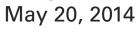
Voters' Pamphlet

Oregon Primary Election







Kate Brown Oregon Secretary of State

This voters' pamphlet is provided for assistance in casting your vote by mail ballot.

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Dear Oregon Voters,

Welcome to the 2014 Primary Election Voters' Pamphlet. Enclosed you will find valuable information about candidates and issues. If you are not yet registered to vote, you have until April 29, 2014, to do so. Here in Oregon we have made it easy for eligible Oregonians to register, update your registration and track your ballot. Simply visit <u>www.oregonvotes.gov</u>.

As your Secretary of State, my goal is to encourage all eligible Oregonians to exercise their most fundamental right to vote. If you're questioning whether your one vote really makes a difference, then consider this: I won my first race for the state House by just seven votes. Every vote counts! Your vote is your voice, and every voice matters!

As Oregon's top elections official, sometimes I have to tell hard truths. And the truth is that four years ago in the last gubernatorial primary election total voter participation was only 41.62%. In other words, <u>less than half</u> of registered voters actually cast a vote during the 2010 primary. We can do better than that!

Indeed, in 2010, there were some bright spots. Lake County had a voter participation rate of 63.90% - <u>more than 20 percentage points higher than the statewide average</u>! Close on Lake County's heels were Harney County at 62.29% and Gilliam County at 60.05%. I know every person in Oregon cares about their right to vote just as much as the people in Lake, Harney, and Gilliam Counties – but we all need to show how much we care by actually casting a ballot.

Every county in Oregon should strive to have the highest voter participation rate – and it's up to each and every voter to do their part by voting. So in this 2014 primary, I encourage you to look to the people of Lake, Harney, and Gilliam Counties as models. Vote! Be heard! And help your county earn the honor of having the highest voter participation rate in Oregon!

And please remember that all ballots must be received by your county elections office by 8pm on May 20, 2014. Postmarks do not count. If you have questions please call our toll free hotline at 1-866-ORE-VOTE, or visit our website at <u>www.oregonvotes.gov</u>.

Sincerely,

Kate Brown Oregon Secretary of State



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Primary Election May 20, 2014

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Voters' Pamphlet

Your official 2014 Primary Election Voters' Pamphlet provides you with information about candidates who will appear on your ballot.

It includes instructions for marking your ballot, a complete list of federal and state candidates, as well as other information to assist you through the voting process.

Candidate statements are printed as submitted. 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 Secretary of State's office, local post offices, courthouses and all county elections offices. It can also be viewed at oregonvotes.gov.

Candidates

In the primary election, candidates are divided into three sections: Democratic candidates, Republican candidates and nonpartisan candidates. Major party candidates appear before nonpartisan candidates and every two years the order in which major political party candidates appear is rotated. For 2014, Republican candidates appear first. Candidates pay a fee, or submit signatures in lieu of paying the fee, for space in the voters' pamphlet. The information required by law—pertaining to occupation, occupational background, educational background and prior governmental experience—has been certified as true by each candidate.

Random Alphabet

Oregon statute (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 2014 Primary Election is:

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

Website

Most of the information contained in this voters' pamphlet is also available in the Online Voters' Guide at <u>www.oregonvotes.gov</u>.

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.

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 May 15. 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, May 20, 2014.

Postmarks do not count!

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

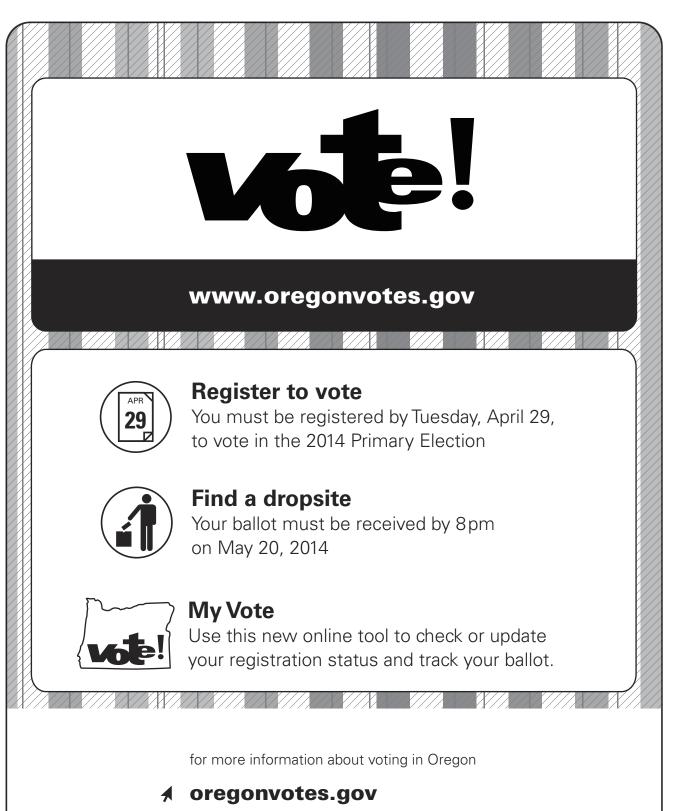
Voter Information

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-VOTE (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 1-800-735-2900.

Disclaimer

Information provided in statements or arguments submitted by a candidate, a political party, an assembly of electors or a person supporting or opposing a measure have not been verified for accuracy by the State of Oregon.





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Republican Candidates

United States Senator

Monica Wehby Jo Rae Perkins Mark Callahan Timothy I Crawley Jason Conger

Representative in Congress

3rd District James Buchal

5th District Ben Pollock Tootie Smith

Governor

Bruce A Cuff Gordon Challstrom Tim Carr Dennis Richardson Mae Rafferty Darren Karr*

State Senator

13th District Kim Thatcher

19th District No Candidate Filed

20th District Alan R Olsen

24th District No Candidate Filed

26th District Chuck Thomsen

State Representative

18th District Vic Gilliam David L Darnell

26th District John Davis 35th District

No Candidate Filed

37th District Julie Parrish

38th District No Candidate Filed

39th District Bill Kennemer

40th District Steve Newgard

41st District Timothy E McMenamin

48th District Geo (Sonny) WYellott*

51st District Brandon M Miles* Jodi Bailey

52nd District Mark Johnson

59th District John E Huffman Britt Storkson*

Democratic Candidates

United States Senator

Pavel Goberman* Jeff Merkley William Bryk*

Representative in Congress

3rd District Earl Blumenauer

5th District Anita Brown Kurt Schrader

Governor

lfeanyichukwu C Diru* John Kitzhaber

State Senator

13th District Ryan Howard

19th District Richard Devlin

20th District Jamie Damon

24th District Rod Monroe

26th District Robert R Bruce

State Representative

18th District Scott A Mills

26th District Eric D Squires

35th District Margaret Doherty

37th District Gerritt Rosenthal*

38th District Ann Lininger

39th District No Candidate Filed

40th District Brent Barton

41st District Kaliko Castille* Ted Roe Kathleen Taylor Deborah Barnes

48th District Jeff Reardon

51st District Shemia Fagan

52nd District Stephanie Nystrom

59th District No Candidate Filed

*Candidate chose not to submit a voters' pamphlet statement.

This is a complete listing of the federal and state candidates for the Primary Election, May 20, 2014, 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.

Nonpartisan Candidates

Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor and Industries

Brad Avakian*

Judge of the Supreme Court

Position 1 Thomas A Balmer

Position 7 Martha L Walters

Judge of the Court of Appeals

Position 1 Chris Garrett

Position 4 Timothy Sercombe*

Position 11 Joel DeVore

Position 12 Erin C Lagesen

Position 13 Doug Tookey

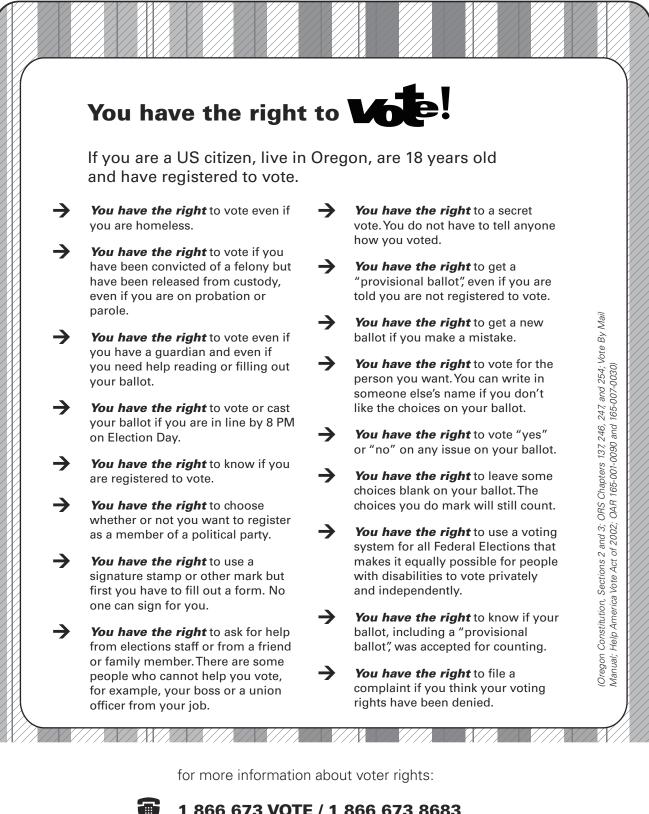
Judge of the Oregon Tax Court

Henry C Breithaupt*

Judge of the Circuit Court

5th District, Position 6 Kathie F Steele*

5th District, Position 9 Deanne L Darling*



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Monica Wehby

Republican

Occupation: Director of Pediatric Neurosurgery, Emanuel-Randall Children's Hospital

Occupational Background: President, Oregon Medical Association; Trustee, American

Medical Association; President, Medical Society of Portland; Board, American Association Neurological Surgeons

Educational Background: University of Notre Dame, Baylor College of Medicine, UCLA Neurosurgery Residency, University of Utah Pediatric Neurosurgery Fellowship

Prior Governmental Experience: VA Hospital, Neurosurgical Resident; Chief Petitioner, Citizen Ballot Initiative for TORT Reform

Community Service: Trustee, Ronald McDonald House Charities; Volunteer Surgeon, Haiti Earthquake Humanitarian Crisis

Keep Your Doctor – Change Your Senator

I'm a neurosurgeon and the mother of four teenagers. I've spent my life problem-solving. I can't just stand by and watch as Oregon families, seniors, and veterans struggle. Politicians are trained to argue; doctors are trained to evaluate data and fix things. It's time to fix DC.

Opportunity for Oregonians

We need a federal government that will partner with small businesses to grow our economy, not a government that dictates, mandates, and over-regulates every aspect of our lives. With less national debt and a focus on job growth, we can help Oregon families thrive.

Healthcare Reform

In 2009, I appeared in nationwide television commercials warning Americans about the flaws in Obamacare. I knew this massive bill was going to mean more red-tape and higher premiums, while damaging the doctor-patient relationship. Oregonians deserve patient-centered, market-based solutions for healthcare. Having 30 years of medical policy experience, I can deliver on that promise.

Excellence in Education

I will work to bring our federal education dollars back to Oregon, increase school choice options for our families, and decrease frivolous mandates. I will take on Common Core, protect our children's privacy, and promote block-grants that empower our teachers and local communities.

Oregon Farmers Endorse Dr. Wehby

"Dr. Wehby is not a career politician; she actually listens to the concerns of Oregonians. She's a problem-solver. That is exactly what Oregon farmers and their families need in DC right now."

-Barry Bushue, President, Oregon Farm Bureau

LEARN MORE AT

<u>www.MonicaForOregon.com</u>

(This information furnished by Dr. Monica Wehby for U.S. Senate.)

United States Senator



Jo Rae Perkins

Republican

Occupation: None

Occupational Background: CERTIFIED FINANCIAL PLANNER(R), Budgeting, Realtor

Educational Background: BS

2013 Oregon State University Political Science; Executive Certificate 2005 University of Portland, Financial Planning; AS 1979 Linn Benton CC Business Management

Prior Governmental Experience: Precinct Committee Person

Multitudes of issues face the United States, none as important as the financial health of America. 01/30/14, U.S. Government debt exceeded \$17.3 trillion. This is unsustainable. This must change. Congress refuses to be realistic or honest with you, and continue to increase the debt limit. Your hard-earned tax dollars do not belong to the government. It is your money!

It is time we elect a new senator with an allegiance to the voters, not special interests and lobbyists.

As a former financial advisor and Oregon's next US Senator, Jo Rae Perkins will carry with her the same ethical standards of the prudent man law and fiduciary responsibility treating your tax dollars with care, acting in your best interest, using caution in all fiscal decisions. It is time Congress acts to Cut Spending, Cap the Debt, Balance the Budget.

Jo Rae Perkins on issues:

We need a strong military and support for our veterans Life begins at conception. She is pro-life/adoption

For additional information about Jo Rae Perkins' views, visit www.OregonsNextSenator.com.

As Oregon's next US Senator I promise along with my staff, every bill will be read prior voting.

Before considering how to vote, every bill must be:

Congruent with the US Constitution Free of pork barrel spending/unrelated projects Fiscally and socially conservative

I'm All In!

In 2012, I allowed my professional investment licenses to lapse because I knew I would be running for the U.S. Senate. I am the only US Senate Candidate 100% committed. I walked away from my career. I pledge my fortune, sacred honor and life to make a positive difference for every United States Citizen.

Humbly I ask for your vote.

Jo Rae Perkins, Republican, Main Street American. jorae@perkinsforussenate.com @Perkins4Senate 541-979-5395

(This information furnished by Jo Rae Perkins.)



Mark Callahan

Republican

Occupation: Information Technology (IT) Consultant

Occupational Background: IT industry consulting/permanent positions, at local/national companies, over 13 years.

Educational Background: B.S. Business Administration / MIS, Pre-Law Minor, OSU – Corvallis, OR; MCP, MCSE Training Program, THE COMPUTER INSTITUTE – Rockville, MD

Prior Governmental Experience: Marion County Republican Party PCP, 2013 – Present; Lane County Republican PCP, 2011-2013; Eugene Income Tax Opposition Statement Committee, 2011

Leadership, Integrity, Character, Honor & Trust

End Government Infringement:

We must stop our government from violating our constitutional protections. From the NSA spying us, to them attacking our 2nd Amendment rights, to the IRS targeting, to political correctness destroying our religious freedom. Our nation's sovereignty is under attack with the implementation of Agenda 21 and Common Core. As your constitutionally conservative Senator, I will stand strong, with Senator Ted Cruz for the rights of all Americans.

Economy:

As your Senator, who believes in the free market, I will work to make America's economy strong again, beginning with the Full Repeal of ObamaCare a.k.a "MerkleyCare".

Balance Budget; Reduce Spending:

As your fiscally conservative Senator, and a believer in limited government, I will reduce wasteful spending and push for a balanced budget amendment.

Fellow Americans:

We're at a crossroads affecting the very freedom our constitutional republic was founded upon. Supporting moderate candidates, that don't win general elections, is not an option. We need to elect a true conservative candidate that will fight for American values. We will win this election, by distancing ourselves from career politicians who are only looking to advance their own careers. We will win with a Pro-Life candidate that embraces our conservative values. A candidate not afraid to hold the President accountable for lying to us, without hesitating to convict him, if the House impeaches him. A candidate that isn't afraid to take on the establishment, to promote freedom from government intrusion, dependency, & poverty. My fellow Americans, <u>IAm That Candidate</u>. Thank you and May God Bless America.

Campaign website: www.CallahanForOregon.com

(This information furnished by Callahan For Oregon.)

United States Senator



Timothy I Crawley

Republican

Occupation: Attorney

Occupational Background: Nichols & Associates

Educational Background: U.C. Hastings, J.D.; Williams College, B.A.

Prior Governmental Experience: U.S. District Court, District of Oregon; Supreme Court of California; Federal Reserve Bank.

I was born and raised in Cottage Grove where my parents still reside. I consider it a personal obligation to help Oregon maintain its natural beauty and a healthy ecology while continuing to enjoy the benefits of a free market, untainted by monopolistic power. I have travelled to nearly thirty countries and explored a multitude of foreign cultures and environments, but Oregon has always remained my home. That is why, after completing my legal education in California and beginning my professional career there, I have returned to Oregon.

My family always encouraged me to serve others. I have advocated for civil rights in the Middle East; crewed an Alaskan fishing boat; educated the public for the Federal Reserve Bank; and represented tech entrepreneurs at a law firm in Silicon Valley. Since my return to Oregon, I have been a volunteer in environmental restoration efforts and *pro bono* legal services in Portland, tenured with an Oregon U.S. District Court judge, and currently work with a personal injury, civil rights, and small business Portland law firm. My credentials for U.S. Senate include skills in negotiation and mediation for which I have been honored internationally in the U.S., Germany, and Canada. I am a member of the Oregon and California State Bars.

As a U.S. Senator, I would help restore self-determination to our local communities by ending intransigent party warfare and righting our capsized political system. The ideals of a democratic financial system must be revived in practice. We must return to a saner foreign policy, halting an intolerable drain of American blood and treasure abroad while adopting more effective strategies for peace. Perhaps most important, we must secure our sacred individual rights to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness – free of unwarranted government interference.

(This information furnished by Crawley for Oregon.)



Jason Conger

Republican

Occupation: Attorney, State Representative

Occupational Background: Small business owner, teacher, Congressional Aide, carpenter

Educational Background: A.A., College of the Redwoods; B.A., Humboldt State University; J.D., Harvard Law School

Prior Governmental Experience: Oregon State

Representative: Co-Vice Chair, House Education Committee; Business and Labor Committee; General Government and Consumer Protection Committee; Health Care Committee; Law Clerk, US Department of Justice

JASON CONGER FOR U.S. SENATE

REAL. CONSERVATIVE.

Jason Conger and his wife, Amy, have been married for 25 years and have five children. Jason lives and practices law in Bend and is proud to represent his community in the Oregon Legislature.

Jason faced poverty most of his life. He knows how it feels to be hungry, to live in a single-wide trailer without heat in the winter, and even to be homeless.

But Jason's story doesn't end there. After striking out on his own at 16, working his way through community college and Humboldt State University, Jason was accepted into Harvard Law School.

In 2010, Jason defeated an incumbent Democrat for a seat in the Oregon House of Representatives. Two years later, Jason won re-election by an overwhelming margin. His central Oregon district is a microcosm of the state, and Jason has proven he can win tough elections against the odds.

Jason has championed conservative issues like tax cuts, traditional marriage, life, 2nd amendment, and a balanced budget.

Jason Conger knows the struggles of Oregon's working and middle-class families. He understands what it takes to get out of poverty, and he can connect with voters Republicans have struggled to win in recent elections.

Homeless to Harvard is just part of the Jason Conger story. Help Jason defeat Jeff Merkley and he will fight for conservative principles in DC.

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Oregon Right to Life PAC

Oregon Firearms Federation Political Action Committee

48 Republican House and Senate members, county commissioners, city councilors, and Sheriffs from all over Oregon

JASON CONGER

www.congerfororegon.com

(This information furnished by Jason Conger for U.S. Senate.)

Representative in Congress, 3rd District



James Buchal

Republican

Occupation: Attorney

Occupational Background: Private practice since 1985

Educational Background: Harvard University, A.B.; Yale University, J.D. and M.B.A.

Prior Governmental Experience: 2012 State Attorney General Nominee

The Problem

The federal government is out of control. Its agencies are running roughshod over cherished Constitutional rights and destroying Oregon's prosperity. We need a new American Revolution that prunes the tree of federal government to restore the fruit of good government. This cannot be achieved by re-electing the professional politicians who made the mess.

Solution: Decentralization

Congress makes two great errors: failing its responsibilities under the Constitution and passing laws in areas that are not its responsibility. This makes the federal government into a jack of all trades and master of none. Americans can no longer afford multiple layers of government in charge of the same things. I will fight to put Oregon in control of its own future, rather than a beggar fighting for smaller and smaller scraps of a shrinking federal pie.

Solution: Accountability

Oregonians are outraged that Congress permitted enormous financial institutions to mortgage America's future to pay their gambling debts. Oregonians despair that Congress throws trillions into a military-industrial complex that spies on us and wastes money all over the world. Because I am no one's puppet, I can oppose the special interests that are bankrupting the country. Congress used to hold hearings that resulted in prosecutions or impeachments.

Solution: Simplification

An economy with more and more citizens employed to fill out government paperwork is a sick economy that kills off job creation. We can protect Americans with fewer laws and fewer forms, but only if we stop electing professional politicians who are sure the answer to every problem is more government employees. As a lawyer intimately familiar with federal complexity, I know what needs to be pruned, and will insist on fixing what we have, rather than supporting new programs and spending.

PLEASE VOTE FOR JAMES BUCHAL FOR CONGRESS

Learn more at www.buchal.com

(This information furnished by James L. Buchal.)

Representative in Congress, 5th District



Ben Pollock

Republican

Occupation: Small Business Executive

Occupational Background: Republican Digital Strategist; Legislative Director; Campaign Manager.

Educational Background: M.P.P., American University; B.A., Trinity University.

Prior Governmental Experience: N/A

BEN POLLOCK IS FIGHTING FOR OREGONIANS

RESTORING OUR ECONOMY

A lack of jobs, stagnant wages, and rising prices have hurt Oregon families and prevented hard working Oregonians from getting ahead. An ever-larger Federal Government has not solved these problems and has only made things worse. We need pro-growth and pro-job tax reform, reined in government spending, free-market healthcare, increased local control of our timberlands, and regulatory reform that will unleash opportunity for all.

KEEPING PROMISES

We have made promises to our seniors and veterans that must be honored. While Social Security and Medicare are undeniably insolvent in the long term, the reforms we make must honor our commitments to seniors. In addition, we must guarantee that those men and women who have worn the uniform of the United States are treated with the utmost respect when they return home; it is the least we can do as a nation forever in their debt.

BACK TO BASICS

The Federal bureaucracy acts far outside its Constitutional authority, spending money we don't have on programs we don't want. We must restore autonomy to state and local governments and let Oregon decide what's best for Oregon. This includes local control of education, which is why Oregon Moms Building Excellent Schools Together has endorsed me. As a member of Congress, I will defend the entire Constitution, including the Second, Fourth, and Tenth Amendments.

A CONGRESS OF THE PEOPLE

This country will not change for the better if we keep electing career politicians. I have not been a lobbyist or skipped from one taxpayer funded position to another, and I don't lie about my positions or endorsements to win votes. We need citizen representatives who go to Congress, serve their constituents, then come home, get a real job, and live under the laws they've passed.

www.BenForCongress.com

(This information furnished by Pollock for Congress.)

Representative in Congress, 5th District

Tootie

Smith

Republican

Occupation: Clackamas County

Commissioner; Bed and Breakfast Owner

4th Generation Family

Occupational Background:

Farmer; Newspaper Editor; State Director, Oregon Lands



Coalition

Educational Background: Concordia University, B.S., Cum Laude

Prior Governmental Experience: Oregon State Legislator; State Budget Committee; Deputy Majority Leader; Molalla Local Schools Committee; President, Brain Injury Alliance of Oregon; Associated Oregon Counties, Board of Directors; Clackamas County Parks Liaison, Veterans Committee, Audit Committee, Willamette Falls Heritage Council, Affordable Housing Work Group

Distinguished Legislative Service Awards, Agriculture and Timber Committee and Outstanding Service; Taxpayers Association Bulldog Award

Today's Congress has earned its 9 percent approval rating, passing Obamacare when the American people didn't want it, and refusing to allow reasonable harvests on our federal timber lands, even though our rural counties are starving. Congress refuses to pass a federal budget, let alone a balanced budget.

My commitments:

repeal Obamacare

return Oregon's forest to local county control

reduce the deficit and balance the federal budget

After too many years in Washington, DC, some members forget who they represent.

After 25 years in small business, I know who I am, where I come from, the middle class hardworking people of Oregon's 5th District. I understand your concerns and struggles.

I will fight for change, as hard as it takes, for as long as it takes, I won't forget who I work for.

I know how a **Republican like me can win elections** in Western Oregon. It's not easy, I've done it: twice in the state legislature, as recently as 2012, when I beat an incumbent for Clackamas County Commission.

My values, work ethic, experience are why so many **elected** officials in the District support me.

State Rep. Bill Kennemer

State Rep. Julie Parrish

State Rep. Kim Thatcher

State Rep. Kevin Cameron

State Rep. Victor S. Gilliam

State Rep. John Davis

State Sen. Fred Girod

State Sen. Betsy Close

State Sen. Alan Olson

In Congress I will lead the charge to repeal Obamacare.

Elect Tootie Smith for Congress!

(This information furnished by Tootie Smith for Oregon.)

Bruce A Cuff

Republican

Occupation: Realtor®, Broker, Property Preservation Inspector

Occupational Background: Sales Manager Purchaser, Superior Tire Service;

Educational Background: B.S. Political Science, Willamette University; Chemeketa Community College; Oregon State University: Gervais High School

Prior Governmental Experience: Marion County Board of Property Tax Appeals. U.S. Army; Army National Guard of Oregon

Family: Bruce and his Wife, Vonna, live in Mehama with youngest son. They have three married children and two Grandchildren.

Community: Board Member, Adult Sunday School Teacher at Santiam Chapel, Lyons; Salem Association of Realtors®; Active Business Promoters;

Bruce Cuff:

Conservative Values.

Conservative Principles.

Your Conservative Voice as Governor

BRUCE CUFF on Taxes

"I support eliminating business taxes and reducing personal income taxes by 1/3, moving the funding source to a Local Sales Tax. I support prohibiting the State from raises revenue by a sales tax. Local Sales Tax = Local Control."

BRUCE CUFF on Property Rights

"I will **protect private property rights** by appointing "rural friendly" members to the Land Conservation Development Commission, returning to **local control** of land use decisions.

BRUCE CUFF on Schools

"School Choice. Parents will be empowered when the money follows the student. Competition will result in the **best** education for all children."

BRUCE CUFF on Logging, Hunting, Fishing and 2nd Amendment

"I support Oregon's forest resource community and will ensure that **public forestlands** are a **productive, healthy** and **sustainable** market in our State."

"As Governor, I will support your **right to hunt and fish** on public lands."

"**2nd Amendment.** The **right to bear arms** is an unalienable right. Restrictions on law-abiding citizens will be opposed. I support the **Castle Law**.

BRUCE CUFF on Families:

"Marriage and family values need to be protected and supported, not redefined."

Bruce Cuff is **pro-life** and will be a strong **pro-life** advocate for the unborn.

"I will be your **conservative voice** on taxes, property rights, school choice, timber and families values **as Governor**."

> "I ask for your vote in the Republican primary." Bruce Cuff

Governor



Gordon Challstrom

Republican

Occupation: Retired

Occupational Background: Commercial Contractor

Educational Background: University Nevada-Reno; Bachelor Degree in Business

Administration, minors in economics and international management

Prior Governmental Experience: None

Gordon Challstrom has the equivalent of a Ph.D. in the school of hard knocks. As a youngster, Gordon worked in the fields of the Willamette Valley and delivered newspapers to help his single mom make ends meet. After high school, Gordon became the youngest grocery manager in Albertson's history before achieving a four-year university degree in only two years.

Returning to Oregon, Gordon built a multi-million dollar commercial concrete business from the ground up, creating dozens of family wage jobs throughout Oregon.

When the recession hit Oregon hard, Gordon became increasingly alarmed by the direction a nonstop stream of liberal governors had taken Oregon. As governor, Gordon's focus will be on getting Oregon's economy back on its feet and making Oregon a state that is friendly to small businesses and entrepreneurs - the real job creators.

A man of principle, Gordon Challstrom is an across-theboard, limited government conservative who believes government should *protect* private property rights, not *undermine* those rights through intrusive, overreaching land-use regulations.

As governor, Gordon will work to bring the massive amounts of federal lands in Oregon under the control of Oregon counties - for the benefit of all Oregonians.

Gordon will oppose tax increases. He believes Oregon's high income tax rates are depressing job creation and sending a clear message to new and expanding businesses to locate elsewhere.

Gordon believes schools should be about kids and the basics of education rather than a race to spend never-ending sums of money catering to the demands of teachers unions.

As a strong supporter of the Second Amendment, Gordon will defend life, liberty, property, and the traditional definition of marriage. Oregon needs Gordon's wisdom and leadership. Please vote Gordon Challstrom for governor.

Elect a lawyer, get more laws. Elect a businessman, get more jobs!

(This information furnished by Gordon Challstrom.)



Tim Carr

Republican

Occupation: Gubernatorial Candidate

Occupational Background: CEO + President of CoSource USA 2004 - 2013; Vice President of Sales and Marketing at DePaul Industries 1995 - 2004

Educational Background: Attended University of Portland. Graduated Portland State University, BS Political Science. Jesuit High School

Prior Governmental Experience: None

My name is Tim Carr, and I'm from Portland but for Oregon. I am committed to making *Oregon* an even greater place to live by playing an active role in making my community a safer, better place to raise my children, find employment, and forge a future filled with promise.

As a life long Oregonian, a businessman, and an entrepreneur, I have seen first hand, what 25 years of democratic leadership has done for our great state. We have lower job opportunities that ever before and our quality of life has decreased.

Running the state of Oregon is like running a business; which is why we need to elect leaders who recognize that we are all on the same team. We're Oregonians, and we all want what is best for Oregon.

As Governor, Tim Carr will focus on:

Economic Prosperity: Attract (*aka STEAL BUSINESSES*) from other states by creating a "business friendly" environment through Taxation Reform and Sensible Regulation Reform.

Education Strength: Prioritize budgets to ensure fiscal sustainability for public schools (K-12) and focused initiatives to promote Oregon's world class higher education facilities.

Government Spending: Develop a path to eliminate wasteful programs that take money away from Education, Public Safety, & Economic Development.

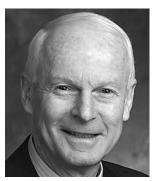
PERS Reform: Stop the debilitating effect of state and local government being strapped and strangled by PERS requirements.

Environmental Stewardship: Work to find a long-term resolution to the O+C Land issue and provide sensible solutions for our environment without sacrificing jobs.

Please vote for me, Tim Carr...as a Republican whose agenda is to make Oregon better for everyone. We may not always agree, but we can always find some common ground. – Tim Carr - <u>www.TimCarr.com</u>

(This information furnished by Tim Carr.)

Governor



Dennis Richardson

Republican

Occupation: Businessman, State Representative

Occupational Background: Army Combat Helicopter Pilot. Decades of experience as a small business owner and small town attorney.

Educational Background: BYU, J. Reuben Clark Law School

Prior Governmental Experience: City Councilor, School District Budget Committee, Oregon House of Representatives.

Community Service: Boy Scout and church youth leader, volunteer soccer coach, veteran.

Vision & Leadership

Oregon has operated without a vision for the future for far too long. A Richardson Administration will rise to the challenge of preparing our state for the future, protecting our seniors, educating our children and empowering small businesses to grow, prosper and create jobs.

Creating Jobs, Promoting Oregon

I've organized and directed 10 international legislative trade delegations to promote Oregon business, education and tourism. As Governor, I will open new markets for Oregon products and services that create jobs and return prosperity to Oregon.

It's Your Money - Demand Value.

I've earned a reputation for demanding absolute accountability and fiscal discipline from government. I'll put an end to cronyism, demand accountability and lead a government that will be more focused on protecting your job than mine.

Balancing Priorities

We can protect our environment and our jobs. My policy will be simple – I'll get government out of the way of good corporate citizens that follow the rules and create good jobs but I will have a zero tolerance policy for those that put selfinterest ahead of responsibility.

Innovation

Innovations in energy, communications, transportation and manufacturing are providing full-time, living wage jobs for a new workforce. These technologies must be supported with world-class education, trained skilled labor and a predictable regulatory environment that fosters investment in Oregon.

"It's time for a Governor who will listen to the people, take responsibility to hold state agencies accountable, and make sure that every penny is spent with purpose. It's time to get Oregon back on track."

Dennis lives in Central Point with his wife Cathy of 40 years. They have nine children.

(This information furnished by Friends of Dennis Richardson.)

Mae Rafferty

Republican

Occupation: 22 years Co. Business Owner Hardwood Lumber and Hardware sales

Occupational Background: Idaho Statesman delivery, Ferry Morse seed company, Orchard and Factory worker,

Cleaning and Woodworking Business owner.

Educational Background: Caldwell Senior High, Northwest Nazarene College Nampa Idaho, McGraw Hill Bookkeeping and Accounting Diploma.

Prior Governmental Experience: Elected Republican Precinct person.

Warning: Be certain your candidates are against communist business infiltration.

In performing my duties as Governor I shall ...

Error on the side of Freedom if such an error exists.

Protect the Life Liberty and Pursuit of Happiness for all Oregonians born and unborn. Organize the state Militia.

Resist The infiltration of Chinese business into Oregon. An opponent wrote a letter stating he wants to bring Chinese businesses to Oregon and signed it sincerely Dennis Richardson. Chinese businesses are either partly or entirely owned by the communist Chinese Government. Such subversive activities are un-American.

Direct Oregon towards a means to swiftly and abundantly reduce regulation, protect private property rights and the rights of the people to use public lands. Allow industry and agriculture to flourish. Instigate a state self sufficiency plan.

Wholeheartedly pursue a debt free sovereign position for the state. Times are hard for the private sector. Public employees must cooperate by assuming responsibility for their own retirements; Phase out PERS.

Insist public schools bring back constitutional patriotism. Teach basic reading, writing arithmetic, pure science and American history, Vigorous physical education. Then set the students free to follow their own paths of interest. Teach more hands on skills. No psycho social engineering. Private and Home school vouchers, Freedom in Education.

Convey a strong message opposing unnatural destructive practices Such as abortion, homosexuality, communism, "Obamacare", and the growing of GMO crops.

*** **Defend the United States and Oregon Constitutions** at all costs. Stop Un-American activities in Oregon. God go before us return us to true Liberty.

Oregon **** May day May day ****Elect Mae Rafferty for Governor **** <u>WWW.maeforgovernor.com</u>

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(This information furnished by Mae For Governor.)

State Senator, 13th District



Kim Thatcher

Republican

Occupation: Owner, highway contracting company and equipment rentals/sales business

Occupational Background: Accounting; Computer Technician; Software

Development; Construction Projects Manager; Equipment Operator; Construction Laborer; Social Services Volunteer; SMART Reading Program Volunteer, High School Mentor

Educational Background: Oregon City High School, Portland State University

Prior Governmental Experience: State Representative 2005-present; various appointments include Oregon Transparency Commission; House Economic Development, Education, Judiciary, and Business and Labor Committees

Community Activities: Oregon Contractors Association; Keizer and Chehalem Valley Chambers of Commerce; National Federation of Independent Business; National Association of Women in Construction; Church volunteer

Personal: Happily married 29 years. Has three amazing grandchildren, four remarkable children (three graduated from local public schools—the other attends online charter school). Successfully negotiates peace accords between her dogs and cats. Has explicit authorization from FAA to fly small airplanes into clouds.

KIM THATCHER: PROVEN LEADERSHIP

Making Oregon a Better Place to Work & Raise a Family

- Being a small business owner helps Kim shape policies encouraging job growth by reducing excessive taxes and red tape.
- Communities and neighborhoods are safer thanks to her efforts to crack down on drunk driving and sex offenders.

Strengthening Educational Opportunities for Students

- Thanks to Kim, schools are subject to performance audits that direct funding towards student classroom success.
- Kim supports charter schools and innovative programs that improve educational opportunities for all students.

Fighting for Leaner, More Focused Government

- Kim spearheaded the Oregon Transparency Website, shining more light on state government activities and spending.
- Kim continues to push for priority based budgeting and accountability, ensuring taxpayer dollars are well spent.

Protecting Freedoms & the Elections Process:

- Proven champion for 2nd Amendment rights; Kim changed state law, safeguarding privacy of Concealed Handgun Licensees.
- Kim leads efforts to adopt Federal ID standards for voting in state and local elections to increase integrity of process.

Endorsements include:

Senator Larry George, Former Senator Charles Starr, Oregon Anti-Crime Alliance PAC, Common Sense for Oregon PAC, and many others: Please see website.

www.kimthatcher.com

(This information furnished by Friends of Kim Thatcher.)

State Senator, 20th District



Alan R Olsen

Republican

Occupation: Oregon State Senator; Owner, Custom Construction Services

Occupational Background: Owner, Custom Construction Services; Sales Representative, Scott Paper Company;

Superintendent, Sweeney Construction

Educational Background: Bachelor of Science in Chemistry, Purdue University (1975)

Prior Governmental Experience: Oregon State Senator; City Councilman, Middle Point, Ohio; United States ARMY Military Police

> RE-ELECT SENATOR ALAN OLSEN YOUR STATE SENATOR

CREATING JOBS

In the Oregon Senate, Alan has made creating family-wage jobs a priority. As a small business owner, Alan has spent more than 25 years creating jobs for our friends and neighbors. He knows what it takes to get our economy working again.

This year, Alan sponsored legislation to extend business tax cuts to all small businesses. Alan is committed to providing tax certainty and equity for all Oregon businesses, not just large corporations.

IMPROVING EDUCATION

For too long, Oregon has failed our children with education policies that treat the symptoms of our failing system, rather than solving the problem. As your Senator, Alan supported measures to give our children the skills and funding they need to compete with students internationally. We must continue to ensure our education dollars are focused where they will do the most good for our students: in the classroom.

MAKING GOVERNMENT WORK FOR YOU

Alan believes that Oregonians want transparency in government. Alan fought for several bills in his first term to increase transparency and efficiency in Salem, including preventing legislators from submitting amendments anonymously. You deserve to know how your legislators are representing you.

SUPPORTING OUR VETERANS

As a veteran himself, Alan has worked hard to provide greater access to services for our veterans, and serves on the Senate Committee on Veterans and Emergency Preparedness. Last session, Alan sponsored and passed two bills to aid Oregon veterans, giving them access to cheaper in-state tuition rates at Oregon universities and the ability to take Veteran's day off to be honored for their sacrifice.

www.alanolsen.com

(This information furnished by Alan Olsen for Oregon Senate Committee.)

State Senator, 26th District



Chuck Thomsen

Republican

Occupation: Pear Orchardist, Thomsen Orchards Inc.

Occupational Background: Orchardist; Hood River County Commissioner (16 years); OSAA Basketball Official (19 years)

Educational Background: BS (Economics & Political Science); Willamette University (1979), Hood River High School (1975)

Prior Governmental Experience: State Senator (2010present), Hood River County Commissioner (1994-2010), Hood River Planning Commission (1990-1994)

Community Service: Volunteer Firefighter; Pine Grove Fire Dept (1981-present), Little League coach, basketball coach, Providence Hood River Golf Tournament founder, Past President; Hood River Rotary, Children's Trust Fund of Oregon

COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP

Full Ways and Means; Oregon's main budgetary committee

Business and Transportation; influencing economic and transportation policy

Interim Emergency Board; convening for time-sensitive matters and emergencies

Environment and Natural Resources Ways and Means Subcommittee; handling Oregon's budgetary issues mostly for agriculture and land use

SOLUTIONS AND LEADERSHIP

Prior to serving as your State Senator, I had been a Hood River County Commissioner for 16 years, and had always prioritized jobs and small businesses. I ran for the Senate four years ago because I wanted my children and yours to have the same opportunities that I enjoyed growing up in Oregon.

I have stayed true to my values, by remaining the same person in office that I was when I first campaigned. Throughout tough decisions I make in Salem, I always reflect upon why I was elected - to do the best job that I can for the people of Oregon.

As your Senator I ensure that schools, public safety and other core functions are funded first. We also have to balance the budget without raising taxes. I encourage responsible economic growth, and help foster a stable business climate where real family-wage jobs are created and entrepreneurs are given the opportunity to succeed. Jobs in the private sector must be our number one priority.

I hope I have earned your renewed trust that I am here to serve and get the job done. With that, I humbly ask for your vote.

-Chuck

www.ChuckThomsen.com

(This information furnished by Friends of Chuck Thomsen.)

State Representative, 18th District



Vic Gilliam

Republican

Occupation: State Representative; Self-Employed

Occupational Background: Development Professional: Willamette University; OHSU Foundation; Mercy Corps

Educational Background: B.A. Warner Pacific College (Religion Major)

Prior Governmental Experience: State Representative, Co-Chair House Human Services, Co-Chair House Energy, Environment & Water, Co-Chair Elder Abuse Prevention Task force; Republican Precinct Committee Person

Hard Work. Trust. Commitment.

Vic Gilliam: A Record Built On Hard Work

"Vic Gilliam has a strong record of hard work for Oregon agriculture. He's a reliable voice for our entire industry and always ready to roll up his sleeves and do the extra work to represent Oregon family farms and nurseries alike."

Jeff Stone

Executive Director of the Oregon Association of Nurseries

Vic Gilliam: A Record Built On Trust

"Vic Gilliam has represented our community since 2007 with honor. We trust him to always stay true to his values, the basic principles of smaller government and balanced budgets, and we trust him to vote to protect our family checkbooks. Vic Gilliam is a true fiscal conservative."

Roger Beyer, Molalla

Former Republican State Senator and AG-PAC Chairman

Vic Gilliam: A Record Built On Commitment

"As Republican Leader and Co-Speaker, I called upon Vic's leadership skills to Co-Chair both the House Human Services and Energy & Environment Committees. I chose Vic because he is not only a social conservative he's fiscally responsible, committed to vulnerable Oregonians and supports wise utilization of our abundant natural resources."

Bruce Hanna

State Representative & Former Republican Co-Speaker of the House

Hard Work. Trust. Commitment.

"From protecting the unborn to defending traditional family values, I've always considered it a privilege to represent you. I remain committed to growing Oregon's economy by supporting farms and businesses, and partnering with them to create new jobs. When they grow and expand, our State can invest wisely in education and restore public safety officer positions. I'll continue to pursue common sense solutions that protect and promote the best uses of our farms, forests and streams."

-Vic Gilliam, State Representative

(This information furnished by Vic Gilliam.)

State Representative, 18th District



David L Darnell

Republican

Occupation: General Supervising Electrician/ Business owner

Occupational Background: Sales, Manufacturing, Construction

Educational Background: North Marion High School, Western Oregon University

Prior Governmental Experience: Precinct Committee Person 2010 to present; Chairman, Marion County Republican Central Committee 2012 to 2014; Chairman, Oregon Republican Party Legislative Committee

I'm not a career politician and I don't want to be. What I want to do is serve the citizens of House District 18 as a true conservative who doesn't vote with Democrats on major issues, but stands firm for Republican values of limited government and respect for the Constitution.

I'm running against the incumbent because he simply has lost touch with Republicans in the district with his big government votes. Like voting with the Democrats for Oregon's ObamaCare, to give local education control to the Federal government, putting the government into the hotel business and competing against private enterprise, removing Oregon's founder Jason Lee's statue from the US Capitol building and his manipulating the citizens' constitutional rights to challenge the legislature when it passes bad law. Additionally, he was a leader in the attempt to give Oregon special drivers licenses to illegal aliens.

I pledge to you that I won't vote for big government or join PERS, but I will vote for limited, smaller government. I will vote to reduce taxes and regulations that cost us our jobs and prosperity. I will vote to end taxpayer funded abortions in Oregon. I will vote to give you greater health care choices and lower costs by embracing proven, free market solutions instead of government run healthcare.

It's time House District 18 had a true conservative Republican standing firm for us in Salem and not an out of touch career politician who votes with Democrats.

I am David Darnell and I ask for your vote on May 20th.

(This information furnished by I Will Vote Like a Republican Should Committee.)

State Representative, 26th District



John Davis

Republican

Occupation: State Representative; Deputy House Republican Leader; Business, Real Estate & Nonprofit Attorney

Occupational Background: Small Business Owner; Police

Activities League

Educational Background: Willamette University Law (Valedictorian); Oxford University; George Fox University; West Linn High School

Prior Governmental Experience: State Representative; Member of the House Committees on Revenue, Transportation and Economic Development, Land Use and Rural Communities; AmeriCorp*VISTA

Re-Elect Representative John Davis

a Problem Solver True to His Word

"John Davis remains committed to igniting the private sector economy, prioritizing state spending, and pursuing excellence in our schools."

- House Republican Leader Mike McLane

John Davis: Revitalizing Our Economy

In his first term in the Oregon House, John Davis made true to his campaign promises by leading the successful bipartisan effort to provide tax relief for small business, streamline government, and reduce red tape facing business and property owners in Oregon. Then, he helped defend Oregonians and small businesses from tax increases and stifling regulation. That's why John earned a 94% rating from Associated Oregon Industries, Oregon's largest statewide business association.

John Davis: Prioritizing Spending on Schools, Roads, and Public Safety

John Davis kept his campaign promises by voting against massive increases in the size of Oregon's bloated state agencies. Instead, he supported funding for fundamental road and transportation needs, education, and public safety. He championed pension reforms projected to save Oregon taxpayers, school districts, and local governments over \$5 billion into the future.

John Davis: Supporting Kids First

John Davis kept his campaign promise to support kids and schools first, by voting for the largest K-12 school budget in Oregon history, voting against unfunded mandates on our teachers and schools, and supporting the rights of parents and kids to their educational choices. Then, he championed efforts to fully support science, technology, engineering, and career programs in our high schools and colleges to train Oregon students for jobs of the future.

Representative John Davis: Igniting the Economy, Prioritizing Spending, and Supporting Schools

(This information furnished by John Davis for Oregon.)

State Representative, 37th District



Julie Parrish

Republican

Occupation: Small Business Owner, State Representative

Occupational Background: Entrepreneur; food service management

Educational Background:

B.S., Communications (Minor: Hotel, Restaurant, and Resort Management), Southern Oregon University; MBA, Marylhurst University

Prior Governmental Experience: Battalion Family Readiness Coordinator, Oregon Army National Guard (volunteer)

Legislative Committees: Co-Vice Chair, Veterans Affairs; Education; Transportation and Economic Development; Co-Chair, Midwifery Taskforce, Nurse Payment Parity Taskforce, Affordable Housing Workgroup

Community Service: Chamber member, West Linn Rotary, West Linn Lions Club

Family: Married to Colonel (ret) Mark Parrish; children, Maxwell, Tucker and Gage

In her second term as your State Representative, Julie passed legislation that matters!

Julie has been an effective legislator, working to solve problems that affect the communities in her district, and across Oregon. She strives to ensure we have opportunities and quality choices which meet the needs of Oregon families.

Education and the Economy

Julie served on the Special Session committee that passed the "Grand Bargain" which helped increase funding for Oregon's K-12 and higher education institutions, addressed PERS reform, and passed one of the largest-ever small business tax cuts. The net result – many cities and counties had more money in their general fund budgets and schools were able to stabilize their budgets.

Healthcare and Critical Human Services

Julie worked to pass healthcare legislation that would increase healthcare access for Oregon families, while at the same time, creating a better environment for healthcare providers. She chief-sponsored bills to help people get better access to practitioners and provide vision screening to Oregon's school children. She has worked to get payment parity for nurses and is **endorsed by the Oregon Nurses Association**.

Serving the Community

When community members brought real problems to Julie, she worked to find solutions. From composting next to schools, to working as a go-between with constituents and state agencies, to finding funds for homeless veterans, Julie puts her neighbors first, and will continue working to be your voice in the Legislature.

Julie Parrish for State Representative

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(This information furnished by Friends of Julie Parrish.)

State Representative, 39th District



Bill Kennemer

Republican

Occupation: State Representative

Occupational Background: Family Psychologist; Small Business Owner; College Professor; Truck Driver; Farm Hand

Educational Background: PhD, Fuller Graduate School (of Psychology); BA, magna cum laude, Warner Pacific College

Prior Governmental Experience: Oregon State Senator; Clackamas County Commissioner; Commission Chair; Precinct Committeeperson

BILL KENNEMER EXPERIENCED. PROVEN. TRUSTED.

FOCUSED ON **LOCAL JOBS** AND **A BRIGHTER FUTURE** FOR OUR COMMUNITIES through his work as Co-Vice-Chair of the House Business and Labor Committee. Bill has proven his ability to work with people in both parties on common sense proposals to improve our economy.

SUSTAINING OUR **QUALITY OF LIFE** in Clackamas County through wise use and protection of our natural resources. Bill is an outstanding leader for fishing, hunting and recreational use of our Oregon treasures.

AS **A HEALTH CARE** PROVIDER Bill's experience is a valuable resource in the struggle to find practical and workable solutions to federally mandated reforms.

HOLDING THE LINE ON TAXES AND SPENDING is a challenge Bill understands and fights for daily. His record is strong!

INVESTING IN EDUCATION—growing up in poverty and with an illiterate father, Bill learned early the importance of education for him and for our society. He fights to give parents, students and teachers the local control our schools need to ensure the quality we expect. Bill is also a strong supporter of vocational programs and spending precious education dollars in our classrooms on teachers, books and technology.

SUPPORTING those who provide public safety to our communities and HONORING AND RESPECTING our Veterans.

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY – Bill and Cherie Kennemer are blessed with 4 children and 12 grandkids who all live in beautiful Clackamas County.

AMONG RECENT **AWARDS**: "Clackamas County Distinguished Citizen of the Year" "Northwest Steelheaders Hall of Fame" "Sportsfishing Industry Legislative Award"

BILL KENNEMER INVOLVED COMMUNITY SUPPORTER

VOTE www.BILLKENNEMER.com

(This information furnished by Friends of Bill Kennemer.)

State Representative, 40th District



Steve Newgard

Republican

Occupation: Owner, Newgard Masonry, Construction Contracting Industry; 1985 to present

Occupational Background: Outside sales contractor; building materials sales

Educational Background: State University, Business studies, 1972-1975

Prior Governmental Experience: None

Family: Married to Linda for 38 years; two sons, David and Michael.

A Commitment to Oregon and Our Community

As a life-long member of our community and a secondgeneration contractor, Steve has experience creating jobs and has developed long-time family and business friendships in District 40.

"I ran for State Representative in 2012 because I believed Oregon needed leadership that would help move the economy in a positive direction, and that the Oregon Legislature needed to be focused on passing laws that help families, not restrict their opportunities for climbing out of the recession and getting a good education for their children. Since running, I've watched as my neighbors have continued to struggle, and the Legislature worked to reduce choices for families. I would be honored to have you consider me to be our next State Representative so I can work for the change we need in Oregon."

Education and Career Opportunities for Oregon's Children

One of the most difficult challenges facing Oregon is that our youth do not have the opportunities that we had growing up. Oregon's 18-24 year-olds have some of the highest unemployment rates, and higher education costs continue to climb, essentially pricing Oregon's students out of a future. More than that, the graduation rates are stagnant, educational outcomes have not improved, yet the cost of an education continues to grow.

"We can do better! I'm committed to ensuring families have a variety of choices for their kids, and that we work to reduce the high cost of tuition in Oregon's higher education institutions."

Serving our Veterans

"Oregon is faced with yet another deployment to Afghanistan this year. As a military dad, I'll work to ensure when our soldiers come home, they get the services they need."

www.stevenewgard.org

facebook.com/SteveNewgard

(This information furnished by Friends of Steve Newgard.)

State Representative, 41st District



Timothy E McMenamin

Republican

Occupation: Community and Long Term Care Pharmacist

Occupational Background: Pharmacist

Educational Background: Milwaukie High School

1976; Oregon State University, BS Pharmacy 1987 and BS Microbiology 1989

Prior Governmental Experience: None

Professional & Community Involvement: National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI); The Elks; Oregon State Pharmacy Association; Catholic Charities; City Club of Portland; OFF; NRA

As a Pharmacist and former Manager of a large Community Pharmacy, I understand our issues in health care and how to manage a business.

Like most Oregonians, I am deeply concerned about Oregon's spending priorities. We have little to show for the alarming growth in spending. Oregon's government has lacked accountability and transparency. Poor decisions have led to over spending and waste.

As your State Representative I will work to restore appropriate spending priorities in Salem. The Legislature has held schools and public safety hostage every time they want more revenue for non-essential programs. Spending has increased remarkably while the quality of core government services has significantly decreased. Many agencies are ineffective and inefficient with little or no legislative oversight.

As your State Representative I will work to promote job growth and long-term economic stability. I value hard work and will work to make it possible for businesses to do what they do best --- create jobs and ignite the economy. Regulations should guide, not restrict, and tax policy should encourage, not discourage, entrepreneurial risk-taking and small business creation.

Thank you for your vote as together we work to increase Oregon's vibrancy and promise for Our next generation. I grew up in Our District and I will listen to your concerns. I am The Clear Choice for Your Voice in Salem.

Contact me: <u>www.McMenaminforOregon.com</u>; Facebook -Tim McMenamin for Oregon; Twitter - @mcmenamin4Or

(This information furnished by Timothy E McMenamin.)

State Representative, 51st District



Jodi Bailey

Republican

Occupation: Membership Director, Building a Better America Council

Occupational Background: Small business owner; sales, National Builders Hardware

Educational Background: University of Wisconsin (general studies); Clackamas Community College

Prior Governmental Experience: Happy Valley Police & Public Safety Committee

Community Service: Volunteer for Molly's Fund (Lupus research/awareness)

Family: Married to husband Kevin for 20 years; children Eric, Samantha, and Katelynn attend North Clackamas Schools

As a community-connected candidate, Jodi believes the legislative process belongs to the people, *not politicians*.

Bringing Back Oregon Jobs

As the membership director for the Building a Better America Council, Jodi has worked to bring back American manufacturing through the building and construction-trade industry. Jodi believes when Oregon families have living-wage jobs, they won't have to worry about how they will take care of things like paying their bills or affording the things they need for their loved ones.

Quality Education with Choices for Families

Jodi knows public schools aren't an option for every child. She believes in order for children to succeed, families must have more choices. Jodi will champion increased funding for strong public education choices, but will give her attention to increasing options like career technology education, STEM, and hybrid education programs between K-12, online schools, and community colleges. Jodi believes education and careertech training is the key pathway that lifts families out of poverty and moves them forward into lifelong prosperity.

Improving Critical Human Services

Jodi knows firsthand what it's like to struggle financially, and Oregon families continue to face financial uncertainly in the recession. Jodi realizes the need for human service programs that work. Whether helping victims of domestic violence, children in foster care, or our returning veterans who have served through multiple deployments, the programs Oregon offers to help our neighbor in need must ensure the money gets to the people while spending taxpayer dollars wisely.

Proudly Endorsed By:

Patrick Sheehan, Former State Representative, District 51

State Representative Julie Parrish

Jodi Bailey for State Representative

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(This information furnished by Friends of Jodi Bailey.)

State Representative, 52nd District



Mark Johnson

Republican

Occupation: State Representative; General Contractor

Occupational Background: Small business owner, 1985-Present

Educational Background: Whitworth University, 1975-1979

Prior Governmental Experience: Hood River County School Board, 2004-Present

Economic Development and Job Creation

As a small business owner, I appreciate the relationship between private sector job creation and economic growth. That's why I supported the largest small business tax cut in Oregon's history and will continue to support sound economic policies that create jobs.

I co-sponsored legislation that expands access to CTE and apprenticeship programs throughout Oregon. I've worked to increase opportunities for STEM training to create the workforce our industries need. I continue to encourage sustainable development of our abundant natural resources to create family-wage jobs and bring prosperity to Oregon.

Kids First: My Plan for Improving Education

I proudly supported increasing funding for K-12 by over one billion dollars. I've worked to strengthen teacher evaluation & support systems so our students can receive the best quality classroom instruction. We must continue to reduce class size and absenteeism rates while lengthening the school year. I continue to support school choice opportunities for families. I will advocate for targeted funding to implement changes and increase outcomes for students across Oregon.

In two sessions on the Higher Education Committee, I helped develop legislation to create efficient coordination and governing of our higher education system. I will work to continue to improve access to higher education while holding down tuition increases resulting in lower student debt.

Oregonians Deserve Results

In my personal life, I get things accomplished. As a legislator, it is the same. I'm proud of my reputation in the legislature as someone focused on building relationships, reaching consensus, and solving problems. I have been, and will continue to be, focused on developing sound policy, not playing politics, for my constituents and Oregon.

Endorsed by:

Bill King, Mayor, Sandy, Oregon Ron Rivers, Chair, Hood River County Commission Matthew T. English, Hood River County Sheriff Oregon Farm Bureau

www.repmarkjohnson.com

(This information furnished by Friends of Mark Johnson.)

State Representative, 59th District



John E Huffman

Republican

Occupation: State Representative, Commercial Property Developer/Owner

Occupational Background: Legislator; Radio Station Owner/Manager; Small Business Developer/Owner;

Ford Dealership Manager; Military Police US Army

Educational Background: High School Graduate, some college, Military Police Training, Legislative Energy Institute Executive Certificate, NCSL Leadership Course.

Prior Governmental Experience: Chamber Economic Development Committee; Scenic Area Oregon Investment Board; House Committees on Education, Higher Education & Workforce Development, Veterans, Ways & Means, Capital Construction, Oregon Workforce Investment Board, Hanford Cleanup Board and Deputy Whip.

Jobs and Economy

Private business has always been the economic engine. I'll continue working to remove government interference and over-regulation to allow Oregon businesses and entrepreneurs, latitude to make Oregon vibrant again. With my small business background, I understand what it takes to create jobs.

Fiscal Responsibility

We cannot spend and borrow our way to prosperity. We must control and prioritize spending while working to reform our budgeting process. I consistently vote against wasteful spending and the dangerous practice of over-borrowing, balanced with supporting prudent, targeted investments. Our spending level is unsustainable, not because we have too few taxes. It's because government spends too much! Let's rightsize state government, work smart and be efficient.

Personal Freedoms

I believe **you** know what's best for you, your family and your property, not lawmakers and agencies in Salem. We need to put the money and power back in the hands of the people so they can choose how to spend the money they have earned. From educating your kids, choosing a vocation or protecting and planning for the future, the freedom to choose should be yours.

Track Record

You be the judge. Nearly 7 years of legislative votes tell the story of my work for you. I have been consistently endorsed by trusted businesses and agricultural organizations. I appreciate your continued support.

(This information furnished by Committee to Elect John E. Huffman.)

Precinct Committeemen and Committeewomen in the Oregon Republican Party

What is a PCP?

The 700,000 registered Oregon Republicans are the grassroots heart of the Republican Party of Oregon. Precinct Committeemen and Committeewomen are chosen from among that 700,000 to organize advocacy for Republican political principles in their Oregon neighborhoods and communities and support for Republican candidates for office.

The PCPs also control the state Republican party (ORP). They elect the office holders in their county Republican Committees, who, in turn, set policy for and elect the officials of the Oregon State Republican Party. The PCPs also select delegates to the state and national Republican conventions.

PCPs and the County officers whom they elect are the primary organizing and directing force for the thousands of additional Republican volunteers who arise from the electorate to work on behalf of Republican principles and candidates.

What are Republican Principles?

Republican principles are timeless. They have been found to be the best way for people to live together, while exercising their fundamental individual rights to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness. That happiness – the pursuit of the greatest enjoyment of the blessings of a human life – requires protection for life, liberty, private property, and common sense ethical principles.

These principles are found in our Bibles and in the founding documents of our Constitutional Republic. Individual Republicans express these principles in many ways and live their lives in a wide variety of manners that are enabled by American freedom.

Individual Republicans hold, with variations, most of the following views:

- The strength of our nation lies with the individual. Each person's dignity, freedom, ability, and responsibility must be protected and honored.
- Equal rights, equal justice and equal opportunity for all Americans, regardless of race, creed, sex, age or disability must be preserved.
- Free enterprise has made America a land of opportunity, economic growth, and prosperity.
- Government must be fiscally responsible and require in taxes only that minimum of the earnings of Americans required to fulfill its Constitutional responsibilities in an efficient and effective manner.
- The traditional customs and culture of our nation must be preserved, especially those that are essential to our families, our professions, and our way of life.
- In general, everyone should do all that they agree to do, and no one should encroach on other persons or their property.

In this 2014 election campaign, Oregon Republicans will work to elect Republicans to public office throughout Oregon – local candidates, candidates to the Oregon House, Senate and Governorship, and candidates to the United States House and Senate.

We invite you to become a Republican Party PCP and to work beside us on behalf of good government in our state and nation.

For more information, please call state party headquarters (503) 595-8881; e-mail <u>info@orgop.org</u>; or visit our website at <u>www.oregonrepublicanparty.org</u>.

Art Robinson

Chairman, Oregon Republican Party

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Jeff Merkley

Democrat

Occupation: U.S. Senator

Occupational Background: Executive Director, Portland Habitat for Humanity; National Security Analyst, Pentagon and Congressional Budget Office; President, Oregon

World Affairs Council

Educational Background: David Douglas High School; Stanford (B.A., International Relations); Princeton, (M.A., Public Policy)

Prior Governmental Experience: House Speaker, 2007-2008; House Democratic Leader, 2003-07; House Member, 1999-2008

Jeff Merkley's Agenda For Oregon Families

- Create good paying jobs
- Make college more affordable
- Take on the special interests to reform Washington
- Protect Social Security and Medicare

Fighting For Middle-Class Families:

In a Congress that seems to be filled with champions for the special interests, Jeff Merkley consistently fights for Oregon's middle-class families.

- Son of a millwright, Jeff knows the value of a goodpaying job and has fought to create living-wage jobs in Oregon.
- First in his family to go to college, Jeff has voted to keep college loan interest rates low and has a plan to make college affordable.
- A long-time consumer advocate, Jeff has taken on the big banks and Wall Street to protect middle-class families from their predatory practices.
- A champion for our seniors, Jeff has strongly opposed attempts to privatize Social Security and Medicare.

Taking on the fights to protect Oregon values:

- Jeff has fought to protect a woman's right to choose and to ensure women have access to affordable and safe healthcare.
- In the Senate, Jeff has led the charge for equality with workplace protections for the LGBT community and support for marriage equality.
- Jeff supports equal pay for all; one of his first acts as Senator was to vote for equal pay legislation.

"Senator Merkley has been a terrific partner fighting for Oregon's middle-class families and working to create good-paying jobs. He has been an outstanding champion for Oregon values. I look forward to continuing our work together to make sure Oregon is a great place to live and work."

- U.S. Senator Ron Wyden

(This information furnished by Jeff Merkley for Oregon.)

Representative in Congress, 3rd District



Earl Blumenauer

Democrat

Occupation: U.S. Congressman

Occupational Background: Public Administrator

Educational Background: Lewis and Clark College, B.A.; Northwestern School of Law, J.D.

Prior Governmental Experience: Oregon State Legislature; Portland Community College Board; Multnomah County Commissioner; Portland City Commissioner; U.S. Congressman

With all the rancor and partisanship in Washington, DC, I've taken a different path: focusing on policies that will strengthen America and not on short-term political games.

I never stop fighting on issues like protecting Social Security, cutting spending for nuclear weapons, creating jobs for Oregonians, getting health care right, protecting our environment and marriage equality.

At the same time, I work on issues that we can accomplish now and that bring us together like providing help for veterans, fighting for healthy foods for our children, championing small businesses and protecting animals by stopping animal fighting and setting standards for factory farms.

These shouldn't be controversial! But some are because of entrenched special interests.

Leadership when it's needed. Not when it's popular.

In Congress, I'm tackling some of our toughest problems:

Finding funds to rebuild and renew America by improving our transportation and water systems that are falling apart.

Making sure that individual's wishes are respected at the end of life.

Reforming marijuana laws by putting states in charge and not the federal government.

We must also deal with our place in the world. That's why I am leading efforts to get safe drinking water and sanitation to some of the world's poorest and most desperate people - not just because it is the moral thing to do, but because it's better foreign policy than simply waging war.

I support negotiations with Iran to stop them from building nuclear weapons.

It's time to act and leave the world better for our children and grandchildren. I promise leadership when it's needed, not just when it's popular. That's why I'm asking for your trust and your vote.

www.earlblumenauer.com

(This information furnished by Earl Blumenauer.)

Representative in Congress, 5th District

Anita Brown

No photo submitted

Occupation: NA

Democrat

Occupational Background: advanced electronic processor & assembler, practical nurse

Educational Background: U.S. Army/ Medical Specialist,

Clinical Specialist

Prior Governmental Experience: NA

Brown is concerned that the economical interest of the average American is not being represented. The TPP tradeagreement which is described as NAFTA on Steroids, it would mean Americans will have to compete with Vietnam and 11 other countries wages. Brown will oppose the TPP. My opponent voted yes to the Korean Trade Agreement on Oct. 12, 2011 which has hurt the American steel industry.

Increasing wealth & income inequality in the U.S. is the greatest moral and economical issue of our time. Raising the federal minimum wage to \$10.10 is important, 7 out of 10 Americans are in favor of this. If you want people off food stamps, if you want people off of welfare, if you want women to be self-sufficent, vote for Brown. My opponent voted against this with the Republicans in 2013.

Brown will support your rights to clean air, clean water, economical college and vocational schools for the 21st century, healthcare for all & environmental protection.

Anita Brown is asking for your vote.

(This information furnished by Anita Brown.)

Representative in Congress, 5th District



Kurt Schrader

Democrat

Occupation: U.S. Congressman

Occupational Background: Veterinarian; Small Businessman; Farmer

Educational Background: Cornell University, B.A.;

University of Illinois, B.S.; Doctor of Veterinary Medicine

Prior Governmental Experience: State Senator; State Representative; Co-Chair, Joint Committee on Ways and Means; Canby Planning Commission.

Kurt Schrader for Congress. Putting Oregon First.

Delivering for Us

- Kurt is investing in the future of Oregon's children and workforce with increased federal funding for Head Start, K-12, community colleges, and Pell Grants for our college students.
- Kurt led the fight keeping Newport as the new base of the NOAA Pacific Fleet, and for funding of the Woodburn Interchange, bringing hundreds of jobs and economic opportunities into our Willamette Valley.
- Kurt is working across the aisle to break the gridlock of federal forest management by proposing the O&C Trust, Conversation and Jobs Act, which would provide for thousands of jobs in a healthier Oregon forest.
- Kurt is a Congressional leader for a balanced budget plan for \$4 trillion in deficit-reduction and job creation over ten years.
- Kurt led the efforts to prevent staggering flood insurance premium increases that would have hurt homeowners throughout the district.

A bi-partisan leader

• Kurt is a founding member of the No Labels problem solvers, bringing Democrats and Republicans together to find solutions instead of partisan fights.

Putting Oregon First

- Kurt holds community meetings throughout the district, homeowner workshops to help families avoid foreclosure, and works with Oregon small business owners to develop legislative solutions to the problems of access to capital and excessive regulation.
- He cut through red tape for Oregon families, winning back over \$1.5 million in stalled Social Security payments, denied VA benefits for Oregon's warriors, and delayed IRS refunds.

"Thanks for the opportunity to be a voice for Oregon values and priorities. I would appreciate your vote." --- Kurt

www.kurtschrader.com

(This information furnished by Kurt Schrader for Congress.)



John **Kitzhaber**

Democrat

Occupation: Governor of Oregon

Occupational Background: Emergency Room Physician, Roseburg

Educational Background: South Eugene High School, 1965; B.A. Dartmouth College, 1969; M.D. University of Oregon Medical School, 1973

Prior Governmental Experience: Governor 1995-2003, 2011-present; Senate President 1985-1993; State Senator 1981-1993; State Representative, 1979-1980

My Fellow Oregonians,

Four years ago Oregon was a polarized state with an uncertain future. Standing in the depths of the recession, our legislature was divided, faced with high unemployment and a budget deficit of \$3.5 billion.

Since then, we have accomplished a lot together:

We erased one of the largest per capita budget deficits in the nation with bipartisanship and civility, not gridlock.

We created over 60,000 jobs and now have one of the nation's fastest-growing state economies.

We are reinvesting in our schools, adding over \$1 billion in school funding this biennium, while making strides towards a seamless, outcomes-based public education system from pre-school through college and career training.

We enacted pension and public safety reforms that lowered the cost of state government.

We have enrolled over 260,000 Oregonians into health coverage, lowered the rate of the uninsured by 20% and created a health care system that will keep people healthier at significantly lower costs.

And we did it the Oregon way, refusing to let partisanship get in the way of doing the right thing.

We've made remarkable progress. But change is fragile in its beginnings. I'm asking for your vote so we can solidify and expand our progress on education, health care and the economy and tackle the great challenges still before us:

- Ensure that Oregon's economic recovery reaches all Oregonians by reducing the "opportunity gap" and income stagnation that is eroding the middle class.
- Accelerate our transition to a sustainable, clean economy.
- Bring stability to our public finance system to reliably reinvest in public education.

We've accomplished big things together. But there is more work to do. I believe we are up to the task.

Sincerely,

John Kitzhaber

(This information furnished by Kitzhaber for Governor.)

State Senator, 13th District



Lewis & Clark Law School

Prior Governmental Experience: Newberg City Councilor, 2010-2013; Newberg Council President, 2014

Community Involvement: Yamhill County Bar Association, Secretary; Oregon Safe Routes to School, Steering Committee; Newberg Cultural District, Executive Board; Yamhill Valley Chamber of Commerce, Member.

Ryan Howard

"It's time we take our state back from partisan politicians who care more about making a headline than making our government work."

Ryan Howard is an independent minded local leader who takes a stand for all Oregonians. He will work with people on both sides of the aisle to create jobs, get people back to work, support our schools, and hold our government accountable.

Ryan Howard for our Economy.

Ryan will work to bring back jobs and support policies that allow small businesses to prosper.

- Supporting tax fairness and predictability that will allow businesses to grow and add jobs.
- Expanding training opportunities that prepare our workforce for the jobs of tomorrow.
- Listening to the needs of small businesses and seeking • real solutions.

Ryan Howard for Accountable Government.

Ryan will hold our leaders to account so we don't repeat the errors of the past.

- Making government audits and reports accessible to the public.
- Aggressively investigating misuse of government resources.
- Cutting wasteful spending.

Ryan Howard for Oregon Schools.

Oregon students lack the attention they deserve while teachers are struggling to keep up with mandates. Ryan Howard will fight to shrink class sizes by funding our schools adequately and work to reduce the rising costs of tuition.

Ryan Howard for Strong Communities.

Ryan Howard will work to bring local control back to our communities by giving our citizens a strong voice in the Oregon Legislature.

- Encouraging community participation and input on state issues.
- Allowing local communities to determine their own way forward.
- Fighting for the values of rural Oregonians.

Ryan Howard -- Better Representation for a Better Oregon.

www.HowardforOregon.com

503-766-4783

Ryan Howard

Democrat

Occupation: Attorney, Small **Business Owner**

Occupational Background: Attorney

Educational Background: Washington State University;

State Senator, 19th District



Richard Devlin

Democrat

Occupation: State Senator, 2003-Present

Occupational Background: Legal Investigator; Juvenile Surveillance Officer; Correctional Officer; USMC

Educational Background: B.S. Portland State University, Administration of Justice; M.A. Pepperdine University, Management; Graduate Studies, University of Oregon and Portland State University, Corrections and Criminology

Prior Governmental Experience: Co-Chair of the Joint Committee on Ways and Means 2010-Present; Senate Majority Leader 2007-2010; State Senator, 2003-Present; State Representative, 1997-2002; Metro Council, 1989-1995, Tualatin City Council, 1985-1988

State Senator Richard Devlin

Effective Leadership that Puts People First

"Richard Devlin's down-to-earth, hardworking leadership brings people together the Oregon Way. He has truly delivered for our schools, our families and our communities."

U.S. Senator Ron Wyden

The Education Champion

Education was Richard's path from poverty; he knows it's the foundation of opportunity and a strong economy. His top priority is reinvesting in our schools. As the Co-Chair of the legislature's budget committee, Richard:

- Delivered over a billion dollars in new resources for public schools.
- Significantly increased community college support.
- Reversed the downward trend in higher education
- funding.Slowed tuition increases.
- Made new investments in career/technical education.

Helping Those Who Need It Most

Richard worked successfully to protect and improve programs targeted towards those most in need, including seniors, abused and neglected children, victims of crime and domestic violence, including:

- New investments in children's mental health.
- Doubled funding for Oregon Project Independence, to keep more seniors in their homes.
- Significantly increased funding for senior and disabled transportation.
- Significant increases in services to abused children, victims of domestic violence and other crime victims.

Dear Neighbor,

Serving you is a privilege, and I will continue to work hard to be worthy of the trust you have placed in me. I would be honored by your vote. Please contact me with your questions and ideas at <u>FriendsOfRichardDevlin@gmail.com</u>.

Respectfully,

Richard Devlin

(This information furnished by Friends of Richard Devlin.)

State Senator, 20th District



Jamie Damon

Democrat

Occupation: Public policy mediator, State of Oregon

Occupational Background: Clackamas County Commissioner; Collaborative Systems Director, Portland State University National

Policy Consensus Center; Managing Partner, JLA Public Involvement; Mediation Specialist and Interim Director, City of Portland Neighborhood Mediation Center

Educational Background: Master of Arts, School for International Training (SIT); Speech Communication, Portland State University; Sam Barlow High School

Prior Governmental Experience: Board Member, Clackamas Community College Foundation Board; Clackamas County Commissioner; Member, O and C Lands Task Force; Commissioner, Oregon Dispute Resolution Commission

Jamie Damon

For our families, farms, and forests.

"I'm Jamie Damon and I'm asking for your support. Clackamas County is our home, and we deserve a strong champion in the state Capitol. As your State Senator, I will work tirelessly to bring people together and find solutions that work for our families, farms, and forests."

Jamie Damon: Strengthening our schools

As a mom in rural Clackamas County, Jamie Damon knows that our communities need good schools and she'll make school funding a top priority so we can stop laying off teachers and cutting school days.

Jamie Damon: Creating good-paying jobs

Jamie Damon supports more apprenticeships and vocational training to help local people find good-paying jobs, and she'll stand up for small businesses so they can grow and put people back to work.

"Jamie is committed to workforce development and funding for our schools. She understands that employers need skilled workers and our students and communities deserve quality schools." Alice Norris, CCC Foundation, former Mayor of Oregon City

Jamie Damon: Standing up for rural Clackamas County

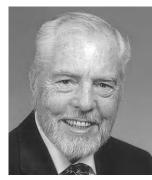
Jamie Damon loves rural Clackamas County and knows it's time that our community had the leadership it deserves.

"Jamie created local jobs as a Clackamas County commissioner by helping manage our forests. She's trusted by both conservationists and loggers, and we need her leadership in Salem to fight for our priorities on forest policy and land use." Roger Daugherty, owner, Daugherty Horse Logging, Fischers Mill

www.VoteJamieDamon.com

(This information furnished by Friends of Jamie Damon.)

State Senator, 24th District



Rod Monroe

Democrat

Occupation: State Senator; Small Business Owner

Occupational Background: High School and College Teacher of US History and Government

Educational Background: Franklin High; Portland State University, Bachelors and Masters Degrees; Warner Pacific College, Masters Degree

Prior Governmental Experience: State Senator 2007present; Mt. Hood Community College Board 2005-2013; Metro Councilor elected 1992, 1995, 1998, 2000; David Douglas School Board elected 1991, 1992, 1997; State Senator elected 1980, 1984, 2006, 2010; State Representative elected 1976, 1978; Elected Democratic Precinct Committee person 1974 to present

FAMILY: Married, wife Billie, married son Martin, grandson Miles

ROD MONROE - a Life Time of Community Service: FISH Emergency Services; Warner Pacific College Foundation; Oregon Commission on Child Care; Oregon Commisson on Black Affairs; Lynchwood Church Board

ROD MONROE - Lifelong Educator - Co-Chair of Education Budget subcommittee, significantly increased funding for schools; increased Opportunity Grants enabling students to go to community colleges and universities; obtained funding for Early Head Start and Child Care facility on Mt. Hood Community College campus.

ROD MONROE carried the bill to extend unemployment benefits; supported bills to protect Oregon's rivers by limiting harmful dredge mining; increased funding for Employment Related Day Care; increased access for small business loans and to protect citizens from unscrupulous lenders.

ROD MONROE AUTHORED: Oregon Indoor Clean Air Act - nonsmoking in public buildings; Child Restraint Law; Kindergarten Bill; School Breakfast Bill; Oregon's Tough Drunk Driving Law; Law requiring Smoke Detectors in rentals.

"As your State Senator my priorities are to reinvest in education, preschool through college, continue to build family wage jobs, improve the safety of our neighborhoods by increasing funding for sidewalks, and protect our fragile environment. I currently serve on the Senate Business and Transportation Committee addressing critical highway, rail and bike-ped transportation needs."

State Senator Rod Monroe

Re-elect ROD MONROE - Democrat - listens to your concerns. Call him at 503-760-4310

or email pogomonroe@AOL.com

(This information furnished by Friends of Rod Monroe.)

State Senator, 26th District



Robert R Bruce

Democrat

Occupation: Construction management and business development

Occupational Background: Construction manager and consultant

Educational Background: Turner School of Construction Management; Stacy and Witbeck Safety Training; Bellingham High School; Certified Pilot

Prior Governmental Experience: Advocate, Oregon Legislature

Robert Bruce

Local problems, local solutions

"I'm Robert Bruce and I'm asking for your support. I'm not a professional politician, I'm just a local businessperson who's gone through the same ups and downs as you have in recent years. I love this community and I'm sure that if we finally had some real leadership in the Oregon Senate that answers to everyday people, we could address the unemployment and economic problems we're suffering from."

Robert Bruce: A local small business person

Robert Bruce was raised in a small town and he's made his home here in our community, becoming a successful small business person whose work helps put people to work across the state.

Robert Bruce: A local man who stood up to special interests

When big insurance companies were cheating Oregon's families, Robert Bruce stood up to the special interests and professional politicians, fighting to hold insurance companies accountable for their actions.

Robert Bruce: A supporter of local job training programs

When he was on his way up, Robert Bruce took part in vocational training courses, which is why he's such a big supporter of increasing apprenticeships and job training opportunities for local people looking for work.

Robert Bruce: A commitment to improving local schools

Today, more than ever before, a good education is crucial for our kids. That's why Robert Bruce supports smaller class sizes, more help for early childhood education, and a full school year.

"It's time we sent a leader to Salem who's concerned about local problems and local solutions. We can and must do better. And that's why I'm asking for your vote. Thank you." Robert Bruce

Learn more at www.BruceforOregon.com.

(This information furnished by Friends of Robert Bruce.)

State Representative, 18th District



Scott A Mills

Democrat

Occupation: Painter, Freightliner/Daimler

Occupational Background: Painter, 35 yrs; Military Service - U.S. Air Force; Volunteer at the V.A.; IUPAT1094; AFL-CIO Northwest Oregon Labor

Council Delegate

Educational Background: Canby High School, 1976; Clackamas Community College; Employee Benefits School; Actuarial Accounting Trustees Masters program; Land Use Planning Certificate; Green Team, Lean Manufacturing, Leadership, and Safety Training programs.

Prior Governmental Experience: City Council, Public Works Commission, Planning Commission, Budget and Traffic Safety Committees-Aurora

Personal: Married to Cherene for 33 yrs., one adult son. Live in the same house we bought 28 years ago.

Neighbors,

I was born in Silverton, Oregon, graduated Canby High School working summers on my grandfather's farm. After high school, I attended a Trades school at Clackamas Community College. I was fortunate. I learned a trade that put me and my family in the Middle Class. Back then the deal was, if you worked hard, got a good education and played by the rules, you had a shot at the American Dream. I worry that our children won't have the same opportunity unless we make some changes.

 People Need Jobs – We must use all the tools for Job Creation

The key to growing jobs and creating a sustainable economy in Oregon includes an investment in state and local infrastructure and targeting state resources to support small businesses.

• Stable Funding For Our Schools

Protect against teacher layoffs that cause increased class size. Support our colleges and technical schools to make our labor force thrive in a world economy.

• Environment and Natural Resources

Protect our environment promoting clean air and water at all levels striking a balance between protection and managed use of the environment that is uniquely Oregon.

Government Accountability

Demand transparency and accountability from our government and our elected leaders. Politicians who serve only the loudest and wealthiest are no longer acceptable.

Strong leadership that stands up to special interests

www.scottmillsforhd18.com

(This information furnished by Friends of Scott Mills.)

State Representative, 26th District



Eric D Squires

Democrat

Occupation: Coalition Coordinator, Hillsboro Empowers Youth! (www.HEYTogether.org)

Occupational Background: Professional Audio and Video Production & Sales, Real

Estate, Insurance, Trade Show Services

Educational Background: Passionate, lifelong learner with College Degree, holding multiple professional licenses, awards and credentials

Prior Governmental Experience: President Washington County Forum, Founder Aloha Historical Society, Director Westside Cultural Alliance, Director Aloha Library, Chair of Citizen Participation Organization District 6 Washington County (www.CPO6.com), Appointee Cultural Coalition of Washington County, Aloha Reedville Study Alternate, TV Highway Study Participant, Urbanization Forum Participant

Dear Voters,

I share your love of this wonderful place, and want to get to work now preserving and bettering the quality of life you deserve. In advocating for **strong schools, great jobs, and public safety**, we all should enjoy the honest conversations about the value we get for the taxes we pay. **District 26** is **diverse**. One unifying need for the future is infrastructure measured with the grand plans of growth for the future. Building a shared vision on how we get there is another.

Making sure people come first is a priority. Count me in to support your rights in privacy and consumer protections. **Public involvement is essential**, and pivoting the meek voice in a room to a timely idea that then becomes policy, or better yet a law, is the encouraging empowerment needed by your leaders.

Facilitating the needs of **businesses and employees** in an equitable way is a proper function of our State. **Fair laws**, **courts**, **and leaders** improve our reputation as a place to conduct business. Let's work together with your ideas to increase choices for **jobs**, **housing and education**. It's the right thing to do.

The cornerstone of these points is governance. **Under my watch, the citizen is in charge**. The leader must do the bidding of the people. Respectfully, I **Eric Squires**, humbly ask for your vote and support for House District 26.

Sincerely,

Eric Squires

(This information furnished by Eric Squires.)

State Representative, 35th District



Margaret Doherty

Democrat

Occupation: Owner, Flowers by Arrangement.

Occupational Background: Labor Consultant, Oregon Education Association; Teacher.

Educational Background: MAT, Lewis and Clark; B.S, Portland State.

Prior Governmental Experience: State Representative; Tigard Planning Commission.

Margaret Doherty

Independent Ideas that Work for Oregon

Creating Jobs to Move Oregon Forward.

Margaret is dedicated to creating jobs that pay a living wage. Things are starting to turn around in Oregon's economy, but this recovery is too slow. Margaret is committed to putting people back to work and this session boosted funding in

career and technical education programs that help graduates enter the workforce; and invested in retraining unemployed and underemployed citizens.

Ensuring Oregon's public schools make the grade.

A former high school teacher and an education advocate for over 30 years, Margaret knows how important it is to adequately fund our schools. That is why she has spent her time in the Legislature fighting against teacher layoffs that are causing increased class sizes.

Supporting a government that works!

Margaret believes in a government that serves its people by being effective, efficient and transparent. We need to maximize the funds that are invested in programs that work and hold accountable those that are wasting funds. As your State Legislator, Margaret passed legislation that shut down a wasteful experiment in highway maintenance and saved the state over a million dollars.

Margaret's about people. Not politics.

"Too many elected officials play politics with our future. We need independent thinkers with new ideas. I reach across the aisle to find bipartisan solutions for our families, because for me, it's about making our community a better place to live. I'd be honored to have your vote once again." - Margaret Doherty

www.MargaretDoherty.com

(This information furnished by Friends of Margaret Doherty.)

State Representative, 38th District



Ann Lininger

Democrat

Occupation: Vice President and General Counsel, Oregon Iron Works; State Representative

Occupational Background: Clackamas County Commissioner; Foundation Executive, Meyer Memorial

Trust; Legal Aid Attorney, Sierra Club Legal Defense Fund, private law firm.

Educational Background: Yale University; New York University School of Law, JD.

Prior Governmental Experience: Clackamas County Commissioner

Community Involvement: Middle School Debate Team; Clackamas Women's Services; Network for Oregon Affordable Housing; Ecotrust Forest Management

State Representative Ann Lininger. New Leadership. Our Values.

As a local business leader, public interest attorney, and active volunteer, Ann Lininger has delivered for our community. As our new State Representative, Ann will put our values into action.

Ann Lininger: Strengthening Our Public Schools

- Speaking out for adequate funding for our local K-12 schools;
- Helping high school students attend community college classes so they can learn at the right level;
- Supporting technical education programs so students can train for good jobs;
- Prohibiting excessive fees on college financial aid.

"Ann places the very highest priority on pushing in Salem for more support for our schools." Aletia Cochran, Lake Oswego Middle School Teacher

Ann Lininger: Protecting Our Environment

- Pushing to preserve more prime local farmland;
- Encouraging generation of more clean, reliable power;
- Investing in sensible transportation to reduce green-
- house gas emissions;Protecting important forests and forestlands.

"Ann will champion protection of natural areas and our precious water supply."

Jay Withgott, Scientist and Conservation Advocate, Portland

Ann Lininger: Helping struggling families get out of poverty, and senior citizens live with dignity and safety.

- Helping low-income seniors stay in their homes for as long as possible;
- Securing funds to help families prevent or overcome homelessness and get on their own feet;
- Expanding access to mental health and addiction recovery services;
- Helping vulnerable people flee abuse and protect their kids.

"We need more advocates like Ann for vulnerable families and seniors." Rob Prasch, Housing Preservation Advocate, Portland

Some of Ann's Endorsements:

Oregon League of Conservation Voters, Oregon AFL-CIO Oregon Building Trades Council, NARAL Pro-Choice Oregon PAC

Learn more at www.annlininger.org

(This information furnished by Friends of Ann Lininger.)

State Representative, 40th District



Brent Barton

Democrat

Occupation: State Representative; Attorney

Occupational Background: Attorney

Educational Background: Newport High School, Stanford

University, Harvard Law School

Prior Governmental Experience: State Representative; Oregon Criminal Justice Commission

Brent Barton for State Representative Independence. Integrity. Results.

Growing up in small town Oregon, Brent Barton was raised with the Oregon values of independence, integrity and standing up for your neighbors. And that is exactly how he has served us as our State Representative. Brent puts the people he represents first: he votes for what is right.

A Record of Leadership

As a State Representative, Brent Barton earned a reputation as a champion for middle class families, schools, seniors and small business.

Reinvesting in Our Schools: Brent understands that education is the foundation of success for our families and our economy. That is why he voted to add a billion dollars to fund our schools, helping turn the corner after years of cuts. He also worked to strengthen workforce training and slow tuition increases at our community colleges.

Redeveloping the Blue Heron Site: Brent led the way in securing a \$5 million state investment in the redevelopment of the Blue Heron site at Willamette Falls – an unprecedented opportunity for our local community.

Supporting Jobs and Small Business: Brent wrote HB 3644, which gives small businesses tools to compete and innovate.

Protecting Our Communities and Kids: Brent toughened punishment for sex offenders who victimize children and increased services to victims of domestic violence.

Defending Seniors and Veterans: Brent helped double funding to Oregon Project Independence, which helps keep seniors living independently in their homes instead of being forced into nursing homes. He also improved access to education, health benefits and job opportunities for our returning troops.

Cracking Down on Financial Abuse: Brent is one of the legislature's consumer champions, fighting to strengthen consumer protections against banks, credit card companies and collection agency harassment.

"Thanks for the opportunity to serve you. I'd be honored by your vote." -Brent

www.votebrentbarton.com

(This information furnished by Friends of Brent Barton.)



www.oregonvotes.gov

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State Representative, 41st District



Ted Roe

Democrat

Occupation: Attorney; Law Professor; Small Business Owner

Occupational Background: Attorney; Law Professor; Small Business Owner; Community Organizer

Educational Background: Valparaiso University School of Law, J.D.; University of Wisconsin, B.A. in Political Science

Prior Governmental Experience: NA

Ted Roe

Putting People First

As an attorney in Oregon for the last 15 years, Ted Roe has worked tirelessly to protect the interests of small business people and workers. As a small business owner himself, he understands the significant issues facing businesses today.

If elected he will work to bring jobs back to Oregon. We must invest in people and the workforce because only through the expansion of a growing, well paid workforce will we all see prosperity.

Fighting For Your Interests

Ted will fight against the interests of big banks and insurance companies who buy influence in the legislature. Ted has vowed to not take any campaign contributions from any insurance company or financial institution. Ted Roe wants to be <u>your</u> voice in Salem.

Strengthening Public Education

Ted knows how a public education can transform lives and build communities. He is committed to making public schools in Oregon the best in the country, through higher pay for teachers, programs that foster youths going to college, lowering the cost of tuition for higher education and creating better training opportunities for <u>all</u> Oregonians to find well paid jobs and start rebuilding the middle class in Oregon.

Fighting For New Jobs

Ted Roe would advocate for changes in the existing corporate tax system to promote new investment and business development in Oregon and the creation of new jobs.

Advocating for ALL Oregonians

Ted Roe will demand fairness and opportunity for all Oregonians. He will fight to create new jobs and he will fight to strengthen public education and protect small businesses and workers.

Ted Roe will put people first.

"I would be honored to have your vote, so I can fight for you in Salem."

Ted Roe

www.roefororegon.com

(This information furnished by The Committee To Elect Ted Roe.)

State Representative, 41st District



Kathleen Taylor

Democrat

Occupation: Auditor

Occupational Background: Auditor- State of Oregon, Multnomah County, City of Portland; Account Executive- Boly/Welch

Educational Background: B.A.- University of Wisconsin; M.S. of Public Policy- Rutgers University

Prior Governmental Experience: Senior Management Auditor; Citizen Budget Review Committee- Portland Public Schools; Court Appointed Special Advocate

Community Service: President- Duniway Elementary PTA; Democratic Precinct Committee Person; Emerge Oregon Graduate

Kathleen Taylor Experience, Commitment and Community Involvement

"I'm supporting Kathleen Taylor because she has the work ethic and broad experience to serve Oregon as an effective legislator."

-Governor Barbara Roberts

"Kathleen will hit the ground running. She will be a passionate advocate for working families, seniors and the most vulnerable in our community. I'm proud to support her."

-Carolyn Tomei, State Representative HD 41

Strengthening Public Schools

Strong public schools are the ladder of opportunity. Kathleen will fight to restore a full school year and ensure <u>all</u> students have the chance to succeed. She has two kids in public schools and is a PTA President and longtime education advocate.

A Stronger Economy

Kathleen's experience working with small businesses to find jobs for Oregonians gave her a clear picture of how jobs are created and what skills are needed to succeed. She will push for greater investment in workforce training and infrastructure to make Oregon more competitive.

Accountable and Efficient Government

As an auditor, Kathleen has shown government how to provide better services with limited resources using proven strategies. She'll make government more transparent and accountable.

A Healthy Environment

Oregon's natural beauty and unique quality of life are among our greatest assets. Kathleen will ensure they're protected for future generations.

Fairness for All Oregonians

Equal rights and protection of the vulnerable are core values. She will make sure government serves ALL Oregonians, not just those with deep pockets.

Other endorsements include:

Milwaukie Mayor Jeremy Ferguson Milwaukie Councilor Mark Gamba Former Secretary of State Phil Keisling Former Portland Commissioner Gretchen Kafoury Metro Councilor Carlotta Collette NARAL Pro-Choice Oregon PAC

(This information furnished by Kathleen Taylor for Oregon.)

State Representative, 41st District



Deborah Barnes

Democrat

Occupation: North Clackamas School District Teacher, Sabin-Schellenberg Center

Occupational Background: Radio Reporter/Anchor

Educational Background: BFA (Communication Arts), Pacific Lutheran University: MS (Educational Administration) Portland State University

Prior Governmental Experience: Milwaukie City Council

Deborah Barnes: Experience, Involved, Motivated

Deb has been a teacher at the Sabin-Schellenberg Center for nearly 20 years. She was an award-winning broadcaster covering the Legislature. Deb not only grew up in our community she raised three children here. This community has been and will always be her home.

Deb's priorities are our community's priorities:

- Creating a strong workforce prepared for the future. Schools should offer career and technical education to give students training at the high school and community college levels. The job market needs workers ready for good middle class jobs.
- Supporting stable funding for public education. As an educator, Deb knows shortened school years and larger class sizes have directly impacted the level of education students receive. She'll work for stable funding for public education.
- Encouraging and assisting small businesses. We need to cut through red tape and find new ways to encourage dreamers to build and grow small businesses.
- Protecting the environment. Deb fought to protect the Three Creeks natural area from being turned into a paved road while on the Milwaukie City Council. She'll take that passion for our environment with her to Salem.
- Respecting our seniors. Seniors deserve our respect and access to the care and services they need.

On May 20th, join Congressman Kurt Schrader, Labor Commissioner Brad Avakian, Sen. Richard Devlin, State Rep. Lew Frederick, Rep. Brent Barton, Greg Chaimov, Vice Chair, CCC Board, Former Milwaukie Councilor Joe Loomis, and NCSD Board members Kyle Walker and Rein Vaga, Portland Association of Teachers, North Clackamas Education Association, and NARAL Pro-Choice Oregon PAC in supporting Deborah Barnes for State Representative.

"I believe in supporting the middle class family who wakes every day with a dream of a better life. That will be my focus in the legislature." - Deb Barnes

(This information furnished by Friends of Deb Barnes.)

State Representative, 48th District



Jeff Reardon

Democrat

Occupation: State Representative

Occupational Background: US Navy Veteran; Corporate Communications Manager, Tektronix; Career and Technical Education Teacher, Parkrose

and David Douglas School Districts.

Educational Background: Bachelor of Arts in Education, Western Washington University.

Prior Governmental Experience: State Representative, 2013-Present; David Douglas School Board, 1987-1998.

Jeff Reardon Bringing Oregonians Together to Build Stronger Communities.

Educating Our Workforce

As a former career and technical education teacher, I know the importance of preparing our students for working wage jobs. Last year, I championed an effort to award grants to career-related student organizations that keep kids engaged in learning. I also supported legislation that provided grants to develop shop programs to prepare students for 21st century occupations.

Creating Jobs and Supporting Small Businesses

Our community plays a critical role in Oregon's manufacturing sector. Last year, I co-sponsored legislation that established the Office of Small Business Assistance to help local businesses understand and comply with various regulations. I will continue to work with local business associations to ensure that our local employers have the tools they need to maximize profits and hire new employees.

Protecting Our Natural Resources

Oregon's agricultural and tourism economies are an important part of our state's fabric. That's why I led an effort this year to protect our bees and other pollinators from the massive die-offs that plagued Oregon last spring. I am excited about working with the agricultural, farming, environmental, and science communities on this issue in the coming months.

Connecting with my Community

Being a state representative isn't just about the votes in Salem, it's also about staying connected with my community. It has been my honor to stay engaged with local residents by hosting town halls and community forums, in addition to attending neighborhood association meetings. My community's leaders inspire me to ensure that all elected officials representing this area are well informed about the needs and opportunities of District 48.

> To Sign Up for My E-Newsletter: www.ReardonForOregon.com

Find me on Facebook: www.facebook.com/reardonfororegon

(This information furnished by Reardon for Oregon.)

State Representative, 51st District



Shemia Fagan

Democrat

Occupation: Business Attorney

Occupational Background: Business Attorney

Educational Background: Law School

Prior Governmental Experience: David Douglas School Board, Current State Representative

I'm Shemia Fagan, your State Representative.

My dad was a single parent raising three kids in rural Oregon and we struggled to make ends meet. But my dad taught us that education and hard work could pave the road out of poverty. So I worked hard, putting myself through college and law school and built a career as a business attorney; my brothers mastered skills in the trades. Strong schools and vocational training made that possible.

As a mom, I worry that the same opportunities that Oregon gave me won't be there for the next generation. You sent me to Salem to change that. And I've delivered by:

- Strengthening our schools by passing an historic education budget, the largest in Oregon history, targeting investments in summer school and scholarships for low-income students, and stemming the rising tide of tuition at public universities.
- Promoting job creation by funding community college workforce programs, creating the Office of Small Business Assistance, supporting tax relief for small businesses and farmers, and hosting an innovative series of free workshops for local employers so they have the help they need to create jobs in our community.
- Standing up for Oregonians by creating bipartisan solutions to hold those who caused the Cover Oregon debacle accountable and protect Oregon families and small businesses from the technological failures. I also passed workplace protections for employees who need time off to grieve the death of a family member, fought to keep toxic chemicals out of children's toys, and secured millions of dollars to build sidewalks and crosswalks in neglected neighborhoods.

I delivered on my promise **to put politics aside** to fight for what matters most: our schools, living-wage jobs and Oregon families.

Today, I'm asking for your vote so I can keep fighting for you.

To learn more please visit www.shemiafagan.com

(This information furnished by Committee to Elect Shemia Fagan.)

State Representative, 52nd District



Stephanie Nystrom

Democrat

Occupation: Business Manager and Software Developer, Nystrom Engineering

Occupational Background: Small Business Owner (1989-present)

Educational Background: B.S., Mathematics, University of Texas at Arlington; minors in Computer Science, Physics and Geology

Prior Governmental Experience: Gresham Planning Commissioner; Gresham Butte Neighborhood Association President; Precinct Committee Person, Precinct #5203

Passionate about Our Community

My husband and I moved our business to Oregon in 1991 so that we could raise our children here. I know what a valuable treasure we have and am passionate about building an even stronger community for future generations.

Devoted to Our Community

In addition to running a business and raising a family, I value spending time every week to improve the lives of others – from encouraging the love of reading in a child to protecting forested land.

- Court Appointed Special Advocate (1992-2001)
- Highland Elementary Volunteer (1994-2002)
- Gresham Butte Neighborhood Association Officer (1996-2005)
- Multnomah County Library Volunteer (1999-2009)
- Metro Volunteer and Site Steward (2001-2004)
- Oregon Home Education Network Volunteer (2001-present)

Committed to the Issues that Matter to Our Community

It's time to reignite the engine of Oregon's economic growth – a rising, thriving middle class. I am committed to creating living wage jobs, encouraging local business innovation,

increasing educational opportunities for our students, ensuring government funds are spent wisely, adequately funding services to our families, and protecting our environment.

Driven to Represent the People of House District 52

If elected, I will work tirelessly to make sure government works to improve the lives of the people in our communities and ensure funding for the services we need.

I will work hard for you. I ask for your vote.

www.StephanieNystrom.com

(This information furnished by Friends of Stephanie Nystrom.)

Make Democracy Happen In Your Community – Become a Democratic Precinct Committeeperson (PCP)

It's up to you! You can make the difference. You did it in 2012, and now is the time for you to step up again.

This year, we have a lot at stake. We need to reelect our statewide champions of Oregon's middle class: U.S. Senator Jeff Merkley, Governor John Kitzhaber, Labor Commissioner Brad Avakian, and our great Democratic Congressional team. And we need to hold and expand our majorities in the Oregon House and Senate so that they can keep working on legislation that makes a real difference in the lives of Oregonians.

As Oregon Democrats, we stand for our values:

- · Family wage jobs and workers rights
- · Equality for all, including marriage equality
- High quality education
- Affordable healthcare
- Retirement security
- National security
- Civil liberties and transparent government

Join our team today by becoming a Precinct Committee Person or volunteering with our campaign team.

Precinct Committeepersons (PCPs) are the grassroots activists at the heart of the Democratic Party of Oregon. Run for election as a Democratic Precinct Committeeperson and join our team. You'll represent the Democratic Party in your neighborhood, and represent the concerns of your neighborhood to the Party.

Duties of a Democratic Precinct Committeeperson:

- Drive voter registration
- · Get out the word on Democratic candidates
- Vote on official party business
- · Elect county party leadership and Platform Convention delegates
- · Nominate replacement state legislators or state senators

How to qualify as a Democratic Precinct Committeeperson:

- Be a registered Democrat in your precinct for at least 180 days prior to the election
- · Represent the precinct you live in or the one adjacent to it
- Serve a two-year term
- Receive three votes
- If you have not yet filed for PCP, you can write yourself in as a candidate on the May ballot. Many write-in Democratic candidates win, but you must get at least three votes in your precinct and earn more votes than Democrats competing for the same positions.

To get involved, contact us at www.dpo.org or call (503) 224-8200

Frank Dixon Chair, Democratic Party of Oregon 232 NE 9th Ave., Portland, OR 97232

(This information furnished by Democratic Party of Oregon.)

Judge of the Supreme Court, Position 1



Thomas A Balmer

Nonpartisan

Occupation: Chief Justice, Oregon Supreme Court

Occupational Background: Associate Justice, Oregon Supreme Court; attorney and managing partner in private practice; Oregon Deputy

Attorney General; U.S. Department of Justice trial attorney

Educational Background: Portland, Oregon public schools; B.A. with High Honors in Government, Oberlin College (1974); J.D., University of Oregon Law School (1977)

Prior Governmental Experience: Deputy Attorney General, Oregon Department of Justice (1993-97); Trial Attorney, U.S. Department of Justice (1979-80)

Re-elect Chief Justice Tom Balmer to Oregon's Supreme Court

In 2012, Tom Balmer's colleagues on the Oregon Supreme Court showed their confidence in his judgment, leadership, and legal skills by selecting him to serve as Chief Justice. In that role, he has led the Oregon courts through a difficult budget climate by carefully managing limited resources, adopting technology innovations that work, and improving court efficiency. Chief Justice Balmer has traveled the state to visit local trial courts and seek ways to improve access to justice for all Oregonians — while carrying a full workload of opinions and rulings on the Supreme Court. That performance is no surprise. Since 2001, Tom Balmer has served on Oregon's Supreme Court with distinction, exhibiting fairness, intelligence and an extraordinary work ethic.

Experience

The foundation of Chief Justice Balmer's success is his hands-on experience in the key areas the Supreme Court deals with every day. He has tried jury cases, argued before the U.S. Supreme Court, advised individuals and business clients on a wide variety of matters, and counseled elected and government leaders on constitutional and public law issues. As Deputy Attorney General, he argued criminal, election and constitutional law cases in Oregon and Federal courts. Tom Balmer's reputation as a thoughtful scholar and practical problem-solver is well known. His broad, well-rounded experience and integrity has earned widespread support.

Broad Support

It is a mark of Tom Balmer's fairness and integrity that he has earned the support from across the political spectrum and from all parts of the legal profession.

(This information furnished by Re-Elect Supreme Court Justice Tom Balmer Committee.)

Judge of the Supreme Court, Position 7



Martha L Walters

Nonpartisan

Occupation: Associate Justice, Oregon Supreme Court

Occupational Background: Over seven years as an Associate Justice on the Oregon Supreme Court (2006 to present); Nearly 30 years

as an attorney in private practice (1977 --2006); before law school worked in child care and yard maintenance and as a bank teller and ice-cream scooper.

Educational Background: University of Michigan, BA (1972); University of Oregon School of Law, JD (1977).

Prior Governmental Experience: Oregon Commissioner for and first woman President of the Uniform Law Commission, a national organization that since 1892 has provided states with non-partisan legislation on subjects on which uniformity across the states is desirable and practical; Commissioner, Oregon Law Commission, a state organization created in 1997 to conduct law reform.

As citizens, we are each responsible to do our part to make our system of justice one that is fair, impartial and effective. As a judge on your Supreme Court, my particular part is to listen respectfully, think carefully and write clearly. Over the past seven years I have learned from my colleagues, worked hard at my tasks, and delighted in the amazing opportunity that this job presents. I try, every day, to fulfill my responsibility to you and to do my best to ensure that every person is equal before the law. I would be honored to have your vote.

(This information furnished by Committee to Re-elect Justice Martha L Walters.)

Judge of the Court of Appeals, Position 1



Chris Garrett

Nonpartisan

Occupation: Judge, Oregon Court of Appeals

Occupational Background: State Representative (2009-2013); Attorney in private practice (2000-2013); Law Clerk, United States Court of Appeals

(2001-2002).

Educational Background: Portland Public Schools; Wilson High School (1992); Reed College (B.A., 1996, Phi Beta Kappa); University of Chicago Law School (J.D., 2000, Honors).

Prior Governmental Experience: State Representative; Speaker Pro Tempore, Oregon House of Representatives; Chair, House Committee on Rules; Co-chair, Joint House-Senate Committee on Public Safety; Co-chair, House Committee on Redistricting; Vice-chair, House Committee on Judiciary; Member, Governor's Commission on Public Safety; Senior Policy Advisor, Oregon Senate President Peter Courtney; Law Clerk, Honorable Dennis Jacobs, United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit.

Community Service: Volunteer judge, Classroom Law Project; past member, Oregon Law Commission; past member of board of directors, Oregon Lawyers Against Hunger.

Personal: Judge Garrett and his wife, Lauren, have two young children, Graham and Grace.

(This information furnished by Friends of Chris Garrett.)

Judge of the Court of Appeals, Position 11



Joel DeVore

Nonpartisan

Occupation: Judge, Oregon Court of Appeals.

Occupational Background: Attorney in Eugene (Luvaas Cobb 1988-2013) & Pendleton (Mautz Hallman 1983-1988).

Educational Background: University of Oregon Law School; Antioch College; Alaska Methodist University.

Prior Governmental Experience: Attorney (private practice) representing school districts (e.g., Eugene, Corvallis); Law Clerk, Oregon Court of Appeals (1982-1983); Ombudsman (investigating public complaints), Municipality of Anchorage, Alaska (1974-1978).

Early Experience: Custodian, tutor-counselor, fry cook, stable hand, government intern, & volunteer for the NAACP Legal Defense Fund (Jackson, Mississippi).

Community Service: President, Lane County Bar Association (2000-2001); member, chair, Oregon State Bar Uniform Civil Jury Instruction Committee (1990-1993). Regular speaker at continuing legal education programs. Author of two articles on insurance law reform in Willamette Law Review. Author of chapters in state bar books on torts (auto insurance), insurance (claims against insurers), civil procedure (joinder), & appeals (jurisdiction). Promoter of legislation passed to solve shortcomings in auto insurance in 1997, 2005 & 2007.

Personal: Wife, veterinarian in Springfield. Two grown sons.

Judge DeVore was born in lowa and raised in Alaska. As son of a minister and a teacher, he grew up valuing service to others. Law practice became a practical way of working with people's problems one at a time. For 30 years, he handled disputes in trial and on appeal in state and federal courts. He was often brought in on troubled cases to overcome procedural threats of dismissal and assure clients of their "day in court" on the merits of their cases.

Appointed in 2013, Judge DeVore stresses that a judge must listen, be patient, fair, and open-minded, see through the fog of conflict, know well the facts and law of each case, care about people, and work hard to see justice achieved. In Oregon, we have a right to expect that and nothing less.

VOTE TO KEEP JUDGE DeVORE

(This information furnished by Joel DeVore.)

Judge of the Court of Appeals, Position 12



Erin C Lagesen

Occupation: Judge, Oregon Court of Appeals

Occupational Background: Senior Assistant Attorney General, Oregon Department of Justice; Assistant Attorney General, Oregon Department

of Justice; Associate Attorney, Stoel Rives LLP; Judicial Clerk to the Honorable Susan P. Graber, United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit; Mathematics Teacher, Milwaukie High School

Educational Background: Willamette University College of Law, JD, summa cum laude (2000); Harvard University Graduate School of Education, EdM (1994); University of Oregon, MS, Mathematics (1993); Williams College, BA, cum laude (1991); Wilson High School, Portland (1987); Robert Gray Elementary, Portland (1983)

Prior Governmental Experience: Oregon Court of Appeals Judge; positions listed above with the Oregon Department of Justice and the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit

EXPERIENCED

Before her appointment to the Oregon Court of Appeals in 2012, Judge Lagesen handled hundreds of civil, criminal, and administrative appeals in the state and federal appellate courts, including the Oregon Court of Appeals, the Oregon Supreme Court, the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit, and the United States Supreme Court. She also served as an appellate lawyer representative to the Judicial Conference for the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit.

DEDICATED

Judge Lagesen has volunteered with numerous professional and community organizations during her career. She has authored chapters for Continuing Legal Education publications on appellate practice and constitutional law, and is the past chair of the Oregon State Bar Constitutional Law section. She also is a coach of the Franklin High School "We the People" Constitutional Law team.

FAIR

Judge Lagesen is proud to serve the people of Oregon on the Oregon Court of Appeals. She will handle each case before her with care, treat all those who appear before the Court of Appeals with respect, fairness, and impartiality, and work to ensure that the rule of law applies the same way to all people, no matter who they are or where they are from.

(This information furnished by Committee to Retain Judge Lagesen.)

Judge of the Court of Appeals, Position 13



Doug Tookey

Nonpartisan

Occupation: Judge, Oregon Court of Appeals

Occupational Background: Judge, Oregon Court of Appeals; Senior Deputy and Deputy Legislative Counsel, Office of the Legislative

Counsel; Adjunct Professor of Law, Willamette University College of Law (Fall 2009 and 2010); overseas experience through a variety of initiatives to improve access to justice and respect for the rule of law, including Fulbright Scholarships in Singapore and Kazakhstan.

Educational Background: National University of Singapore, Faculty of Law, LL.M.; Cornell Law School, J.D.; University of Chicago, B.A. (English Language and Literature); Oregon State University (freshman, sophomore years); McNary High School, Keizer, High School Diploma.

Prior Governmental Experience: Office of the Legislative Counsel, Senior Deputy and Deputy Legislative Counsel; United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit, Judicial Law Clerk; United States District Court, District of Colorado, Judicial Law Clerk.

Other Experience: Oregon State Bar, Public Service Advisory Committee (chairperson-2011, secretary-2010, member-2006-2009); Marion County Bar Association, Board Member (2013-present); Keizer Heritage Foundation, Board Member (2012-present); Classroom Law Project—coach for Salem/ Keizer Coalition for Equality's mock trial team (2012-present).

Judge Doug Tookey for Oregon Court of Appeals

Respect for all parties appearing before the court.

Commitment to timely decision-making of matters that come before the court.

Dedication to ensuring access to justice for all Oregonians.

"Judge Doug Tookey has earned our enthusiastic endorsement. He has profound respect and unwavering support for the rule of law."

> Edwin J. Peterson and Paul J. De Muniz (Former Chief Justices, Oregon Supreme Court)

(This information furnished by Judge Doug Tookey for Oregon Court of Appeals.)

It is against the law to:

- → sign another person's ballot return envelope for them
- ➔ vote more than once in an election or cast a fraudulent ballot
- → vote a ballot if you are not legally qualified
- → coerce, pressure or otherwise unduly influence another voter
- sell, offer to sell, purchase or offer to purchase another voter's ballot
- obstruct an entrance of a building in which a voting booth or official ballot dropsite is located
- → deface, remove, alter or destroy another voter's ballot, a posted election notice or election equipment or supplies
- attempt to collect voted ballots within 100 feet of an official ballot dropsite
- attempt to collect voted ballots without displaying a sign stating "Not An Official Ballot Dropsite"

Any violations of the identified election laws are subject to penalties ranging from Civil Penalties (Up to \$250 per Violation), Class A Misdemeanors or Class C Felonies.

> If you have any other questions about voting in Oregon or if you think that your rights as a voter have been violated:



oregonvotes.gov



1 866 673 VOTE / 1 866 673 8683 se habla español



1 800 735 2900

for the hearing impaired



Resources for Voters with Disabilities

Contact **your county elections office** or call **1 866 673 8683** to request these resources.

Alternate Format Ballots

- → HTML ballot, available to voters who are unable to mark a printed ballot. Voters can vote in the privacy of their own home using their own accessible tools. Voters who do not have accessible tools at home may vote the HTML ballot using a tablet computer. An accessible computer station is located in every county elections office.
- \rightarrow Large print ballot, available to voters with low vision.

Alternate Format Voting Guides

- → Statewide Voters' Pamphlet, available in digital audio or accessible text at www.oregonvotes.gov. Request a CD of mp3 format audio files by phone.
- → Easy Voters' Guide, available in digital audio or accessible text at www.voteoregon.org/voterinformation/voters-guides. English and Spanish versions are available in print.
- → Standard Voters' Guide, available in digital audio or accessible text www.voteoregon.org/voterinformation/voters-guides. Large Print, Braille, CD and NSL compatible versions also are available. ContactTalking Book and Braille Services at 1 800 452 0292 to request this voting guide.

Additional Resources

- \rightarrow Large print voter registration card, available to voters with low vision.
- → Signature Stamp Attestation Card. If, because of a disability, a person is unable to sign a ballot or registration card, they may use a signature stamp or other indicator that represents their signature. A signature stamp attestation form must be completed along with an updated (or new) voter registration card.

Voters Assistance

Contact your county elections office or

call 1 866 673 8683 to request these resources.

I need assistance to vote

Any voter with a disability can request assistance to register to vote, vote their ballot and/or return their ballot. You can also request assistance from a caretaker, care provider or someone else you choose.

I want to assist a voter

Your county elections office can suggest resources you can use to help inform voters. Resources must be nonpartisan and unbiased.

Who can provide assistance?

- → A County Voting Assistance Team
- → A Facility Voting Assistance Team
- \rightarrow Someone chosen by the voter

Who cannot provide assistance?

- ightarrow The voter's employer
- \rightarrow An agent of the voter's employer
- \rightarrow A union officer or agent of a union of which the voter is a member

What is a facility voting assistance team?

A **congregate living facility** may form a Facility Assistance Team to assist voters living in their facility.

Teams must be made up of **two registered voters** that do not have the same political party affiliation.

Registering to Vote

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

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

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

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

How to register

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

- \rightarrow in this voters' pamphlet
- ightarrow any county elections office
- \rightarrow the Secretary of State's Office
- $\rightarrow\,$ some state agencies such as the Division of Motor Vehicles
- ightarrow a voter registration drive

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

You can also print out a registration card online at: www.oregonvotes.gov.

To vote in the May 20, 2014, Primary Election, your completed voter registration card must be either:

- → postmarked by Tuesday, April 29, 2014
- → delivered to a county elections office by Tuesday, April 29, 2014 or
- → delivered to any voter registration agency (e.g., DMV) by Tuesday, April 29, 2014.

If you register to vote online, your registration must be submitted by 11:59pm on Tuesday, April 29, 2014.

What information is required to register?

To complete your registration you will provide your:

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

What are the identification requirements?

 If you have a current, valid Driver's License, Permit or ID number issued by the State of Oregon Division of Motor Vehicles (DMV), you must provide it in the boxes on the card.

A suspended Driver's License is still valid; a revoked Driver's License is NOT valid.

- If you do not have a current, valid Driver's License, Permit or ID number issued by the State of Oregon Division of Motor Vehicles, you must affirm this on the card by marking the appropriate circle and you must then provide the last four digits of your Social Security Number.
- 3. If you do not have a Social Security number, you must affirm this on the card by marking the circle in indicating you do not have a valid Driver's License or Social Security number.
- 4. If you do not have a Driver's License, Permit, ID number, or a Social Security number, and you are registering by mail, you must provide a copy of one of the following which shows the voter's name and current address:
 - ightarrow valid photo identification
 - ightarrow a paycheck stub
 - \rightarrow a utility bill
 - ightarrow a bank statement
 - ightarrow a government document
 - → proof of eligibility under the Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act (UOCAVA) or the Voting Accessibility for the Elderly and Handicapped Act (VAEH)

If you do not provide valid identification, you will not be eligible to vote for Federal races. You will, however, still be eligible to vote for state and local contests.

Updating your voter registration

Once you have registered, you are responsible for keeping your information up to date. You can do this online at <u>www.oregonvotes.gov</u> or by completing and returning a voter registration card with the new information. You should update your registration if you do any of the following:

- → change your home address
- ightarrow change your mailing address
- \rightarrow change your name
- → change your signature
- → want to change or select a political party
- \rightarrow will be away from home on election day

If you notify your county elections office of your change of residence address after May 15, 2014, you must request that a ballot be mailed to you or go to your county elections office to get your ballot.



Use online voter resources to register or update your registration status, **oregonvotes.gov**

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Vote by Mail Frequently Asked Questions

As a voter, what do I have to do?

Your ballot packet will automatically be mailed to you between April 30 and May 6, 2014. 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?

There are privacy booths available for you to cast your ballot 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 by May 9th, call your county elections office. They will check that your voter registration is current. If it is, they will mail you a replacement ballot. You can also check the status of your ballot at My Vote at <u>www.oregonvotes.gov</u>.

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

If you were registered to vote by April 29 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 official dropsite in the state. You can find your nearest dropsite along with a map of how to get there by going to <u>www.oregonvotes.gov</u> or you may contact your county elections office.

How much postage is required to mail the ballot back?

Your voted ballot can usually be returned using a single 49ϕ first-class 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. Post-marks do not count!

How do I know if my ballot is received?

You can track the status of your ballot by going online to: My Vote at <u>www.oregonvotes.gov</u> or 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?

Your elections office will contact you, if possible, to come to the elections office to sign it.

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?

Initial results are released at 8pm election night and will continue to be updated through election night until all ballots have been counted. Final certified results will be available 30 days after the election.

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)
- $\rightarrow\,$ 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-VOTE (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.

How to File a Complaint

Any registered voter may file a written complaint with the Secretary of State alleging that a violation of an election law or rule adopted by the Secretary of State has occurred. The complaint should state the reason for believing that the violation occurred and provide evidence relating to it. The complaint must be signed by the elector; anonymous complaints will not be accepted. The complaint should be mailed to, or filed at:

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