounded experience and widespread respect.

"...a welcome addition to the Oregon Supreme Court."

Bend Bulletin – September 13, 2001

Part of the Community

Tom Balmer can represent our communities on the Supreme Court because he is part of the community. He has served as a volunteer for Legal Aid, the Classroom Law Project, local arts and parks organizations, and the Goose Hollow Family Shelter.

Broad, Bi-Partisan Support

It is a mark of Tom Balmer's fairness and integrity that he has won support from across the political spectrum and from all parts of the legal profession.

"Tom Balmer will be a great justice for Oregon."
Mark Hatfield and Neil Goldschmidt

(This information furnished by Retain Supreme Court Justice Tom Balmer Committee.)

Judge of the Court of Appeals Position 1



DAVID J. HUNNICUTT Nonpartisan

OCCUPATION: Corporate Counsel, Oregonians In Action

OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND: Private attorney; substitute teacher; warehouse worker.

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: J.D., Northwestern School of Law, Lewis and Clark College (1992); B.S. magna cum laude, University of Oregon (1988).

PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE: Member, Multnomah County Charter Review Committee (1997-1998); Precinct Committee Person.

PUBLICATIONS:

Co-Author, Land Use, 2001 Oregon Legislation Highlights, (Oregon CLE 2001).

Co-Author, Strategies for Bringing a Takings Claim, Oregon Law Institute, Takings Litigation CLE, May 2000.

"Stepping Back From the Ledge - How the Oregon Supreme Court Can Step Back From the Constitutional Crisis They've Created," *Brainstorm NW Magazine*, December 2001.

"IOLTA Ripe For 5th Amendment Takings Challenge," Inter Alia, Oregon State Bar New Lawyers Division, Fall 1998.

PERSONAL: Married to Stephanie, four children. Third generation native Oregonian. Born in Umatilla, raised in St. Helens.

ENDORSEMENTS:

"Dave Hunnicutt is an exceptionally qualified candidate for the Oregon Court of Appeals. He has a tremendous understanding of the important role that the courts play in our society, but understands that the function of a judge is to interpret the law, not to make it."

Jim Huffman, Law School Dean

"Dave Hunnicutt has represented and defended Oregonians of every age and economic status in the trial courts and in the appellate courts. Those real life experiences are exactly what a judge needs."

Donald L. Kalberer, Senior Judge Ted Abram, Former Circuit Court Judge

"I support Dave Hunnicutt's election to the Oregon Court of Appeals. His experience representing farmers, ranchers, timber owners and other rural Oregonians throughout the state, from Harney County to Jackson County, Union County to Columbia County, makes him well qualified to serve."

Former Congressman Bob Smith

"As the father of four young children, Dave Hunnicutt understands the importance of public safety, crime prevention, the rights of crime victims, and holding criminals accountable for their actions. He will be a fair, impartial and honest judge."

Steve Doell, President - Crime Victims United of Oregon

(This information furnished by David J. Hunnicutt.)

Judge of the Court of Appeals Position 1



DAVID SCHUMAN

Nonpartisan

OCCUPATION: Judge, Oregon Court of Appeals

OCCUPATIONAL
BACKGROUND: Judge;
Deputy Attorney General
of Oregon, 1997-2001;
Professor and Associate Dean.

University of Oregon Law School, 1987-1996; College Professor (Literature, Composition, Public Speaking), 1968-1981

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: J.D., University of Oregon Law School; Ph.D., University of Chicago; B.A., Stanford University

PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE: Deputy Attorney General; Assistant Attorney General; Member, Judicial Conduct Committee of the Oregon Judicial Conference; Clerk, Oregon Supreme Court

COMMUNITY SERVICE: Youth sports coach; Oregon Humanities Center Advisory Board; Oregon Law-Related Education Project

PERSONAL: Judge Schuman and his wife of 33 years have two grown children.

"I renew the pledge I made when I joined the Court of Appeals: to make fair, clear, timely, well-reasoned decisions and never to forget that those decisions have real impact on people's lives." Judge David Schuman

As an Assistant Attorney General, David Schuman successfully prosecuted scores of criminal and civil appeals for the state.

As a UO Law School Professor, David Schuman earned a reputation as one of the country's leading experts on state constitutional law.

Selected by Attorney General Hardy Myers to serve as his Deputy, David Schuman was second-in-command at the Department of Justice, where he supervised over 200 lawyers and successfully represented the state in defending numerous laws.

INTEGRITY. INTELLIGENCE. ENERGY.

"David Schuman is a great judge. He is fair, hard-working, practical and clear-thinking. Please join me in voting for him." **John Kitzhaber, Governor**

"Judge Schuman adds to the Court of Appeals a truly brilliant mind, a work ethic second to none, and a deep devotion to the judicial calling." **Dave Frohmayer, Former Attorney General**

"Judge Schuman has the qualities Oregonians want and deserve in a judge: integrity, intelligence, energy, and evenhanded respect for those who appear before him." Honorable Betty Roberts, Former Justice, Oregon Supreme Court

"His intelligence and collegiality make Judge Schuman a highly valued and important member of our Court." Honorable Mary Delts, Chief Judge, Oregon Court of Appeals

(This information furnished by The Committee To Retain Judge David Schuman.)

District Attorney Benton County



STEVEN BLACK

Nonpartisan

OCCUPATION: Lawyer, (private practice).

OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND: Oregon Attorney, Corvallis since 1978; Part-time City-Court Prosecutor, (Corvallis, Philomath,

Springfield); Captain, Army Corps of Engineers, Pilot; Company Commander; Battalion Staff Officer; Chairperson Linn/Benton ACLU BOD; Chairperson, Benton County Youth Shelter, Inc.; Benton County Library Foundation, BOD; Adjunct Professor, Oregon State University.

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: South Eugene High School; University of Oregon, BS Political Science; University of Oregon Law School, Juris Doctor, (Associate Editor Law Review); Oregon State University, Post Baccalaureate studies, (sociology, criminology).

PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE: Officer, U.S. Army, Oregon National Guard, 1966-1976, (Vietnam veteran, twice awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross for heroism); Benton County Community Corrections Advisory Board; Commission on Children and Families, Sheltercare Task Force; Willamette Valley Juvenile Justice Council; City Hall Block Planning Committee. City Attorney, (Adair Village, Falls City, Oregon); Legislative Counsel, Federated States of Micronesia.

Steven Black's candidacy is endorsed by:

John C. Rich-Attorney; Kara H. Daley-Attorney;

Clark Willes-Attorney;

Aileen Willes-Secretary;

Brett C. Jaspers-Attorney;

Nicholas Ortiz-Attorney;

Hilary Berkman-Attorney;

Robert Corl-Attorney;

Jeffrey A. Hale- Professor

Rod Terry-Designer; Linda Terry-Teacher;

Ray Sanders-Investigator;

William B. Reeves-Doctor;

and many others.

As District Attorney, I will work to provide more real "justice" for less tax dollars. Budgets are cut statewide, it is incumbent on every office holder funded by tax payments, including the District Attorney's office, to provide maximum value in services for each tax dollar received.

As District Attorney, one of my goals will be to provide a high level of legal services, at a significantly lower funding level. In short, MORE JUSTICE FOR LESS MONEY! To accomplish this goal, I will reprioritize the cases pursued by the office.

As District Attorney. I will focus on:

Juvenile crime prevention;

Crimes against vulnerable victims:

Crimes of violence;

Felonies:

and Environmental crimes.

These crimes effect the quality of life of every person in our county and must be vigorously prosecutèd.

(This information furnished by Committee to Elect Steven Black.)

District Attorney Benton County



SCOTT A. HEISER

Nonpartisan

OCCUPATION: 1999 – present Benton County District Attorney

OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND: 1990 – 1999 Benton County Deputy District Attorney; 1987 – 1990 Associate Attorney with Tonkon Torp,

a Portland Law Firm

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: 1987 JD (Magna Cum Laude) Northwestern School of Law, Lewis and Clark College; 1984 BS In Economics (Magna Cum Laude) Oregon State University (completed Honors College Program); Alpha Lambda Delta (Honors Society); Selected Outstanding Senior In The College Of Liberal Arts

PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE: Three years, Benton County District Attorney; Nine years, Benton County Deputy District Attorney; Current Chair of the Willamette Criminal Justice Council and Local Public Safety Coordinating Council; Currently on Board of Directors, Oregon District Attorneys Association; Member of the U.S. Attorney's Hate Crime Task Force

RECORD AS A PROSECUTOR:

- Has the trust of law enforcement and is endorsed by Oregon's Attorney General Hardy Myers and Benton County Sheriff Jim Swinyard;
- Firm but fair DA with over 12 years of experience as a prosecutor:
- · Leader of Benton County's Major Crimes Team;
- Co-founder Benton County's Child Abuse Response Team;
- Helped create Benton County's Drug Treatment Court for non-violent addicts;
- Collects over \$245,000 per month on child support cases;
- Instructor for Oregon Department of Justice and National District Attorneys Association

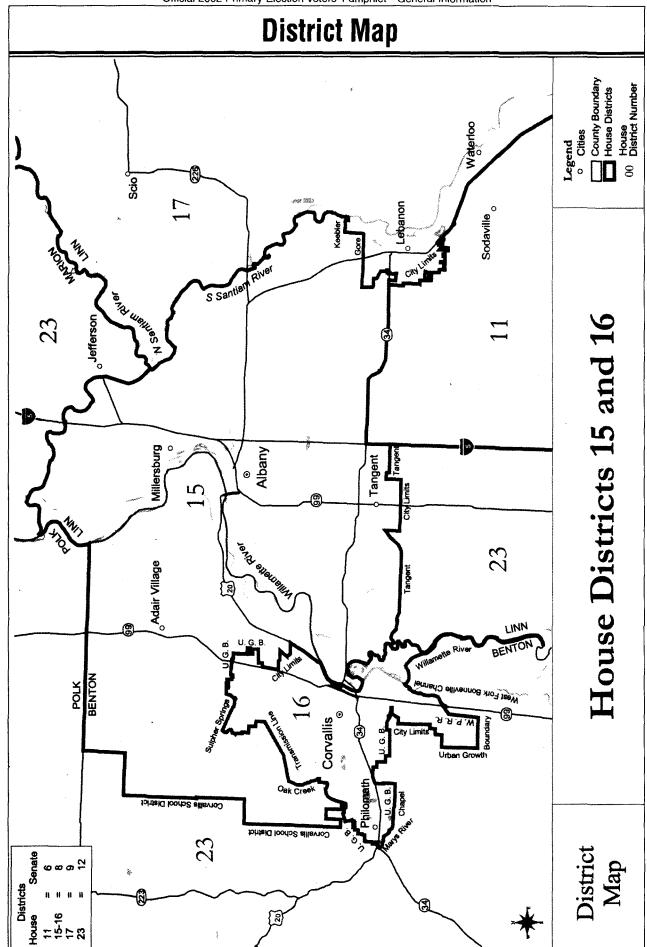
RECORD AS A COMMUNITY LEADER:

- Scott has earned the respect and support of Jo Anne Trow, State Senator Cliff Trow and State Representative Kelley Wirth;
- Scott runs an efficient, professional office and is endorsed by all three Benton County Commissioners (Jay Dixon, Linda Modrell and Annabelle Jaramillo);
- Board of Directors for the ABC House (child abuse assessment center serving victims from Linn and Benton Counties);
- · Past Board member of the Heartland Humane Society;
- · Member of the Greater Corvallis Rotary

PERSONAL INFORMATION:

Scott is 41 and married. He enjoys kayaking, sailing, and running. Scott has lived in Oregon all his life; he has lived in Corvallis for over 15 years. More information at: www.scottheiser.com

(This information furnished by Heiser for District Attorney (Jeanne Smith, Chair).)



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Voting Information

VOTE BY MAIL

What is Vote by Mail?

Vote by Mail is a method of conducting elections. Instead of using traditional polling places where voters go to cast ballots on election day, a ballot is automatically mailed to each registered voter. The ballot is then voted and returned to the county elections official to be counted.

When are the ballots mailed to the voters?

Ballots are mailed between the 18th and 14th days before the election.

As a voter, what do I have to do?

Your ballot packet will automatically be mailed to you. Inside the packet you will find the ballot, a secrecy envelope and a return envelope. Once you vote the ballot, place it in the secrecy envelope and seal it in the pre-addressed return envelope. Be sure you sign the return envelope on the appropriate line. After that just return the ballot either by mail or at a designated drop site.

What if I am uncomfortable voting my ballot at home?

Privacy booths are available for you to cast your ballot. There are privacy booths at your county elections office and there may be others at drop site locations elsewhere in your county. For further information, call your county elections official.

What if I make a mistake or need a new ballot?

If your ballot is lost, destroyed, damaged or you make a mistake in marking your ballot, you may call your county elections office and request a replacement ballot. One will be mailed to you as long as you request it by May 16. After that, you may pick it up at the elections office. If you have already mailed your original ballot before you realize you made a mistake, you have cast your vote and will not be eligible for a replacement ballot.

What if my ballot doesn't come?

If you are registered to vote and have not received your ballot within a week after they are mailed, call your county elections office. They will check that 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 were registered to vote by April 30 but now have a different address, call your county elections office for instructions on how to update your registration and receive a ballot.

Do I have to return my ballot by mail?

You have the choice of mailing your ballot or returning it to any county elections office or any designated drop site in the state. The times and locations of drop sites are listed in the Voters' Pamphlet and are also available at your county elections office.

How much postage is required to mail the ballot back?

Your voted ballot can usually be returned using a single 34¢ stamp. In those instances where additional postage is necessary, it will be clearly indicated on the ballot materials.

When must the voted ballot be returned?

The voted ballot must be received in any county elections office or designated drop site by 8:00 p.m. on election night. <u>Postmarks do not count!</u>

How do I know if my ballot is received?

You can call your county elections office and ask if they received your ballot. A record is kept showing each voter whose ballot has been returned.

Can anyone find out how I've voted once I mail my ballot?

No. All ballots are separated from the return envelope before the ballots are inspected. This process ensures confidentiality.

What if I forget to sign the return envelope?

Generally, your elections office will either return it to you for signing or they will contact you, if possible, to come to the elections office to sign it. If the return envelope does not get signed before 8:00 p.m. on May 21, the ballot will not be counted.

Can the public watch the election process?

All steps of the process are open to observation by the public. Contact your county elections official to make arrangements.

When will election results be known?

Ballot counting cannot begin until election day. Initial results are released at 8:00 p.m. election night and will continue to be updated through election night until all ballots have been counted.

VOTERS WITH DISABILITIES

If you are unable to vote your ballot without assistance, because of a physical disability or because you are unable to read or write, contact your county elections official. They will provide two persons to assist you in voting. In order to assure the county receives your voted ballot by Election Day, contact your county elections office early to arrange for assistance. You may also select someone else of your own choice to assist you.

A cassette edition of the Voters' Pamphlet is available for Oregonians who cannot read standard print due to a visual or physical disability. To order a cassette of the Voters' Pamphlet, please contact Independent Living Resources at 503-232-7411.

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