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**Voters' Pamphlet  
Candidates**

**Oregon General Election  
November 7, 2006**

**vote!**



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Bill Bradbury  
Oregon Secretary of State

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

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Dear fellow Oregonian,

It's a challenge to get people to vote. I don't know why, but that's a fact. As your Chief Elections Officer, I'm working hard to remove every obstacle I can to help you vote this fall. This year, we've made it easier than ever to cast your vote – and to know it gets counted.

As part of the Help America Vote Act, we've implemented new tools to answer every question you can think of about voting:

- What if you're a college student, registered in your home district, but living on a campus in another county?
- What if you have a physical disability that limits your movement or vision? How can you vote privately and independently? (Hint: it's possible now like never before.)
- What if you're a soldier in the field? How do you get your ballot so far away?

All of your questions are answered by a real, live Oregonian at our toll-free voter information line: 1-866-ORE-VOTES (1-866-673-8683) or through our TTY line for the hearing impaired at 1-866-350-0596. Elections representatives are available, Monday through Friday, 8:00 am to 5:00 pm – or you can log onto our website and look for your answers there anytime at [www.oregonvotes.org](http://www.oregonvotes.org).

Remember: you have to return your ballot so it's received in your county elections office by 8:00 pm on Tuesday, November 7th.

Our ability to vote in free, fair elections is one of the things that makes America great. Please take the time to read about the candidates in this pamphlet so that you can make informed choices. Then fill out your vote by mail ballot and return it to your county elections office by 8:00 pm on November 7th.

I thank you for choosing to engage in our democracy by voting. Your participation is the foundation of Oregon's future.

Best wishes,

Bill Bradbury  
Secretary of State

# General Information

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## Voters' Pamphlet

Your official 2006 General Election Voters' Pamphlet is divided into two separate volumes. This is Volume 2 and contains information on candidates. You should have already received Volume 1, containing information on the statewide measures. If you have not received Volume 1, please call the toll-free voter information line at 1-866-ORE-VOTES (1-866-673-8683).

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

Volume 2 also includes other voting aids, such as a complete listing of state candidates, ballot drop site locations, and ballot instructions. If your county has chosen to produce a voters' pamphlet in conjunction with the state, drop site locations will appear in your county voters' pamphlet, which is in the center of this pamphlet.

**Candidate statements are printed as submitted by the author. The state does not correct punctuation, grammar, syntax errors or inaccurate information. The only changes made are attempts to correct spelling errors if the word as originally submitted is not in the dictionary.**

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

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## Random Alphabet

While the candidates' statements for candidates running for the same office appear in alphabetical order by their last name in this voters' pamphlet, you will notice that they appear in a different order on your ballot.

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

The alphabet for the 2006 General Election is:

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

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## Website

Most of the information contained in this voters' pamphlet is also available in the Online Voters' Guide at [www.oregonvotes.org](http://www.oregonvotes.org)

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## Español

Una versión en español de algunas partes de la Guía del Elector está a su disposición en el portal del Internet cuya dirección aparece arriba. Conscientes de que este material en línea podría no llegar adecuadamente a todos los electores que necesitan este servicio, se invita a toda persona a imprimir la versión en línea y circularla a aquellos electores que no tengan acceso a una computadora.

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## Important!

If your ballot is lost, destroyed, damaged or you make a mistake in marking your ballot, you may call your county elections office and request a replacement ballot. One will be mailed to you as long as you request it by November 2. After that, you may pick it up at the elections office. If you have already mailed your original ballot before you realize you made a mistake, you have cast your vote and will not be eligible for a replacement ballot.

Your voted ballot must be returned to your county elections office by 8:00 p.m. election day, Tuesday, November 7, 2006.

### Postmarks do not count!

County elections offices are open on election day from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

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## Voter Information

For questions about voter registration, ballot delivery and return, marking the ballot, requesting a replacement ballot, absentee ballots, signature requirements, the voters' pamphlet, when and where to vote, and other questions about elections and voting, call the toll-free voter information line at 1-866-ORE-VOTES (1-866-673-8683).

Voter information line representatives can provide services in both English and Spanish. TTY services for the hearing impaired are also available at 1-866-350-0596.

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For unofficial election results  
beginning at 8pm on November 7th visit:  
[www.oregonvotes.org](http://www.oregonvotes.org)

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# Voters with Disabilities

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Voters with disabilities who need assistance with marking their ballots now have an opportunity to vote privately and independently. Each county elections office in Oregon has been equipped with a voting system for use by voters with disabilities.

Voters with disabilities who use assistive technology such as a computer with a screen reader or screen enlarger application to access printed material now have an alternative to the printed ballot. It is called a HTML (Computer) Ballot. The HTML (Computer) Ballot requires that the voter have a computer, web browser and printer and allows the voter to vote privately and independently from home.

For more information on either of these options

**call**                    **1 866 ORE VOTES/673 8683**  
*se habla español*

**tty**                      **1 866 350 0596**  
*for the hearing impaired*

# List of State Candidates

This is a complete listing of the state candidates for the General Election, November 7, 2006, as prepared by the Secretary of State, for the counties covered in this pamphlet. On election day, your ballot may also include measures and candidates from your county and local governments. **Important:** Each candidate listed does not necessarily have a statement in the Voters' Pamphlet. Some candidates do not choose to purchase space.

## Partisan Candidates

(C) Constitution; (D) Democrat; (L) Libertarian; (P) Pacific Green; (R) Republican

### Representative in Congress

**4th District** Jim Feldkamp (R)  
Peter A. DeFazio (D)

**Governor** Joe Keating (P)  
Ted Kulongoski (D)  
Richard Morley (L)  
Mary Starrett (C)  
Ron Saxton (R)

### State Senator

**6th District** Renee Lindsey (R)  
Bill Morrisette (D)

**8th District** Mario E. Magaña (D)  
Frank Morse (R)

### State Representative

**11th District** Phil Barnhart (D)  
Jim Oakley (R)

**15th District** Andy Olson (R)  
Sam H.W. Sappington (D)

**16th District** Robin M. Brown (R)  
Sara A. Gelser (D)

**17th District** Dan Thackaberry (D)  
Fred Girod (R)

**23rd District** Brian Boquist (R)  
Jason Brown (D)  
Paul Delaney (L)

## Nonpartisan Candidates

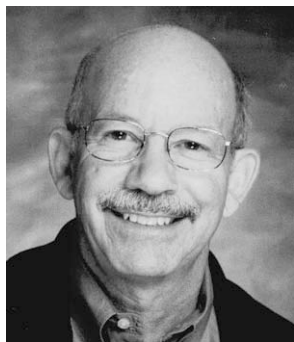
### Judge of the Supreme Court

**Position 6** Virginia L. Linder  
Jack Roberts

### Judge of the Court of Appeals

**Position 9** Ellen F. Rosenblum

## Representative in Congress 4th District



### **Peter A. DeFazio** Democrat

**Occupation:**  
US REPRESENTATIVE

**Occupational Background:**  
Lane County Commissioner,  
Aide to Congressman Jim  
Weaver, Assistant Director

Senior Companion Program, US Air Force Reserve

**Educational Background:** University of Oregon, MA; Tufts University, BA

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Chair, Lane County Commission

#### **20,000 Jobs And Better Oregon Roads, Bridges**

"Walden touted the highway bill delivering \$140 million for bridges on the I-5 corridor giving credit to fellow Congressman Peter DeFazio a Democrat."

*Grants Pass Daily Courier, 8/25/05*

#### **A Secure America**

"DeFazio Again Calls For Better Screening"

*The Portland Oregonian, 8/11/06*

On the Homeland Security Committee, DeFazio consistently voted to plug holes in aviation, port and border security. He opposed the rush to war in Iraq and proposed a plan to bring our troops home.

#### **DeFazio Converts Pay Raises To Scholarships**

"[DeFazio] turns down Congressional pay increases and instead puts that money toward scholarships. He has never forgotten that he represents the common man and woman of his District."

*The Roseburg News-Review, 10/20/04*

#### **Restore Balanced Budgets With Better Priorities**

DeFazio opposed legislation that cut student financial aid and senior health care to fund tax breaks for millionaire investors.

#### **Protect Retirement, Social Security And Improve Medicare**

"DeFazio: Bush Social Security plan a bad idea"

*The Coos Bay World, 2/25/05*

DeFazio opposes the president's plan to privatize Social Security. He has offered alternative plans to stabilize Social Security and improve Medicare prescription drug coverage.

#### **A Plan For An Affordable, Sustainable Energy Future**

"Oil company profits evidence of price gouging," DeFazio says."

*Florence Siuslaw News, 11/26/05*

DeFazio proposed an energy plan to stop price gouging and break our dependence on Middle East oil with new technologies, alternative fuels, renewables, and efficiencies.

#### **Strong, Honest Leadership For Oregonians**

"Congressman DeFazio is particularly good at staying in touch."

*Albany Democrat-Herald, 7/17/06*

"DeFazio is a rare Congressman. He actually believes in representing constituents at a time when most congressmen slavishly dance to the tune of interest groups who finance their perpetual campaigns."

*The Daily Astorian, 6/16/05*

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

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## Representative in Congress 4th District



### **Jim Feldkamp** Republican

**Occupation:** Businessman;  
Adjunct Professor- Umpqua  
Community College and Lane  
Community College.

**Occupational Background:**  
President, Feldkamp and

Associates; FBI Special Agent; Commander, US Navy (Reserves).

**Educational Background:** Roseburg High School; Linfield College; Oregon State University, B.S. Business Administration; Naval War College; Catholic University of America, M.A. International Affairs; FBI Academy.

**Prior Governmental Experience:** US Naval Flight Officer (EA-6B); Desert Storm Veteran- Flew over 30 combat missions; FBI Special Agent.

#### **STRONG PRO-SPORTSMEN**

Jim is a native of rural Oregon and lifelong sportsman with an "A" grade from the NRA. He understands the heritage and values of Oregon's hunters and anglers.

**"As an outdoorsman and hunter I believe the agenda of the animal rights extremists is wrong. I will oppose legislation that infringes on the rights of America's sportsmen and sportswomen."**

- Jim Feldkamp

#### **CAREER OF PUBLIC SERVICE**

With twenty years at work for the nation in the military and the FBI as a counterterrorism agent, Jim has demonstrated his dedication to our country.

**"Jim is exactly the man we want representing the fourth district in Congress. As a member of a locally owned third generation business, Jim has served the country in both the Navy and the FBI and understands the needs of security for Oregonians."**

-Andy Olson, State Representative

#### **HE SHARES OUR VALUES ON EDUCATION**

As an Adjunct Professor, Jim knows first-hand some of the problems students face here in Oregon. As a product of our local schools, he'll work to bring excellence to education helping our students compete globally.

#### **WE NEED A CHANGE**

**"Unhappy with the mess in Washington? Tired of the partisan wrangling, wasteful spending and corruption? Career politicians are the problem; change is the answer. The only way to change Congress is to change Congressmen, one district at a time. That's why I am asking for your vote."**

-Jim Feldkamp

[www.JimFeldkamp.com](http://www.JimFeldkamp.com)

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## Joe Keating

### Pacific Green

**Occupation:** Environmentalist

**Occupational Background:**  
Retired investment banker and business owner

**Educational Background:**  
B.A. Georgetown University

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Second Lieutenant and Captain, U.S. Army

Our state government is a mess because career politicians bicker and corporate lobbyists have too much power.

Both Democrats and Republicans have failed our state.

Why vote for the same politicians and parties who, year after year, fail to solve our problems?

It's time for a change.

I'm running for governor to represent working families. All Oregonians deserve good schools, health care and economic opportunities.

Oregon can afford the best schools and health care. Big companies must pay their fair share. I will raise the taxes for the largest and most profitable companies that do business in Oregon.

Health security for all  
Every Oregonian should have access to quality health care. Health care is a right not a privilege for the rich.

Peace now  
I will bring Oregon's National Guard troops home from Iraq and the Middle East. Our brave men and women should not fight distant wars for oil and greed. They should work in Oregon, making our state stronger.

Building an energy independent Oregon  
As governor, I will make conservation our state's first priority. I will establish a network of public rural energy cooperatives. The network will supply the energy needs of communities with biodiesel, biomass, solar, geothermal and wind power.

Preserve Oregon's natural resources  
I will protect our wonderful parks, forests, oceans, rivers and wildlife from timber, mining and grazing industries. I will stop companies from using our streams, rivers and ocean as a dumping grounds for their toxic waste.

I have been a leader all my life, beginning with my service in the military. I have fought hard for our country, and to keep Oregon's public lands beautiful.

I ask for your vote so that together we can make Oregon shine again.

[www.gojoekeating.org](http://www.gojoekeating.org)

*(This information furnished by Joe Keating.)*



## Ted Kulongoski

### Democrat

**Occupation:** Governor

**Occupational Background:**  
Attorney

**Educational Background:**  
Undergraduate/ law degree;  
University of Missouri

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Oregon Supreme Court Justice; Attorney General; Insurance Commissioner; State Legislator; Marine Corps

Married to Mary Oberst; three children.

#### Representing Working Oregonians

Who you are as Governor is really about who you represent.

I've said many times that the people most responsible for helping me become who I am today were the nuns who raised me, the Marine Corps Instructors who taught me discipline, and the taxpayers who gave me the opportunity of college through the GI Bill.

When I went into public service, I wanted to represent people like them – working families... retirees... ordinary people like you and me. That's why I'm committed to:

**Improving Education.** We've restored millions of dollars to our classrooms, and my education plan will increase and stabilize school funding so we can reduce class size, never again cut school days and invest in job training and higher education.

**Lowering Healthcare Costs.** I've taken on drug companies so Oregonians can have lower-cost prescription drugs. I have a plan to provide healthcare for Oregon's 117,000 uninsured children and reduce healthcare costs for working families.

**Keeping Communities Safe.** Since taking office, we've enacted America's toughest meth laws and cut the number of labs by 70 percent. I am committed to continuing this fight and restoring 24/7 State Police patrols throughout rural Oregon.

**Creating Good Jobs.** Today more Oregonians have jobs than ever before, we've gone from having the highest unemployment rate to the fifth fastest growing economy. We achieved these successes because we made it attractive to do business in Oregon by cutting 250,000 pages out of regulatory permitting, expanding online services, and investing in infrastructure, research and technology.

I'm proud of the progress we've made over the last four years, but the best is yet to come. Please join teachers, firefighters, nurses, and thousands of Oregonians in supporting me again for Governor.

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**Richard Morley**  
Libertarian

**Occupation:** University Accounting Instructor; retired Certified Internal Auditor

**Occupational Background:** Independent auditor for law firms, governments and corporations; VP & CFO for three

corporations; audit manager or accounting manager for two industrial corporations and state government.

**Educational Background:** MBA in Management, UC Berkeley; BA in Social Sciences, UC Riverside.

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Oregon's first State Audit Manager for performance auditing; Performance auditor for the City of Portland and Multnomah County. Contracted audits for Oregon Department of Corrections, Clackamas County Sheriff, and the City of Portland. Elected to the Board of Trustees of the Desert Center Unified School District, Riverside, California.

**MORLEY FOR GOVERNOR: THE SENSIBLE CENTER**  
Want to know more?  
<http://www.morley06.com>

• **FUND EDUCATION AND PUBLIC SAFETY FIRST**

**In Oregon's budget process, kids should not be at the end of the line. Time after time, the legislature passes agency budgets first. By the time education budgets are discussed, most of the money has been spent, creating a crisis. I will veto any budget bill that reaches my desk before the education and public safety budgets do.**

• **SWAP INCOME TAX FOR SALES TAX**

**Let's eliminate Oregon's income tax in exchange for a revenue-neutral sales tax. Certain living essentials would be exempt. This would be a constitutional change, so the legislature could not reintroduce an income tax without a vote of the people. The tax rate would be lower because tourists and those in the underground economy would join the tax base.**

• **PROTECT CIVIL LIBERTIES**

**Terrorists win if the price for security is our civil liberties. I support making privacy an explicitly protected right in Oregon's constitution. I will keep our national guard out of foreign conflicts. I support a woman's choice regarding abortion. I support Oregon's Death with Dignity and medicinal marijuana laws. Oregon should get out of the "marriage business" entirely, return control of the marriage sacrament to churches, and offer civil unions to all couples regardless of gender mix.**

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**Ron Saxton**  
Republican

**Occupation:** Attorney

**Occupational Background:** Farming/Law/Business

**Educational Background:** Albany Public Schools; Willamette University;

University of Virginia

**Prior Governmental Experience:** School Board Chairman

**Family:** Wife Lynne; son Andy

**Community Service:** Boy Scouts; Higher Education Roundtable; Portland Schools Foundation; Various Business Boards

**Ron Saxton**  
**Improving Schools**

**The Challenge:** Measured by class size, dropout rates and student achievement, Oregon's schools are struggling. More money alone won't fix the problem.

**The Solution:** A Governor who will make big changes.

- As School Board Chairman, Ron helped schools save millions through better management and privatization of non-instructional services. He introduced more school choice, cut administrative waste, and supported regular audits and transparent budgets.
- To boost student achievement, Ron will maximize dollars spent in the classroom, encourage paying teachers based on performance rather than seniority, and reduce class sizes by reducing bureaucracy.

**Responsible Fiscal Leadership**

**The Challenge:** Too often Oregonians are choosing between higher taxes or reduced services.

**The Solution:** A Governor who delivers smarter management.

- Ron will establish clear priorities for state government, eliminate non-essential functions, hold agencies accountable for performance, and engage the private sector to deliver services more effectively and efficiently where appropriate.
- Ron will hold the line on taxes. He opposes a sales tax, will return your Kicker refund, and will cut the cost of Oregon's government bureaucracy 10% within four years.

**Growing Oregon's Economy**

**The Challenge:** Improving wages and creating better jobs.

**The Solution:** A Governor with a pro-jobs, pro-business attitude.

- Ron will reform Oregon's harsh regulatory climate, reduce the capital gains and estate taxes, and ensure Oregon's universities and community colleges are magnets for business investment.

**Leading for Oregonians**

- Rebuilding Oregon's State Police and cracking down on drug dealers and property crimes.
- Reducing healthcare costs.
- Stopping Oregon from issuing driver's licenses to illegal immigrants.
- Protecting private property rights.
- Promoting renewable energy.
- Supporting Oregon's natural resource industries.

**Ron Saxton**  
**Leadership - For a Change**  
**WWW.VOTESAXTON.COM**

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**Mary  
Starrett**  
Constitution

**Occupation:** Executive Director,  
Oregonians for Life

**Occupational Background:**  
TV news anchor; talk show host;  
reporter; radio talk show host;  
writer.

**Educational Background:**  
BS cum laude Emerson College; Boston, Mass. Emergency  
Medical Technician II, Guilford Tech, N.C.

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Oregon State Registered  
Lobbyist

**Family:** Married, 1 daughter, 2 grandchildren

**Organizations:** Mothers against the Draft Advisory Board;  
Christian Family Adoptions, Board Member

**Endorsements:** Oregonians for Life PAC, Life Support, Oregon  
Firearms Federation PAC

The 2 "**BIG BOX**" **political parties** have been compromising  
on issues for so long, it's nearly **impossible** to tell one from  
the other.

Face it.

Virtually every aspect of our lives is coming under more and  
more government control.

As governor I will fight to **END:**

**Illegal immigration.** Oregonians are being crushed under  
the weight of educating, incarcerating, and medicating the  
thousands in our state unlawfully.

**Oregon taxpayer funded abortions.** The Oregon Health  
Plan uses **your** money (over \$1.5 million per year!) to kill 4,500  
pre-born Oregonians. I won't sign a budget that pays for ending  
the lives of innocents.

**The illegal deployment of the Oregon National Guard**  
to foreign countries to fight unconstitutional wars. U.S. and  
Oregon Constitutions agree – our troops were sent to Iraq and  
Afghanistan **illegally**. I will demand their return.

**Attacks on private property rights**

**State control of a bloated, ineffective education system.**

**Decentralize** the schools, give control back to local school  
boards and parents, allow **education dollars** to follow stu-  
dents. **Support home schooling parents.**

**Out of control child protective service agencies**

**Forced drugging of children**

**Corporate data-mining of Oregonians' personal/  
financial information.**

**Requiring taxpayers to prop up a failed PERS system.**  
Replace with a 401k type program. Privatize administration.

**All legislation aimed at eroding the 2nd Amendment.**  
Gun owners' rights must not be compromised!

Spending nearly DOUBLED in 10 years, limit to changes in  
inflation/ population

Demand elected official's respect. Remember, **they** work for  
**you!**

Mary Starrett - **Life, Liberty, Limited Government.**

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## State Senator 6th District



### Renee Lindsey Republican

**Occupation:** Network  
Operation Supervisor, Qwest  
Communications

**Occupational Background:**  
Qwest Communications (Cable  
Splicer; Systems Technician;  
Central Office Technician;

and Supervisor)

**Educational Background:** Linn-Benton Community College;  
Linfield College; Corporate based technical and management  
training

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Lebanon Community  
School District School Board 1999-2003; Lebanon Community  
School District Budget Committee 1999-present

**Organizations:** American Legion Auxiliary; Oregon Farm  
Bureau

**Family:** 2 children

#### MY LEGISLATIVE PRIORITIES

##### ECONOMY AND TAXES

I will never vote yes on a sales tax. Increased revenue should  
come from an increased tax base fueled by growth in the busi-  
ness sector. This is achieved through business friendly policies.

All State programs should have a sunset clause to force the  
legislature to regularly revisit and review the effectiveness  
and cost versus service of those programs.

Enforce the laws preventing use of Governmental Funds on ille-  
gal or undocumented foreign nationals as defined by Federal  
Statute. The savings could be reallocated for services to the eld-  
erly, youth programs, State Police, healthcare and education.

##### ACCOUNTABILITY

It should become illegal for any government employee or entity  
(State, County, City, Regional and Quasi governmental) to  
provide services or employment to any convicted child  
molester or predatory sex offender other than counseling.

##### ILLEGAL IMMIGRATION

All new drivers licenses should require multiple forms of identi-  
fication including a birth certificate.

Cap the percentage of foreign students in the State's higher  
education system to 5% and bar admittance of students from  
CIA/FBI listed rogue nations. Let's quit educating possible ter-  
rorists with Oregon tax payer subsidies and channel that  
money to Oregon students.

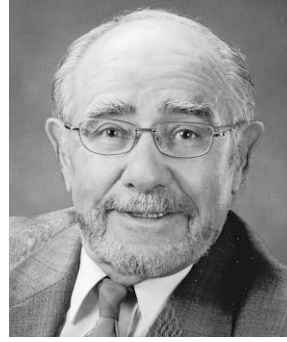
The State of Oregon should not provide a birth certificate that  
guarantees citizenship to any child who does not have a parent  
who is under the jurisdiction of the United States as defined in  
the Constitution.

"State government needs to refocus its priorities. Government  
should protect and serve the citizens by using their tax monies  
wisely, effectively and efficiently. I would be honored to serve  
you in the State Senate."

**Renée Lindsey**

*(This information furnished by Renée Lindsey.)*

## State Senator 6th District



### Bill Morrisette Democrat

**Occupation:** State Senator

**Occupational Background:**  
Teacher, Springfield School  
District, 1962-90; State  
Legislature, 1999-Present

**Educational Background:**  
B.A. Carroll College, Helena, Mt;

MEd. University of Oregon

**Prior Governmental Experience:** State Legislator, 1999-  
Present; Mayor of Springfield, 1989-99; Springfield City  
Council, 1987-89

**Personal:** Married to Janice for 55 years, eight children,  
14 grand children, 4 great grand children

**Awards:** Springfield Chamber of Commerce Distinguished  
Citizen of the year, 1997; Eugene City Club Turtle Award (for  
willingness to stick neck out), 1999; Oregon Mayor of the Year,  
1994; Lane County Elected Official of the year 1992 and 2005

**Founder or Co-Founder:** Springfield Filbert Festival, 1989;  
Springfield Sports Center 1990; Springfield/Eugene Habitat for  
Humanity, 1991; Project Starfish, 1995, Springfield Community  
Development Corporation, 1996; Springfield Community  
Band, 1996

**Education Committee:** Bill supports the Quality Education  
Commission's recommendation for full funding of K-12;  
supports better health in schools by getting junk food out and  
physical education in.

**Health Committee:** As Chair of a Senate Health Committee  
Bill will work for better health practices on Oregon.

**Measure 44:** Bill is a Chief-Co Sponsor of Measure 44 to be  
voted on in this general election. His SB 329 passed the Senate  
but was killed in the Republican House during the 2005 session  
and as a result Bill worked hard to gather 129,000 signatures to  
expand the Oregon Prescription Drug Program to include all of  
the uninsured individuals in Oregon. With no cost to the state  
or individuals members to participate, negotiated bulk  
purchasing will generate huge discounts. See Measure 44 in  
the Voters' Pamphlet.

**Dedication to Service:** Bill believes public service is an honor  
that comes with an obligation to help constituents solve  
problems with state agencies, so please call if you need help.

##### Endorsements:

OLCV Oregon League of Conservation Voters  
Oregon AFL-CIO  
SEIU local 503, OPEU  
Oregon Nurses Association  
Oregon State Fire Fighters Council

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**State Senator  
8th District**

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8th District**



**Mario E.  
Magaña**  
Democrat

**Occupation:** Professor

**Occupational Background:** Seven years of industrial experience plus nineteen years as an electrical engineering professor (two at University of Alabama and seventeen at OSU)

**Educational Background:** BSEE with minor in Mathematics, Iowa State University; MSEE, Georgia Tech and PhD in Electrical Engineering, Purdue University

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Vice Chair, Law Enforcement Review Committee, Benton County

**Education Comes First**

As an educator for the last 19 years and father of school children, Mario knows the strengths and weaknesses of our education system.

Politicians in Salem must create an adequate state-wide environment for learning in our schools.

Mario will fight for stable funding, recognition of teachers work and help establish statewide standards of learning. Good education at all levels is paramount to the success of Oregon.

**Insuring Affordable Health Care**

Will make access to affordable health care for all Oregonians a top priority.

Mario recognizes that Oregon should create a new health care system which will put emphasis on prevention not expensive trips to the Emergency Room.

Mario believes that our health care system has to be easily understood and contain the best management practices to insure our health care dollars are spent on doctors not insurance companies.

**A Healthy Environment = Healthy Oregonians**

Mario understands the laws protecting our air and water should NOT come from high-paid lobbyists but from sound scientific research.

Mario believes that Oregon can have a healthy timber industry that implements harvesting practices which have minimal environmental impact.

**Living Wages**

Will work with Oregon incubation centers of new high technology companies.

Will work hard to attract companies that pay living wages to Oregon.

**"I will work hard to keep my promise of helping achieve real democracy in our state and will prove to my fellow citizens that one can be an honest and incorruptible politician."**

**"I ask for your vote this November."**

**MARIO E. MAGAÑA**

Endorsing Organizations: **Oregon School Employees Association; OLCV (Oregon League of Conservation Voters), Sierra Club**

*(This information furnished by Mario E. Magaña.)*

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**Frank  
Morse**  
Republican

**Occupation:** Retired; State Senator

**Occupational Background:** First Christian Church, Forest Grove, Associate Pastor; Morse Bros. Inc., President; Environ-Metal Inc., Chairman; Albany

Chamber of Commerce Board President; Albany Boys & Girls Club Board member; Greater Pacific Bank, Board Chairman; Western Security Bank, Board member; Cascade Employers Association, Chairman; Oregon Concrete & Aggregate Producers Association, Board President; OSU Family Business Council, Board member; Samaritan Albany General Hospital Board & Samaritan Health Services System, past Chair and current Board member; Northwest Christian College Trustees, past Chairman and current Trustee.

**Educational Background:** Lebanon Union High School; Northwest Christian College, BTh; Oregon State University, MA.

**Prior Governmental Experience:** State Senator; Joint Ways & Means Committee, Ways & Means Sub Committees: General Government, Transportation and Economic Development, Human Services; Emergency Board & Emergency Board Subcommittee On Education; Senate Interim Committee on General Government; Senate Commission On Health Care Access and Affordability; Joint Interim Legislative Committee on Information Management and Technology; Public Commission on The Oregon Legislature; Senate Reserve Fund Task Force; Oregon Council on Knowledge and Economic Development; Oregon Innovation Council

**BOLD LEADERSHIP**

"I have watched Frank Morse become the kind of leader we all are proud to have represent us in the State Senate. Frank is solid in his convictions and thoughtful in his approach to solving issues facing Oregon. Please join me in voting for Frank Morse for State Senate." Bob Ringo, Corvallis Community Leader

**DEDICATED TO OUR COMMUNITY**

Frank Morse has long been dedicated and committed to our community and his service in the State Senate has only enhanced that dedication. Frank makes certain we know what is going on with issues by holding town halls, being accessible at community events and forums and sharing his thoughts with the local media. His candidness and caring is deeply appreciated. And that is why I am voting for Frank Morse. I hope you will join me."

Janet Steele, Albany Community Leader

**FRANK MORSE FOR STATE SENATE  
BUILDING STRONG COMMUNITIES**

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

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**State Representative  
11th District**

**State Representative  
11th District**



**Phil  
Barnhart**  
Democrat

**Occupation:** State Representative

**Occupational Background:** psychologist; adjunct professor University of Oregon; Deputy District Attorney

**Educational Background:**

University of Oregon, BA, JD; California School of Professional Psychology, Ph.D.

**Prior Governmental Experience:** 3 Term State Representative

**PHIL BARNHART  
A Strong Leader for Our Values**

**Phil Barnhart stands up for our values while fighting against out of state special interests in Salem.**

**Phil has fought to eliminate billions of dollars in loopholes and corporate giveaways to fund education, public safety, health care, and social services.**

**Phil has worked hard to bring responsibility and accountability to our government.**

**Quality Education**

Phil has led the fight to put more teachers in the classroom and ensure that all students have the opportunity to succeed. He led the fight for a no cuts school budget so all our kids will have small classes and a full school year. Phil will continue his fight to lower tuition and improve access to quality community colleges, universities, and apprenticeship programs, to help students qualify for good jobs in a strong economy.

**Quality, Affordable Health Care**

Phil fought to ensure access to affordable prescription drugs and will continue to support pooling programs to reduce costs. Phil worked to protect the Oregon Health Plan, and will push to expand health care coverage for all of Oregon's children.

**Strong Public Safety**

Phil advocates tirelessly for public safety and law enforcement. He opposed attacks on the State Police, and will push for the hiring of more than 100 new officers to allow for 24 hour patrols of our roadways. Phil has worked hard to give prosecutors, police, and sheriffs the tools they need to crack down on criminals and keep meth off of our streets.

Join Commissioners Faye Stewart, Bill Dwyer, and Pete Sorenson, District Attorney Doug Harclerod, Oregon Nurses Association, Oregon State Police Officers Association, Oregon Firefighters Council, Oregon Education Association, American Federation of Teachers-Oregon, Oregon School Employees Association, Oregon AFL-CIO, and many others in supporting Phil's re-election.

*(This information furnished by Friends of Phil Barnhart.)*



**Jim  
Oakley**  
Republican

**Occupation:** Consultant

**Occupational Background:** Electric Utility Industry

**Educational Background:**

Assoc. Degree in Civil Engineering from Oregon Institute of Technology, BS

Degree in Business Management from Linfield College.

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Board of Director's Pleasant Hill Rural Fire Department

**Community Involvement:** Member of Jaycees, Member of Lions Club, Co-Chair of Coos County United Way Campaign

**THERE IS A CLEAR CHOICE**

**Taxes**

I believe the State of Oregon has adequate resources; and the people want our state government to live within its means. My opponent believes the only solution to our state's problems is to increase taxes without a successful budget plan, and throw our hard-earned money away.

**Raising taxes is not the answer.** I believe in honoring the will of the people who have continually voted down tax increases.

**Schools**

I believe we can improve our school system by requiring accountability and fiscal responsibility. Reorganizing the way we spend government money is critical. Adding more money to a system which doesn't work is not the answer. We need a representative with a different vision. I can make a difference, and with your vote, together we can make our schools great again.

**Law Enforcement**

Public Safety and Law enforcement must have a higher priority. We have the lowest number of police officers per capita in the nation. Our jails are forced into a "revolving door" policy where some people that are arrested are right back on the street before for they see the inside of a cell. Oregon needs to adequately fund our public safety system, so that we can keep habitual criminals off of the street, making our communities safer. We need more police officers on patrol to combat the rising crime rates, especially the manufacture and sale of illegal drugs.

I respectfully ask for your vote for a real change. We can make Oregon a better place.

[www.jimoakleyforstaterep.com](http://www.jimoakleyforstaterep.com)

*(This information furnished by Friends of Jim Oakley.)*

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**State Representative  
15th District**

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15th District**



**Andy  
Olson**  
Republican

**Occupation:** State Representative; Community College Instructor; Community volunteer

**Occupational Background:** Twenty-nine years, Oregon State Police; Emergency

Services Consultant

**Educational Background:** Bachelors Degree, George Fox College; Associates Degree, Chemeketa Community College

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Oregon State Police

**I hope to continue to serve this great community as your State Representative. With my experience, established relationships and energy, you can depend on me to get things done for you. -ANDY OLSON**

In his next term as your State Representative, Andy Olson will work for:

- **EDUCATION:** Stabilize school funding

"Andy doesn't get caught up in the political games surrounding education but keeps focused on what is best for our kids. He is a very effective leader for the future of education."

**-Tim Smith, Elementary School Principal**

- **JOBS:** Make a real difference for our economy and the businesses and jobs that fuel it

"Andy Olson is a champion for Oregon's economy. He looks at each issue with common sense and considers how it impacts our economy, small businesses and jobs."

**-Jim Richards, Fisher Implement Co.**

- **ACCOUNTABILITY:** Create more accountability for state agencies to ensure efficient, effective programs

"Representative Olson is responsive to the needs of all his constituents. Retirees and seniors especially need Andy advocating for us to make government more efficient and easy to maneuver."

**-Erma and Erman Johnston, Local Retirees**

- **HEALTH AND SAFETY:** Provide security for seniors, families and businesses through the Criminal Justice Network and local/state partnerships and advocate for affordable health care.

"Andy Olson does his homework and brings people together to find solutions that work. He is a great asset to the Oregon Legislature, especially for public safety."

**-Tim Mueller, Linn County Sheriff**

ENDORSED BY:

- National Federation of Independent Business/Oregon Oregon Business Association PAC
- AFSCME Council 75
- Oregon Nurses Association
- Oregon Health Care Association
- Oregon Education Association
- Oregon Police Chiefs for Safer Communities
- Oregon Farm Bureau

**RE-ELECT STATE REPRESENTATIVE ANDY OLSON.  
A leader we can depend on.**

**WWW.FRIENDSOFANDYOLSON.COM**

*(This information furnished by Friends of Andy Olson.)*

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**Sam H.W.  
Sappington**  
Democrat

**Occupation:** Psychologist

**Occupational Background:** Private Practice (since 2003); Assistant Director, OSU's Counseling & Psychological Services; Senior Staff Psychologist, Colorado

State University.

**Educational Background:** University of California, Davis (B.S.); Cornell University (M.S); University of Maryland (Ph.D. in Counseling Psychology)

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Precinct Captain, Benton County; Benton County Rep to 5th Congressional District Committee (Hooley); Benton County and Statewide DPO Platform Conventions (2004 and 2006).

Dear Neighbor,

We have seen our nation and our state go through many changes in recent years as our elected officials have shifted government's priorities to military spending, homeland security and passing laws that favor major corporations. It is difficult to remember a time when government has seemed to care so little about the average citizen. Federal, state, and local decisions have had a direct impact on the quality of life in Oregon's communities.

- Our schools and educational system in Oregon are suffering, which harms our younger generation and threatens our future economic viability;
- More Oregonians are losing medical insurance and access to affordable health care;
- The "safety net" of social services is being cut from every angle, as the growing message from government is "You're on your own!"
- Reductions in State troopers are lowering public safety standards.
- Tax cuts are primarily benefiting the wealthiest citizens and most powerful corporations as they cut into the "flesh and bone" of government's ability to fund essential services.

We are seeing a concerted effort to bankrupt government at all levels by many of our current leaders, while the divide between the rich and the poor only grows larger. This trend is eroding the very building blocks necessary for a healthy democracy to function.

**Let's stop electing people to government who hate government!**

**I understand and respect government's proper role in providing for the common good!**

**Please support me in my efforts to create a better Oregon where all can prosper and feel secure!**

**Please share your ideas at [Sam@SamForHD15.org](mailto:Sam@SamForHD15.org)**

*(This information furnished by Sam H.W. Sappington.)*

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**State Representative  
16th District**

**State Representative  
16th District**



**Robin M. Brown**  
Republican

**Occupation:** Retail Sales  
**Occupational Background:** Military officer, helicopter pilot, paratrooper  
**Educational Background:** BS, Fordham University, 1997

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Aviation Company Commander, Strategic Aviation Planner, Human Resource Director, Platoon Leader

**Robin Brown on Education:  
Robin will fight to get 65% of the education budget to the classroom**

Currently, only 56% of our education budget actually reaches the children in our classrooms. By passing the 65% plan, **\$247 million additional dollars** would reach the classroom **without increasing taxes or requiring extra funding.**

Robin will work tirelessly to reform current priorities in education, without taking local control away from our community by:

- Supporting **charter schools, home schooling, and school choice** so students have access to an education that is fair and appropriate for each child.
- Supporting **increased funding for higher education**, especially in our community colleges.

**Robin Brown on Economic Development:  
Robin believes in smart land-use planning**

Jobs and prosperity depend on **growing local businesses and attracting new and diverse businesses** to our community. Robin will work diligently to:

- Support the **reduction of the Oregon tax on capital gains** to encourage investment in Oregon.
- Encourage "clean" businesses to locate in our community.
- Offer greater tax deductions to businesses that offer **employee health insurance benefits.**

**Robin Brown on Responsible Public Policy:  
Robin is committed to keeping our streets safe**

Oregon's methamphetamine use is the highest in the nation per capita. Crimes associated with meth use, such as burglaries and car thefts, are on the rise. Robin will help make our streets safe again by:

- Working hard to increase the funding to crime labs in order to expedite forensic results and **get criminals off the street** in a timelier manner.
- Supporting **early education programs** in our schools to help stop the meth problem before it starts.

**Vote Robin Brown  
The responsible choice for better education,  
smart land-use planning, and safer streets!**

*(This information furnished by Vote Robin Brown.)*



**Sara A. Gelser**  
Democrat

**Occupation:** State Representative  
**Occupational Background:** Policy Analyst, Oregon DHS; Instructor, LBCC; Regional Coordinator, Oregon PTI  
**Educational Background:** MAIS, Oregon State University; BA, Earlham College

**Prior Governmental Experience:** State Representative; Corvallis School Board; Oregon Council on Developmental Disabilities

**Sara Gelser. Protecting what's best about Oregon.**

**Sara Gelser knows Oregon's greatest resource is its people.** She supports policies that strengthen families and expand opportunity to all Oregonians.

**Sara Gelser believes an excellent education is the key to opportunity.** She is a passionate advocate for a rigorous K-12 education for all students and joins business leaders in supporting early childhood programs like Head Start. Sara believes we must increase our investment in higher education. Universities and community colleges are the building blocks of a healthy economy and give citizens the tools to build more productive, independent lives.

**Sara Gelser knows too many families are just a health emergency away from bankruptcy.** Sara will work across party lines to fight skyrocketing costs and make health insurance more affordable to businesses and individuals. She supports expanding health coverage to all children and reforms to allow more seniors and people with disabilities to live at home.

**Sara Gelser believes Oregon's natural features are essential to our economy and quality of life.** She supports policies that lead to clean water and air and will demand responsible, sustainable planning for our future.

**Sara Gelser will protect the rights and dignity of all Oregonians.** Sara puts people above politics by resisting partisan gridlock and working towards common sense solutions for Oregon's future.

**Endorsed:**

- Oregon Small Business Coalition
- Oregon School Employees Association
- Coalition for a Healthy Oregon
- Oregon Education Association
- Oregon State Building Trades Council
- Oregon State Council for Retired Citizens
- United Transportation Union
- OLCV (Oregon League of Conservation Voters)
- American Federation of Teachers-Oregon
- Sierra Club
- Oregon Council of Police Associations
- AFSCME Council 75
- Oregon State Fire Fighters Council
- Basic Rights Equality PAC
- Oregon Nurses Association
- Oregon AFL-CIO
- SEIU Local 503, OPEU
- NARAL Pro-Choice Oregon

*(This information furnished by Sara Gelser for State Representative.)*

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**State Representative  
17th District**

**State Representative  
17th District**



**Fred  
Girod**  
Republican

**Occupation:** Dentist  
**Occupational Background:** Dentist for 28 years, Partner in Assisted Living Care facility, Oregon State Legislator  
**Educational Background:** Masters of Public Administration

from Harvard University; DMD from OHSU; BS degree from Oregon State University; Graduated from Stayton High School

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Elected to Oregon State House of Representatives, November 1992; Served on the following committees: Rules Committee - Chair, Revenue Committee; Stayton City Council; Stayton Budget Committee

**COMMUNITY SERVICE:**

- Santiam Hospital Board
- Foundation of Santiam Watershed

**My Priorities are:**

- Balance the States budget without new taxes in record time.
- Repair our troubled education system
- Stop the expansion of Government
- Create a level playing field for timber and agriculture
- Properly implement Ballot Measure 37

My ancestors came to Oregon by covered wagon and have been involved in many of the communities that make up District #17. I am honored to be selected as the Republican candidate to represent this area. I believe that my business experience, past legislative experience and educational background have prepared me for serving the people of this district.

You can be assured that as your State Representative I will fight to protect your property rights and am endorsed by the states largest property rights group **Oregonians in Action PAC**. I am a friend of timber and agriculture and am endorsed by **Associated Oregon Loggers, Inc.** and by the **Oregon Family Farm Association PAC**. I will protect your right to hunt and am endorsed by the **National Rifle Association of America, Inc.** I support small business and am endorsed by **National Federation of Independent Business/Oregon**. I will work to limit the rule making capacity of government. I have a history of being tough on crime and am endorsed by the **Oregon Police Chiefs for Safer Communities**.

Government is Broken and I want to help with the solutions.

**Fred Girod – A VISION FOR OREGON’S FUTURE**

*(This information furnished by Fred Girod for State Representative.)*



**Dan  
Thackaberry**  
Democrat

**Occupation:** Farmer, runs a farm in rural Lebanon that has seen over forty years’ growth.  
**Occupational Background:** Farmer; Fieldman for Willamette Agricultural Consulting.  
**Educational Background:**

B.S. Entomology, Oregon State University, 1980.

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Lebanon City Councilor 1998-present; Chairman Lebanon Budget Committee; Linn County Planning Commission; Lebanon Planning Commission; Director Linn County Soil and Water Conservation District.

**Civic Activities:** Current President Linn County Farm Bureau, Sons of the American Legion, Lebanon City Parks Committee, Lebanon City Transportation Committee, Oregon Small Woodlands Association, Linn County Farm Bureau-Farm Family of the Year 1991.

**“I will work harder than anyone for ordinary people and I’ll always put the interests of my district and the interests of Oregon families over partisan politics.”**

**Dan Thackaberry** works for a strong economy. Oregon is in a unique position to harness wind, tide, solar and biofuel energy sources, leading to a resurgence in Oregon’s economy and energy independence.

**Dan Thackaberry** calls for tax fairness. Working families and retirees carry too much of the tax burden. Dan will crack down on tax cheaters, bringing in needed revenue. Oregon fails to collect almost a billion dollars in tax revenue annually.

**Dan Thackaberry** believes in affordable health care.

**Dan Thackaberry** brings independent leadership. Dan is pro-development for family wage jobs. Dan spearheaded the Walden Pond project that will mean savings to Lebanon ratepayers. Dan stood up for private property rights, supported watershed restoration that brought Federal dollars to Linn County.

**Dan Thackaberry**– hardworking farmer dedicated to public service. He will work to fund a full school year and smaller classes for all children, in every Oregon community. Dan has the experience and commitment to build bridges among rural and urban communities of District 17.

**Endorsements:** Linn County Sheriff Tim Mueller; Former State Senator Hector MacPherson; Former State Senator Cliff Trow; Lebanon City Councilor Ray Weldon; Sweet Home City Councilor Jim Gourley; Oregon AFL-CIO; SEIU Local 503, OPEU

[www.farmerdan.org](http://www.farmerdan.org)

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# General Information

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## Vote by Mail

### What is Vote by Mail?

Vote by mail is a method of conducting elections. Instead of using traditional polling places where voters go to cast ballots on election day, a ballot is automatically mailed to each registered voter. The ballot is then voted and returned to the county elections official to be counted.

### As a voter, what do I have to do?

Your ballot packet will automatically be mailed to you between October 20 and 24, 2006. Inside the packet you will find the ballot, a secrecy envelope and a return envelope. Once you vote the ballot, place it in the secrecy envelope and seal it in the pre-addressed return envelope. Be sure you sign the return envelope on the appropriate line. After that just return the ballot either by mail or at a designated dropsite.

### What if I am uncomfortable voting my ballot at home?

Privacy booths are available for you to cast your ballot. There are privacy booths at your county elections office and there may be others at dropsite locations elsewhere in your county. For further information, call your county elections official.

### What if my ballot doesn't come?

If you are registered to vote and have not received your ballot within a week after they are mailed, call your county elections office. They will check that your voter registration is current. If it is, they will mail you a replacement ballot.

### What if I have moved and have not updated my registration?

If you were registered to vote by October 17 but now have a different address, call your county elections office for instructions on how to update your registration and receive a ballot.

### Do I have to return my ballot by mail?

You have the choice of mailing your ballot or returning it to any county elections office or any designated dropsite in the state. The times and locations of dropsites are available at your county elections office.

### How much postage is required to mail the ballot back?

Your voted ballot can usually be returned using a single 39¢ stamp. In those instances where additional postage is necessary, it will be clearly indicated on the ballot materials.

### When must the voted ballot be returned?

The voted ballot must be received in any county elections office or designated dropsite by 8pm on election night. **Postmarks do not count!**

### How do I know if my ballot is received?

You can call your county elections office and ask if they received your ballot. A record is kept showing each voter whose ballot has been returned.

### Can anyone find out how I've voted once I mail my ballot?

No. All ballots are separated from the return envelope before the ballots are inspected. This process ensures confidentiality.

### What if I forget to sign the return envelope?

Generally, your elections office will either return it to you for signing or they will contact you, if possible, to come to the elections office to sign it. If the return envelope does not get signed before 8pm on November 7, the ballot will not be counted.

### Can the public watch the election process?

All steps of the process are open to observation by the public. Contact your county elections official to make arrangements.

### When will election results be known?

Ballot counting cannot begin until election day. Initial results are released at 8pm election night and will continue to be updated through election night until all ballots have been counted.

## Important!

If your ballot is lost, destroyed, damaged or you make a mistake in marking your ballot, you may call your county elections office and request a replacement ballot. One will be mailed to you as long as you request it by November 2. After that, you may pick it up at the elections office. If you have already mailed your original ballot before you realize you made a mistake, you have cast your vote and will not be eligible for a replacement ballot.

Your voted ballot must be returned to your county elections office by 8pm election day, Tuesday, November 7, 2006.

### Postmarks do not count!

County elections offices are open on election day from 7am to 8pm.

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## Provisional Ballot Information

You will be issued a provisional ballot if:

- there is a question about your eligibility as a voter (for example, there is no evidence on file that you are an active or inactive voter in Oregon)
- you need to vote at a County Elections Office in a county other than the one you live in

In order to obtain a provisional ballot, you need to fill out a Provisional Ballot Request Form in person at the County Elections Office.

Your provisional ballot will not be counted until it is determined that you are eligible to vote.

After you have voted the ballot, you can call 1-866-ORE-VOTES (1-866-673-8683) or the County Elections Office in which you voted to find out if your ballot was counted. If your ballot was not counted, you can also find out the reason it was not counted.

If it is determined that you are ineligible to vote in this election, the completed Provisional Ballot Request Form will serve as your voter registration for future elections.

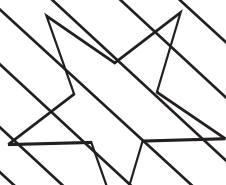
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## Voter Information

For questions about voter registration, ballot delivery and return, marking the ballot, requesting a replacement ballot, absentee ballots, signature requirements, the voters' pamphlet, when and where to vote, and other questions about elections and voting, call the toll-free voter information line at 1-866-ORE-VOTES (1-866-673-8683).

Voter information line representatives can provide services in both English and Spanish. TTY services for the hearing impaired are also available at 1-866-350-0596.





for unofficial election results  
starting at 8pm on November 7th visit:  
**[www.oregonvotes.org](http://www.oregonvotes.org)**

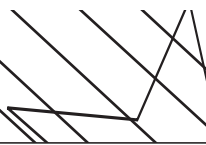


for more information about  
voting in Oregon

**call**      **1 866 ORE VOTES/673 8683**  
*se habla español*

**visit**      **[www.oregonvotes.org](http://www.oregonvotes.org)**

**tty**      **1 866 350 0596**  
*for the hearing impaired*



**State Representative  
23rd District**

**State Representative  
23rd District**



**Brian  
Boquist**  
Republican

**Occupation:** Small Business Owner and Reserve Military Officer

**Occupational Background:** Aviation, construction, dairy, forestry, military instructor

**Educational Background:**

MBA, Oregon State University; BS, Western Oregon State College; Tillamook High School

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Lieutenant Colonel, Special Forces, US Army, Army National Guard, Army Reserve, Central and Perrydale School District Budget Committees

**Organizations:** Boy Scouts of America (Eagle), Veterans of Foreign Wars, American Legion, National Federation of Independent Business, Small Woodlands Association, National Guard Association, Elks

**Family:** Peggy, six children.

**Character, leadership and real experience matters!**

**“I’m an independent minded constitutional republican who believes public safety ought to come first, protecting our children is the key to our future, supporting Oregon businesses leads to public prosperity, defending private property rights is like defending our borders, respecting seniors for their experience, and less government will improve our pursuit of life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness.”**

**Brian says** public safety is the first responsibility of government.

**Brian says** Oregon needs local jobs not higher taxes.

**Brian says** education is everybody’s business and we need to work together to improve our children’s future.

**Brian says** save Oregon for our children not from our children.

**Brian says** small businesses and property owners are over regulated and under supported by government bureaucracy.

**Brian says** prosecute criminals, enforce existing laws, and put money in local hands to fight illegal drugs locally.

**Brian says** honor seniors. Safeguard their future. Rebuild ours.

**Brian supports** the Second Amendment as a personal right.

**Brian is** pro-veteran and is a veteran.

**Brian favors** parental notification.

**“A strong economy means supporting small businesses. Oregon needs roads not commuter rails. Oregon needs classroom money not classroom bureaucracy. Oregon needs to spend locally not waste centrally in Salem. Oregon needs common sense not political correctness. Oregon needs Leadership!”**

**“Join me in sacrificing now for Oregon’s future. I will provide leadership in the House. I am asking for your vote.”**

**Leadership That Counts -  
Boquist for State Representative**

*(This information furnished by Brian J. Boquist, Boquist Leadership Fund.)*

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**Jason  
Brown**  
Democrat

**Occupation:** Computer professional, Small farmer, Small business owner.

**Occupational Background:** Worked in shipping yards; restaurants; human services; real estate; construction;

computer services, research and development; management.

**Educational Background:** The Evergreen State College, BA, 1984; Graduate studies in Research Psychology at Washington University, 1992-4.

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Precinct Committee-person; Delegate to the Democratic State Central Committee of Oregon.

**Community Involvement:** Served on church boards and committees. Organized community events. Participated in meetings and hearings of local and state-level governmental bodies. Raised funds for non-profit causes.

**JASON BROWN is dedicated to  
Fair Government for Positive Change**

We need more cooperation and less partisanship in Salem. As a fourth-generation Oregonian, Jason has a positive vision for Oregon – a vision founded on Oregon’s independent spirit and the opportunity for every one of us to achieve the American Dream.

Oregon lawmakers made a mistake a decade ago when they decided to cut taxes on large corporations. They said this would attract businesses to provide good jobs and increase our standard of living. It hasn’t worked. Today, big corporations pay less tax in Oregon than anywhere in the U.S., while average Oregonians struggle to make ends meet.

Our current representative and others in Salem who receive large campaign contributions from out-of-state mega-corporations are still cutting corporate taxes. They won’t admit to their failed policies and won’t fix them.

We need to reclaim our government by electing independent-minded leaders like Jason Brown. Jason will stand up for Oregon taxpayers instead of big corporations from out of state.

**Jason Brown will work for fair, commonsense solutions to reach our common goals:**

- Restore quality public education
- Affordable health care for all Oregonians
- Better law enforcement, crime prevention and disaster-response capabilities
- A healthy economy with thriving, locally-owned farms and businesses
- Affordable energy through Oregon-based, renewable alternatives
- Dignity, respect and a secure future for everyone

[www.brownforhouse.org](http://www.brownforhouse.org)

Endorsed by: Oregon AFL-CIO; SEIU Local 503, OPEU; OLCV, (Oregon League of Conservation Voters)

*(This information furnished by Brown for House Committee.)*

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## State Representative 23rd District



**Paul  
Delaney**  
Libertarian

**Occupation:** Heavy equipment operator.

**Occupational Background:** Heavy equipment operator; truck driver, carpenter, common working man.

**Educational Background:** 1983 Graduate of Oregon Public School.

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Tax payer. Willamina Planning Commission.

**Family:** married 12 years with 2 children.  
I am running for office because I want to help bring back responsibility in government and hopefully give you the voter more bang for the buck. If I am elected some of the changes I would work to bring about would be:

**Protect Private Property Rights.**  
**Protect the Constitution with all of it's amendments.**  
**Protect the right of gun owners and take the rights of criminals.**

**Tell the Fed to close the boarders to illegal aliens.** Much of the meth comes from Mexico not your neighbor's cold medicine.

**No drivers license for illegal aliens.**

**Enforce the current laws on immigration.**

**Give back the kicker:** You worked for it, you earned, you should get it back.

**Support measure 48.**

**Yes to parental notification.** The state should not undermine the parent's authority. The kids belong to the parents—not the state.

**Support our troops:** Liberty and freedom is not just for America. We should support our troops regardless of who is in the White House. Great honor should be given to those fighting and those who have fallen.

**Judicial Review Board:** Even judges should be held accountable. Judges should interpret the law not make it.

**P.E.R.S. reform:** No one should be able to retire at 105% of their salary.

**Standing for the rights of the 23rd District against the liberals in Portland.**

Thank you for supporting this common working man, it would be a honor to represent you in district 23.  
May God bless and protect our troops as they fight for freedom to all races and religions. As the liberate those who love them and those who hate them. May God protect their families and guard their lives and may we support and pray for them.

*(This information furnished by Paul Delaney.)*

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## Judge of the Supreme Court Position 6



### Virginia L. Linder Nonpartisan

**Occupation:** Judge,  
Oregon Court of Appeals  
(1997-present)

**Occupational Background:**  
Oregon Solicitor General;  
Assistant Attorney General,  
Appellate Division; Adjunct Law

Professor, Willamette Law School

**Educational Background:** Willamette University, JD;  
Southern Oregon State College, BA

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Oregon Department of  
Justice, 1980-1997

#### Judge Virginia Linder

#### WHEN EXPERIENCE COUNTS, A JUDGE MAKES THE DIFFERENCE

##### Experienced

"As an appellate judge for nine years, Judge Linder is uniquely qualified for the Oregon Supreme Court. She is the only judge in this race, and has earned a reputation for being fair-minded, smart and hard working. Her record is one of balanced, practical and thoughtful decisions. That's why we and so many other judges throughout Oregon support her."

**Judges David Brewer (Court of Appeals), Patricia Crain (Jackson County), Dale Koch (Multnomah County), Eve Miller (Clackamas County), Burdette Pratt (Malheur County), Michael Sullivan (Deschutes County)**

##### Trusted

"Judge Linder has earned our trust as prosecutors. We support her because she's decisive, practical, and fair."

**District Attorneys Edwin I. Caleb (Klamath County), Tim Colahan (Harney County), Bob Hermann (Washington County)**

##### Respected

"Judge Linder is one of Oregon's finest appellate judges. If elected, she will be the only woman on the Oregon Supreme Court. Her background and experience will be important additions to the court."

**Edwin Peterson, Betty Roberts, Jacob Tanzer, former Oregon Supreme Court Justices**

"Judge Linder was Oregon's first woman Solicitor General, representing the state before the Oregon and US Supreme Courts. She was so effective that three attorneys general - Republican and Democrat - kept her in that position."

**Attorney General Hardy Myers**

##### Judge Linder

"The law reflects society's values, and the role of a judge is to interpret the law fairly and impartially, not change or create it. Judicial decisions should be based on the law and facts of the case, not public opinion or political pressure. Serving on the Supreme Court is a solemn responsibility, one for which I've prepared my entire career."

**Judge Virginia Linder**

[www.judgevirginialinder.com](http://www.judgevirginialinder.com)

*(This information furnished by Judge Virginia Linder for Supreme Court Committee.)*

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## Judge of the Supreme Court Position 6



### Jack Roberts Nonpartisan

**Occupation:** Director, Lane  
Metro Partnership

**Occupational Background:**  
Attorney

**Educational Background:**  
Eugene Public Schools;  
University of Oregon, B.S.;

University of Oregon School of Law, J.D.; New York University,  
Masters in Tax Law

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Elected State Labor  
Commissioner, 1995-2003; Lane County Commissioner  
1989-1994

#### Jack Roberts for Oregon Supreme Court

##### Balanced Judicial Philosophy

- Jack understands the role of the courts is to apply the law fairly to every citizen.
- Jack believes judges should not substitute their personal policy preferences for that of voters or their elected representatives.
- Jack believes the court should reflect the values and philosophy of the entire state and will bring needed experience to the judicial system.

##### Common Sense Experience

- As a former business attorney, Jack helped families and businesses comply with the law while staying out of court.
- As a Lane County Commissioner, Jack helped administer public safety and human service programs critical to the community.
- As State Labor Commissioner, Jack enforced state civil rights laws, child labor laws, and helped pass Oregon's family leave law.

##### Respected Public Servant

"Jack's experience as an attorney in private practice and in elected office makes him an ideal replacement for Justice Wallace Carson, who I appointed to the Oregon Supreme Court."

Vic Atiyeh

Oregon Governor, 1979-1986

"Oregon needs judges who will respect the rights and understand the plight of those who are victims of crime, as well as protect the rights of those who are accused of crimes."

Steve Doell

Crime Victims United of Oregon

##### **Endorsed by**

Former Governor Victor Atiyeh  
Karsten Rasmussen, Circuit Court Judge  
Doug Harclerod, Lane County District Attorney  
Josh Marquis, Clatsop County District Attorney  
John Foote, Clackamas County District Attorney  
John Sewell, Hood River County District Attorney  
Jack Banta, Douglas County District Attorney  
Norm Frink, Multnomah County Chief Deputy District Attorney  
Russ Burger, Lane County Sheriff  
Crime Victims United of Oregon  
Oregon Farm Bureau Federation  
Oregon Home Builders Association  
National Federation of Independent Business/Oregon

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## Judge of the Court of Appeals Position 9



### **Ellen F. Rosenblum** Nonpartisan

**Occupation:** Judge, Oregon  
Court of Appeals

**Occupational Background:**  
Oregon Court of Appeals Judge,  
2005 to present; Multnomah  
County Circuit Court Judge, 1994  
to 2005; Multnomah County

District Court Judge, 1989 to 1993; federal prosecutor in Eugene  
and Portland, 1980 to 1988; lawyer in private practice in  
Eugene, 1975 to 1979.

**Educational Background:** National Judicial College, 1989;  
J.D., University of Oregon School of Law, 1975; B.S., University  
of Oregon, 1971; Scripps College.

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Multnomah County Judge  
for 16 years; Assistant United States Attorney for the District of  
Oregon for 8 years.

**Professional Activities:** National: Board of Trustees,  
National Judicial College, 1999 to 2005; Secretary of the  
American Bar Association, 2002 to 2005; Local: Chair, Judicial  
Conduct Committee of the Oregon Judicial Conference, 1994 to  
2003; Member of the Board of Governors and Treasurer of the  
Oregon State Bar, 1984 to 1987; Chair, Oregon Citizens Justice  
Conference, 2000; Chair, Multnomah County Courts Jury  
Appreciation Project, 2004.

**Personal:** Married, two children.

**Hard-working**  
**Experienced**  
**Fair**  
**Respected**

I have been a judge for 17 years. Both on the trial bench and  
now as a member of the Oregon Court of Appeals, I have done  
my best to meet the standards Oregonians have every right to  
expect to find in their judges: fairness, hard work, conscien-  
tiousness, impartiality, courtesy, common sense, and – above  
all else – adherence to the rule of law. I am honored to serve on  
the Court of Appeals.

--Ellen F. Rosenblum

*(This information furnished by Committee to Retain Judge Ellen  
Rosenblum.)*

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# Constitution Party Statement

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## THE CONSTITUTION PARTY

We are the party that is calling America back to the sure foundation of

**Life, Liberty, Limited Government.**

What our candidates stand for:

**Restore the United States to "One Nation Under God"**

**Return to Constitutional, Limited Government**

**Ending Abortion in America**

**Defend Individual Right to Keep and Bear Arms**

**Restore National Sovereignty Including  
Withdrawal from the U.N.**

**Cut the Federal Government Down to  
Constitutional Size**

**Find Our Lost Borders and Defend Them**

**Protect Private Property  
In Absolute Terms**

**Restore Constitutional Sound Money  
Backed By Gold**

**End Corporate Welfare  
And the Export of American Jobs**

**Require Congressional Declaration of War  
Before Engaging Our Military**

**Congressional Limitations on Jurisdiction  
Of Federal Courts**

We are often asked, "Why not reform the two big parties?" It may be hard to admit but an honest appraisal shows that both parties are corrupt, addicted to 'big money', with no intention of ever returning to limited Constitutional government that puts the people's freedom first. What do you think will be the result of letting our government continue to make up its own rules? The horror of legalized baby killing is one result. Can you think of other social and economic degradations that runaway government has brought us?

**DECLARE YOUR INDEPENDENCE!!!**

**DON'T WASTE YOUR VOTE!!!**

**Send a real message this year. Vote for what you want instead of some compromised down version of our American ideals. This citizenship business is not a game. It is a stewardship for which we will be held accountable by our Creator and our children's children.**

If you are tired of seeing America on a down-hill slide morally and economically, If you question the long term consequences of a worldwide American empire, If you are weary of a government that tries to be god while it mocks the true God, Then consider Our Constitution Party candidates. They are pledged to the platform listed above.

In office they are each committed to:

- vote no on budgets that include taxpayer \$\$\$ for abortion**
- institute spending limits and individual efficiency audits for state programs**
- return authority to local school boards and parents**
- returning illegal aliens to the country they came from**
- end the practice of exporting American jobs**

William Shakespeare said that, "Our doubts are traitors, and make us lose the good we oft might win, by fearing to attempt."

**VOTE CONSTITUTION PARTY THIS YEAR**

**Constitutionpartyoregon.org**

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# Democratic Party Statement

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## **The Democratic Party: Leadership For Oregon, A New Direction For America**

### **Elections are about accountability.**

This November the choice for our country couldn't be more clear or important.

We can unite behind Democrats to restore America's strength and prosperity. Or we can stay the course and allow George W. Bush's dangerous agenda to go unchecked for two more years.

No one is well served when the truth and good ideas become regular victims of blind partisanship and deception. Yet, that's exactly what's happening in Washington and during 16 years of Republican control of the Oregon House.

### **The time has come to take a stand.**

The policies of George W. Bush and rubber stamp Republicans across the country like Ron Saxton and Oregon Speaker Karen Minnis are destroying our great democracy. Drunk with power, Republicans have governed with an arrogance that is outdone only by their catastrophic failures.

The costly occupation in Iraq, the shameless neglect of Katrina victims and Oregon kids being forced into increasingly crowded classrooms are not random accidents. Worse, they're the direct result of a deeply flawed and morally bankrupt right wing ideology that has hijacked today's Republican Party. Don't let them get away with it any longer.

You have the power to restore progress and common sense priorities by voting Democratic this November.

### **It's time to come together.**

Democrats know that, as Oregonians, our shared values are far greater than our differences. There is no challenge facing our state or nation that is too great to overcome when we work together.

Democratic values are Oregon values. We cherish our natural environment that makes living in Oregon special and we share a commitment to quality schools, safe communities, and good paying jobs.

Together, we can launch a new era of leadership that rekindles Oregon's spirit of innovation and restores America's reputation in the world.

## **The Democratic Vision**

### **Strong Schools For Our Children**

Every child deserves a full opportunity for success that is not threatened by overcrowded classrooms, shortened school years or administrative waste.

### **Real Security**

Defeating terrorism starts with telling the truth to our citizens, troops and allies. Oregon Democrats in Congress opposed Bush's war in Iraq from the outset and will continue to demand accountability until our brave troops are home.

### **Energy Independence**

We will invest to make Oregon a leader in renewable energy and we will create a cleaner, stronger America by reducing our dependence on Middle East oil.

### **Economic Prosperity**

Democrats will restore fairness by making big corporations pay their fair share and rebuild our middle class economically. We will create good Oregon jobs by promoting small businesses, sustainable industries and continuing to improve our transportation infrastructure.

### **A Health Care System That Works For Everyone**

We will catch up to 36 other industrialized nations by making sure that everyone has access to high quality, affordable health care. No family should have to worry if a child's trip to the doctor will push them to the brink of bankruptcy, and no Oregonian should ever have to choose between buying medicine and paying rent.

### **Retirement Security**

We will ensure that a retirement with dignity is the right of every American. We will block Republican schemes to dismantle Social Security and Medicare, and we will promote laws to protect pensions and encourage financial independence.

## **2006 Ballot Initiative Positions**

You have important decisions to make about initiatives appearing on this year's ballot. Many times, these sound simple, but have tremendous consequences.

We hope you will consider your vote carefully on each of these initiatives. The Democratic Party of Oregon has taken the following positions:

- **Measure 40: OPPOSE**
- **Measure 41: OPPOSE**
- **Measure 43: OPPOSE**
- **Measure 44: SUPPORT**
- **Measure 47: OPPOSE**
- **Measure 48: OPPOSE**

To get involved or for additional information about these and other ballot initiatives, please visit our website at [www.oregondemocrats.org](http://www.oregondemocrats.org) or phone (503) 224-8200.

**Jim Edmunson, Chair, Democratic Party of Oregon**

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

# Libertarian Party Statement

TIME FOR SOMETHING NEW. VOTE LIBERTARIAN.

[www.lporegon.org](http://www.lporegon.org)

**We are Oregon's third largest political party**, with about 16,000 members. At the local level, **Libertarians win about two-thirds of the races they enter**. Libertarians serve in public office throughout Oregon as members of your school boards, water boards, city councils, planning commissions and similar bodies. **Libertarians in government consistently vote to maximize your freedoms, protect your rights, and minimize the intrusion of government into your lives.**

Are you tired of voting for the lesser of two evils? **Then stop doing it.** Republicans and Democrats have convinced millions of average citizens that they are powerless to take control over their communities. That's why many people don't vote. **Don't Buy the Lie.** You and your neighbors have real political power. **If you want a different world, start voting differently.**

**This year, don't waste your vote on Republican and Democratic candidates.** Their ideas and politics got us into our current mess and can't get us out. If you always do what you've always done, you'll always get what you've always had.

**We offer this guide to voters concerning this year's ballot measures:**

## **MEASURE 48: YES**

Sustainability is good for the economy just as it is for the environment. In the long run, it is impossible to sustain spending growth that exceeds population and inflation. Without Measure 48 there will be no "Rainy Day Fund" and people will become dependent on government services, only to lose them during lean times. In the long run, a YES vote is the compassionate choice.

## **MEASURE 45: YES**

Are you satisfied with the leadership our "experienced" legislators are providing? Service in a citizen legislature was never meant to become a career, and incumbents have written laws making it difficult for challengers to mount strong challenges. Term limits will return the legislature to the citizens and wrest control from the lobbyists.

## **MEASURE 39: YES**

Government should never be allowed to seize your home in order to give it to a developer who promises to generate more tax revenue. This is legalized theft.

## **MEASURE 46: YES**

The current system of regulating elections and election finances is designed to protect incumbents. The laws are so complicated that it is difficult and financially perilous for political challengers and citizen groups to seriously challenge an incumbent. This measure will make it hard for them to make the problem worse.

## **MEASURE 41: YES**

Your taxes will go down, and your taxes will be computed more fairly.

## **MEASURE 42: NO**

If insurance companies can establish a link between risk and any legal criteria, they have the right to price their products accordingly. Stacking the deck against insurance companies will only drive them away, leaving people with fewer companies who will have more control over the market - that's a REAL formula for high prices!

## **MEASURE 44: NO**

People complain about pharmaceutical companies, but they sure like their medications. By opening the Prescription Drug Program to all, we effectively place a tax on pharmaceutical companies. Such companies may seem little more to us than faceless corporate targets for populist rage, but they are the ones who invent the drugs we need. It makes little sense to erode financial incentives to create new and more effective medications.

## **MEASURE 47: NO**

Reporting requirements on political campaigns are supposed to provide legal transparency. Instead, they create fear. Too often, individuals and groups with something to lose are afraid to contribute to political challengers for fear of antagonizing incumbents. What kind of democracy is that? Such regulations have a chilling effect on the democratic process. Restricting the ability of candidates to project their messages isn't the answer either. Big money doesn't always win, and voters have the ability to think for themselves. It is ironic that some who claim to treasure democracy place so little trust in the voters.

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



# Pacific Green Party Statement

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Live Green? Vote Green.

Our world is in peril from war, greed, corruption, pollution and fear. We must do better.

While Democrats and Republicans bicker, and our planet grows sicker, Greens are creating change in communities across the country. We are growing. There are 11 Green elected officials here in Oregon and more than 200 nationwide.

Green change is possible with your vote. Don't let the other parties fool you into believing that you don't have better choices. We can have a country where our children can grow up healthy and strong. They will learn in schools that are rich in resources and opportunity.

We can have honorable elected officials. Don't settle for less. Vote for people who reflect your values.

Peace now

Join us to help bring peace to our war-torn world.

If we elect leaders who have peace in their hearts, then we can peacefully resolve conflicts at home and abroad. Greens oppose wars waged for oil and profits. Our position is clear: stop the wars and bloodshed in Iraq and elsewhere. Never torture prisoners or anyone else. Bring our troops home now.

Shame on Democrats and Republicans for so recklessly sending our children to war.

Protect our planet

Global warming is a disaster we must stop now. Renewable energy, clean air and water are our priorities. We must safeguard our natural heritage and beautiful landscapes from the timber, mining and ranching industries.

Why do Democrats and Republicans do so little to protect the environment? They are corrupt. In exchange for big campaign contributions, they do the bidding of big business. Greens believe that conservation and preservation of nature are more important than corporate profits.

Build our economy by helping working families

Our first economic priority is to raise the minimum wage to \$9 for all workers. By guaranteeing a living wage to workers, we will bring them hope. We will make sure that working families can meet basic needs like food and housing. Our second priority is to expand workers' rights to organize, bargain and strike.

Democrats and Republicans rarely put the needs of working families first. They are too dependent on corporate contributions. Greens are not for sale. We won't sell out because we are from working families like yours.

Health care for all

Every Oregonian should have access to quality health care. Health care is a right, not a privilege for the rich.

We will stop pharmaceutical companies from ripping us off. We will end the mess that insurance companies and HMOs create when we need medical care. We will not compromise our principles like most politicians.

Make big corporations pay their fair share

Greens have the courage to look big business in the eye and demand they pay their fair share of taxes. Why? Unlike the other parties, we don't take corporate contributions and perks.

It's time to end corporate welfare for the largest businesses. They ought to pay more so that we can have better schools, health care and environmental protection.

And it's time to get big money out of politics. The Pacific Green Party is pledged to endorse and work for Campaign Finance Reform Measures 46 and 47.

Excellent education

Our children deserve the best schools in the country.

Those of us who love children know that there is no time to waste. Schools must be restructured so that our children receive the attention and care they deserve. We need to focus less on test scores and more on true learning and understanding. We must give teachers the right equipment and resources to do their jobs well.

Let's face it: money won't solve our education crisis, but it will help us make sure that our school buildings are safe, children have the books and supplies they need to learn, and our school employees are paid what they deserve.

Join us. Vote Green.

[www.pacificgreens.org](http://www.pacificgreens.org)

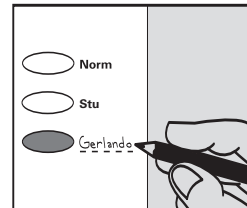
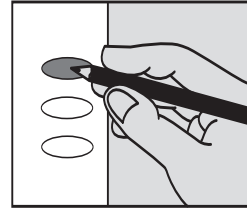
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## marking your ballot

- 1 Carefully read and follow all instructions printed on your ballot. The instructions will say whether you should use a pen or pencil to mark your ballot.
- 2 To vote, completely fill in the oval next to your choice.
- 3 To write-in a candidate:

- clearly print his or her name on the dotted line provided on the ballot
- fill in the oval next to the name you wrote-in

**You must do both for your vote to be counted!**

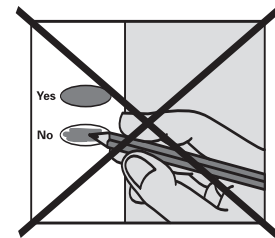
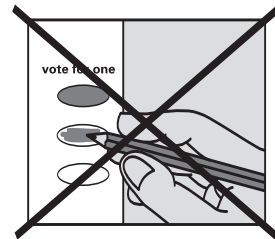


## check your ballot!

If you vote for more candidates than allowed, or if you vote **both** Yes **and** No on a measure, it is called an overvote.

Your vote **will not count** for that candidate or measure.

You do not have to vote on all contests. Those you do vote on will still count.



## getting a replacement ballot

Contact your County Elections Office or call 1 866 ORE VOTES to request a replacement ballot if:

- you make a mistake
  - your ballot is damaged or spoiled
  - you lose your ballot
- or for any other reason.

**call** 1 866 ORE VOTES/673 8683  
*se habla español*

**visit** [www.oregonvotes.org](http://www.oregonvotes.org)

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