

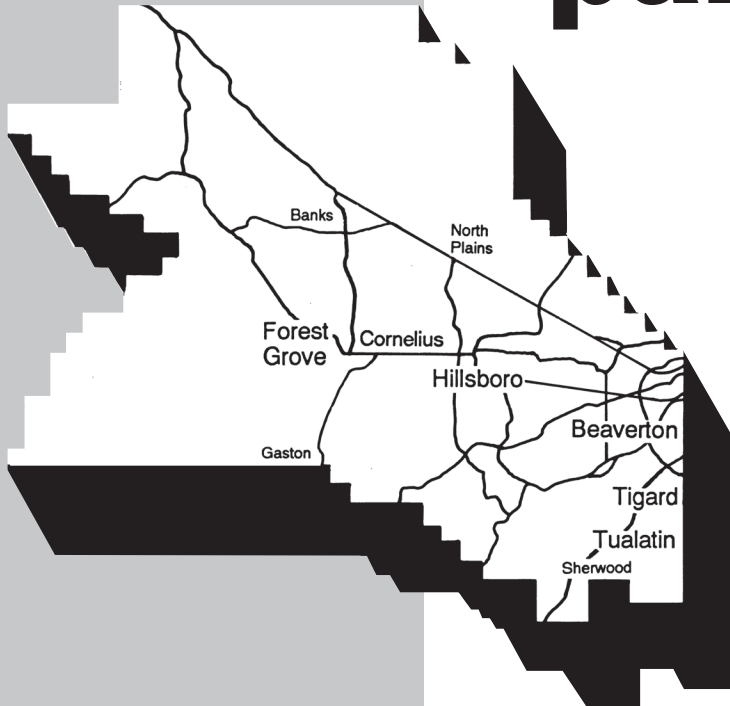


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voters' pamphlet



**VOTE-BY-MAIL
REGULAR
ELECTION
May 16, 2017**

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Washington County Board of County Commissioners

Andy Duyck, Chair
Dick Schouten, District 1
Greg Malinowski, District 2
Roy Rogers, District 3
Bob Terry, District 4

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Portland Community College

Director, Zone 1



Denise Frisbee

Occupation: Volunteer positions: Portland Community College Board of Directors, 2005-present; Vice-President, Oregon Community College Association (representing all 17 Oregon community colleges); Oregon Student Success Center Steering Committee, 2016-present; Retired Oregon Attorney, Member, Oregon State Bar, 1976-Present

Occupational Background: Attorney, 1976-2011; Member, Oregon State Bar, 1976-present; Director of Planning and Building Services Department, Interim Director of Community Development Department, Planning Services Liaison, City of Lake Oswego, 2004-12; Executive Director, Statewide Organization for Schools, 1999-2004; Government and Community Affairs, Lake Oswego School District, 1998-99; Attorney in public and private practice, specializing in government and land use, 1978-98; Law Clerk to the Honorable W. Michael Gillette, Oregon Court of Appeals, 1976-78.

Educational Background: Northwestern School of Law, Lewis and Clark College, Law, JD; Smith College, Northampton, MA, Government, BA; Cherry Creek High School, Englewood, CO, High school diploma; Mediation Training, Confluence Northwest

Prior Governmental Experience: PCC Board of Directors, 2005-present; Board Chair, 2012-14 and 2008-09; Oregon Community College Association, Board member, Executive Committee and Vice-President, 2012-present; American Community College Trustees Association, Governance and Policy Committees, 2012-13; Legal Budget Committee, Lake Oswego School District, 2001-05; City Attorney for Sisters, OR, 1988-92; Land Use Hearings Officer for Deschutes County and City of Bend 1988-92; Assistant City Attorney, Portland OR, 1985-87; Deputy County Counsel, Multnomah County, 1979-83

Candidate Statement

Community Colleges are the pathway to the middle class, offering affordable transfer degrees to 4 year colleges and universities, and career and technical training in preparation for broader and more rewarding participation our region's economy. I will continue to work to strengthen our regional partnerships with business and industry, local and regional governments and area high schools to ensure PCC stays an affordable college option and a vital pathway to participation in the regional economy.

(This information furnished by Denise Frisbee)

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Director, Zone 5



Moses Ross

Occupation: Owner, M. J. Ross Group, Inc.

Occupational Background: Small business owner, Single Dad

Educational Background: Evanston High School, Diploma

Prior Governmental Experience: Chair (2010 to 2014) Multnomah

Neighborhood Association, PTA President (2013 to 2015) Maplewood Elementary School, Appointed Member (2016) Multnomah County Charter Review Committee

Emphasising **Community** in Community College

"Moses has proven his commitment to improving our communities and helping people better their lives." Rick Nitti, Nonprofit Executive Director

"Moses recognizes that public institutions require solid community participation." Washington County Commissioners Dick Schouten and Greg Malinowski

"Moses has some great ideas for PCC to strengthen career building opportunities within the Community." Sheet Metal Workers 16

"Moses understands how to build symbiotic relationships to leverage the strengths of PCC with the strengths of other organizations like unions and nonprofits." United Food & Commercial Workers Local 555

Higher education options must be available to all. The son of a Latina immigrant and a proud community activist, I know we must listen to and involve all of our community voices, weaving their vision into the PCC mission. Only then can we take action responding to immediate and emerging needs of those we serve.

My Priorities:

- 1) The 2017-19 PCC budget projects nearly a \$12 million deficit. One critical source of operating revenue is from tuition but enrollment is down at PCC, as it is for community colleges nationwide. We must work to offer affordable programs that meet the changing needs of the community to increase student enrollment with a specific focus on marginalized and underserved communities.
- 2) I will work collaboratively with Trades unions to ensure that students are prepared to apply and succeed within the Building Trades' Apprenticeship programs to build successful lifelong careers.
- 3) I will support expansion of the CLIMB (Continuous Learning for Individuals, Management, and Business) program both in the services it provides and the audience that it reaches to help more in our community succeed in business.

Join Jules Bailey, Bill Dant and other supporters at www.ElectMosesRoss.com

(This information furnished by Friends of Moses Ross)

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Portland Community College

Director, Zone 5



Valdez Bravo

Occupation: Healthcare Administrator, VA Portland Health Care System

Occupational Background: Supervisor, Biomedical Engineering; Biomedical Equipment Support Specialist; PCC Instructor; Non-Commissioned Officer, US Army

Educational Background:

Baylor University, Healthcare Administration & Business Administration, Master's; Portland State University, BA, English; Portland Community College

Prior Governmental Experience: Department of Veterans Affairs (2004-Present); US Army (1995-2003)

Lifelong public servant with PCC roots

Over 44% of PCC students are first-generation college students. That was me 13 years ago. After eight years in the Army, I returned home and enrolled at PCC.

PCC changed my life. I'm now a healthcare professional serving my fellow veterans. I'm running to make sure PCC remains what it was for me: A college that opens up new worlds and economic opportunities for all.

As a veteran, Latino, and first-generation college student, I understand the barriers underserved and underrepresented communities face in accessing quality, affordable education. **As a former PCC instructor,** I'm aware of the challenges confronting students, faculty and staff. **As a former PCC Advisory Board member,** I helped ensure that curriculum prepared students for the workforce. I know the vital role PCC plays in Oregon's economy.

With 20+ years in the healthcare industry, I work at the strategic level to bring diverse stakeholders together to achieve common goals.

As a Board Member, I will advocate for:

- No to low tuition increases
- Fair pay and job security for faculty and staff
- Preserving PCC's sanctuary status so all students can thrive
- PCC as a leader in meeting Oregon's workforce needs

Como Latino primera generacion estudiante, abogare fuertemente por comunidades pobremente representadas.

www.VoteValdezBravo.com

ENDORSEMENTS:

PCC Federation of Faculty and Academic Professionals (AFT Local 2277)

PCC Federation of Classified Employees (AFT Local 3922)

Representative **Margaret Doherty**

Senator **Michael Dembrow**

Representative **Alissa Keny-Guyer**

County Commissioner **Sharon Meieran**

Terri Preeg Rigsby, Chair, Soil & Water Conservation, Zone 5

Tessa Scheller, Director, Clatsop Community College

Steve Beining, Vice Chair, Far Southwest Neighborhood Association

Sean Davis, Veteran Activist, Author

Juan Rogel, Founder, Milenio

Elect the first Latino to the Board!

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Director, Zone 5



David C. Squire

Occupation: Engineering consultant; Board Chair Saturday Academy and Oregon MESA; Fellow at Oregon Learns.

Occupational Background: VP Engineering Lightspeed Technologies; President, Entrepreneur's Foundation of the Northwest; Executive at Tektronix, InFocus, Planar, EMachines, others.

Educational Background: Ashland High School, HS Diploma; Oregon State University, Electrical Engineering, BSEE, MSEE; Portland Community College, Various classes

Prior Governmental Experience: Elected to Portland Community College Board 2006-2013 Chair 1 year; Appointed to Boards of Worksystems Inc., Oregon Quality Initiative, Lintner Center for Advanced Education, Oregon Community College Association. Lobbied State and Federal legislatures.

My positions: (more at www.squirepcc.com)

Access- Revisit 2 year 14.5% tuition increase, increase resources for counseling, social support and outreach to underserved populations. **Community-** Aggressively partner with local businesses to rapidly create training programs supporting economic growth and providing opportunities for our students now and into the future.

Financial Accountability- Reinvigorate the Board Audit subcommittee, fill Internal Auditor open position.

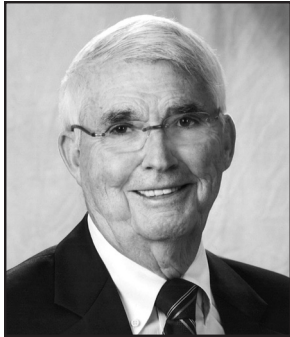
It is very easy to talk about these issues. It is much, much harder to actually do something. I have a long record of delivering results in these areas. In my previous term on the PCC Board I fought against tuition increases and enrollment caps and supported strong programs for underserved populations. Oregon MESA, is a non-profit that provides after school programs in Science and Engineering (STEAM) to underserved populations. At Saturday Academy I recruited new board members creating a more diverse Board. To help PCC support the community I regularly connect businesses with workforce training needs: recently connecting PCC with a major local manufacturer that will result in a specialized training program providing high paying opportunities for local employees. Financially I led the effort to create a Board Audit subcommittee and to hire an internal auditor. And, I actually read the financial reports. **If elected I will continue to provide this active leadership.**

(This information furnished by David C. Squire)

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Portland Community College

Director, Zone 4



Jim Harper

Occupation: Oregon Real Estate Broker

Occupational Background: Executive Director, C.A.S.H. (Creating Assets, Savings, and Hope); Vice-President Morrison Child and Family Services; Executive Director Arras; School to Career Liaison Multnomah County; Director of Human Resources

Wacker Siltronic; Division Manager Tektronix Inc.

Educational Background: Portland State University General Studies with emphasis in Education BS; Portland Community College Board of Directors Zone 4 since July 2005 (two years Chair and Vice-Chair). Currently Vice-Chair; Alumni Minnesota Management Institute; After 24 years as a PCC Foundation member selected to be on the first ever Portland Community College Foundation Emeritus Board of Directors.

Prior Governmental Experience: None

Proven Leadership:

Currently elected and serving on the national Association of Community College Trustees for the past 5 years. Pacific Region Director and awarded the Pacific region Trustee Leadership award,

Past Chair of the Oregon Community College Association (awarded their Howard Cherry Award for outstanding Community College board member).

Past Chair of Regional Workforce Quality Council 1992-1997

Past Board member of the Private Industry Council 1984-1989

Ex-Officio member of the Oregon School Boards Association 2006-2014

RE-ELECT JIM HARPER PROVEN SUCCESSFUL PCC BOARD MEMBER

I have spent over 40 years of involvement and support for PCC and education in general for Oregon.

I have utilized my education as a teacher to work with students, educators, and parents to better service our community and state.

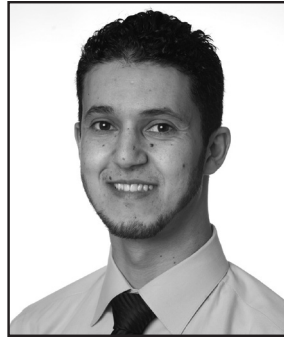
Portland Community College provides a place where students can earn an associate degree, certificate and/or get started on their pursuit of a four-year education. PCC caters to individuals that are interested in technical education, learning new skills and improving on existing skills. Jim is dedicated to student success, accessibility and affordability.

Please RE-Elect Jim Harper as Zone 4 Director for Portland Community College

(This information furnished by Jim Harper)

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Director, Zone 6



Mohamed Alyajouri

Occupation: Healthcare Integration Manager, Oregon Primary Care Association

Occupational Background: Project Manager, Integrated Clinical Services, Multnomah County Health Department; Director, Quality Improvement & Informatics, The Corvallis Clinic; Graduate Intern, World Health Organization HQ, Geneva Switzerland

Educational Background: Oregon State University, Public Health, Masters; Oregon State University, Healthcare Administration, Bachelor of Science; Corvallis High School, Diploma

Prior Governmental Experience: Portland Community College Board of Directors, Zone 6 Director (Current); Benton County, Public Health Planning & Advisory Committee

Dear Voter,

I am currently your Portland Community College Board Member. Your support of my candidacy is appreciated and will ensure that I continue my service helping PCC provide access to quality education, while advancing economic development in our community and region.

My professional experience in Public Health and Healthcare can help inform conversations on effective teaching and student development programs that prepare students for a rapidly changing economy. As the healthcare industry grows, PCC can increase clinical and non-clinical career opportunities for new and returning students.

PCC positively impacts communities and transforms the lives of students regardless of age, gender, race, nationality or socioeconomic background. My own educational journey has benefited tremendously from Community College coursework.

As a parent, it is important for me to advocate for and assure affordable quality education to my three young children and to all who seek to improve their personal lives and career options.

As a first generation Immigrant, U.S. citizen, and proud Oregonian for over 25 years, I am honored and excited to add my voice to support PCC's continued commitment to a collaborative culture of diversity, equity and inclusion.

Supporters:

1. Representative Alissa Keny-Guyer, House Committee on Healthcare
2. Senator Sara Gelser, Senate Education Committee
3. Mayor Denny Doyle, Beaverton
4. Sheriff Pat Garrett, Washington County
5. Carmen Rubio, Executive Director of Latino Network
6. Sho Dozono, Japanese American Business Leader
7. Portland Community College Federation of Faculty and Academic Professionals (PCCFFAP)
8. Councilor Kathryn Harrington, Metro Council District 4
9. Nichole Maher, President of Northwest Health Foundation

(This information furnished by Mohamed Alyajouri)

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Beaverton School District #48JT

Director, Zone 1



Susan Greenberg

Occupation: Dental Foundation of Oregon, Assistant Director - Fundraising & Events

Occupational Background: The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, Campaign Assistant; President Friends of International School of Beaverton; President Montclair Elementary PTO

Educational Background: Indiana University, Public Administration, BS

Prior Governmental Experience: Elected Beaverton School District Director Zone 1 2013-17; Appointed Beaverton School District Budget Committee

Susan Greenberg for Beaverton Schools

I care about Beaverton Schools! I have two children, one is currently an eighth grader in the Beaverton School District and the other one graduated from the International School of Beaverton in 2015. I am proud to be part of the Beaverton School Board for the last four years. In that time, I have been involved with the Music task force, math project team, chairperson of the advocacy subcommittee. All of this to ensure EVERY child in our district has access to best education our District can offer.

We have seen enormous improvements. I've watched Beaverton go from struggling to just deliver the basics for our children with large class sizes, cuts in programs to increasing music, adding lit teachers back into our schools and adding programs like AVID. The work is not done. We need to continue to advocate for the resources needed to make Beaverton schools exceptional. We need to ensure that the most vulnerable students receive all the resources they need to succeed.

My priorities:

- Ensuring every student can succeed
- Advocating for revenue reform
- Ensuring that our kids have a safe and inclusive environment in which to learn

Having a great school system is about more than just money. It's also about being smart, accountable, innovative, and using the resources you do have in new and creative ways. It's about taking advantage of new approaches and new technologies. I'm asking for your vote on May 16th. Thank you very much.

Endorsed by:

School Board Members

Anne Bryan
LeeAnn Larsen
Eric Simpson
Becky Tymchuk
Donna Tyner
Lacey Beaty
Beaverton Teachers Political Action Committee

(This information furnished by Susan Greenberg)

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Director, Zone 2



Anne Bryan

Occupation: Beaverton School Board Member; Project Consultant, Circle Media; mother.

Occupational Background: Project Manager: Circle Media, Peace Computers, IBM; community volunteer.

Educational Background: Stanford University, BAS, History, and Math and Computational Sciences.

Prior Governmental Experience: Beaverton School Board Chair (2015-present); Beaverton School Board Vice-Chair (2014-15); Beaverton School Board and Budget Committee (2013-present); State Task Force on Class Sizes (2016); Local School Committee, Oak Hills (2007-2009).

"I have volunteered in public schools for thirty years because I believe in the power of our schools to change students' lives and contribute to healthy communities."

Anne's priorities:

1. All students achieve post-high school success
2. Strategic budget for programs and facilities
3. Strong community engagement in schools

Anne is an experienced community leader.

- Classroom volunteer, science fair organizer, playground leader
- Referee coordinator for Oak Hills Soccer Club
- President/Treasurer/Fundraiser for: Cedar Hills Cooperative Kindergarten and Preschool Parent-Child Preschools of Oregon Meadow Park PTO Westview Band Parents Organization

As your School Board Member and Chair, Anne has strengthened our students, our schools, and our community by:

- Winning public support for a \$680 million bond to fund much-needed construction and maintenance projects. The district expects to **complete all projects on schedule**.
- Creating a **rainy day fund** to maintain programs during economic downturns
- Undertaking **long-range facility planning**, including a fifty-year view of district needs
- Increasing collaboration with local government services, **improving facility and field access and safety of routes to school**
- Increasing access to **music and PE** for all elementary school students
- Expanding courses and partnerships for **career learning and college-level credits**

Endorsed by:

Tobias Read, Oregon State Treasurer
Mark Hass, Oregon State Senator
State Representative Sheri Malstrom
Ken Helm
Janeen Sollman
Denny Doyle, Beaverton Mayor
Beaverton City Council Members
Lacey Beaty
Mark Fagin
Marc San Soucie
Beaverton Teacher's Political Action Committee
Beaverton School Board Members
Susan Greenberg
LeeAnn Larsen
Eric Simpson
Becky Tymchuk
Donna Tyner
Former Beaverton School Board members
Linda Degman
Tom Quillin
Mary VanderWeele

www.annebryan.org

(This information furnished by Anne Bryan)

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Beaverton School District #48JT

Director, Zone 7



Sheri Wantland

Occupation: Public Involvement Coordinator, Clean Water Services, 1994 – 2001; 2003 – current (semi-retired)

Occupational Background: Communications Consultant and Business Manager, Pacific NW Clean Water Association, 2002 – 2003; Special Projects Manager, Oregon Liquor Commission, 1986

– 1994; Server, customer relations, 1967 - 1985

Educational Background: Journalism B.A. and Sociology B.A., Arizona State University

Prior Governmental Experience: City of Beaverton Social Services Committee; Washington County Citizen Participation Organization (CPO) Transition Team

Public schools are the backbone of a free society, but in this nation there is a drain on the resources essential for students to thrive: optimal class sizes, skilled teachers, relevant curricula, flexibility for all learning styles and interests, state of the art facilities and equipment, palpable community support, reliable funding, irreproachable equity and inclusion, and more. Beaverton School District has earned strong support, strives for continual improvement, and nimbly responds to challenges such as the recent attacks on immigrants. I want to join the other School Board members in deftly guiding the administration, staff, and partners to facilitate delivery of the most excellent education and services possible to BSD students and our community. The success of our students reflects on every member of our community, even those who don't have a student in public school.

My career in public service provided a command of communications, budgeting, strategic planning, stakeholder engagement, outreach and education, risk management and other skills. I will bring decades of experience in delivering authentic and meaningful public participation to the School Board. As a longtime leader of the International Association of Public Participation (IAP2), I spearheaded \$55K in scholarships to date.

Beaverton has been my home for 26 of the past 37 years. My daughter is a Merlo High School graduate and her son is a first grader at Chehalem Elementary School. My volunteerism began as a kid printing the PTA newsletter on a mimeograph machine. I was a Red Cross Volunteer, Big Sister, family planning client advisor, and am now a Court Appointed Special Advocate (CASA) for foster children.

(This information furnished by Sheri Wantland)

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Director, Zone 7



Matt (A-W) Anthes-Washburn

Occupation: Software Product Manager, HealthSparq

Occupational Background: Vernier Software & Technology, Beaverton; STEM Volunteer, Chehalem and Vose Elementary; High School Physics and Biology, Denver, Boston, and NYC Public Schools; Honoree, Presidential Award for Excellence in Mathematics and Science Teaching (2007)

Educational Background: Cornell University, Science Teaching, MAT; Cornell University, Natural Resources, BS

Prior Governmental Experience: N/A

AN EDUCATOR'S VOICE FOR STRONG PUBLIC SCHOOLS

I'm a parent of two at Chehalem elementary and I would be honored to serve as a member of the Beaverton School Board. I am a former public school teacher, nationally recognized for excellence in science teaching.

I've volunteered in Beaverton schools for many years as a STEM volunteer, through in-class science lessons and engineering challenges, mentoring students on science projects, and working with teachers on curriculum.

I believe our school board could use a fresh voice from an educator's perspective.

FINANCE

We face a budget crisis this year. I will promote an open process that incorporates many perspectives. Our board will need to make responsible local decisions, advocate for funding at state and local levels, and demonstrate value to taxpayers.

SERVE ALL STUDENTS - A SANCTUARY FOR EXCELLENCE

The district has made progress on graduation rates, but we have more work to do. We must support English Language Learners and reassure them that our schools are sanctuaries where they will be protected from anti-immigrant action.

We must support all learners through differentiated instruction and common educational standards. This includes students with Individualized Education Plans (IEPs).

INNOVATION

Our community has long been recognized by its ability to innovate. Our path to the future is to provide space for students, families, teachers, and schools to try new approaches, measure their results, and share and repeat their successes.

"Matt A-W is a passionate advocate for schools and has a strong background in education and STEM. The Beaverton School Board would gain a lot from his energy and insight." - Janeen Sollman, Hillsboro School Board Member and Oregon State Representative, District 30

(This information furnished by Friends of Matt A-W)

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Beaverton School District #48JT

Director, Zone 7



Tom Colett

Occupation: Contract Negotiator & Local Government Liaison, LiUNA

Occupational Background: Legislative Assistant, Oregon State Legislature; Classroom Volunteer, Fir Grove Elementary

Educational Background: Bard College, MFA in Writing; Oregon Public Schools K-12

Prior Governmental Experience: Co-Facilitator, Beaverton School District Music Task Force (2013-2014)

BEAVERTON PARENTS AND TEACHERS SUPPORT TOM COLETT

Tom Colett is recommended by Beaverton Teachers' Political Action Committee (BPAC).

"Tom Colett has a **proven track record of effective leadership** in our district. As Music Task Force Co-Facilitator, he brought together parents, teachers, community members, and administrators to improve **equity and student access to a well-rounded education**. Tens of thousands of students have already benefited."
—Nancy PeBenito, Parent, Sunset HS

"Tom has worked side-by-side with me and other parents to **advocate for school funding**. He really cares about all of our kids."
—Ivonne Renderos Rivas, Parent, Fir Grove Elementary

TOM COLETT'S PRIORITIES FOR BEAVERTON STUDENTS

Beaverton students deserve a well-rounded education. Tom will prioritize taxpayer dollars where they best serve students — in the classroom.

- Work with community and state leaders for **adequate public school funding**
- Support **small class sizes** to reach all learners
- Provide solid **math, science, and literacy** instruction along with **arts, music, PE and Career & Technical Education**
- Listen to and **act on community priorities**

"In our work together, Tom Colett impressed me with his focus on **fiscal responsibility and making the most of tight school budgets**."
—Doug Garnett, Aloha HS Parent, Owner of Atomic Direct, LTD

COMMUNITY LEADERS ENDORSE TOM COLETT

Beaverton School Board Members: Oregon State Legislators:

Anne Bryan	Mark Hass
Becky Tymchuk	Jeff Barker
LeeAnn Larsen	Ken Helm
Donna Tyner	Sheri Malstrom
Susan Greenberg	Susan McLain
Eric Simpson	Margaret Doherty
Linda Degman (former)	
Mary VanderWeele (former)	US Rep. Suzanne Bonamici

Mayor Denny Doyle Beaverton City Councilors:
 THPRD Board Chair Jerry Jones Lacey Beaty Mark Fagin
 County Commissioner Dick Schouten Betty Bode Marc San Soucie
 PCC Zone 3 Trustee Michael Sonleitner Cate Arnold

www.tomcolettforschoolboard.com

*(This information furnished by
Thomas Colett for Beaverton School Board)*

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Director, Zone 7



Jen Fife-Adams

Occupation: Mom of two; Classified Substitute for BSD; Executive Director of Planting Seeds, a community support organization; school volunteer

Occupational Background: Corporate Training Manager, Borders Books; Bookstore General Manager; Childbirth educator/doula

Educational Background: University of Pennsylvania, Anthropology, B.A.

Prior Governmental Experience: None

With nine years of volunteering in the schools, Jen understands the challenges facing our education system. From her work with special needs students, to her four years leading the Sexton Mountain Battle of the Books program, she's worked with a diverse group of teachers, administrators and families. Creating the Planting Seeds program to feed food-insecure families in her school community has allowed her to be hands-on in addressing the needs of the whole person and family. November's election and the Women's March energized Jen to further her passion for public schools and run for office.

Priorities:

- Close the achievement gap by understanding and addressing student needs, particularly those of young women
- Keep families together and empower all aspiring and new Americans to fully participate in, and contribute to, our district
- Focus on skills our students need in the 21st Century, including civics education and other practical adult skills, with increased support for Career and Technical education
- Support policies that allow schools to respond to their challenges creatively and collaboratively across the district

Family/Community Service:

Board member, Portland Child Art Studio & AVP Homeowner's Association; Co-President, Metzger Cooperative Preschool

Community Supporters:

Karen Cunningham, former school board member
 Lindsay Zobrist, Megan Rutherford, Sandra L. Kumar, Dawn Kimball, Rubena Faruqui, Claire Moore, Loretta Salazar, Lisa M. Chavez-Melo, Robyn Tanksley, Kelly Green, Jonathan Duckart, Polly Campbell, Charles Replogle, Kate Kristiansen, Douglas Younger

"Having interacted with Jen, both as a school volunteer and a fellow parent, we feel very confident in her ability to best serve our students' needs. We **strongly** endorse her as the Zone 7 board member for the Beaverton School District." - Anna and Paul Grass

Voteforjenfa.org

(This information furnished by Friends of Jen Fife-Adams)

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Beaverton School District #48JT

Director, Zone 4



Donna Tyner

Occupation: Corporate Risk Manager

Occupational Background: Risk and Insurance Management Profession, 34 years

Educational Background: Willamette University, Political Science, Bachelor of Arts

Prior Governmental Experience: Beaverton School Board 2013 to Present; Enhanced Sheriff's Patrol District and Urban Road Maintenance District Budget Committee 2016 to Present; Panel Member, Airport Cooperative Research Program, Washington County Road Improvement Project (Grabhorn Rd); Commission for Women

Neighbor- Parent - Friend

- Beaverton School District resident for 31 years, married, with two sons who attended Beaverton Schools K through 12.
- Active parent 1998 to 2013: classroom/ field trip volunteer, mentor, team mom and class activities organizer.
- Member of District's "Student/Family Resource Guide" Committee: 2009 to 2013.

Re-Elect the Right Choice for Schools

I believe quality public education includes music, arts, foreign languages, and career and technology programs. Sports and other after school activities must be offered so students want to learn and are able excel. Let me continue our investments in summer school, AVID – an outstanding college readiness program.

I Am Proud to be Endorsed by These Community Members and Leaders:

Sensible Boundaries
 Kim Overhage
 John Ng Jacob, Wismer Parent,
 Holly Thompson, Conestoga Middle School Parent,
 Tori Pontrelli, Scholls Heights and Southridge Parent
 Amy Eytel, Aloha High School Parent
 Beaverton School Board (Anne Bryan, Eric Simpson, Susan Greenberg, LeeAnn Larsen, Becky Tymchuk)
 Oregon State Treasurer, Tobias Read
 Oregon State Senator, Mark Haas
 Oregon State Representative, Jeff Barker
 Oregon State Representative, Richard Vial
 Washington County Commissioner, Dick Schouten
 Washington County Sheriff, Pat Garrett
 Beaverton Mayor, Denny Doyle
 Beaverton City Council Member, Lacey Beaty
 Beaverton City Council Member, Betty Bode
 Beaverton City Council Member, Cate Arnold
 Beaverton City Council Member, Marc San Soucie
 Beaverton City Council Member, Mark Fagin
 Jason Cowart

(This information furnished by Donna Tyner)

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Director, Zone 5



LeeAnn Larsen

Occupation: General Manager, Suite America

Occupational Background: Budget Analyst, Office of Financial Management, State of Washington

Educational Background: Washington State University, Political Science/Economics, BS

Prior Governmental Experience: BSD School Board (2009-present); Oregon School Board Association Board (2013-present)

LARSEN IS AN ACTIVE COMMUNITY MEMBER AND STRONG ADVOCATE FOR PUBLIC EDUCATION

Family: Married 33 years; 5 children ages 20-28, all attended Beaverton public schools

Community:

- BSD
 - chair
 - vice-chair
 - Budget Committee
 - Audit Committee
 - Bargaining Team
 - Local Option Levy Committee
 - Bond Committee

OSBA

- current president-elect
- vice-president
- Finance Committee

OTHER

- HB 2680 task force
- ESSA work group

RE-ELECT LEEANN LARSEN, THE CANDIDATE WITH EXPERIENCE

As a BSD Director, LeeAnn has:

- *Advocated for more instructional time
- *Hired two great Superintendents
- *Advocated for adequate state funding
- *Listened to the community
- *Collaborated on strategic measures to improve student achievement

Endorsed by BSD Directors – Anne Bryan, Susan Greenberg, Eric Simpson, Becky Tymchuk, Donna Tyner

PROVEN LEADERSHIP, INTEGRITY, COLLABORATION

Priorities:

- *Closing the student achievement gap
- *Advocating for revenue reform
- *Increasing instructional time
- *Establishing high quality CTE opportunities
- *Collaborating with all stakeholders
- *Providing leadership at the state level through OSBA

RE-ELECT LEEANN LARSEN

(This information furnished by LeeAnn Larsen)

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Banks School District #13

Director, Position 4



Ron Frame

Occupation: Corbin Consulting Engineering, INC.

Occupational Background: Architecture

Educational Background: Portland State University, Architecture, Bachelors of Science; Banks High School, Drafting, Diploma

Prior Governmental Experience: Banks School Board; Banks School District - Budget Committee; Banks School District - Facility Committee

Let me begin by thanking you for spending the time to read this and for voting. I am running for this position because of my vested interest in the school district's success. I grew up and went to school in Banks and returned to raise my family. My wife and I have two kids in the school district, our son is in second grade and our daughter is in eighth grade. Over the last seven years I have had the opportunity to volunteer for the following groups/committees:

- Banks Summer Softball – Assistant Coach & Head Coach
- Banks Summer Baseball – Head Coach
- Banks School District – Facility Committee
- Banks School District – Design Committee: Middle School & High School
- Banks School District – Bond Management Committee
- Banks School District – Budget Committee
- Banks School Board

My two year term on the school board was from 2013 - 2015. Some of the accomplishments I was a part of included:

- Successful completion of upgrades to the school district's facilities.
- Providing more technology in the classrooms.
- Hiring a new superintendent.
- Completing the Oregon School Boards Association – Bronze Level of Leadership Training.

I'm proud of these accomplishments and if elected will focus on educational programs that are sustainable and look for opportunities that provide additional electives for the high school. I will provide my knowledge where I can regarding facilities, with an immediate focus on circulation at the high school and middle school.

Again thank you for your time and I would appreciate your vote.

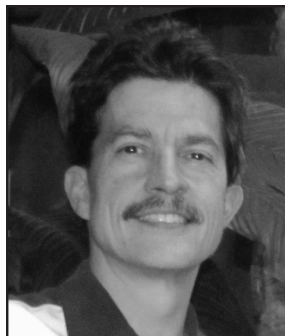
Sincerely,

Ron Frame

(This information furnished by Ron Frame)

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Director, Position 4



Tom Lum Forest

Occupation: Software Engineer

Occupational Background: Software Engineer

Educational Background: Hillsboro High; Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) – Management SB

Prior Governmental Experience:

Banks School Board Budget, Technology, and Superintendent Selection Committees

Top priorities: increase community participation; improve School Board transparency

I've lived in Washington County over 25 years, and eight in the Banks school district. In 1880, my great-grand uncle Simon Benson (Benson Tech, Benson Bubblers, etc.) came to the Portland area from Wisconsin with my great-grandparents. Growing up in a military family, when my dad was not on active duty we lived in Washington County. After graduating from Hilhi in 1976, I attended MIT in Cambridge, MA where I got a great education and technology skills that I've used since to write custom application software.

In 1997, my love for this area and a desire to be closer to family brought me back to Washington County. Since returning, in addition to my job at Ochin, I've worked for PGE, Nike, FEI, Radisys, Vestas, and Intel—in fields where I rode my bike and picked strawberries as a kid, when Hillsboro had 15,000 people and our community was half commuters, half farmers. Much has changed here since then. I've visited 46 states, and travelled extensively around the world. Nevertheless, this is still the best place in the world to be.

Learning is one of life's great joys. For me, it's science and technology making the fast-paced changes of my vocation possible. It's music, which I've loved from the day I started playing trombone in sixth grade through my seven recently recorded albums. It's my college minor in short story writing, and it's nature—a passion from my days as a Boy Scout and Outdoor School counselor at Hilhi to my last dozen years as a wilderness hike leader.

I bring a distinctive range of skills and experiences that would complement the board's capabilities. I'd like to add them to the Banks School Board. Thank you for your consideration.

(This information furnished by Tom Lum Forest)

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Banks School District #13

Lake Oswego School District (JT)

Director, Position 1

Director, Position 3



NORIE DIMEO-EDIGER

Occupation: Director of K-12 Education Programs, Oregon Forest Resources Institute

Occupational Background: I have worked in the field of education for more than thirty years, including managing and directing programs and teaching at the K-12 and college levels.

Educational Background: Portland State University, Education, MS; Portland State University, Biology, MST; Portland State University, Biology, BS

Prior Governmental Experience: Banks School Board (2009-present)

I have more than thirty years of experience in education. This includes working with many school districts and the Oregon Department of Education. I have written curriculum, planned budgets, facilitated teacher workshops, and spent time with students in the classroom. My work has given me a wide-ranging perspective on a variety of approaches to education, and I will use this knowledge to help implement successful strategies in our schools and to address challenges.

I've learned a lot in the 2 terms I've served on the school board and I would like to continue to work to apply this experience. I'm proud of our district and the commitment of staff and parents to student success.

I would like the opportunity to continue to serve as a member of the Banks School board and would appreciate your vote.

(This information furnished by Norie Dimeo-Ediger)

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Sara Pocklington

Occupation: Nike, Technology Accounting Director; Certified Public Accountant

Occupational Background: Finance Manager, WWE; Senior Auditor, Deloitte

Educational Background: University of Oregon, BS, Accounting

Prior Governmental Experience: Chair, LOSD Safety and Technology Committee; School Captain, LO Schools Foundation; Technology Liaison, River Grove Elementary

Strongest Leader for the Future

- **Board-certified CPA.** As the board's only CPA, I'll bring deep experience in financial governance and oversight. I'll work to find budget efficiencies to keep more of your tax dollars in the classroom. I'll ensure that bond proceeds are spent as promised and investments are managed wisely.
- **Diverse Perspective.** I will be the only school board member with elementary students in LO (third and first graders) and one of only two women on the school board.
- **Academics + Arts + Athletics.** Research shows that kids who feel connected to their school community have better academic outcomes. I'll support continued investment in programs that foster connectedness, across disciplines.
- **STEAM Advocate.** The World Economic Forum reports that "a projected 65% of children entering grade school will work in jobs that do not exist today." To begin preparing our students for the economy of the future I'll advocate strongly for a comprehensive computer science and technology curriculum.

Endorsed by Community Leaders

"Sara will bring fresh perspective and a keen accounting eye to the LOSD school budget at a time when strong fiscal management is critical."
- Joe Buck, Lake Oswego City Councilor

"The LOSEA is endorsing Sara because she understands today's students and best represents our community's values."
- Melissa Siegel, Lake Oswego School Employee Association President

"As an elementary mom, Sara will represent and advocate for Lake Oswego's elementary school students, parents and communities."
- Kristy Cory, Forest Hills Elementary parent leader

"Sara is dedicated, innovative, and level-headed. She takes the time to solicit input and do her homework to fully understand the issues she is working on." *Lake Oswego Review, 02/16/17*
- Dan McKenzie, LO resident, VP of Nike Global Accounting

SEE ALL ENDORSEMENTS:

www.sarapocklington.org

(This information furnished by Sara Pocklington)

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Forest Grove School District #15

Director, Position 1



Brad Bafaro

Occupation: Retired Teacher/Administrator from the Forest Grove School District; Founder and Volunteer Executive Director for two Nonprofits, Community Based Activity Program and Adventures Without Limits.

Occupational Background: Special Education Director for Forest Grove School District for 12

years; Teacher for Forest Grove School District for 25 years; Volunteer Executive Director for Community Based Activity Program and Adventures Without Limits.

Educational Background: Pacific University, BS Education, BA Recreation, MAT Education; Portland State University, Administration.

Prior Governmental Experience: Multiple Forest Grove School District Committees over the past 37 years including 12 years of Budget Committee, Facility Planning Steering, Advisory Committee and District Planning Meetings; City of Forest Grove Recreation Commission.

Priorities:

Class Size: Reduce class sizes that allow **all** children to succeed. Supporting all students in the learning process.

Well-Rounded Education for all Students: Focus on improving literacy skills and work to bring back fully funded Elementary Physical Education and Electives at the Secondary level.

Financial Responsibility: Work for sustainable state funding and oversee a fiscally responsible district budget process that is transparent to all stakeholders.

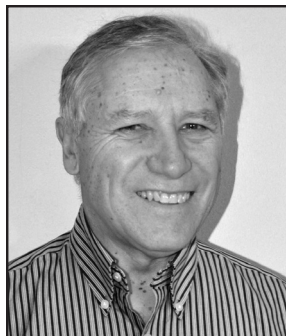
Clear Communication: Listen to community and staff input and develop a plan that is transparent to all stakeholders that will improve our district, based on community and staff priorities.

I've lived, worked and attended schools in Forest Grove for most of my life. Community Based Activity Program and Adventures without Limits have supported people with and without disabilities in the Forest Grove community for the past 25 years. My mission has always been to provide a quality education for the students in Forest Grove School District and my passion has been to provide this through community service and opportunities for kids of all abilities. As a board member, I will bring a balanced and **well-informed perspective** to the district that someone with less experience would not have. My end goal will always be keeping my eye on what is best for the students in our district.

(This information furnished by Brad Bafaro)

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Director, Position 1



John Hayes

Occupation: Retired

Occupational Background: Director, Center for a Sustainable Society, Pacific University 2012-15; Dean, College of Arts & Sciences, Pacific University 2003-12; Professor of Environmental Studies, Pacific University 2003-15; Prior employment at Marlboro College in Vermont as faculty member and dean.

Educational Background: Purdue University, Biochemistry, PhD; Benedictine University, Chemistry, BS

Prior Governmental Experience: Position 1, Forest Grove School Board, elected, 2013-17; Position 1, Forest Grove School Board, appointed, 2012-13; Governor's Task Force on School Funding, appointed, 2013-14; Metro Policy Advisory Committee, elected as Metro area school board representative, 2015-to date; Forest Grove Sustainability Commission, appointed, 2014-to date; Forest Grove Economic Development Commission, appointed, 2013-to date.

It has been my pleasure to serve on the Forest Grove School District Board of Directors. The school district has continued to improve the education that it offers, but we need to accomplish much more. If elected, I will continue to work on:

- Providing pre-K for all children; data show that students benefit throughout their years in school if they start before kindergarten.
- Reducing class sizes; now post-recession, we reduced K-4 class sizes to below 30, but we have not made much progress beyond 4th grade.
- Addressing career and technical education (CTE); we need to restore recession cuts of CTE classes; we need to develop exciting new programs, particularly in technical areas and in support of woods/Viking House program; investments here will boost graduation rates.
- Continuing to work with the legislature to provide sufficient school funding. By national standards, Oregon substantially underfunds schools. I've led board-level district efforts by co-organizing an annual dinner with all Washington County state legislators and school boards, and I convinced the Task Force on School Funding and the legislature to increase funding by \$35 million for high-cost disability students, which benefits our district more than any other of the state's 196 districts.

(This information furnished by John Hayes)

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Forest Grove School District #15

Director, Position 2



Charless L. Waterman

Occupation: Human Resources Specialist

Occupational Background: Office Supervisor; Billing Clerk; Customer Service Representative

Educational Background: Marylhurst University, Business Management, Bachelor's Degree; Marylhurst University, Sustainable Business, Master's Degree

Prior Governmental Experience: Appointed to Forest Grove School Board Position 2 in March 2013. Elected to the same position in May 2013 for the term of July 2013 through June 2017. As a board member, served on the Budget Committee, Boundary Committee, District Parent Advisory Committee, and District Leadership Academy.

A quality education that teaches our children how to think. Charless Waterman still supports that.

Charless Waterman has worked for our students for four years to help guide the Forest Grove School District out of the murky waters of budget cuts and into stability and even the beginnings of reinvestment. She has supported the integration of modern technology into our classrooms, the adoption of updated math curriculum, reinvestment in Outdoor School, investment in our teachers through professional development, and has been a consistent advocate for adequate funding for our public schools.

Charless Waterman still supports a school system that prepares children to create the jobs of tomorrow. She still supports our educators receiving the best training and support possible so they can provide the high quality education our children deserve. Charless Waterman still has energy to offer and work to do in the Forest Grove School District.

A quality education that prepares the job creators of tomorrow: Charless Waterman still supports that. Please support Charless Waterman and re-elect her to Position 2 on the Forest Grove School Board.

(This information furnished by Charless L. Waterman)

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Director, Position 2



Fallon Harris

Occupation: Executive Director - EdenAcres Environmental Education

Occupational Background: Curriculum Coordinator/Outdoor Educator B-street Farm, Pacific University; Director/Lead Instructor Farm Monday Program, Swallowtail School; Co-founder/Executive Director, EdenAcres Environmental Education

Educational Background: Pacific University, Environmental Studies - Sustainable Design, BA

Prior Governmental Experience: None

Personal Narrative:

I am committed to providing an excellent education to ALL children in our community. I came here as a college student and fell in love with the community. I saw a town with citizens who cared and were working to make their town a wonderful place to live, learn, and work. Since graduating, I co-founded a nonprofit organization that has brought jobs into the community and thousands of dollars to our schools. As a member of our school board I will continue to work for our schools, teachers, children, and families.

Fallon has provided results:

- As director, worked to expand school learning gardens by providing funding for gardens and professional development opportunities for teachers in the Forest Grove School District
- As a teacher, developed and delivered a project-based class for the Community Alternative Learning Center (CALC)
- Advocated for and obtained funding for: CALC, afterschool programming at Tom McCall Upper Elementary, and academic field trips for k-12 students
- Participated in community and statewide events and meetings advocating for equitable, innovative, and exceptional education

As a member of our school board, Fallon will:

- Strongly advocate to reduce class size
- Support our teachers as the driving force in our children's education by advocating for professional development opportunities and classroom support
- Advocate for innovative programs that promote active, engaged learning
- Be committed to equitable education

Endorsements:

Endorsed by CALC students:

- Elijah Kee
- Jose Sanchez
- Edgar Avalos
- Isaiah Haas

I, Alma Reyes a high school student from CALC, would love to recommend Fallon Harris for school board member.

Endorsed by Kate Grandusky - School Board Member

Endorsed by Charlene Murdock - Foodways at Nana Cardoon

Thank you for your support and your vote!

(This information furnished by Fallon Harris)

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Forest Grove School District #15

Director, Position 2



Valyrie Ingram

Occupation: Substitute Teacher for the Forest Grove School District.

Occupational Background: Substitute Teacher for the Forest Grove School District (2014-present); Instructional Assistant Special Education Dept. Forest Grove School District (2003-2005)

Educational Background: Southern Oregon University, BS in History with a minor in Economics (2001); Forest Grove High School graduate (1997)

Prior Governmental Experience: None

Belief: Every child should have access to a quality education, providing the tools necessary to live successful, productive and happy lives.

My goal is to put our children first.

- Dedication to decrease in class sizes
- Put district funds and resources directly into our classrooms
- Offer more elective class choices for our students
- Focus on whole child and all their needs

Personal statement: I will bring a well-rounded perspective to the Forest Grove School Board. I was raised in Forest Grove, graduated from Forest Grove High School, and am now an active member of the community. While attending school activities throughout the district, I am able to speak to community members and students about what they see as the needs of our community. My daughters are now members of the Forest Grove School District. As an engaged parent, I want the best for them and all the students of this community. I think it's important to make accountability, transparency and collaboration part of the standard operating procedures of the school board. My priority and focus is to advocate for all our students.

Endorsed by Malynda Wenzl-Forest Grove City Counselor.

(This information furnished by Valyrie Ingram)



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AFB is a voting tool which allows a voter with disabilities to vote privately and independently.

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vap@co.washington.or.us

or

Visit the Elections website at:
www.co.washington.or.us

Forest Grove School District #15

Director, Position 3



Lonnie Winkler

Occupation: SureID, Inc. – Director, Field Operations

Occupational Background: Managed teams for Intel, Microsoft, Hewlett-Packard. Also have helped build and establish startup companies like Medicalogic and SureID, Inc.

Educational Background: Vernonia High School, High School Diploma

Prior Governmental Experience: 4 Years Forest Grove School Board; 2 Years FGSD Board Chair; 1 Year FGSD Board Vice-Chair; 5 Years FGSD Budget Committee; 3 Years FGSD Technology Committee

With 2 students in the District, and after being on the Board for 4 years, I still believe the District has 3 primary responsibilities: Provide a safe place for all students to learn; provide the tools for all students to be successful at learning, including effective teachers, incredible books, and relevant technology; and strive for parent involvement through communication and outreach.

The next 4 years will be very important for the Forest Grove School District. With unstable state and federal funding, unfunded mandates from Salem, and a scheduled PERS increase, we need leadership willing to think outside the box. The next board members will need to advocate for all students in the district and continue to campaign in Salem for adequate funding. This will be a priority if I am re-elected.

With more than 21 years in the technology sector for industry leading companies and 13 years in government contracting for all branches of the US Military, I bring experience and a non-educator perspective to the board, emphasizing security, technology, management and business.

It has been an honor to serve our district, and I am looking forward to another 4 years.

Thank you for your time and consideration,

Lonnie Winkler

Chair, Forest Grove School Board
Vice President, Fern Hill Parent Club
District Parent Advisory Council
Forest Grove School District Budget Committee
Oregon Leadership Network Platinum Graduate

(This information furnished by Lonnie Winkler)

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Director, Position 3



Mark Everett

Occupation: High School Principal; Banks School District

Occupational Background: Middle School Principal, High School Assistant Principal, Classroom Teacher and Coach; Forest Grove School District

Educational Background: Lewis and Clark College, Education, MAT; Southern Oregon University, Chemistry/Business, BS

Prior Governmental Experience: Past member, Forest Grove Historic Landmarks Board, Banks School District; Facility Planning Committee, District Negotiations Team, Technology Committee

Educator/Community Member

I have been married for 32 years and we have two children. Both received an outstanding education in the Forest Grove School District. I'd like to return to serve the district again upon retiring, June 2017. I believe I have much to offer the district and community as a result of my experiences in education over the past thirty years.

Experience in education:

I have proven leadership experience, in multiple public school settings

I have an understanding of school district budgeting processes

I have been able to collaborate with students, parents and community members to improve educational opportunity and achievement for all students

I believe in the value of utilizing research-based approaches that result in continued improvement in student achievement. I also believe that these efforts can be diluted in working to implement too much, too fast. Educational institutions must work to find that balance

I value stakeholder input from all involved parties, as well as transparency

I believe that students, staff, parents and the larger community, working together, can improve education for all students

As a Member of our School Board, Mark will:

- work to increase school funding through legislative lobbying
- work to insure that we utilize our limited financial resources in support of student achievement
- evaluate the impact of class size on achievement
- assess the effectiveness of district educational initiatives
- be clear and transparent in all communication
- insure that all students are supported in achieving a high school diploma
- encourage actions to attract and retain the best educators for district students

Endorsed by:
Brad Bafaro
Kate Grandusky

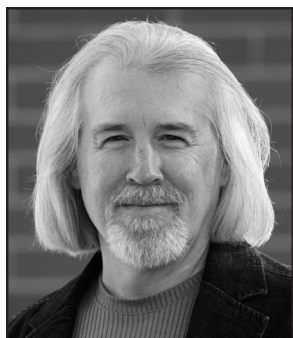
Thank you for your consideration and, hopefully, your vote.

(This information furnished by Mark Everett)

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Hillsboro School District 1J

Director, Position 2



Mark Watson

Occupation: Director Product Management, STATS

Occupational Background: Co-Founder, TVTI, Video technology for Major League Baseball and National Hockey League; Intel; Adjunct Professor, University of Arizona, Johnson C. Smith University

Educational Background:

University of Arizona, Media Arts, M.A.; Northern Illinois University, Communications, B.S.

Prior Governmental Experience: STEM Advisory Committee, Century HS Music Program, Tobias Elementary PTO

FAMILY

Mark and Ginny, his wife of 21 years, have raised two children in Hillsboro schools. They volunteer countless hours supporting arts, literacy, and STEM programs in our community.

STRENGTHS

Mark Watson is a founder of a successful Hillsboro technology company building his workforce with many Hillsboro graduates. As a former college professor and internship coordinator, Mark has dedicated much of his professional life to giving students hands-on opportunities to build skills and gain experience.

VALUES

- Preparing all students for success after graduation in college or the workforce
- Transparent governing; effective communication with taxpayers
- Sound financial management, smart long-range planning

As a proud product of public education, Mark will strengthen our schools to ensure students are offered multiple pathways to a promising future.

Janeen Sollman, State Representative

"I've known Mark for many years. He's demonstrated strong leadership skills in our schools and in business. I know he would do the same on the School Board. Join me in supporting Mark."

Ken Rhodes, TVTI Co-Founder

"I've seen Mark's leadership first-hand as we co-founded a successful business together. He understands that sustained success comes from balancing long-range investments with exceeding daily expectations. He will make a great School Board member."

HILLSBORO SUPPORTERS

Hillsboro Education Association
Hillsboro Classified United
Steve Callaway, Mayor of Hillsboro
Dick Schouten, Washington County Commissioner
Metro Council President Tom Hughes
Chuck Riley, State Senator
Lisa Allen, Hillsboro School Board
Kim Strelchun, Hillsboro School Board
Mike and Laura McMurray, Hillsboro Hops Chairman and CFO, Respectively
Planned Parenthood PAC of Oregon
Lieutenant Michael Rouches, Hillsboro Police Department
Kyle Allen, Hillsboro City Councilor
Lyn Jacobs M.D.

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Director, Position 2



Glenn D. Miller

Occupation: Software Development Manager

Occupational Background: Business Systems Analyst; Applications Developer

Educational Background: George Fox University, Business, MBA; George Fox University, Project Management/Organizational Leadership, BS

Prior Governmental Experience: Current Vice Chair Hillsboro School Board; HSD Representative to the Hillsboro Citizen's Advisory Committee for the Comprehensive Plan update; Elected Member Hillsboro School Board; Appointed Member HSD Budget Committee

Please re-elect Glenn Miller to the School Board

Major Endorsements

Former State Senator Bruce Starr

Washington County Chair Andy Duyck

Washington County Planning Commissioner & Farm Bureau President Ed Bartholemey

Monte Akers – Hillsboro School Board Member

Wayne Clift – Hillsboro School Board Member

Erik Seligman – Hillsboro School Board Member

Proven Leadership

HSD is poised to grow rapidly. I have spent four years focusing on how to do that while maximizing our limited resources. My leadership in proposing and championing a small change in our boundary allowed the region to plan one less school, saving county tax payers millions.

I Stand with Families

As a father of two I know that our children are most precious. I understand that the purpose of education is to give students options to build the future they want. Therefore, I support expanded College and Career offerings. Holding kid's enthusiasm is the key to keeping them engaged. School must be fun as well as rigorous. So, I am for well-rounded programs including music, arts, and sports. Engaged students lead to higher graduation rates. I strongly encourage family and community support of these programs.

I Respect You

We represent a diverse community with many different viewpoints and backgrounds. I've worked hard to find common ground when difficult decisions needed to be made. I believe we make better choices when we fully and fairly discuss issues with respect for each other.

Want to know more? Browse to www.glennmillerforschools.com

Please vote for me on May 16th, 2017

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Hillsboro School District 1J

Director, Position 1



Erika Lopez

Occupation: Buyer, City of Hillsboro, Finance Department

Occupational Background: Municipal Finance

Educational Background: Portland Community College, Associate of Applied Sciences

Prior Governmental Experience: Hillsboro School District Budget Committee, Scholarship Chair-Oregon Public Procurement Association

Community Involvement: AARP/CASH Oregon Tax Preparer, Hillsboro Chamber School-to-Career Volunteer, Hillsboro Parks & Recreation HillsDOer Day Volunteer

We Support Erika Lopez!

"Erika has the perspective, experience, and knowledge necessary to serve all the students of Hillsboro School District."

-Steve Callaway, Mayor of Hillsboro

"Erika provides the wisdom, energy and strong commitment our School Board needs."

-Lisa Allen, Hillsboro School Board Member

"Erika will make an excellent School Board Member. She serves Hillsboro with determination, wisdom, and creativity. Our schools need knowledgeable and dedicated leaders like Erika."

- Olga Acuña, Former City Councilor

Fiscally Responsible

Erika's profession is ensuring the most efficient, responsible, and strategic use of resources. Having her voice on the School Board will bring years of experience in responsible fiscal decision-making. We need leaders who understand how to find creative solutions that ensure the best possible outcome for our students.

Proven Leader

Erika has extensive experience working with people in community organizations, government, and the business community. She will work hard to bring Hillsboro together to make sure all our children have the resources to succeed.

Stronger Schools

Hillsboro has been Erika's home for over 20 years. She progressed from elementary through high school in the Hillsboro School District. Her two children are currently thriving students in the district as well. Erika has firsthand experience with the challenges facing our schools and is passionate about every child receiving the quality education they deserve.

Vote Erika Lopez for Hillsboro School Board

Janeen Sollman, State Representative
Kim Strelchun, Hillsboro School Board Member
Dick Schouten, Washington County Commissioner
Kyle Allen, Hillsboro City Councilor
Anthony Martin, Hillsboro City Councilor
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(This information furnished by Friends of Erika Lopez)

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Director, Position 1



Jen Brandse

Occupation: Graphic Designer, Disability Rights Advocate

Occupational Background: Board of Directors, Northwest Down Syndrome Association

Educational Background: University of California, Santa Cruz, BA in Economics

Prior Governmental Experience: None

Jen Brandse has been inspired to run for Hillsboro School Board in the upcoming election.

An Oregon resident since 1999, Jen has lived in Hillsboro since 2004. Her daughter is a proud Patriot at Poynter Middle School and receives special ed services.

Jen served on the Board of Directors of the Northwest Down Syndrome Association from 2004 - 2010. She traveled to Washington DC in 2008 and 2009 to meet with legislators about disability rights.

Jen knew she had to take action following the Secretary of Education hearings, as the public learned the appointee, Betsy Devos, was unfamiliar with the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, or IDEA. This federal law ensures that students with disabilities have access to a free and appropriate education and are educated alongside their peers to the maximum extent possible.

Jen believes strongly that an inclusive society starts in the classroom. She will fight to ensure that this very important legislation continues to provide vital educational rights to children with disabilities.

Having a child on an IEP (Individual Education Program) gives one a different view of the school system. It means attending multiple meetings with team members to negotiate a program that will best address a student's unique needs. Jen stands ready to use her experience to benefit all students.

Jen has seen some significant changes over the years since her daughter first entered the Hillsboro School District. She has been very impressed with the direction and initiative the District has shown in recent years. She looks forward to working with the public and advocating for the needs of the district in order to keep things moving in the right direction.

Proudly endorsed by:

Chip Shields, Former State Senator

Teri Lenahan, Mayor of North Plains

David Hatcher, Past Mayor of North Plains

(This information furnished by Jen Brandse)

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Hillsboro School District 1J

Director, Position 1



April Davis

Occupation: Administrative Assistant; Community Volunteer; Homemaker

Occupational Background: Lifeguard; Retail Sales; Warehouse Shipping Clerk; Internal Auditor

Educational Background: Forest Grove High School, General Diploma; Portland Community

College, Psychology, AS; Portland Community College, Emergency Medical Technician, EMT 1

Prior Governmental Experience: Cultural Coalition of Washington County; Precinct Committee Person; Leadership Hillsboro Graduate; Glencoe High School Site Council President; Patterson Elementary PTO Treasure.

As an experienced parent of four successful Glencoe High School graduates I would like to use my first hand experience to serve as a director on the Hillsboro School Board to represent families in the district.

Family

Families have a significant impact on academic success. I commit to listening to parents input and put families first when making decisions with the school board.

Parents

A caring parent is the best advocate a child can have. As a school board director I choose to nurture the relationship between parent and child, by listening to concerned parents.

Choice

Having choices is an important element for academic growth and success. I stand for academic choices for all Hillsboro children to ensure they have the best options to choose from.

Equity

Each student is unique and valuable. Every student is worthy of the resources that will meet their circumstance, capacity, and needs. I support actions that provide for the resources and facilities required for our children in Hillsboro to be successful and competitive.

Funding

It is the responsibility of the school board to oversee how the district spends the money it receives. I support a budget that prioritizes instructional needs that improve learning outcomes.

"April believes in academic choices, parent involvement and input, and has the experience to be a voice for families in Hillsboro." Dan Mason

Endorsements

Glenn Miller School Board Director 2013 - Present
Bruce Starr State Senator 2003-2015
Shawn Lindsay State Representative 2011-2013
Juanita Lint Owner Plum Hill Vineyards
Barbara Brunson Owner Vanilla House Designs
Michelle M. Crook Substitute Teacher in Hillsboro

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(This information furnished by Friends of April Davis)

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Oregon Voter Bill of Rights

You have the right to vote if you are a US citizen, are a resident of Oregon, are 18 years old and are registered to vote.

You have the right to receive assistance in casting your ballot.

You have the right to leave some choices blank on your ballot. The choices you do mark will still count.

You have the right to receive a new ballot if, prior to returning your ballot, you make a mistake.

You have the right to vote if you are in line to return you ballot at any official drop site by 8 PM on Election Day.

You have the right to cast a secret ballot.

You have the right to cast a "provisional ballot" if your name does not appear on the voter roll.

You have the right to choose whether or not to register as a member of a political party.

You have the right to know if your ballot, including a "provisional ballot", was counted.

You have the right to vote if you have been convicted of a felony once you have been released from custody, even if you are on probation or post-prison supervision.

You have the right to file a complaint with the Secretary of State if you think your voting rights have been denied or if you believe any fraudulent activity has occurred.

(Oregon Constitution, Sections 2 and 3; ORS Chapters 137, 246, 247, and 254; Vote By Mail Manual; Help America Vote Act of 2002; OAR 165-001-0090 and 165-007-0030)

Hillsboro School District 1J

Director, Position 6



Jaci Spross

Occupation: Executive Assistant

Occupational Background: Executive Assistant, Synopsys, Inc. (1997-present)

Educational Background: Attended Oregon State University, Business Management major

Prior Governmental Experience:

Over a decade of service in PTA, Booster, and Parent Clubs

Jaci has lived in Hillsboro nearly 20 years. She's the proud parent of a 2016 graduate and a sophomore at Century. Jaci's consistently involved in our schools and has served as:

- School PTA President and Treasurer
- Oregon State PTA Region 1 Director
- Middle School Booster President
- Synopsys Silicon Valley Science and Technology Outreach Foundation Director
- Century Band Booster President and Secretary

Jaci and her husband Tom, an Army veteran, raised their children with small-town values of respect, honesty, dependability, and compassion.

Jaci fights for a well-rounded education

Jaci knows how important extracurricular activities are. She understands that sports, music, drama, and debate are important for success.

As your School Board Member Jaci will promote:

- A safe, supportive learning environment for all students
- Job-embedded professional staff development
- Fiscally responsible spending and adequate funding

Kim Strelchun, Hillsboro School Board Director

"Jaci understands every decision a board member makes should be focused on what is best for students. She doesn't have a political agenda. Jaci is ready to work hard to best serve our students."

Peggy Delay, School Psychologist

"Jaci's varied experiences and willingness to listen will make her an outstanding educational advocate. She understands the importance of focusing on the students' needs and how best to support schools to educate for the future."

Hillsboro Supports Jaci Spross!

Hillsboro Education Association
Hillsboro Classified United
Stand for Children, Inc.

Planned Parenthood PAC of Oregon
NARAL Pro-Choice Oregon PAC
Lisa Allen, Hillsboro School Board

Janeen Sollman, Hillsboro School Board and State Representative
Beach Pace, CEO Big Brothers Big Sisters Columbia NW

Teri Lenahan, Mayor City of North Plains
Kathryn Harrington, Metro Councilor
Kyle Allen, Hillsboro City Councilor

Lacey Beaty, Beaverton City Councilor
Jodi O'Mara, Mapleton Superintendent

Jim Dunlop, Century High School Marching Band Director
Nadine Zimmerlund, Retired Educator

SprossForSchools.com

(This information furnished by Friends of Jaci Spross)

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Director, Position 6



Kevin Currin-Smith

Occupation: Training, Enforcement and Compliance Manager, SureID Inc.

Occupational Background: Psychological Operations Sergeant, US Army

Educational Background: Portland State University, B.S. Social Science; John F. Kennedy

Special Warfare School, Psychological Operations Specialist Course; Camp Ashland Non-Commissioned Officers Academy, Warrior Leadership Course; McNary High School graduate

Prior Governmental Experience: Psychological Operations Specialist; acted as liaison between United States Army Executive Leadership and Local Governments; Field Ordering Officer

Major Commendations and Awards: Army Commendation Medal (3rd Award); Army Achievement Medal; Kosovo Campaign Medal; Afghanistan Campaign Medal; Iraq Campaign Medal; National Defense Service Medal; Global War on Terrorism Service Medal; NATO Medal; Combat Action Badge; Driver and Mechanic Badge

Family: My Wife and I have three amazing children currently attending schools here in the Hillsboro School District.

Community Involvement: Meals on Wheels; Veteran Employee Resource Group Community Outreach Committee Chairman; YMCA Teen Leadership Program; Boy Scouts of America

Leadership: VERG Vice Chairman, Operations, Auditing, and Training Manager; Tactical Psychological Operations Detachment NCO In Charge; Tactical PSYOP Team Leader (Kosovo and Afghanistan); YMCA Horse Camp Director

My Promise:

- I promise to keep politics out of the Hillsboro School Board.
- I promise to base all my decisions as a board member on what's best for children's education, teachers, administrators, and the community overall.
- I am not a politician. I am a working class change candidate that is ready to work with others to get the job done right.
- I promise to always keep in the mind economic, social, and environmental impact when considering policy.

I Will:

- Partner with the Community of Hillsboro and its Citizens to find new ways of making our students, teachers, and schools safer.
- Fight to find new funding by collaborating with the Private Sector, Community, State, and Federal Resources.
- Develop a sustainability committee to stay competitive with an ever-tightening budget.

Parents, Teachers, and Community Members Support Kevin Currin-Smith for Hillsboro school board. Learn More at:

www.KEVINCURRINSMITH.COM

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

(This information furnished by Kevin Currin-Smith for Hillsboro Schools)

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Hillsboro School District 1J

Director, Position 6



Alexander Flores

Occupation: Engineering Analyst, Daimler Trucks North America

Occupational Background: Production Planner, Leupold & Stevens; Production Planner, Sun Microsystems

Educational Background: University of Phoenix, Business Management, Bachelor's of

Science; University of Oregon, High school equivalency, GED

Prior Governmental Experience: Vice-Chair, Cultural Coalition of Washington County

Committed to our community and building strong relationships:

I am presently serving as Chair at Centro Cultural of Washington County and as Vice-Chair for the Cultural Coalition of Washington County. In these positions, I have built consensus and brought together diverse stakeholders. As a School Board member, I will effectively and proactively work on your behalf.

Persistent and goal driven: After dropping out of school, I was awarded the opportunity to complete my high school equivalency degree through The University of Oregon. I later earned my Bachelor's degree in Business Management. Every year, many Oregon students drop out. I understand the challenges associated with this choice and I will work to show students the importance of setting and accomplishing a completion goal.

Recognizes the value of education: As a first generation American who grew up in an immigrant family, I learned the value that education brings to the community. However, for those students who do not wish to pursue a college degree, I will reach out to state and local organizations to ensure that those students have the best career opportunities possible upon graduation.

Planning for our future: I have the energy, enthusiasm, and demonstrated leadership abilities to make a positive difference on the Hillsboro School Board. As a father of four and grandfather of two, I have a personal stake in improving student retention rates, increasing post-graduation preparedness, and focusing on inclusion.

Thank you in advance for your support and for your vote.

Alexander Flores has a wide variety of endorsements:

Dick Schouten, Washington County Commissioner
 Dave Schamp, Council President, Cornelius, OR
 Glenn Miller, Vice Chair, Hillsboro School Board
 Jaime Rodriguez, Workforce Specialist
 Eddie Bolaños, Information Referral Specialist
 Octaviano Mercias, Writer

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Voter Registration Information

Registering to Vote

To vote in Oregon you need to be registered in the county where you reside.

You can register if you can answer yes to these three questions:

- Are you a resident of Oregon?
- Are you a US citizen?
- Are you at least 17 years of age?

If you are 17 years of age, you will not receive a ballot until an election occurs on or after your 18th birthday.

How to register

You can register to vote online at www.oregonvotes.gov or you can get a voter registration card at any of the following places:

- Any County Elections Office
- The Secretary of State's Office
- Some state agencies such as the Division of Motor Vehicles
- A voter registration drive
- Some locations of the United States Postal Service

You can fill the card out in person or send it in by US mail.

You can also print out a registration card online at:

www.oregonvotes.gov

The deadline for new registrations or to make party changes is 21 days prior to Election Day.

What information is required to register?

To complete your registration you will provide your:

- Full legal name
- Home address
- Date of birth
- Signature
- Valid identification

Hillsboro School District 1J

Director, Position 3



Martin Granum

Occupation: County Facility and Park Manager

Occupational Background: 20-year Air Force career (including the Pentagon); Supervisor, Multnomah County; Manager, Washington County

Educational Background: Air Force Academy, Bachelor of Civil

Engineering; Troy State University, Master of Public Administration

Prior Governmental Experience: Budget Committee, Curriculum Advisory Committee, Bond Oversight Committee, Bond Advisory Committee, Urban Road Maintenance Advisory Committee

Community Involvement: Aloha Community Library past president, Church Congregation President, Family Promise Homeless Shelter Volunteer, Butternut Creek PTC, 24 seasons coaching youth sports

Success

Children are the economic future. Martin will:

- Critically examine budgets
- Fight for stable and adequate funding
- Help implement the strategic plan

Leadership

Every child must be career or college ready. Martin knows the key issues:

- Reading success
- Better attendance
- Dual credit/CTE programs
- Increased graduation

Security

Children should be safe. Martin has the experience to:

- Ensure smart, effective facility spending to improve student safety
- Oversee future bonds to ensure ROI for taxpayers

County Commissioner Dick Schouten:

"Martin provided outstanding leadership for the Aloha Library - he is one of the library's key founders. This library is a fantastic addition to the area, so I have no doubt Martin will also achieve great things for our Hillsboro Schools."

Cornelius Council President Dave Schamp:

"I've worked with Martin for years; Martin's a high-quality, ethical leader with energy and passion. He's all about making good decisions for the community and he'd be great on the Hillsboro School Board."

County Commissioner Greg Malinowski

"Martin is a very effective Manager with Washington County, and before that as a citizen on our urban roads advisory committee. We need his effective leadership on the Hillsboro School Board."

The Community Supports Martin!

School Board Director Lisa Allen
Janeen Sollman, State Representative
City Councilor Anthony Martin
City Councilor Kyle Allen

Teri Lenahan, Mayor of North Plains
Planned Parenthood PAC of Oregon
Amy Bates Grant, Past President, Aloha Community Library Association

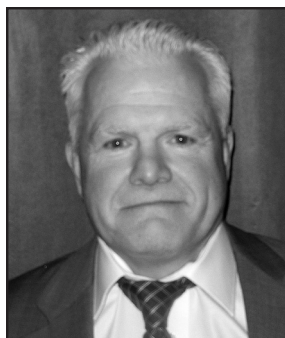
Dick Stenson, Retired CEO, Tuality Healthcare
Walt Hellman, Ph.D., retired Hillsboro High School physics teacher

[facebook.com/MartinGranumforHillsboroSchoolBoard](https://www.facebook.com/MartinGranumforHillsboroSchoolBoard)

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Director, Position 3



Monte Akers

Occupation: Retired Certified Public Accountant

Occupational Background: Portland General Electric – Division Controller; Financial Forecasting, Budget and Accounting Manager; Clean Water Services – Accounting Manager; Curl's Hi-Tech Services, Inc. – Corporate Finance Officer

Educational Background:

University of Washington – Bachelors Degree Business/Accounting; Oregon Certified Public Accountant

Prior Governmental Experience: Hillsboro School District Board Member 2011 – Present; City of Hillsboro Budget and Audit Committees

PLEASE HOLD ME ACCOUNTABLE. For my time on the Hillsboro School Districts Board of Directors I've **WALKED MY TALK.**

Since we started pushing to improve our graduation rate and make it a priority performance objective **we have increased the rate by 6%.** We are not where we want to be but are making substantial progress.

I have spearheaded the funding initiative **(\$250,000) to get STEAM coaches in all our schools**

I have spearheaded the funding initiative **(\$200,000) to restore one third of the cuts from 2008-2011 to our much needed programs of art, drama, leadership, band and sports**

I have championed the effort to **eliminate all participant fees so that ALL our children can participate in extracurricular activities that build soft skills of leadership, communication and teamwork.**

WE NEED TO PARTNER WITH OUR NEIGHBORS IN THE COMMUNITY TO GET STUDENTS RESOURCES THAT ARE NOT AVAILABLE THROUGH NORMAL FUNDING. Through my efforts

I have garnered resources for: Musical Instruments Free Orchards; Library Books and Maintenance Volunteers W.L. Henry; Student and Teacher Appreciation Dinner South Meadows, Evergreen, Poynter, Brown Middle Schools; Girls Get IT HillHi; Shockwave Robotics Glencoe; Culinary Institute Liberty; Culinary Institute Century; Bike Safety Ladd Acres, West Union, North Plains, Butternut Creek, WL Henry; Girls Basketball Uniforms South Meadows; Leadership Century; Science Program Ladd Acres;

Monte Akers has broad support from across our community including:

Hillsboro City Councilors Fred Nachtigal and Darell Lumaco

Glenn Miller – Hillsboro School Board Member

Wayne Cliff – Hillsboro School Board Member

Re-elect "Monte Akers" for Hillsboro School Board and our Students' Success

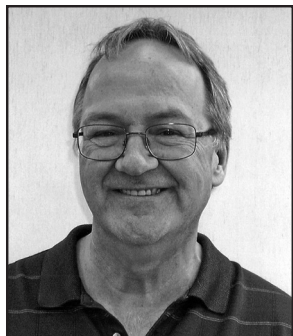
Contact me at monakers@aol.com or 971-678-8363

(This information furnished by Monte Akers)

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Sherwood School District #88JT

Director, Position 3



Michael Hiland

Occupation: Software Engineer

Occupational Background: Software Engineer

Educational Background: Marquette University, Engineering, Bachelors; East Tennessee State University, Political Science, Masters

Prior Governmental Experience: Sherwood School District Budget Committee (2012-present); Sherwood School District Boundary Committee (Middleton)

Additional Sherwood Schools Experience:
 Sherwood Education Foundation Board of Directors (2012-present, President since 2014)
 Sherwood School Bond Measure Campaigns (2016)
 Sherwood School Bond Measure Campaigns (2006, on time and within budget)
 PAC volunteer, youth soccer coach, school funding advocacy
 Four daughters attending Sherwood schools (1996-present).

My goals are to:

- Work with the community to design our new High School to foster a creative and innovative education environment, and to inspire our kids to succeed and serve as adults.
- Create a smooth transition of the middle and elementary levels to the expanded facilities made available by the voters.
- Work to create a more stable funding system to provide consistent, adequate and high quality resources and programs for our children.
- Strengthen our programs serving advanced and at-risk students to help all our children to achieve their potential.
- Expand our technical programs to give our students the skills to meet the opportunities that lie ahead.
- Give our teachers and staff the support they need to excel, innovate and create a high performing education environment.
- Build on our strong community partnership with our families, businesses, police and city government.

Sherwood schools are a critical public investment that helps to make Sherwood a great place to live for all its residents. I would be honored to serve in this role and ask for your vote.

Endorsements:

- Connie Hansen – Sherwood School Board Director
- Dan Jamison – Former Superintendent, Sherwood School District
- Kristie Spurling – Sherwood Education Foundation Vice President
- Kevin Noreen – Former Sherwood School Board Director
- Kate Noreen
- Wendy Wells

(This information furnished by Michael Hiland)

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Director, Position 3



Amber Dahl

Occupation: Full-Time Mom

Occupational Background: School Volunteer; Sherwood PACE Advocacy Group Chair; Volunteer Church Teacher, Leader, & Council Member; Magazine Contributor; Proofreader; Management Intern

Educational Background: Brigham Young University, B.S. Business Management, emphasis in Organizational Behavior

Prior Governmental Experience: None

As a member of the Sherwood School Board, I hope to ensure that all students receive the support and challenge they need to grow and thrive. We are blessed to live in a community whose schools are among the best in the state. We have excellent teachers, caring administrators, and invested school board members that are committed to our continual improvement. I hope to contribute to this process by learning from and applying successful educational practices from communities like ours. As a member of our elected governing body, I intend to work collaboratively to plan for future growth, be wise stewards of taxpayer funds, and respond thoughtfully to complex educational issues. I plan to propose and support district policies that:

- Meet students' diverse learning needs
- Support and empower educators
- Ensure careful consideration, effective follow through, and accurate measurement of school programs, curriculum, and strategies, and
- Emphasize board member responsiveness to public concerns

As a Sherwood parent, I have great appreciation for those who teach, lead, volunteer with, and advocate for our students, and look forward to my opportunity to serve and strengthen our school community over the next four years.

"She is smart, friendly, and . . . will work hard to ensure our district is meeting the needs of all our kids." Nicole Brutosky.

"I enthusiastically give my professional endorsement to Amber Dahl as a Sherwood School Board candidate." Jared Cordon, Administrator for Elementary Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment, Beaver-ton School District

"Amber . . . loves learning and has already constructively invested in the success of Sherwood students. She is self-driven, well organized, determined, and proactive." Meredith Marvin, Sherwood parent, and previous high school teacher

Endorsed by Russell Griffin

(This information furnished by Amber Dahl)

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Sherwood School District #88JT

Director, Position 2



Eric Campbell

Occupation: Member of the Consulting Staff (Mentor Graphics)

Occupational Background: Senior Applications Engineer (1997-2013); Senior Technical Writer (1991-1997)

Educational Background: Oregon Institute of Technology, Electrical Engineering, BS

Prior Governmental Experience: Sherwood School District Board (Director, Vice Chair)

I would like to thank our community for their continued support of our kids by passing the school bond last fall. In addition to constructing a new high school to meet the needs of our growing area, this bond will also provide new technology in the classroom, update curriculum, and protect the community's investment in our existing facilities by addressing deferred maintenance.

If elected, I will continue to work on ensuring that all children receive an outstanding education by:

- Working to ensure all bond projects are delivered on-time and on-budget
- Maximizing our limited resources in the classroom to increase student achievement
- Investing in teaching methodologies that are proven by research to support 21st century skills
- Listening to parents, students, teachers, and community members to ensure that everyone's voice is heard when tough decisions need to be made

As a Board Member, I will continue to work to get the necessary support for every student to accomplish their academic goals. My family has lived in Sherwood for 18 years and I am extremely proud to be a member of this outstanding community. I ask for your vote as we continue to make our town a "Great Place for All Kids".

(This information furnished by Eric Campbell)

The above information has not been verified for accuracy by the county.

Director, Position 4



Patrick Allen

Occupation: Agency director, State of Oregon.

Occupational Background: Banker, 1981-1991; Congressional staff, 1991-1993; Economic development professional, 1993-2003; Public agency administrator, 2003-present

Educational Background: Oregon State University, Economics, B.S.

Prior Governmental Experience: Clackamas County Commission on Children and Families 1994-99, chair 1996-99; Sherwood Urban Renewal Policy Advisory Committee 2002-06; Sherwood Planning Commission 2001-13, chair 2007-13; Sherwood School Board 2013-present

Experienced

- Career background in finance/development/management
- Nearly 20 years in the Sherwood community
- Active/engaged with our kids at all levels in Sherwood schools: classroom, TAG, music/band, athletics

Committed

- Volunteer in the community since 1998
- Three kids graduated from or currently in Sherwood schools
- Volunteer in the classroom and with activities, arts and athletics

Accountable

- Educational achievement of all our children must be our top priority
- Bond projects must be brought in on time and under budget
- We have to maintain our focus on a complete education: academics, arts, athletics, career/college preparation

I have been honored to serve as a Sherwood School Board director these past four years. It has been a privilege to learn about our district, our dedicated staff and teachers, and most of all your kids. Sherwood faces many challenges and exciting opportunities in the four years ahead. I hope you'll agree I have the right mix of experience, commitment and dedication to help lead our district, and I ask for your support on May 16th.

(This information furnished by Patrick Allen)

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Portland Public School District #1JT

Director, Zone 4



Rita Moore

Occupation: Policy Analyst, Oregon Health Authority

Occupational Background: Program Manager, CASA for Children; Assistant Professor, Portland State University

Educational Background: Boston College, BA; Columbia University, PhD

Prior Governmental Experience: PPS 2012 Bond Campaign; PPS Community Budget Review Committee; Superintendent's Advisory Committee on Enrollment and Transfer; Jefferson Cluster Visioning Committee; Bureau Advisory Committee, Portland's Office of Neighborhood Involvement

The first in my family to go to college, education was my ticket out of poverty. For 15 years, as a **single mother, advocate for foster children**, and volunteer on **advisory committees**, I have fought to improve Portland Public Schools because all our children deserve a chance to thrive.

Last year's crises highlighted the need for effective leadership. Our children need Board members prepared to help the new Superintendent transform PPS into a district we can be proud of:

- Careful **stewardship of taxpayer dollars**
- **Equitable access to enriched educational opportunities** for all students
- **Healthy, safe schools** serving the whole community
- **Partnership with the City and County on housing and social services**, providing children the stability they need

"I endorse Rita Moore. For 15 years she's worked directly with parents and students demanding a well-rounded education for ALL children. She challenges issues like over-testing with a knowledge of the changes needed and clear understanding of the actions needed to create an effective, equitable school district." - **Law Frederick**, Oregon State Senator

"At \$690 Million, PPS's general fund budget is bigger than the city's or the county's. As a finance professional, I trust Rita to ensure PPS spends its resources wisely to benefit and protect Portland's children and defend public education." - **Paul Anthony**, PPS School Board

WE STRONGLY ENDORSE RITA MOORE:

Portland Association of Teachers
Portland Federation of School Professionals
BerniePDX
Steve Buel, PPS Board
Siobhan Burke, MESD Board
Juan Rogel, Milenio
Greg McKelvey
Ted Wolf, Parents for Earthquake Preparedness
Jason Trombley
Gabrielle Mercedes Bolívar
Neisha Saxena
Mike Verbout
Betsy Salter

And countless other parents and teachers...

(This information furnished by Friends of Rita Moore)

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Director, Zone 4



Jamila Singleton Munson

Occupation: Institute Director, Summer Teaching Institute, Teach for America

Occupational Background: Educator in public and charter schools in New York and California; School principal in Texas; Education researcher in Portland

Educational Background: Grant High School; SEI Pamplin Fellow; University of Oregon, B.A. PPPM; Pace University, M.S. of Teaching

Prior Governmental Experience: Oregon workgroup on College & Career Readiness

Community Leadership: Co-founder, Community for Equity PDX

The Proven Education Expertise We Need

A PPS graduate, Munson has spent 16 years working in education. She worked in South Bronx and Los Angeles, teaching and empowering kids from historically underserved communities. Today she manages an institute for new teachers and works to ensure curriculum prepares students for success in life.

Collaborative Leadership for Portland Schools

Munson is seeking to replace a self-described "disrupter" whose behavior undermined the work of the Board. Munson pledges to restore collaboration and professionalism to the leadership of the District. Respect for those working to educate our kids must be a foundational value at PPS.

Committed To Creating One Strong PPS

Now is the time to restore the District to excellence, providing for all students regardless of background and needs.

- A clear vision, with accountability for reaching it
- Stronger partnerships with the community
- Reach all parent and student populations
- Healthy & modern school facilities
- Culturally relevant approaches to learning

Community Leaders Trust Munson to Lead Our Schools

Former & Current School Board Members Tom Koehler, Amy Kohnstamm, Pam Knowles, Matt Morton, Karla Wenzel, Douglas Capps, Stephen Griffith, Stephen Kafoury, Frank P. McNamara, Bill Scott, Carol Turner, Bob Van Brocklin, and David Wynde
 Governor Barbara Roberts
 Multnomah County Chairs Deborah Kafoury and Beverly Stein
 Mayor Ted Wheeler
 City Commissioners Nick Fish and Dan Saltzman
 State Senator Avel Gordly
 State Representatives Tawna Sanchez and Diego Hernandez
 MESD Chair Stephen Marc Beaudoin
 Eddie Sherman
 Lee Po Cha
 Kali Thorne Ladd
 Andrew Colas
 Michael Alexander
 Carmen Rubio
 Sheet Metal Workers, #16
 Stand for Children, Inc.
 Color PAC

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Portland Public School District #1JT

Director, Zone 6



Trisha D. Parks

Occupation: Public School Teacher, 25 years

Occupational Background: Beaverton Education Association President

Educational Background: Eastern Washington University, BA English, History, Secondary Education Certificate

Prior Governmental Experience: Atkinson Elementary PTA President, Oregon Education Board of Directors, Oregon State Board of Education Teacher Representative, Beaverton Education Foundation Board, Basic Right's Oregon PAC

I am running for the Portland School Board as a PPS parent, community volunteer, and full-time public school teacher. My service record includes finding solutions, creating effective protocols, and insights into the classroom.

Our limited, public school, resources is a concern. Prioritization of expenditures and their impact is essential. For example, standardized tests are very expensive and do not result in improved instruction. Skilled, job apprenticeship for our graduating seniors is a source in our community that is underutilized.

Parents and community members play an important role in student success. Parents need accessible information to support their students and an uncomplicated access to PPS. Our district can positively impact the achievement gap with community friendly communication systems. PPS central office must be responsive and equitable to our public school communities.

Literacy is the single most important indicator of improving our youth's rise from oppression and poverty. A focus on literacy for all students is a priority for me as an educator, parent and PPS School Board Candidate.

With new leadership in PPS, we have an opportunity to usher in a more, cohesive, future school district. We can listen to our professionals in the schools and create solutions, focus on excellence in literacy, and make inroads in our system's inequities. Together we are Portland Public School District.

Please vote for Trisha D. Parks.

I will work for:

- Smart use of resources
- Parent/Community access
- New inroads for equity
- Literacy focus

(This information furnished by Trisha D. Parks)

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Director, Zone 6



Julia Brim-Edwards

Occupation: Nike, Senior Director; operations, world headquarters, public engagement

Occupational Background: staff-Oregon Legislature, US Senate

Educational Background: Oregon State University, BA; PPS graduate

Prior Governmental Experience: OSU Board of Trustees; Portland School Board, Chair/member; Oregon Education Investment Board; Oregon Child Care Commission

COMMUNITY LEADER: PSU Graduate School of Education Advisory Board; Mt. Tabor MS Site Council; Co-founder, Nike School Innovation Fund; Classroom Volunteer/Mother of three

"We really need Julia's level-headed, effective leadership for stronger neighborhood schools."

--Mayor Ted Wheeler

CHAMPION FOR STUDENTS AND TEACHERS

"Julia challenges the status quo—demanding our fair share of school funding from Salem; **successfully fighting the bureaucracy to restore a full school day for all high schoolers.**"

--Lisa Zuniga, Jane Greenhalgh; Portland Parents Coalition

"PPS kids succeed when deep **community partnerships** are built... Julia will support those!"

--Nichole Maher, Carmen Rubio; Community Leaders

"Julia's number one goal is to **support excellent teaching in every classroom!**"

--Jose Olavarrieta, Dick Cherry, Mary Peake; Portland Teachers

--Vonnie Condon, Rose Bond; retired Portland Principals

RESTORING ACCOUNTABILITY AND TRUST

"Julia has the right experience: **She's the one to make sure more dollars reach the classroom.**"

--Gary Blackmer, former County, City, State Auditor

With her financial and management experience, Julia has:

- successfully overseen large budgets
- increased accountability by hiring an internal PPS auditor
- prioritized classroom budgets over central office administration

Dear Voters,

As a parent and PPS graduate, I want to get our school district back on track. I commit to:

- **Eliminate lead, asbestos, fire hazards** from all schools, now
- **Hold central administration accountable** for more effective management of our schools
- **Academic supports for struggling kids**
- Increase graduation rates, **prepare students for college and career**
- **Push for smaller class sizes**, more college prep courses, Art, Music, PE, career technical education

I'd appreciate your vote, Julia

WE SUPPORT JULIA!

Former Governor Ted Kulongoski
Multnomah County Chair Deborah Kafoury
Stand for Children, Inc.

For Our Children's Future
Legislators Alissa Keny-Guyer, Kathleen Taylor
PPS Board Chair Tom Koehler

Many more: www.JuliaforPortlandSchoolBoard.com

(This information furnished by Julia Brim-Edwards)

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Tigard-Tualatin School District #23JT

Director, Position 3



Karen Emerson

Occupation: School District Volunteer

Occupational Background: Employee Benefits Software Programmer, AllPlans Consulting; Employee Benefits Consultant, Howard Johnson & Co.

Educational Background: Boise State University, MBA; Willamette University, Math and Economics, BA

Prior Governmental Experience: None

TIGARD-TUALATIN SCHOOL DISTRICT EXPERIENCE:

Fowler Parent Support Organization (PSO)

- President (current)
- Online Auction Chair
- Secretary (2015-16)

Mary Woodward Parent Support Organization (PSO)

- President (2013-15)
- Playground Play Structure Replacement Coordinator (2015)
- Classroom and Library Volunteer (2009-15)

The Foundation for Tigard Tualatin Schools

- Vice-President (current)
- Coin Drive Coordinator (2015-current)
- Tee Up Fore Schools Golf Tournament Committee (2012-current)

School District

- Long Range Facilities Planning Committee (2015-16)
- Programs Task Force (2015)
- Strategic Plan Development Committee (2015)

Election Information Advisory Committee (Yes for Tigard-Tualatin Schools)

- Treasurer
- School Liaison Co-Coordinator

Through my years of volunteering, I found my passion advocating for all of our students. We have a strong district and I want to be a part of keeping it strong. I am willing to do the work that being a Board Director requires – participating in presentations, listening, and negotiating for the best solutions for everyone involved.

I want to see the Bond work through to completion. I am passionate about the projects that the district selected, proud that our community passed the Bond by a significant margin, and want to make sure that all of the firms that are hired to complete the construction work care as much about the projects as I do.

(This information furnished by Karen Emerson)

The above information has not been verified for accuracy by the county.

Director, Position 5



Maureen J. Wolf

Occupation: Board of Directors: Tigard-Tualatin School District, 2009-2017: Chair, 2011-13, 2016-17; Vice Chair, 2010-11, 2015-16; Financial Oversight Committee, 2009-2017; Bond Oversight Committee, 2017; Board of Directors: Oregon School Boards Association, 2013-2017; Governance Committee, 2016-17; Staff Advisory Committee, Promise of Oregon Campaign, 2014-2017

Occupational Background: Controller/Project Manager: E3-Employers for Education Excellence, 1998-2004; School-to-Work Liaison: Portland Public Schools, 1995-1998

Educational Background: Purdue University, Management, Master of Science; Indiana University, Accounting, Bachelor of Science

Prior Governmental Experience: Commissioner: Teacher Standards and Practices Commission, 2017

VOLUNTEER COMMUNITY EXPERIENCE

Tigard-Tualatin School District, 2005-17

Tigard High School Mentor, 2013-2017

The Foundation for Tigard Tualatin Schools, 2005-2009

- Chair, Board of Directors, 2007-09
- Treasurer, Chair-elect, 2005-07

Citizens' Action Group – Election Information Advisory Group, 2008-2016

Construction & Technology Bond: Director of Fundraising & Steering Committee, 2011 & 2016

Local Option Levy: Steering Committee, 2008; Treasurer, 2014

City of Tigard, 2010

Transportation Advisory Committee

CANDIDATE STATEMENT

Robust public schools are essential for any community. For the past eight years, I have served with the belief that all children deserve a quality education, strengthened by diverse opportunities and challenging curriculum.

My first year on the board was the beginning of the Great Recession. During that time, we successfully managed our district reserves to maintain full school years and class electives. We continued to expand student opportunities by opening two-way immersion programs and an online academy. In the past three years, we have added 92 teachers, lengthened the elementary school day, expanded STEM and Dropout Prevention programs. Additionally, we have added family and community outreach, counseling and mental health programs and new teacher mentoring structures. Finally, in 2016 we fulfilled our commitment to fully restore financial reserves. I am especially proud of the district's plan to build for the future as designed by our \$291 million bond measure approved this past November.

ENDORSEMENT

Stand for Children, Inc.

(This information furnished by Maureen J. Wolf)

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Tigard-Tualatin School District #23JT

Director, Position 1



Robin Gensler

Occupation: Engineering Consultant, Albertsons/Safeway

Occupational Background: Director, Industrial Engineering, Safeway; Industrial Engineer, EDS

Educational Background: Portland State University, Engineering Management; Oregon State University, Industrial Engineering, BS

Prior Governmental Experience: None

My interest in serving as a School Board member stems from my passion for public education. I believe that the education system is the backbone of every community and that an important aspect of our success resides in the partnership created between the school district and the community.

As a parent in this district for over 25 years, my community involvement has included:

- assisting on several district-wide visioning and steering committees
- passionately championing the School Based Health Centers
- aiding with Foundation fundraising activities
- serving on PSO executive boards
- chairing school fundraising committees

My volunteer participation has provided me with widespread knowledge of our district and allowed me to create community ties spanning nearly every school.

Having had several children attend TTSD schools – engaged in academics, sports, music, and art – I believe I can offer a broad perspective. My open communication style will assist me with building rapport and navigating the educational environment to facilitate the success of all students. As a data-driven person, I understand the value and limitation of facts and figures and the need to acquire both quantitative and qualitative information when making thoughtful decisions that affect a variety of people.

My 28 years of engineering experience include employing critical thinking skills, assisting organizations through significant change, providing vision for business initiatives, and fostering collaborative working environments. I believe my professional experience coupled with my community volunteer activities will bring added value to the board. I understand the importance of having a balanced perspective and the necessity to make decisions that are in the best interest of every student.

As I consider the future challenges facing this district and education in general, I would like the opportunity to bring my background and experience to the board and help make choices that have a positive impact for students.

Endorsements: Barry Albertson

(This information furnished by Robin Gensler)

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Director, Position 1



Paul Grun

Occupation: System Architect, Advanced Technology Development, Cray Inc.

Occupational Background: 38 years' experience as a leader in high technology

Educational Background: Syracuse University, Economics, BAEcon; Syracuse University, Engineering, BSEE

Prior Governmental Experience: None

My wife and I have lived in the same home in Tigard for nearly 23 years, raising our two kids here. Both have since gone on to distinguish themselves academically with our daughter enrolled as an undergraduate in New York city, while our son is pursuing an MD/PhD degree at Yale. I mention this not to brag, but because their success is a direct testament to the Tigard-Tualatin School District. This is an excellent school district of which we can be very proud.

But that doesn't mean that there are not problems to solve and improvements to be made. I see the role of the School Board as one of partnering with the district's professional staff, led by Superintendent Brown, to deliver on our community's shared objectives. Chief among those must be the idea that a strong primary and secondary education is the very foundation of the society in which we all want to live. Our schools are just that important.

I am not an education professional although I have spent some time volunteering in our schools. To my eye there are certainly areas that seem to demand attention. Class size is obviously a key determinant of the success of any school system. Just as important are the programs, both inside and outside of school hours, to ensure that the needs of all our students are met.

None of this comes cheaply; in an era of shrinking budgets we as a School Board are called on to use a combination of creativity and difficult tradeoffs to find ways to meet the needs of the next generation of leaders.

My promise is to bring this spirit of creative problem solving, coupled with realistic compromise, to the Board.

Endorsed by Dr. Barry Albertson, retiring member of the Board.

(This information furnished by Committee to Elect Paul Grun)

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Tigard-Tualatin School District #23JT West Linn-Wilsonville School District (JT)

Director, Position 1



Sharon Fox

Occupation: Health care administrator

Occupational Background: Over 25 Years in Business and Health Care Administration; Held leadership, management and/or consulting positions at: Oregon Health Leadership Council (2013-2016); Children's Health Alliance and Children's Health Foundation

(2006-2013); Kaiser Permanente; Providence Medical Center

Educational Background: University of Washington, Health Administration, M.H.A.; University of Portland, Business Administration, B.A.

Prior Governmental Experience: None

A mom who is an involved parent.

- Has two TTSD school students; one THS graduate and one current student.
- Knows her students' teachers, principal, coaches, counselors, and some staff.
- Actively volunteers in her students' school activities.

A volunteer who enjoys serving people in her community.

- Tigard High School Site Council
- Tigard High School Career Mentor
- FCA Advisory Board Member
- Coffee Creek Women's Correctional Facility – Prison Fellowship volunteer

A professional business leader who has demonstrated expertise in:

- children's health care management,
- capital planning, facility planning and financial analysis,
- contract negotiations,
- quality improvement,
- business and strategic planning,
- and small business and non-profit management.

A School Board member who will:

- Consider the needs of all students to equip and educate them for success in the workforce or higher education.
- Listen to parents, students, teachers and community members to ensure all voices are heard, particularly involving complex or tough decisions.
- Set/modify and ensure the administration of appropriate policies to meet the district's goals.
- Proactively and responsibly oversee the finances and resource allocation to educate all children in the district.
- Actively monitor the \$291 million in construction projects, funded by bonds approved by voters in 2016, to prevent scope creep/changes and budget overages.
- Invest in teaching strategies and curriculums that are proven best practices.
- Foster community and business partnerships to support students and provide enrichment opportunities.

Endorsements:

Terri Burnette, Tigard-Tualatin School District School Board Member (current)

Nick Wilson, former Tigard City Counselor, 2002-2012.

Mark Neffendorf, Principal, Tigard High School, 2009-2015

Jill Sims, School to Career Coordinator/Mentor Program Coordinator, Tigard High School (2002 – Present)

(This information furnished by Sharon Fox)

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Director, Position 1



Regan Sonnen Molatore

Occupation: Construction Administration for commercial construction projects benefiting both public and private entities.

Occupational Background: Construction litigation lawyer.

Educational Background: University of Oregon Law School, JD; University of San Diego, BA.

Prior Governmental Experience: WLWV School District Board, 2013-Present (current Vice-Chair, past Chair).

Unwavering Commitment

As your WLWV School Board Vice-Chair, I am running to serve you for another term. I'm committed to our communities and want to maintain the strong reputation of our school district. In addition to serving on the Board, I spend time volunteering as a soccer, robotics and middle school mock congressional coach. The high-quality of our schools is why my husband, Clifton, and I choose WLWV for our children.

My 30+ years of living in the district included my own K-12 experience, culminating as a WLHS graduate. My roots are strong, deep and loyal!

The Strength of our Communities Begins with Our Schools

Talented and dedicated people in our schools and in our communities give generous amounts of time and resources to keep our schools great. My years of Board experience and professional legal skills have prepared me to make sound academic and financial decisions for our schools. Our district's reputation for excellence not only benefits families with kids, but contributes to increased property values for all homeowners.

Accomplishments

I'm proud of many things we've accomplished during my first term:

- Our **high schools achieved AP Honor roll status each year** and graduation rates are among the highest in the state.
- We received community approval for a bond and levy to fund capital improvements and teaching positions.
- We **decreased class sizes** and added sustainable teaching positions across the district.
- We have been accountable to taxpayers during the bidding and construction of two new schools that are **being built on time and under budget**.
- We prioritized the district's work around equity and elimination of opportunity gaps.

My commitment to our schools and your children is unshakable. VOTE REGAN MOLATORE!

For more information and endorsements visit www.facebook.com/reganforschoolboard

(This information furnished by Regan Sonnen Molatore)

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West Linn-Wilsonville School District (JT)

Director, Position 3



Grady Nelson

Occupation: Real Estate Broker

Occupational Background:
Retired Police Officer

Educational Background:
B.S., Portland State University;
A.A.O.T., Clackamas Community College

Prior Governmental Experience:

WLWV School District Long Range Planning Committee & Bond Oversight 2015-Present; WLWV Boundary Committee 2016; Boeckman Creek PTA President 2012-2016, President of local Police Association, 2015-2017

Community Service: Coach, Wilsonville youth sports; Director, Wilsonville Youth Lacrosse; Volunteer, Brian Grant Foundation

Family: Married, Suzanne; children, Karlee, Jordan and Eli

Stepping up to Serve

I've loved serving the WLWV School District in a variety of capacities. I'm seeking a position on the board because as a parent, I'm committed to education outcomes of our students. And as a taxpayer, I want to ensure people in our community are getting a good value for their tax dollars.

A native Oregonian, my family moved here primarily because of our great school district.

A History of Community Leadership

- 20 years of local police service.
- 10 years coaching youth sports.
- 3 years as PTA President with countless volunteer hours for school events.
- Currently director of local youth program.

As a police officer, my passion was caring for children. I participated in mentoring programs, peer courts, substance abuse programs and concentrated my efforts to ensure every child, despite their background, was given the best opportunity to succeed. I want the same for our students.

Consistency, Transparency, Communication

As a school board member I'm committed to providing excellent leadership and communication to our community while being transparent in our actions.

It's important the district continues offering quality programs while seeking additional avenues to expand our children's education. As a board member, I'll look forward to working alongside knowledgeable district professionals to address our growth, safety and security. I'm ready to engage with our legislators to protect school budgets, and make sure money reaches the classroom.

Investing in our children's education to provide them the best outcomes is my top priority!

For more information and endorsements visit www.facebook.com/gradyforschoolboard

Please VOTE GRADY NELSON - I'd be honored to earn your vote!

(This information furnished by Grady Nelson)

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Director, Position 5



Trey Maust

Occupation: Co-President/CEO and Board Member at Lewis & Clark Bank, a community bank that assists proprietors and local businesses

Occupational Background:
Entrepreneur and experienced board member with executive, strategic, financial, and talent leadership roles through a career in accounting, finance, and banking; Certified Public Accountant

Educational Background: Portland State University, Business Administration – Accounting, BS; Yamhill Carlton High School, 12

Prior Governmental Experience: WLWV School District Budget Committee; Sunset Primary School Site Council

I am a native Oregonian. My wife Betsy and I have lived in West Linn for 13 years. During this time, I have volunteered in the classroom, at special events, on site council, and as a member of the district's Budget Committee. Through our two boys, one a freshman at West Linn High School and the other a fifth grader at Sunset Primary School, we have experienced firsthand how our district's teachers, parents, and administration come together to create an environment where children strive to achieve their full potential.

West Linn-Wilsonville is an outstanding school district. We should protect this achievement and build upon it as the foundation for further success. Education is an essential investment in the future of each child. It is just as essential to the future of our community, our economy, and our society as a whole.

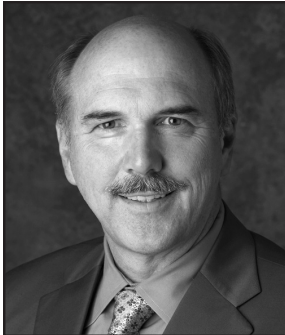
As a member of several for-profit and nonprofit boards, I bring direct experience in guiding short-term goals and long-term strategy from concept to reality, while considering the impact and ideal balance for all stakeholders. In particular, I recognize the importance of supporting our teachers and staff who make it all happen in the classrooms and around the district, while at the same time being a strong steward of taxpayer money and not losing sight of the district's mission, which asks, "How do we create learning communities for the greatest thinkers and most thoughtful people...for the world?"

Please join me in making the district's mission a reality.

Vote for **Trey Maust**.

(This information furnished by Trey Maust)

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Cornelius Rural Fire District	Tualatin Valley Fire & Rescue District
Director, Position 2	Director, Position 2
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Tualatin Valley Fire & Rescue District

Washington County Fire District 2

Director, Position 3

Director, Position 1



Gordon L Hovies

Occupation: Retired Lieutenant/ EMT, Portland Fire & Rescue

Occupational Background: Volunteer Firefighter Tualatin Rural Fire Protection District, Professional Firefighter Clackamas County Fire District #54, Professional Firefighter/Officer Portland Fire & Rescue, Communication and Security Business Experience

Educational Background: Eastern Oregon University – Fire Administrative Studies, Portland Community College – AAS Fire Protection Technology, Western Oregon University – Advanced & Basic Fire Institute/Administrators Certificate

Prior Governmental Experience: 2009 to Present: Tualatin Valley Fire & Rescue Fire Board Member, 2015 to Present: President of TVF&R Fire Board, Present Member of METRO - Metro Policy Advisory Committee, Present Member of Clackamas County ALS Consortium.

Dedicated – Experienced – Knowledgeable

Gordon Hovies is running as an incumbent for a third four-year term on the Tualatin Valley Fire & Rescue (TVF&R) Fire Board. He has resided in the area served by TVF&R for over 50 years and graduated from Tigard school system. Gordon is dedicated to ensuring TVF&R continues to deliver exceptional, value added, and fiscally responsible service to the Citizens and businesses of the district and has proven this commitment serving 8 years as a Fire Board Member.

Mr. Hovies' 34 years of Professional Fire Service experience coupled with his commitment to conscientious use of taxpayer dollars has helped ensure the taxpayers of TVF&R continue to receive the best possible services in the most dollar efficient manner. Whether finding innovative ways to build new facilities and purchase equipment, supporting new service delivery ideas in the district, or evaluating cost effective service and equipment improvements, Gordons' common sense style, rich insight, and ability to work with the Administration and the Firefighters' Union have helped make TVF&R a stronger and more cost-effective Fire District.

Gordon will ensure TVF&R continues to:

- Be Financially Responsible and Stable,
- Keep up to date with the latest pertinent Technology, Training and Staffing,
- Actively Coordinate and Collaborate with other Fire Departments and Municipal entities

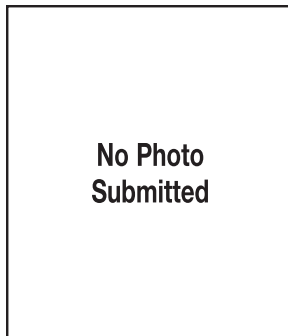
Gordon Been Endorsed By:

Denny Doyle, Mayor of Beaverton
John Cook, Mayor of Tigard
Andy Duyck, Chair of Washington County

Re-elect Gordon Hovies – TVF&R Fire Position #3

(This information furnished by Gordon L Hovies)

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No Photo Submitted

Peggy Halley

Occupation: Retired from Fire Service

Occupational Background: Firefighter/Battalion Chief - City of Lake Oswego - 28.5 years; Adjunct Instructor - Portland Community College - 3 years

Educational Background: Portland Community College, Fire Science, AA

Prior Governmental Experience: Board Member - Washington County Fire District #2 since 2011; Board Member and President - Homeowners Association - Pacific City, OR

(This information furnished by Peggy Halley)

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Washington County Fire District 2

Director, Position 2



Donald Lee Haynes

Occupation: 1985-Present Mountainside Cemetery Corporation, Manager, Secretary, Treasurer.

Occupational Background: Owner/Operator, Scholls Automotive (30 yrs-retired); Firefighter/EMT / Officer (volunteer); Washington County Fire District #2 (1963-2001); Director, Mountainside Cemetery Corporation (35 years); Scholls

Grange #338 Overseer (Present); Past Chairman, Sherwood Elks Lodge #2342.

Educational Background: Hillsboro Union High School, General Studies, Graduate, 1963

Prior Governmental Experience: Washington County District 2 (WCFD2) Board of Directors 2009-Present, elected as Vice President and Secretary/Treasurer; Washington County Consolidated Communications Agency Budget Committee Member; WCFD 2 Volunteer Firefighter/EMT and Officer (38 years); Washington County Fireman's Association, serving as President, Secretary, and treasurer; US Army Reserves 1964-1970 E-5.

(This information furnished by Donald Lee Haynes)

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Tualatin Valley Water District

Commissioner, Position 1



Bernice Bagnall

Occupation: Commissioner, Tualatin Valley Water District

Occupational Background: Chief Financial Officer for TVWD for 11 years; retired in 2011; Business Operations Director for Clean Water Services; 5 years; Utilities Economist for the City of Portland; 8 years; Consulting Economist for CH2M HILL, Inc.; 3 years; Energy

Use Analyst for Pacific Power; 5 years

Educational Background: Portland State University, Applied Economics, Bachelor of Science, high honors; Harvard University, School of Negotiation, Certificate; Oregon State University, Pacific Program for Leadership, Certificate

Prior Governmental Experience: Commissioner, Tualatin Valley Water District; Past President, Oregon Government Finance Officer's Association; Oregon State Municipal Debt Advisory Commission; 2003 PERS reform governor's taskforce

Few things are more important for healthy families and vibrant communities than an abundant, high-quality water supply that is delivered reliably and affordably. Our rapidly growing County will require significantly more water in the near future, and it is critical that we protect ourselves from natural disasters by developing multiple sources. I am a 40 year resident of Washington County, and I currently have the honor of serving on the Board of TVWD. As a special district TVWD is able to focus on the single mission of providing reliable, high-quality water to current and new customers. The District has taken the lead in assessing the available source options and partnering with local communities to secure the water supply we need now and in the future.

My 30+ year career in the utility industry (water, wastewater, and energy) and my years of experience as Chair of the American Water Works Association Rates & Charges committee have given me an in-depth understanding of what is needed to keep water rates equitable and affordable, and to stay responsive to customer input.

With your vote, I promise to use my experience to advocate for strategies that provide efficient use of ratepayer dollars while continuing to deliver the best water, service, and value to our community. I promise to remember that we work for you, and I thank you for your support.

(This information furnished by Bernice Bagnall)

The above information has not been verified for accuracy by the county.

Tualatin Valley Water District

Commissioner, Position 2



Dick Schmidt

Occupation: Retired laboratory analyst; environmental technician.

Occupational Background: Analytical laboratories, 30 years; surface and groundwater investigations, 8 years; infrastructure development, 4 years; environmental and sustainability services, 9 years.

Educational Background: Oregon State University, Linn-Benton Community College.

Prior Governmental Experience: Commissioner, Tualatin Valley Water District. Member, Joint Water Commission; Member, the Tualatin Basin Water Supply Project. City of Portland Bureau of Environmental Services: Water Pollution Control Laboratory, 9 years; Industrial Stormwater Control, 3 years. City of Portland Office of Sustainable Development, 6 years. Department of Defense and defense contractors, 14 years.

RE-ELECT DICK SCHMIDT KNOWLEDGE * EXPERIENCE * COMMON SENSE

Superior, Safe Drinking Water

Clean water is a precious resource. Our future depends on maintaining a sustainable supply of high-quality water. We must use the highest scientific standards to provide superior drinking water while facing the challenges of continued growth on the existing water supply.

A Secure Future, Local Control

We continue to work toward long-term water security and rate stability. The plan to obtain our own principal water source and treatment plant for Tualatin Valley Water District ratepayers is on track. It will ease our dependence on outside sources and provide a critically-needed additional source to serve future generations. Now, more than ever, we need to ensure our water security, affordability and control over costs — and our future.

Your Vote, Your Voice

It is an honor and privilege to serve as your voice in Position 2. With your vote, I will use my background in surface and groundwater studies, engineering and laboratory experience to advocate for strategies and decisions that provide abundant, quality water at the best value for our limited funds. Thank you.

(This information furnished by Dick Schmidt)

The above information has not been verified for accuracy by the county.

Commissioner, Position 3



Jim Duggan

Occupation: Civil and Environmental Engineer

Occupational Background: Senior Engineer/Site Development Division Manager/Floodplain Manager, City of Beaverton Public Works Department. Served in various positions with the City since 1984.

Educational Background: Portland State University, Bachelor of Science, Civil Engineering; Sunset High School Graduate

Prior Governmental Experience: Commissioner, Tualatin Valley Water District (1993-Present); Regional Water Providers Consortium Board (1998-Present); Joint Water Commission Board (1996-2002)

Thank you for letting me serve as your Water Commissioner for nearly 24 years. By reading this voters' pamphlet, you truly care about your water system. Provision of high quality, safe, and reliable water at a reasonable price should not be taken for granted. This is why I have chosen to serve and seek re-election as Commissioner.

As a life-long resident of Cedar Hills, I am keenly aware of the District's history and importance to the economic well-being of Washington County.

It is my vision that the District will continue to pursue sustainable practices, explore economic efficiencies, assure emergency water supplies, and properly plan for growth.

The past two years have presented challenges in conforming to the Payment Card Industry (PCI) security requirements for on-line payments. The current on-line credit card payment system was a huge mistake and thankfully the District is now on track to replace it soon with a much more user-friendly system.

VOTERS SHOULD DECIDE FLUORIDATION POLICY CHANGES

The fluoridation question is difficult. Currently, pharmaceutical-grade, sodium-fluoride additive is now used within the Wolf Creek Highway portion of our District (the Metzger portion has no fluoride addition). I firmly believe that the decision to fluoridate or not should be made only through voter initiative and approval.

PREPARING FOR THE FUTURE

The District has a long history of successes and an excellent staff. I am determined to maintain and improve the efficient, reliable operation of the District not only for our community today but also for the benefit of future generations.

(This information furnished by James J. Duggan)

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Tigard Water District

Commissioner, Position 1



Gordy Winterrowd

Occupation: Retired from a Career in Business.

Occupational Background: Over 35 years in the business community.

Educational Background: Oregon State University, General Science, Bachelor of Science

Prior Governmental Experience: Presently serving the Tigard Water District Board (TWD) as Commissioner/Secretary.

Family: Married to Janet for 37 years, three children, two grandsons

Gordy has proudly served his Community as:

- Board Member - The Foundation for Tigard Tualatin Schools
- Cascade Pacific Council - Boy Scouts of America
- Cabinet - United Way of Greater Portland
- President - Mount Hood Ski Patrol
- Currently Volunteers with Science - Portland Public Schools.

Gordy has lived within the boundary of the TWD since 1995. Having volunteered with a number of organizations outside of Tigard, Gordy wants to offer his time locally. As the incumbent he works well with other Commissioners. Gordy has the background, experience, and knowledge to do an excellent job. He wants to continue into a new term, bringing clean, reliable, and affordable water to the TWD residents. Thank you for the opportunity to serve you !

Endorsements:

Mark Highland, Former TWD Commissioner
 Dimitar (Mitko) Gankov, TWD Commissioner
 Maureen Wolf

“With the tough water decisions to come, I hope to continue working with Gordy on the TWD Board of Commissioners for the next 4 years.”

Ken Henschel, Chairman of TWD Board

“For the last year while working with Gordy on the board, he has executed his duties professionally and with a high level of integrity. Gordy is now familiar and experienced with the duties of the commissioner position and I strongly recommend he be elected to the next full term of office.”

Gary Burns, TWD Commissioner

“As a TWD Commissioner I’d like to give my full endorsement and ask for you support for Gordy Winterrowd (Incumbent) candidate for the Tigard Water Board. Gordy has represented our community professionally; selflessly giving countless hours, energy and he possesses a mass of knowledge he brings to the Commission. I’m asking you to retain Gordy Winterrowd on the TWD.”

Thomas H. Lauritzen, TWD Commissioner

(This information furnished by Gordy Winterrowd)

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Commissioner, Position 1



W. Jay Ready

Occupation: Notary Public for the State of Oregon

Occupational Background: Notary Public for the State of Oregon

Educational Background: Marylhurst University, Human Resources, Enrolled- Certificate; Marylhurst University, Business

leadership, Enrolled-Bachelors of Science; Pioneer Pacific College, Legal Assistant, N/A

Prior Governmental Experience: Notary Public for the State of Oregon

Commissioned by the state of Oregon as a notary public, I bear witness to the signing of documents and administer oaths. In addition to this, my training and certification allows me to specialize in the collection of affidavits and authenticate signatures. As a Notary public, I have assisted in legal document support and verification for office and administrative support workers, Tigard-Tualatin School District, court reporters and many post-secondary educational facilities and training programs.

As a Notary public, I have been constituted by law to serve the public in non-contentious matters usually concerned with estates, deeds, powers-of-attorney, foreign and international business. Specializing in affidavits and statutory declarations my certification witnesses and authenticates the execution of certain classes of documents, take acknowledgments of deeds and other conveyances, protest notes and bills of exchange and provide notice of foreign drafts. Notary public’s such as me are often utilized by state governing bodies to prevent fraud and theft within public matters. As a result of this, it has enhanced my ability to serve the general public in my position regardless of race, religion, natural origin, ethnicity, sex, sexual orientation, gender identification or disability. Being afforded the public trust in such a position encourages me to continue to provide fair and equal treatment under our existing laws for the betterment of our society.

(This information furnished by W. Jay Ready)

The above information has not been verified for accuracy by the county.

Tigard-Tualatin Aquatic District

Director, Position 3



Tim Esau

Occupation: Sr. Systems Analyst at Oregon Department of Transportation (2015-present)

Occupational Background: Business Systems Analyst, Epiq Systems (2014); System Analyst, Intel Corporation (2002-2014)

Educational Background: University of Oregon, Applied

Information Management, MS-IT; Oregon Institute of Technology, Electronic Engineering Technology, BS-EET

Prior Governmental Experience: Budget Committee Person, Tigard – Tualatin Aquatic District, (2013 – to Present) - appointed; Alternate Member, Tigard Transportation Advisory Committee, City of Tigard (2015, 2016) - appointed; Alternate Member, Tigard Budget Committee, City of Tigard (2014) - appointed; Precinct 404 Committee Person, Washington County, (2012, 2014, 2016) - elected

For more nearly 30 years, I have enjoyed the resources and facilities of our city. I am a married father of four (ages 13-18) seeking to insure my children will continue to have access to the same community advantages that have enriched my life. My wife of 23 years and I strive to build a sense of personal responsibility into each of our children's lives, with the knowledge that they will be connected and productive within our community.

My deep sense of community grows out of respect for our city and our state, believing every individual should take personal responsibility for his or her own life, serving for the good of society comes with such responsibility. I wish to demonstrate my desire to serve for the good of society by serving on the Tigard-Tualatin Aquatic District board. It is one way I can help share the work of improving these valuable assets. Through participation on the board I will have opportunity to influence direction and secure pool access and operations for the future.

I am a strong believer of all liberties our beloved Constitution provides. I support limited government and sound fiscal policies. I understand the importance stable funding allowing sound financial operation thereby ensuring this great resource in the future.

I am asking for your vote. Please vote for **TIM ESAU**, your newest board member of the Tigard- Tualatin Aquatic District.

(This information furnished by Tim Esau)

The above information has not been verified for accuracy by the county.

Director, Position 3

No Photo Submitted

Elaine Goldsmith

Occupation: Freelance writer

Occupational Background: Technical support, childcare

Educational Background: University of Oregon, Education, Master of Education; University of Oregon, History major, Business minor, Bachelor of Arts; Lake Oswego High School, High School Diploma

Prior Governmental Experience: None

I am running for Tigard-Tualatin Aquatic district because I firmly believe in the need for a community pool. When I worked in childcare while at college, we used to bring the children to a local aquatic center. The children loved it, and I enjoyed myself as well. That is my goal- to make the pool a welcoming and fun place for the community, where great memories can be made. To do that, I will focus on programming for all ages, as well as working to ensure access for community groups as well as local families.

To be a community center, the Aquatic District also needs an easy to use and inviting web presence. I will examine how we can improve that web presence and make it so when families and community organizations are looking for something to do, their local pool is easy to find, as well as easy to figure out when to use it. People coming and using the pools is the reason for them to exist, so making sure that it's easy to do is a major goal of mine to help with making the pool accessible.

When I swim, I float. That's what I want for these pools, to be kept afloat, and be a relaxing, enjoyable place for the community. Help me make that vision possible.

(This information furnished by Elaine Goldsmith)

The above information has not been verified for accuracy by the county.

Tualatin Hills Park & Recreation District

Director, Position 1



Larry Pelatt

Occupation: Purchasing Manager - City of Portland

Occupational Background: Purchasing Manager 2016 - Present; Procurement Supervisor 2012 - 2016; Procurement Coordinator 2009-2012; Purchasing Agent - Canby Utility - 2008; Small Business Owner - Western Sales, Inc 1996 - 2008

Educational Background: Portland State University, Human Resource Management, Certificate; Montana State University, Business Administration, Bachelor of Arts

Prior Governmental Experience: Tualatin Hills Park and Recreation Board of Director 2005, 2009, 2013; Tualatin Hills Athletic Advisory Committee 1999 - 2005; Tualatin Hills Park Foundation 2003 - 2015

I am able to use the experience and expertise from my position at the City of Portland to act in the capacity of an advisor to the District in matters relating to contracts which has saved the District significant money over the course of the last 12 years. I was also able to help the District establish a Contractor Equity program which allows an advantage to small Disadvantaged, Minority and Women owned businesses. My 35 years in private sector businesses and 12 years on the Board have given me great insight into how budgets are developed and managed. One of the most important duties of the Board is to develop and manage the budget. It is critical to have this understanding so that we can effectively judge which services or programs are retained and enhanced or eliminated. My goals for the next 4 years are to complete the 2008 Bond projects, complete the development of the new Community Park which contains our sports field for challenged patrons, continue our work with Public/Private Partnerships to leverage taxpayer money, expand our program offerings to Communities of Color and single parents with children, and work with other agencies to develop policies around our participation in helping to alleviate the homelessness issue in Washington County. I have been endorsed by Jerry Jones the current President of the Board to continue my work because he believes I am an asset and bring value to the Board. I humbly ask for your support to continue my commitment and work.

(This information furnished by Larry Pelatt)

The above information has not been verified for accuracy by the county.

Director, Position 1



Felicita Monteblanco

Occupation: Coordinator, Vision Action Network

Occupational Background: Events Manager, Albertina Kerr

Educational Background: University of San Francisco, BA

Prior Governmental Experience: Hillsboro Library Board (representing unincorporated Washington County)

Previous Volunteer Experience: Latino Social Hour + Learning Component (founder), Hands on Greater Portland, Metro Master Recycler Program

From classes as a child, to games on the soccer fields, to my first job for THPRD at age 15 and now, weekly visits to our nature parks, I know first-hand that THPRD is a vital community asset to Beaverton and the surrounding unincorporated areas.

I want to ensure long-term success for THPRD and that requires ensuring we are serving all families from every part of our district equitably. As a young woman of color, I will offer a fresh voice not currently on the all-male Board.

“Please join me in voting for Felicita. Her experience in collaboration across local organizations, coupled with bringing diversity and energy to the THPRD Board of Directors, is just what the community needs.”

-Lacey Beaty, Beaverton City Councilor

I am committed to:

- **Greater Engagement of Community Partners.** Last year I served over 80 unique nonprofits and I will bring those established relationships with me.
- **Engaging Younger Adults in Programming.** It is critical to our future that we encourage young adults' participation at THPRD to ensure our legacy of accessible parks and activities is carried forward.
- **Stronger Partnerships with Government Entities.** In a world in which resources are shrinking and greater collaboration is needed, THPRD needs to be at the table, alongside other government bodies, to establish shared goals that can support more services of value to you.

Proudly endorsed by:

Metro Councilor Kathryn Harrington
 All City of Beaverton Councilors
 County Commissioners: Greg Malinowski, Dick Schouten
 State Representatives: Jeff Barker, Sheri Malstrom, Janeen Sollman
 State Senator Chuck Riley
 Beaverton School Board: Anne Bryan, Becky Tymchuk, Donna Tyner,
 LeeAnn Larsen, Eric Simpson
 Washington County Sheriff Pat Garrett

More Endorsements at: felicitathprd.com

(This information furnished by Friends of Felicita)

The above information has not been verified for accuracy by the county.

Tualatin Hills Park & Recreation District

Director, Position 2



Jerry Jones Jr.

Occupation: President - Lanphere Construction & Development

Occupational Background: 20 years in Construction Management, Land Use Planning, Contract Procurement for Commercial Projects and Residential Developments

Educational Background: Montana State University, Construction Management; Aloha High School

Prior Governmental Experience: Current Board President, Tualatin Hills Park and Recreation Board of Directors; State of Oregon Construction Contractors Board; City of Beaverton Urban Redevelopment Agency

Previous THPRD Sports Advisory Committee, Beaverton Chamber of Commerce Board Chairman, Beaverton Visioning Advisory Committee, Washington County Homeless Plan Action Committee, Washington County Development Liaison Committee, TVF&R Community Academy, Beaverton Police Citizens Academy, Leadership Beaverton

Neighbors,
I am asking for your vote for RE-ELECTION to continue to serve at THPRD. I am so lucky to have grown up within our District. My wife Mary and I feel fortunate that we are raising our three children here with access to such amazing Facilities, Programs, Trails, Sports, and Beautiful Natural Areas!

When I was elected, I promised to bring a fresh new perspective to the board. Our community is growing more diverse by the day, and by having a point of view that was absent it has been a great asset when reviewing many policies that govern all users.

I have continued to bring responsible management and a sustainable approach to governing. I am focused on our strong fiscal policies, our award-winning budget process, accountable use of resources, and environmental stewardship, to insure we are getting the maximum return on every dollar spent.

Thank you for supporting THPRD and I ask for your vote to continue to serve!

Endorsed by:

Every Current THPRD Director: John Griffiths; Ali Kavianian; Larry Pelatt; Bob Scott

THPRD Programs & Events Committee Chair: Bill Kanable; **THPRD Parks & Facilities Committee Chair:** Layton Rosencrance

Beaverton Mayor: Denny Doyle

Beaverton Councilors: Lacey Beaty; Betty Bode; Mark Fagin; Marc San Soucie

Washington County Commissioners: Andy Duyck, Chair; Dick Schouten

Metro Councilor: Kathryn Harrington

Oregon State Representatives: Jeff Barker; Sheri Malstrom

Oregon State Senator: Mark Hass

Additional information: www.votejerryjones.com
or www.facebook.com/jerryjonesforthprd

(This information furnished by Jerry Jones Jr.)

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Director, Position 3



Lori Waldo

Occupation: Project Manager, Nike, Inc.

Occupational Background: Project Manager

Educational Background: M.S. MIS, B.S. Marketing

Prior Governmental Experience: Chair, Metro Committee for Citizen

Involvement; Chair, CPO 7; Washington County URMD and ESPD Budget Committee

14 YEARS OF DEMONSTRATED COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP – VOLUNTEERING FOR LIVABLE AND ACTIVE COMMUNITIES:

- **Founder, Bethany Neighborhood Coalition** – Organized leaders, developers and community members to secure 40 acres of connected parks and protect natural habitats
- **Jacob Wismer LSC** - Built school track, soccer field, and baseball diamond; organized and led school boundary advocacy
- **Created Kaiser Woods Park** - Obtained 81% vote to deed open space to THPRD in exchange for \$500,000+ of trails and equipment
- **Founder, A City By Choice** - Educated citizens on civic choices

In the next four years, with your support I will ensure:

1. We strategically purchase, protect, and restore our natural areas, habitats and wildlife corridors
2. Our parks and programs reflect who we are; we welcome people from every generation and culture
3. Public and private partnerships = strong stewardship of public funds

My daughters grew up here; THPRD allowed them to be close to nature, learn to dance, swim, and play sports and provided our family countless special moments together with our neighbors. Creating active communities is my passion - I am well-versed in policy and master planning. In my professional life as a technology project manager, I manage million-dollar budgets and deliver strong results. I will bring my passion, community building and fiscal responsibility to the THPRD Board.

“Lori is a champion for healthy, livable communities. She is adept at finding creative solutions to complex problems.” - Mitch Greenlick, State Representative

COMMUNITY LEADERS ENDORSE LORI:

Greg Malinowski, Wash Co Commissioner
Fred Meyer, former THPRD Budget Committee
John Leeper, former Wash Co Commissioner
Justin Lacche, Chair, Wash Co Civil Service Commission
Anne Bryan, Chair, Beaverton School Board
Susan Greenberg, Beaverton School Board
Matt Wellner, Planning Commissioner, Washington County
Eric Squires, Mary Manseau, Marilyn McWilliams

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(This information furnished by Lori Waldo)

The above information has not been verified for accuracy by the county.

Tualatin Hills Park & Recreation District

Director, Position 3



Holly Thompson

Occupation: Communications Manager

Occupational Background: City Government

Educational Background: Portland State, Masters in Public Administration, MPA; University of Missouri, KC, BA

Prior Governmental Experience: THPRD Advisory Board Programs and Events; Staff to: Senior Citizens Advisory Committee, Youth Advisory Board, Project Lead: Beaverton Community Vision. Launched Picnics in the Park expanded Movies in the Park.

Personal: Married to Brandon 18 years; two children using THPRD summer camps, sports leagues, after-school programs, parks and trails.

"I'm supporting Holly because she will help protect our legacy and investment in our future. She is passionate about the District, she cares deeply about our community, and she has done her homework. Her voice is needed on the board." Jerry Jones Jr., THPRD Board President

Holly's Priorities

- **Financial oversight and affordability**
 - Continue to wisely balance investment in parks, trails, natural areas, and centers
 - Keep user fees affordable and help people access services
- **Focus on active health and wellness**
 - Invest in programs to support youth and seniors
 - Support THPRD's work to serve people with disabilities
- **More activities**
 - Expand family friendly movies, activities, group exercise in the parks
 - Balanced and equitable field use
- **Continue investment in trails and natural areas**
 - Make sensible connections throughout our neighborhoods with safe routes to schools
 - Protect our natural areas

"I've known Holly for 15 years. She's smart, honest, and experienced. She'll bring fresh perspective to the board." Mayor Denny Doyle

Widespread Community Support

- **THPRD Board Members** Jerry Jones, Jr., Ali Kaviani; Anthony Mills;
- **THPRD Advisory Board Members** Ralph Becker, Bill Kanable, Anthony Mills;
- **Mayor** Denny Doyle;
- **Beaverton Councilors** Cate Arnold, Lacey Beaty, Betty Bode, Mark Fagin, Marc San Soucie;
- **School Board Members** LeeAnn Larsen, Eric Simpson, Becky Tymchuk, Donna Tyner;
- **Metro Councilor** Kathryn Harrington;
- **Former Washington County Chair** Tom Brian;
- **Washington County Commissioner** Dick Schouten;
- **State Representatives** Jeff Barker, Sheri Malstrom;
- **Retired Beaverton Police Chief** David G. Bishop.

Thank you to everyone for your support! I appreciate your vote!

(This information furnished by Thompson for THPRD)

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Director, Position 3



Nathan Dahlin

Occupation: Records Coordinator – Lane Powell PC, Portland OR

Occupational Background: Legal records storage, management & preservation; payroll clerk & CPA's assistant; clerk & office manager, small retail bookstore; independent website consultant (project for small school)

Educational Background:

Portland State University, Business Administration: Information Systems, B.S.; Clackamas Community College, Business: Accounting, AAOT

Prior Governmental Experience: Precinct Committee Person

I love exploring Oregon. When I was a kid, I would walk my younger siblings to the 6-acre park near our house to play on the equipment, run through forests & fields, and play sports with neighbors.

As an adult, I use parks and outdoor festivals to meet new people, host barbecues, and learn about history. You might have seen me at Civil War reenactments in other counties, where I walk around dressed like a Lincoln-era politician: top hat, tailcoat, cane, vest, and pocket watch. You might also see me in the Hillsboro parade, waving a large American flag from the back of a friend's pickup truck.

Reviewing and organizing old records has helped me to appreciate their value and the need to preserve historical landmarks, buildings, and natural areas so they will be there for friends & family, especially my two nieces. Although I have not yet served in government, I volunteer in local theater, dance, and historical groups, as well as political committees and churches/nonprofits. I want to use my customer service experience to listen to and address the concerns of people in my own county.

Rather than calling tax revenue "government funds", I prefer to think of it as **your** money, which you entrust to elected officials to spend as carefully as they would their own. I will work to make local services affordable and accessible to all, keep costs low, and use the Ron Swanson Pyramid of Greatness as my guide to help the community learn about history & science, build relationships, and enjoy our parks responsibly.

NathanForOregon.com

(This information furnished by Nathan Dahlin)

The above information has not been verified for accuracy by the county.

Lake Oswego School District 7J

Measure No. 3-515

Ballot Title

Bonds for Improvements, Curriculum Support Facilities, Safety and Technology Upgrades

Question: Shall Lake Oswego School District issue general obligation bonds totaling \$187,000,000 to upgrade, construct, modernize, and improve safety and technology? If the bonds are approved, they will be payable from taxes on property or property ownership that are not subject to the limits of sections 11 and 11b, Article XI of the Oregon Constitution.

Summary: If approved this measure would finance capital costs, including projects that:

- Provide capital improvements throughout the District, replace and upgrade deteriorating roofs, technology infrastructure, aging heating, ventilation and plumbing systems.
 - Expand vocational/career/technical classrooms for programs such as engineering, science and technology for middle and high school students.
 - Strengthen schools against earthquakes and improve safety and security systems.
 - Update or replace facilities, learning equipment, technology in classrooms, science labs and other facilities, including district pool.
 - Modernize and renovate existing primary and high school facilities; provide furnishings, equipment and site improvements.
 - Pay bond issuance costs.
 - Replace Lakeridge Junior High School.
- Citizen accountability and oversight and annual audits of bond projects and expenditures will be required. The bonds may be issued in multiple series and each series may mature over no more than 26 years. Bond cost is estimated at approximately \$1.25 per \$1,000 of taxable assessed property value. For this measure, the cost for a median assessed value (AV) house of \$340,000 in Lake Oswego would be approximately \$425 per year.

Explanatory Statement

What

The Lake Oswego School District has placed a construction bond on the May 2017 ballot. This bond would provide funds to make critical capital investments to all schools, improve earthquake resiliency, expand or upgrade Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM) equipment or facilities and replace Lakeridge Junior High School, which has structural damage.

How

Lake Oswego School District's Long Range Facilities Planning Committee (the "Committee"), comprised of community members, parents, students and staff reviewed a study of the condition of facilities across the district. The study found that 8 of 10 school buildings are in poor condition. Based on Guiding Principles established by the Committee, and a long-term vision, the Committee prioritized recommendations for buildings most in need of update and investment as well as specific needs for individual buildings. Guided by these recommendations, the Lake Oswego School Board recommends that bond funds be used to:

- **Provide capital improvements throughout the district.** Replace and upgrade deteriorating roofs, walls, windows, paint, flooring, and technology infrastructure. Make energy improvements districtwide such as replacing old, inefficient and high maintenance plumbing, heating and ventilation systems.

- **Replace exterior building envelope of Oak Creek Elementary School** to correct construction defects.
- **Strengthen schools against earthquakes.** Address major seismic issues including gym, roof and wall connections so schools can better withstand a major earthquake.
- **Expand instructional spaces at elementary schools.** Provide instructional facility improvements including makerspace improvements
- **Add or expand vocational and technical classrooms.** Upgrade technology and facilities to:
 - Support new or additional opportunities for courses in science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) for elementary, middle and high school students
 - Add or expand vocational, career and technical education opportunities for high school students.
- **Improve safety at all schools.** Implement safety and security upgrades districtwide, including automatic door locks, controlled entryways and security cameras. Improve access controls and structural issues to enhance overall student and staff safety.
- **Update or replace pool** due to deteriorating structural components.
- **Replace Lakeridge Junior High School** due to structural damage from expansive and unstable soils at LJHS and deteriorating structural components at pool.

Why

The Committee determined that the District's facilities are in need of investment or replacement. Twelve facilities were built 50 or more years ago and some buildings are more than 60 years old. Although these buildings have been maintained, many need major capital investments to extend their useful life, enhance the instructional program, make them safer, and to better withstand a major earthquake.

These bond projects were prioritized by parents, teachers, administrators and community members to address the highest priority needs at all schools and ensure safe and effective learning environments.

How Much

This bond would raise \$187 million and is expected to cost approximately \$1.25 per \$1000 of assessed value annually over the bond term. For the median district home of \$340,000, that is approximately \$425 per year. The District placed this measure on the ballot now because it expects borrowing costs and construction costs to increase.

Submitted by:
Sarah Howell
Board Chair
Lake Oswego School District

No Arguments in Favor or Opposition of this measure were filed.

Vernonia School District #47JT

Measure No. 5-265

Ballot Title

Vernonia School Bonds for Campus Completion, Facilities, Technology and Refinancing

Question: Shall Vernonia School enhance facilities and refinance debt by issuing \$6,800,000 in bonds, receiving a \$2,350,000 matching State grant? If the bonds are approved, they will be payable from taxes on property or property ownership that are not subject to the limits of sections 11 and 11b, Article XI of the Oregon Constitution.

Summary: A \$2,350,000 matching grant awarded to the District is dependent upon voter approval of these bonds. If rejected, grant funds will be diverted to another district. Bonds would refinance existing debt for campus improvements, now paid from operating dollars, thereby freeing up resources.

Bond and grant proceeds are also expected to fund:

- Mist School repairs and renovations
- welding/metals building
- playground equipment
- four classrooms; one for art
- security/surveillance systems
- solar panels
- educational technology
- enhanced lighting
- football field, irrigation and track
- site improvements, furnishing, equipping of projects and bond issuance costs

Bonds would mature in not to exceed 30 years from issuance. The estimated incremental tax rate is \$0.20 per \$1,000 of assessed property value above 2017 levels, restoring the tax rate to estimates for campus bonds approved in 2010. Actual rates may differ based upon interest rates incurred and growth in assessed value.

Explanatory Statement

Following catastrophic floods in 1996 and 2007, voters approved a 2009 bond measure to move the three impacted Vernonia School District schools and District Office to higher ground. The school opened in 2012, meeting FEMA deadlines and before another major flood event occurred (December 2015).

Total cost of moving the District to higher ground was \$42 million, with approximately \$13 million coming from the 2009 bond, \$12 million from FEMA, and the remainder from state and federal grants, and individual and private foundation donations. The final \$5 million needed to complete construction was borrowed, and, should this measure not pass, will need to be repaid from the District's general fund.

Fundraising efforts and receipt of grants have paid these loans for seven years, but these opportunities are no longer available. Payments on these loans will now come 100% from the general fund budget, impacting classroom programs. Further, certain key capital projects from the original campus design were never completed due to lack of funding. The proposed bond will tackle all of these issues. Importantly, the District was recently awarded a \$2.35 million matching grant from the State of Oregon toward new capital projects; however that money will only be available if voters approve this bond.

This bond will refinance construction debt of approximately \$4.1 million. Current loan payments of \$398,000/year (equivalent to 5 full-time teachers, or 20 days of school) will be eliminated if voters approve this bond. If voters reject this bond, these loan payments will continue, and be paid from general funds.

If this bond is approved Vernonia voters will have a \$47 million dollar school campus project for the overall price of \$19.8 million (\$13 million 2009 plus this \$6.8 million) in local bonded debt.

The bond and matching grants are expected to fund:

- Refinancing existing debt, freeing up resources for general operations to support classroom learning.
- Mist School repairs and renovations
- welding/metals building
- playground equipment
- four classrooms; one for art
- security/surveillance systems
- solar panels
- educational technology
- enhanced lighting
- football field, irrigation and track
- site improvements, furnishing, equipping of projects and bond issuance costs

For the 2009 Bond, the District estimated a tax rate of \$1.90 per thousand of assessed value. Because of the low interest rates, strong growth in assessed values, and a recent refinancing of the 2009 Bond, the actual rate paid has been lower. The addition of this bond is estimated to not exceed that original \$1.90 per thousand rate, with an incremental cost increase of approximately \$0.20 per \$1,000 of assessed property value above 2017 levels. Actual rates may differ depending on interest rates incurred and growth in assessed value.

New property owners moving into the community would pay for the projects through new property taxes that could reduce the share paid by existing property owners.

Submitted by:

Aaron Miller
Vernonia School District 47J

No Arguments in Favor or Opposition of this measure were filed.

Portland Public Schools

Measure No. 26-193

Ballot Title

Bonds to Improve Health, Safety, Learning by Modernizing, Repairing Schools

Question: Shall Portland Public Schools improve health and safety, modernize and repair schools, build education facilities, by issuing \$790,000,000 in bonds? If the bonds are approved, they will be payable from taxes on property or property ownership that are not subject to the limits of sections 11 and 11b, Article XI of the Oregon Constitution.

Summary: If approved this measure would finance or refinance capital costs, including projects that:

- Reduce or eliminate exposure to hazardous materials districtwide, including lead, asbestos, and radon;
- Upgrade fire alarm and/or sprinkler systems;
- Improve accessibility for people with disabilities;
- Repair or replace leaking or deteriorating school roofs;
- Upgrade school safety and security;
- Strengthen schools against earthquakes;
- Renovate or replace schools, including Benson, Lincoln, Madison, and Kellogg, to improve health and safety and provide up-to-date classrooms and facilities, and increase access to technology and modern learning environments; and

Citizen accountability and oversight, including audits of bond projects and expenditures will be required.

Bonds may be issued in one or more series, with each series maturing in 30 years or less.

The average levy rate for this bond issue is estimated to be \$0.68 per \$1,000 of assessed value over 30 years. The levy rate is estimated to be \$1.40 per \$1,000 for the first four years, declining thereafter. Rates may differ based on interest rates and changes in assessed value.

Explanatory Statement

Portland Public Schools (PPS) is the largest school district in Oregon, with over 90 school sites and 48,500 students. PPS' buildings average 77 years old—many are over 100 years old.

Aging schools need repair and upgrades to provide students with modern learning environments and to address unsafe conditions. Lead testing in 2016 showed most schools had cold water fixtures testing above the EPA action level. Many roofs are beyond their useful life and some leak frequently. Fire alarm and sprinkler systems at most schools are inadequate.

PPS has adopted a Long-Range Facilities Plan to modernize and improve schools districtwide through a series of capital construction bonds. In 2012, voters approved a \$482 million bond, funding:

- Modernization of Franklin, Grant, and Roosevelt High Schools, and Faubion PreK-8;
- Projects at 52 additional schools—upgraded science classrooms, new roofs, improved accessibility and seismic improvements; and
- Planning for upgrade of all high schools.

In 2017, PPS convened a Bond Stakeholder Advisory Group (BSAG) to evaluate needs for the next bond. The BSAG recommended, and community feedback affirmed, a bond that would fund modernization of Benson, Lincoln, and Madison High Schools and Kellogg Middle School, and at least \$150 million in health and safety projects at schools across the district.

What would the bond do?

The \$790,000,000 bond would fund renovations and additions

at Benson and Madison High Schools, and full rebuilds of Lincoln High School and Kellogg Middle School. Approximately 30% of the budgets for these projects comprehensively address health and safety issues, including reducing exposure to hazardous materials, improving accessibility, and addressing fire safety. It would also begin planning for upgrade of Cleveland, Jefferson, and Wilson High Schools.

Additionally, at least \$150 million would fund district-wide health and safety projects, including:

- Replacing old pipes and fixtures to reduce lead, improve water quality, and reduce the need to use bottled water;
- Removing or encapsulating exposed lead paint and asbestos;
- Upgrading fire alarm and/or sprinkler systems;
- Repairing or replacing leaking or deteriorating school roofs;
- Improving accessibility for people with disabilities;
- Improving building foundations and ventilation to decrease radon exposure; and
- Strengthening school safety and security.

In addition, PPS will receive \$8 million in state capital matching funds if this measure is approved, for additional health and safety investments. If the bonds are not approved, funds will be awarded to another district.

What would the bond cost?

The average levy rate for this bond issue is estimated to be \$0.68 per \$1,000 of assessed value over 30 years. The levy rate is estimated to be \$1.40 per \$1,000 for the first four years, declining thereafter. For a house assessed at \$200,000 the initial annual cost would be about \$280. Overall average cost is \$136 annually. The total principal amount of bonds authorized by this measure cannot exceed \$790 million.

Accountability

An independent group of citizens from the community will review quarterly reports and audits of how the bond dollars are being spent to provide accountability to the public until construction is complete.

Submitted by:
Emily Courtnage, Deputy Clerk
Portland Public Schools

No Arguments in Favor or Opposition of this measure were filed.

City of Portland

Measure No. 26-189

Ballot Title

Amends Charter: Increases Auditor's independence from audited agencies, adds duty.

Question: Shall Charter be amended to increase City Auditor's independence from audited agencies and include Auditor's authority to investigate City agencies?

Summary: The measure changes Charter provisions regarding the elected City Auditor, which were last updated in 1994. The Auditor's responsibilities have expanded since then to include more oversight functions, such as the ombudsman and lobbyist registration. Currently, the Auditor relies on and sometimes must seek permission from City agencies subject to the Auditor's oversight for legal, personnel, procurement, and budget services.

The measure increases the Auditor's independence by: allowing the Auditor to seek advice from independent legal counsel, giving the Auditor more autonomy over staffing decisions, designating the Auditor as a contracting agency, and authorizing the Auditor to submit budget requests directly to the City Council without review by an audited City agency. The measure requires periodic external reviews of the Auditor's Office.

The measure also establishes in Charter the Auditor's ombudsman function, which conducts impartial investigations into the public's complaints against City agencies. Currently, the ombudsman operates under authority granted in code. It has been in the Auditor's Office since 2001 and is a core component of the Auditor's oversight responsibilities.

Other provisions.

Explanatory Statement

Portland's elected City Auditor is responsible for ensuring an open and accountable City government. This measure would amend the City's Charter to increase the independence of the Auditor from the City agencies the Auditor is responsible for auditing and investigating.

Background

The Auditor's responsibilities have expanded over the last several decades to include more oversight functions, such as performance audits, investigations of the public's complaints against City agencies, and enforcement of the City's lobbyist registration program. Charter provisions related to the City Auditor were last updated in 1994.

Currently, the City Auditor relies on and sometimes must seek permission from City agencies subject to the Auditor's oversight for legal, personnel, procurement, and budget services. This arrangement may lead to the perception that there is a conflict of interest and that the City Auditor's audits and investigations are not completely objective or independent.

The City Auditor proposed this measure after researching other jurisdictions and collecting information from a variety of sources. The City Council unanimously voted to refer the measure to the ballot.

What does the measure do?

The measure increases the Auditor's independence from City agencies it is responsible for auditing and investigating by:

- Allowing the Auditor to seek advice from independent legal counsel;
- Giving the Auditor more autonomy over staffing decisions, such as hiring, compensation and assignment of work (subject to collective bargaining obligations);
- Designating the Auditor's Office as a contracting agency so that it may conduct procurements without going through a City agency; and
- Authorizing the Auditor to submit budget requests directly to the City Council.

The measure contains checks on the Auditor's increased independence by:

- Requiring periodic external reviews of the Auditor's Office, the results of which will be made public;
- Requiring the Auditor to notify the public and provide an opportunity to comment before adopting or changing any administrative rules;
- Requiring the Auditor to adopt policies and rules consistent with the City's workplace and procurement policies, except where the City's policies impair the Auditor's independence; and
- Continuing the City Council's role of monitoring and setting the Auditor's budget.

The measure also adds the Auditor's ombudsman function to the list of the Auditor's duties under Charter. The ombudsman has been in the Auditor's Office since 2001 and is responsible for conducting impartial investigations into the public's complaints against City agencies. Currently, the ombudsman operates under authority granted in code.

The measure establishes the ombudsman function in Charter by:

- Providing in Charter the basic duties and powers of the ombudsman to investigate City agencies, including the power to access any information and records required to investigate a complaint; and
- Requiring a vote of the people to remove the ombudsman function, rather than a vote of the City Council.

Submitted by:
Auditor Mary Hull Caballero
City of Portland

No Arguments in Favor or Opposition of this measure were filed.

City of Portland

Measure No. 26-194

Ballot Title

Amends Charter: Authorizes Council to Change Scope of Transient Lodgings Tax Obligations

Question: Shall City Council be authorized to impose Transient Lodgings Tax obligations on online businesses and others without further voter approval?

Summary: In City Charter Section 7-113, adopted in 1971, city voters authorized City Council to impose a Transient Lodgings Tax on amounts paid “for lodging” in hotels or other short-term rental spaces. The “owner or operator” of rental space is required to collect and remit this tax to the City. Recently, a federal court ruled that Charter Section 7-113 does not authorize the City to collect the Transient Lodgings Tax from a business that operates websites that connect tourists and other renters with homeowners and others seeking to make property available for short-term rentals. By authorizing new definitions and interpretations of Section 7-113, this measure authorizes Council to change the scope of Transient Lodgings Tax obligations and, among other things, (1) impose the tax obligations on businesses that facilitate short-term rentals but may not fit the 1971 definition of “owner or operator”; and (2) tax payments that may not fit the 1971 definition of payments “for lodging.” Council could make such changes by ordinance without any additional voter approval. This measure does not change tax rates.

Explanatory Statement

The “Transient Lodgings Tax” is the tax a guest pays when they stay in a hotel, motel, vacation rental or any other short-term rental in the City of Portland.

This measure amends Portland’s City Charter (Section 7-113 Transient Lodging Tax) to clarify that City Council, by adopting an ordinance, can ensure that transient lodging taxes are collected and remitted from all short-term lodging rentals in the City of Portland.

City Charter Section 7-113 was enacted in 1971 to impose a Transient Lodgings Tax on amounts paid “for lodging” to the “owner or operator” of any hotel or other space in Portland that is intended for short-term lodging. At that time, the only way to make a reservation at a lodging establishment was by phone or in person and the types of spaces designed for short-term lodging did not include the technologies available today.

A federal court recently ruled that the City Charter does not currently authorize the City Council to require online businesses to collect and remit Transient Lodgings Taxes because they are not the “owner or operator” of lodging space, as those terms were understood in 1971. And the Charter does not apply to new technologies that help travelers book and pay for lodging.

Technology changes over the past 45 years have increased the number of ways a guest can reserve and pay for a hotel, motel or other short-term rental. Additionally, the types of lodging structures and locations that now offer transient lodging occupancy have changed over this time period. Both reservations and payments for transient lodging are no longer required to be done directly with the owner or traditional operator of the hotel or space intended for lodging occupancy as in the past. Today, there are dozens of online companies that advertise a variety of lodging types and locations and are able to accept both room reservations and deposits or full payments for a variety of lodging options. Some online businesses collect and remit the Transient Lodgings Tax. Others do not.

Adding this provision allows the City Council, through legislative action following a public hearing, to define terms to match the current ways transient lodging occupancy is offered and reserved. It would ensure that transient lodging taxes are properly collected from guests in the same manner for all types of transient lodging rentals.

The Measure does not increase the tax rates. Revenues from the city’s 5% Transient Lodgings Tax are credited to the city’s General Fund and used for fire, police and other basic City services. Additionally, revenues from a 1% Transient Lodgings Tax are credited to a non-profit corporation dedicated to the promotion, solicitation, procurement, and service of convention business and tourism in the City.

Submitted by:
Nick Fish
Portland City Council

No Arguments in Favor of this measure were filed.

City of Portland

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Argument in Opposition

VOTERS SHOULD NOT GIVE AWAY THEIR POWER TO APPROVE FUTURE EXPANSION OF THE TRANSIENT LODGING TAX

Under current law, the City cannot impose new taxes or expand the scope of existing taxes without voter approval.

Through Measure 26-194, the City is seeking authority to expand the scope of the transient lodging tax **WITHOUT FIRST SEEKING VOTER APPROVAL.**

A “yes” vote on Measure 26-194 would give the City a blank check to:

- **Expand the transient lodging tax so it would apply to new types of businesses**, including not only existing online business like HomeAway.com and VRBO.com, but other existing or future businesses that do not own or operate hotels or other lodging establishments in the traditional sense;
- **Impose the transient lodging tax on new types of payments that may be charged by those businesses**, including service payments for the use of websites or other payments that are not made for lodging in the traditional sense;
- **ALL WITHOUT VOTER APPROVAL**

While the measure does not grant the City authority to increase the current 6% rate of the tax, it would allow the City to expand the tax to new businesses and types of payment without first seeking the permission of the voters.

Voters should refuse to give away their authority to control future expansion of the Transient Lodging Tax.

- Measure 26-194 is not simply about allowing the City Council to impose transient lodging taxes on HomeAway or VRBO or leveling the playing field for such businesses, **it's about giving the City a blank check to expand those taxes to apply to other types of businesses or payments in the future without having to first obtain voter approval.**
- If the City wants to expand the tax to additional types of businesses or payments, it should be required to ask the voters before doing so.

VOTE NO on Measure 26-194.

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Enhanced Sheriff's Patrol District

Measure No. 34-272

Ballot Title

Local Option Levy Renewal to Maintain Enhanced Police Services

Question: Shall Patrol District maintain current level of police services by levying 68¢ per \$1,000 AV for five years, beginning 2018-2019? This measure renews current local option taxes.

Summary: Voters approved the Enhanced Sheriff's Patrol District (ESPD) in 1987 and all local option levies since then to provide increased law enforcement services for residents in the urbanized areas outside of cities in Washington County.

This levy would maintain current service levels within the Patrol District by renewing a local option levy expiring in June 2018. This local option levy would:

- Provide funds for investigating major crimes occurring within the ESPD, including homicide, assault, burglary and domestic violence;
- Help fund advanced training in crisis intervention and de-escalation strategies for deputies to use when working with individuals experiencing an emotional or mental health crisis; and
- Continue an enhanced level of law enforcement services in the ESPD, even with projected population growth.

Renewing this levy would fund Patrol District services at a fixed tax rate of 68¢ per \$1,000 assessed value, which would be unchanged from the current rate.

A \$282,200 assessed value home would pay about \$192 in the first year of the proposed levy. (Assessed value is different than market value.)

Estimated revenues for each year of levy:

\$ 13,520,700 in 2018-2019
\$ 14,135,200 in 2019-2020
\$ 14,700,600 in 2020-2021
\$ 15,288,600 in 2021-2022
\$ 15,900,100 in 2022-2023

Explanatory Statement

What is the Enhanced Sheriff's Patrol District?

Voters established the Enhanced Sheriff's Patrol District (ESPD) in 1987 to provide an enhanced level of police services for residents of the urban area of Washington County outside of cities. With funding from a local option levy, the Washington County Sheriff's Office has provided these law enforcement services focused inside the urban unincorporated area.

Why is this renewal levy proposed?

To maintain funding from an expiring local option levy that ESPD voters approved in 2012. Renewing this levy would help the urbanized areas outside of city boundaries to continue receiving the current level of policing services, even with projected population growth.

Who is served by the ESPD?

If you received an ESPD ballot, the ESPD serves you. Washington County communities outside cities and inside the urban growth boundary are served, including: Aloha, Bethany, Bull Mountain, Bonny Slope, Bonny Slope West, Cedar Hills, Cedar Mill, Claremont, Cooper Mountain, Garden Home, Metzger, North Bethany, Oak Hills, Orenco, Raleigh Hills, Reedville, Rock Creek, Somerset, Terra Linda, West Haven, West Slope and other urban areas outside of cities.

How is the ESPD funded currently?

By two property taxes:

- A permanent tax rate (64 cents per \$1,000 of assessed value) funds roughly half of Patrol District services
- A five-year, voter-approved local option levy (68 cents per \$1,000 of assessed value) that expires June 2018 funds the remainder. This measure proposes to renew the local option levy without changing the current rate of 68 cents per \$1,000 of assessed value.

How would these funds be used to provide services in the ESPD?

The renewed local option levy would pay for:

- Law enforcement investigation services of major crimes inside the urban unincorporated area, such as homicide, assault, burglary and domestic violence.
- Advanced training in crisis intervention and de-escalation strategies for deputies to use when working with individuals experiencing an emotional or mental health crisis.
- Officers, training, personnel and equipment to maintain the current level of policing services in the Patrol District, even as population grows over time.

What impact would this ESPD levy have on a homeowner's property taxes?

The rate for the levy renewal would be fixed at 68 cents per \$1,000 of assessed value (which is different than market value). This measure would renew the same rate of 68 cents per \$1,000 of assessed value currently in effect. If approved, owners of a home with the average assessed value in the Patrol District of \$282,200 would pay about \$192 in the first year of the proposed levy.

What happens if the current ESPD levy is not renewed?

The local option levy that expires in June 2018 provides about half of the funding for the Patrol District. If this measure did not pass, local option levy funding supporting 66 officers would be cut and property taxes on a home with the average assessed value in the Patrol District of \$282,200 would decrease by approximately \$192 next year.

Need more information?

Visit the Washington County web site at www.co.washington.or.us/espd

Submitted by:

Alan Rappleyea, County Counsel

No Arguments in Opposition of this measure were filed.

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Measure No. 34-272 Arguments

Argument in Favor

I'M VOTING YES FOR ESPD RENEWAL LEVY AND IT DESERVES YOUR SUPPORT TOO.

As a resident of Washington County for over 23 years, I know from personal experience our county is a safe and desirable place to live. Our neighborhoods maintain a high level of safety over these years because of law enforcement provided by the Washington County Sheriff's Office. They offer primary police protection in the urban unincorporated portions of our county and communities, such as Bethany, Aloha, Bull Mountain, Cedar Hills and other similar neighborhoods.

The special policing district known as the "Enhanced Sheriff's Patrol District" (ESPD) places more deputies "on the street," thus keeping the peace. Public safety is enhanced by a cadre of highly trained deputies willing to serve and protect.

The high quality of public safety in Washington County just didn't happen on its own. The leaders in our county—the commissioners, the sheriff, the district attorney—work as a team to plan and implement a law enforcement system that equals or exceeds safety services of most cities in our state. With support from each and every one of us, we will continue to experience a safe and secure community.

I'm voting YES because:

- ESPD will continue the same excellent police work within our communities.
- The tax rate of 68 cents per \$1,000 of assessed value is a renewal of the current rate. Same great, responsive and reliable police services: No Tax Rate Increase.
- Enables our level of policing to keep pace with our population growth.

The basic requirement of any society is the maintenance of a lawful and peaceful community. Remove this one basic tenet, and all other public services begin to fail. Let us keep the foundation of public safety as the bedrock of our community. I urge all citizens to vote YES on the ESPD Levy: Measure 34-272.

ESPD and MEASURE 34-272 deserve all of our support

Without public safety, nothing works

This information furnished by:
Sal DiGrande, Cedar Hills Homeowner

Argument in Favor

A SAFE COMMUNITY IS GOOD FOR BUSINESS. PLEASE SUPPORT MEASURE 34-272.

The Aloha Business Association is comprised of a diverse array of businesses working to deliver quality products and services to residential and commercial customers in our area. We strive to be leaders in our fields and to be **partners in building a vibrant and safer community.**

We believe that **what is good for the safety and well being of our community is good for our business climate.** All of us receive public safety services through the Washington County Sheriff's Office via an arrangement known as the Enhanced Sheriff's Patrol District (ESPD). Since 1987, ESPD has provided cost-effective and professional policing to Aloha and other urban neighborhoods that are outside cities, including Bethany, Cedar Mill and Bull Mountain, Rock Creek, Claremont, Garden Home, Metzger, Cedar Hills, Raleigh Hills, Bonny Slope.

ESPD provides half the funding for our police, which is why voting "Yes" to renew this levy is very important to continue at current service levels.

We Support Measure 34-272 because the Enhanced Sheriff's Patrol District:

- **Funds investigation of major crimes** such as homicide, assault, burglary and domestic violence.
- Provides **training to our patrol officers in techniques for intervening in and deescalating crisis situations**, helping minimize the chance for violent and tragic outcomes.
- Means **fast response times on police calls**, as it brings our police staffing levels in-line with national and local standards for urban areas.
- Provides the **same service levels at the same rate.**

Renewing measure 34-272 at the same rate of 68 cents per \$1,000 of property value ensures our policing level keeps pace with our population growth.

YES to Measure 34-272.

Please help keep our community a safe place for doing business!

This information furnished by:
Karen Bolin, President, Aloha Business Association
Mike Holcomb, Treasurer, Aloha Business Association
Sally Fabre, Community Partnerships Chair, Aloha Business Association

Argument in Favor

SHERIFF AND DISTRICT ATTORNEY SUPPORT MEASURE 34-272

As elected criminal justice leaders, we need your continued support to keep neighborhoods in our urban unincorporated areas safe. Funding from the Enhanced Sheriff's Patrol District (ESPD) levy enables significant police services in these areas. With your help and ongoing support we arrest and prosecute criminal offenders, provide assistance to victims, and protect our most vulnerable populations. Measure 34-272 continues existing patrol and investigative services in the District including:

Major crimes investigations. The levy would continue funding for the investigation of major crimes occurring within the ESPD, including homicide, assault, burglary, and domestic violence.

Training in crisis intervention and de-escalation. The levy would help fund advanced training in crisis intervention and de-escalation strategies for deputies to use when working with individuals experiencing an emotional or mental health crisis.

Policing services continue at a consistent level even with projected population growth.

Maintaining supervision and compliance monitoring of registered sex offenders in the District.

The levy rate for the renewal is the same as the current rate at 68 cents per thousand.

The Enhanced Sheriff's Patrol District is a safe community. Please help us continue our work by voting yes on Measure 34-272.

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This information furnished by:
Bob Hermann, District Attorney
Pat Garrett, Sheriff

Argument in Favor

PLEASE JOIN THE DOMESTIC VIOLENCE RESOURCE CENTER (DVRC) IN VOTING YES ON MEASURE 34-272

DVRC is a non-profit agency providing free and confidential services to adult and child survivors of domestic violence within Washington County. We provide:

- Help with a variety of protective orders
- Professional counseling
- Confidential shelter
- 24-hour crisis line response
- Community trainings

The impacts of domestic violence are felt across all parts of Washington County including the neighborhoods of Cedar Mill, Raleigh Hills, Garden Home, Rock Creek, Claremont, Bull Mountain, Aloha and Bethany. Fortunately, many of the areas we serve fall within the Enhanced Sheriff's Patrol District (ESPD) where the Washington County Sheriff's Office is the law enforcement service provider. We know, in the scary moments when victims think all can be lost, it's reassuring to have police services who respond quickly, make things safe, care to listen, provide thoughtful advice, and connect victims to resources – like the DVRC.

We rely on the support of our public safety counterparts as they respond to calls and are the first on scene to assist domestic violence survivors. **A strong and adequately funded ESPD helps us provide our vital services** and we urge your support for Measure 34-272.

This measure means ESPD has the resources to investigate crimes, sustain the right staffing levels and provide cutting edge training in crisis intervention to all of their officers.

As our communities grow, along with a heightened awareness of domestic violence, DVRC sees an increase in the need for our services. We continue to partner with law enforcement so that when a victim decides to be a survivor and call 911, the officer can provide our name as a resource.

On behalf of staff, volunteers, and our Board of Directors, thank you for your support of our efforts to break the cycle of domestic violence in Washington County.

This information furnished by:
Sara Wade, Executive Director, DVRC

Argument in Favor

Yes to Crisis Intervention Yes to ESPD and Measure 34-272

As a parent and homeowner in Bull Mountain, few things are more important than knowing my family and home are safe and my neighborhood is well policed.

This is a credit to the **Enhanced Sheriff's Patrol District**, operated by the Washington County Sheriff's Office, providing law enforcement in my area and other areas around the county.

I consider myself fortunate knowing I have never had to personally experience some of the horrors shown on the nightly news. My family and I worry for those who are not as fortunate and are confronting demons of mental health, domestic disturbances, and drugs and alcohol abuse. These familiar stories play out on local and national news as we are painstakingly more aware of the possible negative outcomes of such events.

When people experience a mental or emotional crisis in public the police are often called. As first responders, the police do what they can to deescalate the situation. Unfortunately, not all departments provide their officers with state-of-the-art training to assist the mentally ill and the end results can be tragic.

My family and I find comfort in knowing **the ESPD officers who patrol our neighborhood DO have this sort of training.** Half of the funding for ESPD comes from this levy measure. These funds enable the Sheriff's Office to **provide training to all ESPD patrol officers in strategies for intervening in and deescalating crisis situations** like the ones taking such a toll across the country.

Supporting Measure 34-272 is something we can all do to keep our neighborhoods and police officers safe and make sure individuals get the help they need.

PLEASE JOIN ME IN VOTING YES to ESPD and MEASURE 34-272

This information furnished by:
Marc and Tami Allen

Argument in Favor

INVEST IN A SAFE COMMUNITY BY SUPPORTING ESPD

As a financial advisor **I help people shape and execute investment strategies** designed to maximize their wealth. A fundamental idea in investing is the value of paying in a little now, which grows into a lot over time.

My investments business is based in the Bethany area for good reasons – **this area has lots of people who are smart, dedicated and successful** at what they do ...and are strategic about how they manage their finances.

And a major reason these folks live here is because of our safe neighborhoods. This is a sought after place to live with rising home values, where people can get great jobs or start businesses.

The **law enforcement and public safety provided by the Washington County Sheriff's Office – through the Enhanced Sheriff's Patrol District (ESPD)** – deserves a lot of credit for this. The ESPD patrol officers and staff are professional, dedicated and cost effective. I've seen this both as a local business owner and through my son's involvement in the Sheriff's Office Explorer program, which offers training and insights into the career fields of Law Enforcement, Search & Rescue, and Emergency Medical Services.

Measure 34-272 on the ballot in May 2017 **funds about half of ESPD operations, and does so by renewing the existing rate.** No tax increase. I know investing and this is a smart investment ...with a payoff in quality of life and business climate.

Among other things this measure enables ESPD to continue investigating and solving major crimes, provides patrol officers with cutting edge training in crisis intervention and de-

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escalation techniques and funds body cameras for deputies. All while keeping our policing at a level consistent with the substantial population growth we're seeing.

PLEASE VOTE YES ON MEASURE 34-272

This information furnished by:
Jim Cheadle - Registered Investment Advisor

Argument in Favor

KEEP POLICE CRISIS INTERVENTION TRAINING AND DE-ESCALATION STRATEGIES

Measure 34-272 helps provide that training!

LifeWorks Northwest provides mental health counseling and works shoulder to shoulder with deputies who respond to help individuals – neighbors, loved ones and co-workers in crisis. Through our innovative partnership with the Sheriff's Office, LifeWorks NW brings people the support they need in urban unincorporated areas like Bethany, Aloha, Cedar Mill, Bull Mountain, Metzger, Garden Home, Claremont, Bonny Slope and Cedar Hills.

Most of us have seen, or know someone, struggle with mental health or emotional issues that culminate into an emergency response. It's well known when police receive training to intervene in a mental health crisis they're better equipped to successfully de-escalate a situation, resulting in better outcomes for an entire community. **Training in crisis intervention and de-escalation means more people in crisis receive the mental health interventions they need instead of seeing the inside of a jail cell. This outcome is better** for those challenged by a mental health crisis, their families or neighbors, and the officers responding to a call.

Deputies who work in the Enhanced Sheriff's Patrol District (ESPD) train annually in crisis intervention. Funds generated through Measure 34-272 support crisis intervention training and de-escalation techniques for police.

The Washington County Sheriff's Office continues to impress with its commitment and dedication to training all of its deputies on the complexities of mental illness. This admirable commitment is done so **without increasing the tax rate** – this levy is a renewal. Additionally, ESPD also funds investigation of major crimes in the District, keeping all of us safe.

Please vote "Yes" on Measure 34-272 and continue this important training which results in better outcomes for our community.

This information furnished by:
Tim McMahan, Board Chair, LifeWorks NW
Mary Monnat, President and CEO, LifeWorks NW

Argument in Favor

In 2015, I called 911 to get help for my then suicidal husband. At the time, what I wanted was police to assist him but what I needed was protection from his abuse. Deputies responded quickly to my call and one conversation – unrelated to my partner's wellbeing – charted a course toward my independence.

An abusive relationship was my reality, my nightmare, when I lived in the Enhanced Sheriff's Patrol District (ESPD). Many days I wished for a lifeline; someone to come and help me take that

first courageous step to change my situation. The day I called, I expected the police to come to the aid of my husband; I didn't expect quick compassionate deputies. For whatever reason, the responding deputies realized I needed their help. That day, the deputies spoke to me in a thoughtful, effective manner and I held onto their words because they affirmed I was worthy of change and peace and, most importantly, my kids deserved better.

It's imperative we keep our ESPD police and services so they can help you or someone you know. A "Yes" vote ensures:

- **Major crimes will be investigated in the district**, including domestic violence, homicide, assault and burglary.
- **Funding will continue for training in crisis intervention and de-escalation techniques** so individuals experiencing an emotional or mental crisis receive the appropriate response.
- **District residents will continue to receive a consistent level of policing services** even with projected population growth ensuring quicker response.
- **No increase in the rate** – the rate for the renewal is the same as the existing rate.

I know first-hand the importance of caring, professional deputies. Protecting victims is essential for effective policing – keep these resources available for future victims. Please help law enforcement deputies continue their good work by voting "Yes" on Measure 34-272.

L.D.

This information furnished by:
Citizens for a Safe Community

Argument in Favor

A SAFE COMMUNITY IS GOOD FOR BUSINESS
Join me in voting YES for Public Safety – YES on Measure 34-272

Washington County is unique having so many communities outside of city limits – Cedar Hills, Bonny Slope, Raleigh Hills, Bethany, Aloha and others. **Our communities are located in unincorporated Washington County and in the Enhanced Sheriff's Patrol District (ESPD).** This means the primary police responder is the Washington County Sheriff's Office. I'm proud to say that I've had the honor to work alongside and partner with them to help make my community great.

For the past several years, I've been the owner of a small business in Aloha. One of the reasons I decided to start my business in Aloha is the **strong sense of community here.** Our small businesses, schools, churches and parks district share the common goal of making our community great. We are fortunate **our local law enforcement agency, the Washington County Sheriff's Office**, has the same goal and partners with us to lift up our community. Over the last two years I've partnered with WCSO to raise funds to purchase backpacks and other school supplies for children in Aloha.

Being in ESPD – having **the Sheriff's Office as my local police agency** – I rest assured my business and my community are being taken care of when I'm not there.

I Support ESPD and Measure 34-272 because it:

- **Funds investigation of major crimes** such as burglary, domestic violence, assault and homicide.

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- **Enables training for patrol deputies in techniques for intervening in and deescalating crisis situations**, providing the right resources at the right times.
- Continues the existing tax rate for excellent service.
- **Means fast response times** – keeping police staffing levels in line with national and local standards.

Let's continue to build partnerships and safer communities.
YES on Measure 34-272!

This information furnished by:
Steve Leitz, Aloha, Oregon Small Business Owner

Argument in Favor

WASHINGTON COUNTY POLICE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION URGES YOUR YES VOTE!

As police responders who ensure public safety across Washington County, we urge you to join us in voting "Yes" on Measure 34-272 to renew the Enhanced Sheriff's Patrol District (ESPD) Levy.

Whether we respond to 911 calls, investigate crimes or visit with community members in our patrol areas, we know first-hand the support from this levy is critical for the success of keeping our communities safe.

Your "Yes" vote ensures we have the staff and resources to continue our important work to keep our neighborhoods safe.

We consider ourselves fortunate to protect and serve a supportive community of the more than 200,000 people who live in the district. But, as you can imagine, some of our contacts are with those who engage in criminal activity. ESPD funding allows us to hold criminal offenders accountable and keep neighborhoods safe in areas including Cedar Mill, Raleigh Hills, Cedar Hills, Garden Home, Bull Mountain, Bethany, Metzger, Rock Creek, Claremont and Aloha. Levy funding brings the necessary staffing, training and equipment we need to do our job successfully.

Your "Yes" vote ensures funding for:

- **The investigation of major crimes** occurring within the District, to include homicide, assault, burglary, and domestic violence;
- **Training in advanced crisis intervention and de-escalation strategies** that is proven effective in defusing crisis situations;
- A consistent level of law enforcement within the District that **keeps up with the increasing population growth.**

NO TAX INCREASE

This levy would continue the **same tax rate** to maintain current services.

Please join us and vote "Yes" in support of the men and women who work tirelessly to keep you safe.

Thank you!

Patrick Altieri, President
Washington County Police Officers Association

This information furnished by:
Washington County Police Officers Association

Argument in Favor

PLEASE JOIN US IN SUPPORT OF OUR ENHANCED SHERIFF'S PATROL DISTRICT

As your elected Board of County Commissioners, ensuring **public safety is** one of our most important responsibilities is. For this reason we've referred Measure 34-272 to voters and now request your support.

For the 214,000 people living in the county's urban neighborhoods outside of cities, police services are provided through a special district called the Enhanced Sheriff's Patrol District (ESPD). **ESPD is an efficient and responsive mechanism for ensuring a strong police presence** in these areas, including Aloha, Bethany, Bull Mountain, Raleigh Hills, Rock Creek, Cedar Hills, Cedar Mill, Claremont, Garden Home, Metzger, Bonny Slope and others. **ESPD funding enables operation of a dedicated patrol and investigations response** consistent with national policing standards for similar areas.

MEASURE 34-272 WOULD:

- **Fund investigation of major crimes** in these areas such as homicide, assault, burglary, and domestic violence;
- Continue **training for patrol officers in proven strategies for de-escalating crisis situations**;
- Support **use of body cameras** by patrol deputies;
- Ensure **residents continue to receive a consistent level of policing services** even with projected population growth; and
- Continue current services with a **rate that is unchanged** at .68/\$1,000 of assessed property value.

Your support to Measure 34-272 is critical to maintain public safety in the District. It will keep your dedicated police force, help hold offenders accountable, solve and prevent crime.

We urge a "Yes" vote.

Washington County Commission
Commissioner Andy Duyck, Chair
Commissioner Greg Malinowski
Commissioner Roy Rogers
Commissioner Dick Schouten
Commissioner Bob Terry

This information furnished by:
Washington County Commission

City of Hillsboro

Measure No. 34-273

Referred to the Voters by the City Council

Ballot Title

RENEWAL OF CURRENT OPERATING LEVY FOR POLICE, FIRE AND PARKS.

Question: Shall Hillsboro renew the operating levy of \$1.72 per \$1,000 for police, fire and parks for five years beginning 2018-19? This measure renews current local option taxes.

Summary: This measure would renew the current police, fire and parks operating levy approved by voters in 2012, which expires in June 2018. Renewing the levy would pay for continuing current services for police, fire and emergency medical response, and parks maintenance. The majority of the levy would go to the Hillsboro Police and Fire Departments and the remainder to parks maintenance services. The City Council placed this measure on the ballot to maintain existing services and programs for police, fire and park maintenance such as:

Police would maintain:

- Patrol officers and neighborhood patrols
- Detectives for investigations, including internet crime, fraud and elder abuse
- Community policing programs
- Street crimes, narcotics and gang enforcement programs
- Child and domestic violence intervention
- Youth services and school resource officers

Fire would maintain:

- Current response times for emergency calls
- Hazardous materials and technical rescue emergency response capabilities
- Fire prevention, public education and safety programs
- Disaster preparedness programs

Parks would maintain:

- Upkeep of recreation facilities, parks, playgrounds, ball fields, wetlands, natural areas and future developed parkland

Estimated revenues for each year of levy:

\$21,851,283 in 2018-19
 \$22,506,822 in 2019-20
 \$23,182,026 in 2020-21
 \$23,877,487 in 2021-22
 \$24,593,812 in 2022-23

Explanatory Statement

The City of Hillsboro provides public safety services including police, fire and emergency medical services to its citizens. The City also provides parks maintenance services to City park facilities, wetlands and natural areas. This measure would provide funding to maintain police, fire and emergency medical services and parks maintenance services.

The voters authorized a tax levy of \$1.72 per \$1,000 of assessed value in 2012, which expires in June 2018. The levy was first authorized by voters in 1998. This levy would maintain the current rate of \$1.72 per \$1,000 of assessed value for five years starting in July 2018. If passed, the majority of the levy would go to police, fire and emergency medical services. The remaining amount of the levy would be used for parks maintenance services.

What would renewal of the levy voters approved in 2012 do?

Measure 34-273 would enable police, fire and parks to continue providing programs and services such as:

Police would maintain:

- Sworn officers on duty
- Community policing, crime prevention and community involvement programs
- School resource officers
- Child abuse/youth intervention
- Light rail patrols and traffic enforcement
- Code enforcement
- Criminal investigations
- Youth outreach and education

Fire would maintain:

- Response times to emergency medical and fire calls at internationally accredited performance benchmarks
- Safety programs designed to reach children, elderly and other at-risk populations
- Community disaster preparedness and prevention programs
- Search and rescue capabilities for industrial and transportation accidents
- Fire apparatus staffing

Parks would maintain:

- Park maintenance and landscaping
- Wetland and natural area maintenance
- Upkeep of sport fields, playground equipment, picnic shelters and restrooms

How would this renewal affect property taxes if this measure passes?

The levy would continue the current rate of \$1.72 per \$1,000 of assessed value, unchanged from the current rate. The cost per household for a home with a taxable assessed value of \$250,000 (different than market value), would be, on average, about \$430 each year for the five years of the levy.

What if the measure fails?

The current local option tax of \$1.72 approved by the voters would end June 30, 2018. Public safety and parks maintenance would continue to remain a priority; however, the City would likely have to decrease service levels in police, fire and parks maintenance.

Submitted by:
 Steve Callaway
 Mayor

No Arguments in Opposition of this measure were filed.

City of Hillsboro

Measure No. 34-273 Arguments

Argument in Favor

Vote Yes to keep our local police, fire, and medical response strong.

The Hillsboro professional Firefighters, Paramedics, and Fire Investigators respectfully ask for your support of Measure 34-273. The renewal of this local option levy will maintain the **CURRENT TAX RATE** for the next five years; it is **not a rate increase**.

This renewal levy will allow your Fire Department to maintain:

- Response times for 9-1-1 calls within nationally recognized standards
- Training and equipment for highly technical rescues
- Fire prevention programs and public education
- Disaster preparedness programs

As Hillsboro continues to grow, so does the need for fire and emergency services. Over the past six years, **calls for service have increased 30%**. Increased traffic, housing density, vertical construction, and industry expansion all present unique challenges for your firefighters.

Voting YES allows your Fire Department to continue operating at the same high levels of performance you deserve. We will be able to continue providing a **rapid and highly-skilled response** to fires, vehicle emergencies, medical emergencies, hazardous materials events, and technical rescues for the next five years. Furthermore, important programs aimed to prevent an emergency before it ever happens will continue.

In the City of Hillsboro, public safety takes a team-based approach between the Fire Department and Police Department. This renewal levy will allow your Police Department to continue providing you with a high level of service. Police will be able to maintain patrol officers, neighborhood patrols, and other vital programs.

The majority of this renewal levy directly supports public safety in the City of Hillsboro with the remainder for parks maintenance.

The men and women of the Hillsboro Firefighters Association ask you to join us and

VOTE YES on Measure 34-273

We are proud to serve you and sincerely appreciate your continued support of public safety in Hillsboro.

This information furnished by:
Hillsboro Firefighters Association

Argument in Favor

Almost 20 years ago, we passed a measure providing a local option levy to fund police, fire, emergency medical and parks maintenance services. Hillsboro voters approved this levy in 1998, 2002, and 2006, and 2012. We are asking for your support again in order to maintain Hillsboro's quality of life. By law, the local option measure expires at the end of five years and can only continue if renewed by voters. Our City Council unanimously referred this measure to the ballot so we can continue the police, fire, emergency medical and parks maintenance services and programs which we have come to appreciate. A **YES** vote will continue funding for these important services through July 2023. This measure renews the current levy and the tax rate is unchanged. The majority of

the levy would fund police, fire and emergency services. The remainder would support parks maintenance.

Police services funded by the levy include:

- Patrol officers and neighborhood patrols
- Detectives for investigations, including internet crime, fraud and elder abuse
- Community policing
- Street crimes, narcotics and gang enforcement
- Child and domestic violence intervention
- Youth services and school resource officers

Fire and emergency services funded by the levy include:

- Maintaining current response times for emergency calls
- Hazardous materials and technical rescue emergency response capabilities
- Fire prevention, public education and safety programs
- Disaster preparedness programs

Parks maintenance services funded by the levy include:

- Upkeep of recreation facilities, parks, playgrounds, athletic fields, wetlands, natural areas and future parklands

Hillsboro has a proud reputation for providing high quality, well-managed public services.

Your YES vote will keep our community safe and our quality of life high.

Steve Callaway, Hillsboro Mayor
Darell Lumaco, Hillsboro City Council President
Kyle Allen, Hillsboro City Councilor
Anthony Martin, Hillsboro City Councilor
Olivia Alcaire, Hillsboro City Councilor
Fred Nachtigal, Hillsboro City Councilor
Rick Van Beveren, Hillsboro City Councilor

This information furnished by:
Kyle Allen, The Hillsboro Committee

Argument in Favor

The Hillsboro Police Officer's Association is asking for your support to help maintain the livability of our city by voting "YES" on measure 34-273 and renewing the Hillsboro Local Option Levy.

The City Of Hillsboro has grown leaps and bounds over my life but still maintains that small town feel. Unlike some other neighboring cities that have contracted away public services like police, fire and parks; the City of Hillsboro still has its own Police and Fire Departments and maintains its own parks. This pride of ownership and quality of services is obvious.

Our Police Department in particular provides so much more than basic police service. Yes, we still catch as many bad guys as we can but the department has grown to so much more. With the community's financial support, our officers have been able to specialize in areas such as: our schools, the public transit system, drug enforcement, mental health concerns and domestic violence just to name a few. By taking these steps to be proactive, the Police Department strives to make Hillsboro a safe and comfortable place to live, work and raise a family.

Measure 34-273 will allow the Police Department to maintain those services that we already provide and develop new strategies to keep our city as safe as possible. The Hillsboro Police Officer's Association urges you to vote "Yes" and maintain the Hillsboro Local Option Levy.

Randy Kaufmann

City of Hillsboro

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President
Hillsboro Police Officer's Association

This information furnished by:
Randy Kaufmann

Argument in Favor

Parks and recreation services play a vital role in creating vibrant, healthy communities. That's why the choice is clear to vote **YES for Hillsboro's Local Option Levy**-a measure that renews the current levy and **leaves the existing tax rate unchanged.**

By voting yes, you'll be renewing your commitment to preserving and protecting neighborhood parks, trails and recreation facilities that make Hillsboro such a welcoming and thriving community. You'll ensure that the security, maintenance and operations of all parks, playgrounds, athletic fields, trails, natural areas and recreation facilities remain paramount for generations to come.

Parks and recreation opportunities are important community building blocks. They promote health and wellness, connect people with nature, provide youth with positive, healthy activities and keep seniors active. Parks and open spaces also contribute to the livability of a community, raise property values, promote economic development and provide essential environmental stewardship.

In Hillsboro, community members of all ages and ability levels enjoy gathering at local sports fields, walking along beautiful trails and playing in our indoor and outdoor spaces. These spaces enrich community vitality while touting environmental accolades including improved water and air quality, flood prevention, natural buffers to development and crucial habitat for wildlife.

The impact of health and social benefits makes parks and recreation programs one of the most positive and cost-effective public services. A robust parks and recreation system has a clear impact on public health, crime prevention, juvenile delinquency and environmental sustainability.

You value the crucial services you and your neighbors receive from the City including police, fire, parks and trails, competitive sports fields and so much more. **That's why it's essential to vote yes in order to maintain Hillsboro's current level of excellence that makes our community clean, green and safe.**

Gwynne-Anne Pitts, Chair
Hillsboro Parks and Recreation Commission
Ken Phelan, Vice-Chair
Eddie Bolaños
Marilynn P. Helzerman
Jon-Michael Kowitz
Aisha Panas
Lynn Scheller

This information furnished by:
Gwynne-Anne Pitts The Hillsboro Committee

Argument in Favor

**The Hillsboro Chamber Supports
Hillsboro Police, Fire and Parks Maintenance Services**

Vote YES on 34-273 to keep our Hillsboro police, fire and parks services strong.

Measure 34-273 will keep current police and firefighters on Hillsboro's streets to protect our neighborhoods, businesses, and families.

Join the Hillsboro Chamber and support keeping our Police protection safe and strong.

A YES vote will continue the local option levy in 2018, renewing it for five years.

POLICE PROTECTION

- Patrol officers and neighborhood patrols
- Detectives for investigations, including internet crime, fraud and elder abuse
- Community policing programs
- Street crimes, narcotics and gang enforcement programs
- Child and domestic violence intervention
- Youth services and school resource officers

FIRE PROTECTION and PREVENTION

- Current response times for emergency calls
- Hazardous materials and technical rescue emergency response capabilities
- Fire prevention, public education and safety programs
- Disaster preparedness programs

PARKS MAINTENANCE

- Upkeep of recreation facilities, parks, playgrounds, ball fields, wetlands, natural areas and future developed parkland

We need a YES vote to continue protecting our community and our families.

**The Hillsboro Chamber is asking you to
VOTE YES ON 34-273**

This information furnished by:
Hillsboro Chamber of Commerce

Argument in Favor

HILLSBORO COMMUNITY MEMBERS URGE YOUR
SUPPORT OF MEASURE 34-273
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SUPPORT OF MEASURE 34-273

When asked Hillsboro residents respond "keep our public services intact". Hillsboro citizens know these core services are important and necessary to maintaining the quality of life they value. They have voted four times since 1998 to renew local option funding knowing the funds are well managed and deliver the valued services they want.

Renewal of the Levy means:

POLICE will maintain neighborhood patrols and patrol officers, detectives for investigations, community policing programs, child and domestic violence intervention, narcotics and gang enforcement programs, and youth services.

FIRE will maintain current response times for emergency calls, hazardous materials and technical rescue emergency response capabilities, fire prevention and safety programs, and disaster preparedness programs.

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PARKS will maintain the upkeep of recreation facilities, parks, playgrounds, ball fields, wetlands, natural areas, and future developed park land.

Measure 34-273 extends the current local option levy rate for five years with NO increases in the property tax rates residents are currently paying.

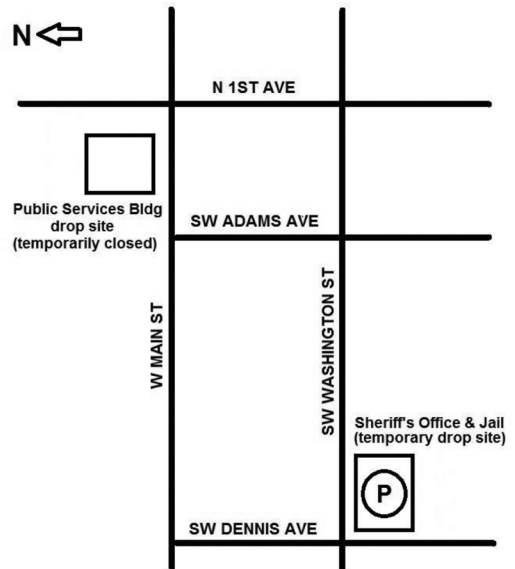
Please join us and **VOTE YES** to keep our local police, fire, and medical response strong and to continue to support our beautiful parks and open spaces.

The Hillsboro School Board
Metro Council President Tom Hughes
Jerry Willey, Former Mayor of Hillsboro
Manny Berman, President & CEO Tuality Healthcare
Aron Carleson
Ed Dennis, Hillsboro City Council 2002-2011
Katie Eyre
Joseph M. Grillo
Robert Harris, Harris Law Firm
Robert R. Herb
Doug Johnson Business Owner
Fred S. Johnson
Linda Mokler
Mary E. Ordal
Denzil Scheller, Venetian Theatre & Bistro
Zurbrugg Development Co.

This information furnished by:
Deborah Clarke The Hillsboro Committee

**Charles D Cameron
Public Services Building
24 hr drop site
temporarily closed
during construction.**

**Alternate temporary drop
site located at
Sheriff's Office & Jail
parking lot
(236 SW Dennis Ave)**



City of Tigard

Measure No. 34-274

Ballot Title

City Center Urban Renewal Plan Amendment— Requires No New Taxes.

Question: Shall the City amend the City Center Urban Renewal Plan by expanding the size of the urban renewal area?

Summary: This measure approves the ordinance authorizing the City Center (Downtown) Urban Renewal Plan Amendment, which increases the size of the urban renewal area by adding seven properties, or 37.70 acres. The Plan Amendment would not increase the approved \$22 million cap for the Plan and would not impose new taxes.

The original City Center (Downtown) Urban Renewal Plan (Plan) was approved by voters in 2006 and includes projects such as:

- Street and streetscape improvements
- Bike and pedestrian improvements
- Park improvements
- Support for public spaces and buildings

As a result of the economic downturn, urban renewal district revenues are less than originally projected. The Plan Amendment provides additional capacity to complete those projects. Funding comes from capturing property taxes from new development and increased property values in the urban renewal area.

More information is available at www.tigard-or.gov/urbanrenewal. A copy of the Plan and Plan Amendment are available at www.tigard-or.gov/DowntownPlan.

Explanatory Statement

This measure, if approved, would amend the City Center (Downtown) Urban Renewal Plan (the Plan) by expanding the size of the urban renewal area. Tigard voters approved the original Plan in 2006 to support such public improvements as streets and sidewalks, public spaces, and trails in the downtown Plan area (the general area around Main Street, Fanno Creek, and Hall Boulevard). However, funding for the projects was limited by the economic downturn. The addition of 7 properties, totaling 37.7 acres, will fund more projects from the original Plan.

Projects in the Plan are funded by tax increment financing, which is the growth in property tax generated from only those properties located within the urban renewal area boundaries. Urban renewal financing is not a new tax or a tax increase. It allocates a share of the tax growth in the urban renewal area that would otherwise be distributed to existing taxing districts, such as Washington County and Tualatin Valley Fire and Rescue, to the urban renewal agency to fund projects in the area. The City's urban renewal agency is the Tigard City Center Development Agency, whose board is made up of the members of City Council.

The Plan Amendment would not increase the approved \$22 million cap for the Plan. When the tax increment financing of the Plan ends, it is expected the total property values in the Plan area would exceed what they would have been without the Plan, thereby providing increased funding for the city and all taxing districts.

Without the plan amendment, some Plan projects would be delayed or uncertain unless the City found other revenue sources to fund them. Projects in the Plan that have not been funded yet include, for example, the Performing Arts Center, Public Parking Facilities (structured), and the extension of Ash Avenue with a railroad crossing from Burnham to Scoffins.

The Tigard City Council approved the amendment to the Plan on December 13, 2016. The City's Charter requires voter approval of the proposed Plan Amendment. A "yes" vote on this measure will amend the Plan to add properties and allow the City to undertake more of the improvement projects and activities in the Plan. A "no" vote on this measure would reject the Plan Amendment and retain the existing size of the Plan Area.

Submitted by:
Marty Wine
City of Tigard

No Arguments in Favor or Opposition of this measure were filed.

City of Tigard

Measure No. 34-275

Ballot Title

Tigard Triangle Urban Renewal Plan Implementation— Requires No New Taxes.

Question: Shall the City implement the Tigard Triangle Urban Renewal Plan?

Summary: This measure approves the ordinance implementing the Tigard Triangle Urban Renewal Plan (Plan) and the use of tax increment financing to fund projects undertaken as part of the Plan. Funding comes from capturing property taxes from new development and increased property values in the urban renewal area.

The Tigard Triangle is the area generally between 99W, 217, and I-5. The Plan's proposed boundaries, goals, projects, and provisions for amendments are described in the Plan. The Plan currently includes many types of projects, such as:

- Red Rock Creek restoration, focusing on water quality and public access
- New streets and sidewalks, focusing on safe walking and cycling
- Major sewer repairs to address public health
- Intersection improvements, focusing on traffic congestion
- New trails and parks

Unless otherwise amended as allowed by the Plan, the total amount of tax increment that can be spent on projects over the life of the Plan is \$188 million. This is anticipated to take 35 years.

More information is available at www.tigard-or.gov/urbanrenewal. A copy of the Plan is available at www.tigard-or.gov/TrianglePlan.

Explanatory Statement

This measure would implement the Tigard Triangle Urban Renewal Plan (the Plan), which was approved by Tigard City Council on December 13, 2016. Voter approval is required to implement the Plan pursuant to the City's Charter.

The Tigard Triangle—bordered by 99W, 217, and I-5—has a low walking score and lacks basic infrastructure like sewers, sidewalks, roads, and parks. The Plan was developed to help address these problems. It identifies a variety of goals and projects for the Tigard Triangle Urban Renewal Area, all of which were developed with the assistance of a Citizen Advisory Council. Examples from the Plan include:

- Red Rock Creek restoration, focusing on clean water, flood prevention, and recreation opportunities
- New streets and sidewalks, focusing on connectivity and safe walking and cycling
- Major sewer repairs, addressing public health issues
- Intersection improvements, addressing traffic congestion
- New parks, trails, and public amenities

If voters approve the Plan, funding for projects in the Plan, like those listed above, would come from tax increment financing. This is not a new tax or a tax increase.

When an Urban Renewal Area is formed in the City, property tax revenue generated by existing development in the area goes to the City of Tigard and other taxing entities as it normally would for the life of the Plan. This is called the "frozen base." Property tax revenue in excess of the frozen base, which is typically generated by new development and increased property values in the area, is used to fund projects in the area. This is called the "tax increment."

With urban renewal, property tax revenue (i.e. the tax increment) generated by development in the Triangle would be used to fund projects in the Triangle. The maximum amount of tax increment that could be spent on projects in the Plan is \$188 million. The intent of these projects is to address infrastructure deficiencies, stimulate new development, and achieve the Plan's stated goal of transforming the Triangle into a more connected, safe, active, and attractive neighborhood.

Without urban renewal, projects would be delayed or uncertain, unless the City found other revenue sources.

Implementation of the Plan would take about 35 years. After the Urban Renewal Plan ends, revenue that had been going to the Triangle would then go to existing taxing entities like the Tigard Tualatin School District, Tualatin Valley Fire and Rescue, City of Tigard, and others. It is expected that the total property values in the Triangle would exceed what they would have been without the Plan, thereby providing increased revenue to all taxing districts once the Plan ends.

Implementation of the Plan would be managed by the City's existing urban renewal agency board, which consists of all City Council members, with advice and recommendations from a citizen advisory committee. A "yes" vote on this measure implements the Plan and allows the City to undertake the projects and activities in the Plan. A "no" vote on this measure rejects the Plan.

Submitted by:
Marty Wine
City of Tigard

No Arguments in Favor or Opposition of this measure were filed.

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Sherwood City Hall

22560 SW Pine St

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3700 SW Murray Blvd

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