Welcome to your 2019 General Election Voters’ Pamphlet. The local officials who will be elected in November will represent you on county, city, and town councils, school boards, port and fire commissions, and special purpose district boards. From the maintenance of the roads in your neighborhood, to the materials students use in your local schools, to the time it takes first responders to get to an emergency, local elected officials make decisions which affect your daily life. There are also 15 statewide ballot measures including one referendum on the ballot, and some judicial and legislative races for voters in those districts.

We designed this voters’ pamphlet to provide you with information on the candidates and issues included on your ballot. Each race and issue are an opportunity for you to make your voice heard through your vote, so please be sure to thoughtfully consider your ballot.

You will find several pages inside this General Election Voters’ Pamphlet designed to help you with voting and the election process. Should you have any questions, please contact your local elections office or the state’s election division. There are some changes to election laws in Washington that may help you participate.

We encourage you to check your voter registration information today at www.votewa.gov. In the week before the election, if you are not registered, have moved since the last time you voted, or did not receive a ballot, you can go to your local elections office during regular business hours and until 8:00 p.m. on Election Day to register to vote and get a ballot.

Your ballot return envelope now comes with prepaid postage, so you can drop it into either a ballot drop box or any U.S. Mailbox. Make sure to drop it into a ballot drop box by 8:00 p.m. Election Day or if you use the mail, remember to get a postmark on or before Election Day, November 5, to have your ballot counted.

By voting, you are ensuring your voice is heard as you help choose our elected leaders. Make an impact in your community and our state by voting this fall!

Sincerely,

Kim Wyman
Secretary of State
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Important dates
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Register by mail, received by: October 28
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Register in person by: November 5, 8 p.m.
Election Day: November 5

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Who donates to campaigns?
View financial contributors for candidates and measures:

Public Disclosure Commission
www.pdc.wa.gov
Toll Free (877) 601-2828
How do I register to vote in Washington?

Qualifications
You must be at least 18 years old, a U.S. citizen, a resident of Washington, and not under Department of Corrections supervision for a Washington felony conviction. 16- and 17-year-olds can sign up as Future Voters and will be registered to vote when they turn 18.

How do I get a registration form?
Online: Register at votewa.gov
By mail: Request a paper form by mail or print your own at sos.wa.gov/elections
No internet access? Call (800) 448-4881.
In person: Visit your county elections office (listed at the end of this pamphlet).

Registration deadlines
By mail or online: Your application must be received no later than October 28.
In person: Visit a local voting center no later than 8 p.m. on November 5.

Moved? Update your voting address
Contact your county elections department to request a ballot at your new address.
By October 28: Have your application received by mail or updated online.
Or
By November 5: Visit a local voting center in person.

What if I’m not 18 yet?
If you are 16 or 17, become a Future Voter!
16- and 17-year-olds can use the Voter Registration form to sign up as Future Voters and be automatically registered to vote when they turn 18.
On Temperance and Good Citizenship Day (January 16), high school students 16 and older will be given the opportunity to complete a voter registration in class.
How do I cast a ballot?

1. Your ballot will be mailed by October 18 to the address you provide in your voter registration.

2. Vote your ballot and sign your return envelope. You are not required to vote every race on your ballot. We encourage using this pamphlet to help you decide.

3. Return your ballot by mail or to an official ballot drop box by 8 p.m. on November 5. No stamp needed. Someone offer to drop off your ballot for you? Be sure to only give it to someone you trust.

4. Check the status of your ballot on votewa.gov to see if it has been received by your county elections department for tabulation.

   If your signature is missing or doesn’t match your voter registration record, election staff will contact you before your ballot is processed.

Where is my ballot?

Your ballot will be mailed by October 18.

If you need a replacement ballot, contact your county elections department listed at the end of this pamphlet.

View election results online

Beginning 8 p.m. on election night, tallied results from each county are posted and updated at sos.wa.gov/elections
Are language services available?

Are accessible pamphlets available?

Audio and plain text voters’ pamphlets available at sos.wa.gov/elections

No internet access?  
To receive a copy on a USB drive, call (800) 448-4881.
Our right to vote is protected by the members of the U.S. Armed Forces. Now is your chance to thank them for their service!

The Office of the Secretary of State invites you to recognize active military and veterans from Washington by posting a personal story and a photo. We’ll send you a pin to wear proudly in respect and gratitude for your veteran.

Share your story!
sos.wa.gov/elections

1. Visit our website
   sos.wa.gov/elections

2. Upload your story and a picture

3. You will receive a pin to wear on Election Day
Initiatives and referenda are used by the people to create state laws

**Initiative**
Any voter may propose an initiative to create a new state law or change an existing law.

**Initiatives to the People** are proposed laws submitted directly to voters.

**Initiatives to the Legislature** are proposed laws submitted to the Legislature.

Before an Initiative to the People or an Initiative to the Legislature can appear on the ballot, the sponsor must collect...

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**Referendum**

**Referendum Bills** are proposed laws the Legislature has referred to voters.

**Referendum Measures** are laws recently passed by the Legislature that voters have demanded be referred to the ballot.

Any voter may demand that a law proposed by the Legislature be referred to voters before taking effect.

Before a Referendum Measure can appear on the ballot, the sponsor must collect...

Initiatives and referenda become law with a simple majority vote

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Referendum Measure No. 88

The legislature passed Initiative Measure No. 1000 concerning affirmative action and remedying discrimination, and voters have filed a sufficient referendum petition on this act.

Initiative 1000 would allow the state to remedy discrimination for certain groups and to implement affirmative action, without the use of quotas or preferential treatment (as defined), in public education, employment, and contracting.

Should Initiative 1000 be:

[ ] Approved
[ ] Rejected

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Final Votes Cast by the Legislature
Senate: Yeas, 26; Nays, 22; Absent, 0; Excused, 1
House: Yeas, 56; Nays, 42; Absent, 0; Excused, 0

You are voting to Approve or Reject the measure passed by the Legislature

Approve — you favor the measure passed by the Legislature
Reject — you do not favor the measure passed by the Legislature

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Explanatory Statement
Written by the Office of the Attorney General

The Law as it Presently Exists

I-200 provides several exceptions involving disparate treatment based on sex. It does not apply to lawful classifications that are based on sex and are necessary for sexual privacy; medical or psychological treatment; undercover law enforcement; or film, video, audio, or theatrical casting. I-200 also allows separate athletic teams for each sex.

I-200 permits state and local governments to participate in federal programs that require actions that I-200 would otherwise prohibit. This allows state and local agencies to receive federal funds when federal law requires certain measures based on race, sex, or other categories.

The Effect of the Proposed Measure if Approved
The public vote on Referendum 88 will decide whether Initiative 1000 (I-1000) becomes law.

I-1000 would allow the state to remedy documented discrimination or underrepresentation of disadvantaged groups in public education, employment, and contracting. Whether a group is disadvantaged would be determined by a valid disparity study or proven in court.

I-1000 would also allow affirmative action to increase diversity in public education, public employment, and public contracting. I-1000 would define affirmative action as a policy that considers an individual’s race, sex, ethnicity, national origin, age, sensory, mental or physical disability, or veteran or military status, when selecting qualified persons for opportunities in public education, public employment, and public contracting. Affirmative action would include, for example, recruitment, hiring, training, promotion, outreach, setting and achieving goals and timetables, and other measures to increase diversity. Affirmative action could not be used to impose quotas. In addition, race, sex, color, ethnicity, national origin, age, sexual orientation, sensory, mental or physical disability, and veteran or military status could not be used as the sole qualifying factor to select a less qualified person over a more qualified person.

I-1000 would not prohibit state and local government from taking actions needed to establish or maintain eligibility for federal programs. But before such actions could be taken, certain state government officials would have to determine that it was necessary to avoid a material loss of federal funds.

I-1000 would also establish a Governor’s commission on diversity, equity, and inclusion. The commission would monitor and enforce agency compliance with I-1000. The commission could propose or oppose legislation. It would publish annual reports on the progress of agencies in achieving diversity, equity, and inclusion in public education, public employment, and public contracting. Various elected and appointed officials would serve on the commission.

Fiscal Impact Statement
Written by the Office of Financial Management
For more information visit www.ofm.wa.gov/ballot

FISCAL IMPACT SUMMARY
Initiative 1000 was enacted in the 2019 legislative session, but has not gone into effect because the voters submitted petitions to refer the measure to the November 2019 general election ballot. If the voters approve the referendum, Initiative 1000 would go into effect and the total costs to the state in the 2019–21 biennium and ongoing would be $1.5 million. There are no known state or local revenue impacts that would result from the passage of this measure.

SUMMARY
Referendum 88 would place Initiative 1000 onto the ballot for approval or rejection by the voters.

Initiative 1000 permits the state to adopt policies that allow an individual’s race, sex, ethnicity, national origin, age, the presence of any sensory, mental, or physical disability, and honorably discharged veteran or military status to be factors considered in the selection of qualified applicants for opportunities in public education, public employment, and public contracting. Initiative 1000 does not allow an individual’s race, color, sex, ethnicity, national origin, age, sexual orientation, the presence of any sensory, mental or physical disability, and honorably discharged veteran or military status to be used as the sole qualifying factor to select a lesser qualified candidate over a more qualified candidate for a public education, public employment or public contracting opportunity.

Initiative 1000 creates the Governor’s Commission on Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (Commission). The Commission is responsible for planning, directing, monitoring and enforcing each state agency’s
compliance with the initiative. The Commission is required to publish an annual report on the progress of all state agencies in achieving diversity, equity and inclusion in public education, public employment, and public contracting. The Governor appoints some commission members, who serve four-year terms. Other members are the directors or chairs of 25 state agencies, councils, or boards. The Commission also includes two state senators, one from each of the two largest caucuses, appointed by the president of the Senate, and two members of the state House of Representatives, appointed by the speaker of the House of Representatives. Legislative members serve two-year terms.

GENERAL ASSUMPTIONS
• The effective date of the referendum if approved is December 5, 2019.
• Estimates use the state’s fiscal year of July 1 through June 30. Fiscal year 2020 is July 1, 2019, to June 30, 2021.
• The Governor’s Office of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion will hold six meetings in Olympia, three meetings in Seattle, and three meetings in Eastern Washington.

REVENUE
The referendum has no known state or local revenue impact.

EXPENDITURES
A vote to approve the referendum would result in costs for state government for the creation of the Governor’s Office of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion and for implementation of the policies allowed under Initiative 1000.

Costs related to creating an office and conducting commission activities are estimated to be $582,000 for the 2019–21 biennium and ongoing. These include salaries and benefits for a full-time policy analyst and a part-time administrative assistant to staff the commission to make appointment recommendations to the Governor, plan monthly commission meetings and pay for meeting rental charges, legal services, and travel costs for commission staff.

Costs related to commission meetings for agencies required to participate in the commission and expected to pay their own travel costs are approximately $3,000 per agency, when counting only the travel costs, and up to $38,000 per agency when the cost of staff is included. This cost would be ongoing.

Costs related to reporting and compliance at state agencies and universities depend upon the level of tracking and reporting each agency now has in place.

For the institutions of higher education, expanding the current non-discrimination categories and protected classes will add program, tracking, and reporting work. For example, the University of Washington Business Diversity and Equity, which has responsibility for the university’s equity policy, reports that it will need two additional program coordinators per year at a cost of approximately $483,000 in the 2019–21 biennium. There are likely to be similar, yet-to-be-determined costs at the other state colleges and universities and state agencies related to programming, tracking and reporting each entity’s progress on diversity, equity and inclusion goals.
Argument for

Last year, nearly 400,000 voters petitioned lawmakers to support Initiative 1000, restoring fairness and opportunity to Washington’s public employment, contracting, and education enrollment policies. Our State Legislature listened, and passed I-1000. With special interests paying to overturn this law, voters must approve I-1000.

I-1000 Ensures a Level Playing Field with No Quotas
I-1000 simply restores rights consistent with 42 other U.S. states, ensuring fairness and opportunity for all people and small businesses. It allows outreach and recruitment to veterans, women, minorities, and others too often left behind in government hiring, contracting, and education. Under I-1000, quotas and preferential treatment are prohibited, and no one who is unqualified will be selected due to preferential treatment.

Improved Opportunity for Veterans and People of All Abilities
I-1000 expands laws allowing consideration for Vietnam era and disabled veterans in government contracting and employment to include all honorably discharged veterans and military personnel, honoring the sacrifice of those delaying entry into the workforce—or returning injured or disabled.

Build a Healthy Economy, Expand Small Business Opportunities
I-1000 ensures fairness and opportunities for small businesses competing for public contracts—helping local businesses grow local jobs. And, large employers need a diverse, skilled workforce, which is why Microsoft, Alaska Airlines, Vulcan, Amazon, and many other businesses all support I-1000, joining Labor organizations and civil rights groups like the ACLU and Urban League.

We urge all Washingtonians to approve I-1000 for fairness and equal opportunity.

Rebuttal of argument against

Don't be fooled! I-1000 unifies us and creates opportunity for all! I-1000 prohibits government discrimination because of your age, gender, disability, race or veteran status without using quotas or preferences. It guarantees fairness and accountability. That's why nearly 400,000 Washington voters are standing against fear and division. We're taking action to help veterans, women, seniors, small businesses, and the disabled. Join the broad coalition of business, labor and community by approving I-1000!

Written by

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Argument against

Referendum 88 Would Divide Us
Let’s start where we all agree: There’s too much division in our society today. We need solutions that bring us together. But Referendum 88 (also known as Initiative 1000) creates more division by allowing the government to inject race into college admissions and government employment. That’s wrong. And it drives us further apart.

R-88 Would Allow Government-Sponsored Discrimination
Referendum 88 allows the government to use different rules for different races in deciding who gets into state colleges and universities, who gets hired for jobs in state, county or city government, and who gets a government contract. By separating people this way, Referendum 88 drives a deeper wedge into our community and actually empowers those who would divide us.

As a community we must not let that happen.

R-88 Would Damage Progress Already Made on Diversity
Referendum 88 would overturn a voter-approved state law that forbids discrimination and preferences based on race and gender. And the law has worked well. Our college campuses are more diverse now than before the current law was enacted.

R-88 Lacks Accountability
Referendum 88 would create a massive government agency to enforce the use of race in government employment, college admissions and public contracting. Referendum 88 would be overseen by an unelected board that would not be accountable to voters. A board with sweeping authority to make decisions on preferences in academic admissions and government hiring. Send the Olympia politicians who support this a message: Reject Referendum 88!

Rebuttal of argument for

Referendum 88 (I-1000) uses quotas and harms Veterans. Since 1895, Washington has guaranteed honorably discharged and disabled veterans a preference in public employment. Referendum 88 eliminates that preference through a hidden loophole in Section 3. Racial quotas are implemented under Sections 8, 9, and 11, with a “disparity” study to count by race, goals to enroll and hire by race, and timetables enforced by bureaucrats. Quotas harm everyone, including our Veterans. Reject Referendum 88.

Written by

Yvonne Kinoshita Ward, Democratic Party National Delegate: 2000 (Gore), 2004 (Kerry); Judy Warnick, State Senator, 13th LD, R, Moses Lake; Thomas G. Jarrard, JDMBA, Past Chair, Washington State Veterans Bar Association; Mary A. Radcliffe, past Co-chair, Diversity Committee, Episcopal Diocese; Kan Qiu, Tianamen Square Survivor, Chair, American Coalition for Equality; John Carlson, Morning Radio Broadcaster 570 KVI

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Initiative Measure No. 976 concerns motor vehicle taxes and fees.

This measure would repeal, reduce, or remove authority to impose certain vehicle taxes and fees; limit annual motor-vehicle-license fees to $30, except voter-approved charges; and base vehicle taxes on Kelley Blue Book value.

Should this measure be enacted into law?

[  ] Yes
[  ] No

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Explanatory Statement
Written by the Office of the Attorney General

The Law as it Presently Exists

A. Motor Vehicle Registration and License Fees
Owners of motor vehicles pay state and local license fees and excise taxes when they register vehicles and obtain license tabs each year. The total, combined amount depends on the type and weight of the vehicle, as well as where the vehicle is registered.

The base annual license fee ranges from $30 to $93 for most passenger vehicles, such as cars, motorcycles, and light-duty trucks. An additional fee is then added depending on the vehicle’s weight. The vehicle weight fee can range from $25 to $65 for most passenger vehicles. Funds from the license and vehicle weight fee are used to pay for a variety of state transportation purposes, including road and highway repairs.

Owners of snowmobiles pay an annual license fee of $50. The snowmobile license fee helps pay for snowmobile facilities and snowmobile safety, enforcement, and education programs throughout the state. Owners of commercial trailers pay $34 for initial registration and $30 for each annual renewal. These license fees also pay for state transportation purposes.

Additional taxes and fees may be added depending on the city and county where the vehicle is registered. These taxes and fees help pay for local transportation improvement projects, passenger-only ferries, and other transportation purposes. Some residents of King, Pierce, and Snohomish County also pay voter-approved, annual motor vehicle excise taxes (MVET) that help pay for mass transit projects run by Sound Transit. The MVET is calculated based on a vehicle valuation and depreciation schedule that is set in state law. The total rate of the current MVET is one and one tenths percent (1.1%) of the value of the vehicle as determined by the statutory formula. Future approved MVET’s cannot exceed eight-tenths of one percent (0.8%) of the value of the vehicle.

Finally, other fees may be included in the total amount, such as for county filing and service fees, fees for special license plates, or fees for certain types of vehicles. For example, owners of electric vehicles currently pay a $150 fee that goes toward paying for transportation feasibility studies and other transportation purposes. An additional $75 transportation electrification fee will go into effect for electric vehicles on August 1, 2019. This fee will be used to support green transportation projects.

B. Taxes on Selling, Leasing, or Renting a Motor Vehicle
Each retail sale or lease of a motor vehicle is subject to an additional state excise tax known as the “motor vehicle sales/lease tax.” This tax, which is in addition to general sales and use taxes, is set at three-tenths of one percent (0.3%) of the selling price of every motor vehicle in the state. Off-road vehicles, snowmobiles, and other non-highway vehicles are not subject to the tax. Farm tractors and vehicles are also not subject to the tax so long as the vehicles are not used for marijuana production. Funds from the motor vehicle sales/lease tax pay for transportation services in the state.

Regional transit authorities in King, Pierce, and Snohomish counties may also impose additional sales and use tax on car rentals. The rate of the tax may not exceed 2.172 percent (2.172%) of the selling price of the rental. Funds from this tax are used to provide mass transit services run by Sound Transit.

C. Sound Transit Funding
State law authorizes Sound Transit to collect multiple types of taxes from some King, Pierce, and Snohomish County residents to help pay for mass transportation projects. These taxes include the MVET and the additional sales and use tax on rental cars previously described, as well as a local property tax and a local sales and use tax on purchases made within the district. Sound Transit also uses federal grants, transit fares, interest earnings, and other revenue to pay for its transportation projects.

Since 1999, Sound Transit has issued and sold public bonds to finance its transportation projects. Sound Transit uses the revenue from the MVET and other taxes to pay the principal and interest on the bonds. It promised its bondholders that it would continue to collect the taxes until the bonds are retired. In 2006, the Washington Supreme Court held that state law could not change the terms of any existing Sound Transit bond contracts while the bonds are still outstanding. This means that Sound Transit must continue to use the tax rate and valuation formula that were in effect at the time the bond was issued, even if state law later changes the rate or formula, until the bonds are retired, defeased, or refinanced under different contract terms.

The Effect of the Proposed Measure if Approved
This measure would reduce funding for state and local transportation projects by repealing, reducing, or removing state and local authority to impose certain vehicle taxes and fees. The measure would limit
annual state and local license fees for motor vehicles weighing 10,000 pounds or less to $30, unless the fee is approved by voters. License fees, such as the motor vehicle weight fee and transportation benefit district fees, would be eliminated. The electric vehicle license fee would be lowered to $30. The transportation electrification fee would remain the same. The license fee for snowmobiles and commercial trailers would be lowered to $30. Other fees, such as service and filing fees, would remain the same. The measure would also eliminate the state motor vehicle sales/lease tax and eliminate authority to impose a local motor vehicle excise tax that supports passenger-only ferries.

Any regional transit authority, such as Sound Transit, that has issued bonds financed by a motor vehicle excise tax would be required to defease, refinance, or retire the bonds early, if the bond contracts allow such action. Once the bonds have been defeased, refinanced, or retired, the authority to impose the MVET and the additional sales and use tax on rental cars would be repealed automatically. If the regional transit authority is not able to completely defease, refinance, or retire the bonds by March 31, 2020, any existing voter-approved MVETs would remain unchanged, and the maximum rate of future voter-approved MVETs would be reduced from 0.8% to 0.2%.

The measure would also require that any future vehicle taxes, including voter-approved MVETs, be determined by using a vehicle’s base model Kelley Blue Book value. The base value would not include any applicable federal excise taxes, state and local sales and use taxes, transportation or shipping costs, and preparatory and delivery costs. The measure would require the Department of Licensing to use a vehicle’s base model Kelley Blue Book value for any appeal of the valuation of the vehicle.

Fiscal Impact Statement

Written by the Office of Financial Management
For more information visit www.ofm.wa.gov/ballot

FISCAL IMPACT SUMMARY

Initiative 976 changes vehicle taxes and fees by lowering motor vehicle and light duty truck weight fees to $30; eliminating the 0.3 percent sales tax on vehicle purchases; lowering electric vehicle and snowmobile fees; modifying and reducing Sound Transit motor vehicle excise tax provisions; and removing authority for transportation benefit districts to impose a vehicle fee. Total revenue loss to the state in the next six years is $1,921,901,238. Total revenue loss to local governments in the next 6 years is $2,317,121,034. The departments of Licensing and Revenue have estimated implementation costs of $2,846,800 in the 2019—21 biennium.

General Assumptions

- Except as otherwise provided, the effective date of the initiative, if approved by voters, is December 5, 2019. Section 10 and 11 take effect on the date that the regional transit authority complies with section 12 of this act. Section 13 takes effect on April 1, 2020, if sections 10 and 11 have not taken effect by March 31, 2020.
- The provisions of the initiative apply prospectively, not retroactively.
- Fiscal estimates use the state’s fiscal year of July 1 through June 30. Fiscal year 2020 is July 1, 2019, to June 30, 2020.
- State revenues are based on the June 2019 transportation revenue forecast.
- Local revenues are based on the most recent actual figures and are not forecasted.
- Transportation benefit districts (TBDs) have the authority to collect vehicle fees, and sales and use tax. This initiative repeals only the authority to collect vehicle fees, so TBDs could continue to collect sales and use tax.
- Section 5(1) erroneously states that the electric vehicle fee is $130 total. RCW 46.17.323 includes two fees. $100 in section (1) and $50 in section (4)(a). The current electric vehicle fee is $150 total. Calculations for the impact of the fee reduction are based on the correct fee. Chapter 287, Laws 2019 establishes the transportation electrification fee of $75. I-976 would lower the $100 in section (1) to $30 and eliminate the $50 in section (4)(a). It does not affect the new $75 fee.

REVENUE

State Revenue

The initiative reduces license fees for vehicles under 10,000 lbs. to $30. The additional 0.3 percent sales and use tax on motor vehicle sales is eliminated. The snowmobile license fee is reduced from $50 to $30. Commercial trailer fees are reduced from $34 to $30. The electric vehicle fee in Section 5(1) is reduced from $100 to $30. An additional electric vehicle fee in Section 5(4)(a) of $50 is eliminated.

(See Table 1 on page 17.)

Description of affected accounts

The Snowmobile Account funds administration, acquisition, development, operation and maintenance
of snowmobile facilities and the implementation of snowmobile safety, enforcement and education programs.

The State Patrol Highway Account funds activities of the Washington State Patrol, including traffic enforcement (and associated criminal investigations), commercial vehicle enforcement and ferry vessel and terminal security.

The Transportation Partnership Account funds projects and improvements from the 2005 Transportation Partnership Omnibus Transportation Appropriations Act.

The Rural Arterial Trust Account funds construction and improvement of county roads and bridges.

The Motor Vehicle Account is the main source of funds for highway construction, maintenance, ferries and support services. A portion of motor fuel tax revenues is distributed to cities and counties for road programs.

The Puget Sound Ferry Operations Account funds ferry operations and maintenance.

The Transportation Improvement Account funds administration of the Transportation Improvement Board and grants for local government transportation projects that address congestion.

The Multimodal Transportation Account funds all modes of transportation projects, including public transportation, rail and bicycle/pedestrian projects.

The Transportation 2003 Account funds debt service on bonds and Washington State Department of Transportation operating and capital highway programs.

Local Revenue

This initiative repeals local authority to impose a TBD vehicle fee. TBD vehicle fees are used by 62 municipalities across the state to fund local improvements such as road repair and maintenance, transit systems and sidewalks. In fiscal year 2018, TBDs using a vehicle fee across the state collected $58,186,839. This revenue would be eliminated beginning on the effective date of this initiative.

Sections 10 and 11 would reduce the motor vehicle excise tax (MVET) that funds the Central Puget Sound Regional Transit Authority (RTA) commonly known as Sound Transit. MVET rates are reduced from .8% to .2% and will be calculated based on Kelley Blue Book vehicle value instead of the manufacturer’s suggested retail price.

This tax rate would be repealed when the RTA is able to refund, refinance or defease, or terminate, outstanding bonds that have been issued against this tax. It is unknown if this is possible. If the bonds are not able to be defeased, the MVET will remain unchanged to pay off the bonds previously issued that are pledged to the revenue source. If the bonds are able to be defeased, Sound Transit’s revenue would be reduced by $328,000,000 per fiscal year based on 2018 revenue. For new bonds issued, the MVET will decrease from .8% to .2%.

This initiative repeals local authority to impose a passenger-only ferry tax. Currently there are no passenger-only ferry districts using the MVET authority to fund their ferries, although they would no longer have the option.

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EXPENDITURES

State Government Expenditures

Temporary higher administrative costs at Department of Licensing and Department of Revenue

The Department of Licensing (DOL) would have temporary, higher administrative and computer costs to implement this initiative. If Sound Transit is able to defease or refinance its bonds and the MVET is reduced, DOL will issue refunds to customers who register their vehicles prior to their annual vehicle registration date. The DOL will also have costs for computer updates, temporary staffing costs for additional calls to their call center, and accounting services to issue refunds. Biennial administrative costs for the agency are $2,740,900 in the 2019–21 biennium.

The Department of Revenue (DOR) will experience temporary, higher administrative costs to implement this initiative. The DOR will have costs for computer updates and administrative costs for rule making, accounting services to issue refunds and developing new forms. Biennial costs for the agency are $105,900 for computer updates and administrative items in the 2019–21 biennium.

Local Government Expenditures

N/A
### Table 1 – Potential Revenue Impact by Fund Distribution – *Beginning Dec. 5, 2019*

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**Repeal** — means you *don’t favor* the tax increase.

**Maintain** — means you *favor* the tax increase.

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Advisory Vote No. 20

Second Substitute House Bill 1087

The legislature imposed, without a vote of the people, an additional wage premium for long-term care services, costing an indeterminate amount in its first ten years, for government spending.

This tax increase should be:

[ ] Repealed
[ ] Maintained

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Final Votes Cast by the Legislature

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**House:** Yeas, 55; Nays, 41; Absent, 0; Excused, 2

Advisory Vote No. 21

Engrossed Third Substitute House Bill 1324

The legislature extended, without a vote of the people, the business and occupation tax for extracting, manufacturing, and selling timber and timber-related products, costing $21,000,000 in its first ten years, for government spending.

This tax increase should be:

[ ] Repealed
[ ] Maintained

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Final Votes Cast by the Legislature

**Senate:** Yeas, 40; Nays, 9; Absent, 0; Excused, 0
**House:** Yeas, 94; Nays, 0; Absent, 0; Excused, 4
Advisory Vote No. 22

Substitute House Bill 1652

The legislature increased, without a vote of the people, retail sales tax on architectural paint by adding an assessment to the purchase price, costing $6,000,000 in its first ten years, for government spending.

This tax increase should be:
[  ] Repealed
[  ] Maintained

Advisory Vote No. 23

Engrossed Second Substitute House Bill 1873

The legislature imposed, without a vote of the people, a tax on the sale, use, consumption, handling, possession, and distribution of vapor products costing $178,000,000 in its first ten years, for government spending.

This tax increase should be:
[  ] Repealed
[  ] Maintained

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Substitute House Bill 1652 (SHB 1652)

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**House:** Yeas, 62; Nays, 35; Absent, 0; Excused, 1

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Engrossed Second Substitute House Bill 1873 (E2SHB 1873)

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Final Votes Cast by the Legislature

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**House:** Yeas, 56; Nays, 42; Absent, 0; Excused, 0
Advisory Vote No.

24

Engrossed Second Substitute House Bill 2158

The legislature imposed, without a vote of the people, an additional service and other business and occupation tax for certain specified business activities, costing $2,253,000,000 in its first ten years, for government spending.

This tax increase should be:
[ ] Repealed
[ ] Maintained

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House: Yeas, 52; Nays, 46; Absent, 0; Excused, 0

Advisory Vote No.

25

Substitute House Bill 2167

The legislature imposed, without a vote of the people, an additional business and occupation tax for certain specified financial institutions, costing $1,036,000,000 in its first ten years, for government spending.

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House: Yeas, 53; Nays, 43; Absent, 0; Excused, 2
Advisory Vote No. 26

Substitute Senate Bill 5581

The legislature expanded, without a vote of the people, application of the state tax code to certain remote sellers, marketplace facilitators, and others, costing $1,051,000,000 in its first ten years, for government spending.

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Final Votes Cast by the Legislature

Senate: Yeas, 37; Nays, 11; Absent, 0; Excused, 1
House: Yeas, 58; Nays, 36; Absent, 0; Excused, 4
Advisory Vote No. 27

Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill 5993

The legislature increased, without a vote of the people, taxes on petroleum products, costing $2,760,000,000 in its first ten years, for government spending.

This tax increase should be:

[ ] Repealed
[ ] Maintained

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Final Votes Cast by the Legislature

Senate: Yeas, 27; Nays, 22; Absent, 0; Excused, 0
House: Yeas, 50; Nays, 48; Absent, 0; Excused, 0

Advisory Vote No. 28

Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill 5997

The legislature increased, without a vote of the people, sales and use taxes on certain nonresidents by limiting the exemption applicable to them, costing $313,000,000 in its first ten years, for government spending.

This tax increase should be:

[ ] Repealed
[ ] Maintained

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Final Votes Cast by the Legislature

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House: Yeas, 55; Nays, 43; Absent, 0; Excused, 0
Advisory Vote No. 29

**Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill 5998**

The legislature increased, without a vote of the people, the real estate excise tax on certain sales of real property, costing $1,747,000,000 in its first ten years, for government spending.

This tax increase should be:

- [ ] Repealed
- [ ] Maintained

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Advisory Vote No. 30

**Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill 6004**

The legislature increased, without a vote of the people, the business and occupation tax on certain travel agents and tour operators, costing $28,000,000 in its first ten years, for government spending.

This tax increase should be:

- [ ] Repealed
- [ ] Maintained

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**Final Votes Cast by the Legislature**

**Senate:** Yeas, 26; Nays, 22; Absent, 0; Excused, 1

**House:** Yeas, 56; Nays, 42; Absent, 0; Excused, 0

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**Final Votes Cast by the Legislature**

**Senate:** Yeas, 27; Nays, 21; Absent, 0; Excused, 1

**House:** Yeas, 52; Nays, 46; Absent, 0; Excused, 0
Advisory Vote No. 31

Engrossed Senate Bill 6016

The legislature increased, without a vote of the people, the business and occupation tax on certain international investment management services, costing $367,000,000 in its first ten years, for government spending.

This tax increase should be:

[ ] Repealed
[ ] Maintained

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House: Yeas, 76; Nays, 22; Absent, 0; Excused, 0

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(D, Snohomish), (resigned 5/2019)  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea  
E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Yea  
SHB 2167 (AV25): Nay  
SSB 5581 (AV26): Yea  
ESSB 5993 (AV27): Yea  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Yea  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea  | **Sen. Randi Becker**  
(R, Eatonville), (360) 786-7602  
randi.becker@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay  
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ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay  | **Sen. Andy Billig**  
(D, Spokane), (360) 786-7604  
andy.billig@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea  
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ESSB 5997 (AV28): Yea  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea  |
| **Rep. Derek Stanford**  
(D, Bothell), (360) 786-7600  
derek.stanford@leg.wa.gov  
(appointed Senator 7/2019)  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea  
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ESSB 5993 (AV27): Yea  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Yea  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea  
(R, Olympia), (360) 786-7824  
andrew.barkis@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay  
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ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea  | **Rep. Marcus Riccelli**  
(D, Spokane), (360) 786-7888  
marcus.riccelli@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea  
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SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea  
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ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea  |
| **Rep. Shelley Kloba**  
(D, Kirkland), (360) 786-7900  
shelley.kloba@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea  
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SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea  
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ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea  
(R, Yelm), (360) 786-7912  
jt.wilcox@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
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ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
(D, Spokane), (360) 786-7946  
timm.ormsby@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea  
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SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea  
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ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea  |

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#### District 4

**Sen. Mike Padden**  
(R, Spokane Valley), (360) 786-7606  
mike.padden@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Nay  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay  
E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Nay  
SHB 2167 (AV25): Nay  
SSB 5593 (AV27): Nay  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Excused

#### Rep. Matt Shea**  
(R, Spokane Valley), (360) 786-7984  
matt.shea@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay  
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ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

#### Rep. Bob McCaslin**  
(R, Spokane Valley), (360) 786-7820  
bob.mccaslin@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
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ESSB 5997 (AV28): Yea  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay

#### District 5

**Sen. Mark Mullet**  
(D, Issaquah), (360) 786-7608  
mark.mullet@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea  
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SHB 2167 (AV25): Nay  
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ESSB 5993 (AV27): Yea  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Yea  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

#### Rep. Bill Ramos**  
(D, Issaquah), (360) 786-7852  
bill.ramos@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Excused  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
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ESSB 5997 (AV28): Yea  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

#### Rep. Lisa Callan**  
(D, Issaquah), (360) 786-7876  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay  
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ESSB 5997 (AV28): Yea  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

#### District 6

**Sen. Jeff Holy**  
(R, Cheney), (360) 786-7610  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay  
E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Nay  
SHB 2167 (AV25): Nay  
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ESSB 5993 (AV27): Nay  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay

#### Rep. Mike Volz**  
(R, Spokane), (360) 786-7922  
mike.volz@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay  
E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Nay  
SHB 2167 (AV25): Nay  
SSB 5581 (AV26): Nay  
ESSB 5993 (AV27): Nay  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay

#### Rep. Jenny Graham**  
(R, Spokane), (360) 786-7962  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay  
E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Nay  
SHB 2167 (AV25): Nay  
SSB 5581 (AV26): Nay  
ESSB 5993 (AV27): Nay  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

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| **Sen. Shelly Short**  
(R, Addy), (360) 786-7612  
shelly.short@leg.wa.gov  
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E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
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ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay | **Sen. Sharon Brown**  
(R, Kennewick), (360) 786-7614  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay  
E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Nay  
SHB 2167 (AV25): Nay  
SSB 5593 (AV27): Nay  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay | **Sen. Mark Schoesler**  
(R, Ritzville), (360) 786-7620  
mark.schoesler@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay  
E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Nay  
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SSB 5593 (AV27): Nay  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay |
| **Rep. Jacquelin Maycumber**  
(R, Republic), (360) 786-7908  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay  
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ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay  
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ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
(R, Kennewick), (360) 786-7882  
brad.klippert@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay  
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SSB 5593 (AV27): Nay  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea | **Rep. Mary Dye**  
(R, Pomeroy), (360) 786-7942  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay  
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SHB 2167 (AV25): Nay  
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ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay |
| **Rep. Joel Kretz**  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay  
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SHB 2167 (AV25): Nay  
SSB 5593 (AV27): Nay  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay | **Rep. Matt Boehnke**  
(R, Kennewick), (360) 786-7886  
matt.boehnke@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay  
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SSB 5593 (AV27): Nay  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
(R, Colfax), (360) 786-7844  
joe.schmick@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay  
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SSB 5593 (AV27): Nay  
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ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay |

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District 10

Sen. Barbara Bailey  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay  
E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Nay  
SHB 2167 (AV25): Nay  
SSB 5581 (AV26): Yea  
ESSB 5993 (AV27): Nay  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay

Rep. Norma Smith  
(R, Clinton), (360) 786-7884  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea  
E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Yea  
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ESSB 5993 (AV27): Yea  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Yea  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

Rep. Dave Paul  
(D, Oak Harbor), (360) 786-7914  
dave.paul@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea  
E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Nay  
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ESSB 5993 (AV27): Yea  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Yea  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

District 11

Sen. Bob Hasegawa  
(D, Seattle), (360) 786-7616  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Nay  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea  
E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Yea  
SHB 2167 (AV25): Yea  
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ESSB 5993 (AV27): Yea  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Yea  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea  
ESSB 6016 (AV31): Nay

Rep. Zack Hudgins  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea  
E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Yea  
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SSB 5581 (AV26): Yea  
ESSB 5993 (AV27): Yea  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Yea  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea  
ESSB 6016 (AV31): Yea

Rep. Steve Bergquist  
(D, Renton), (360) 786-7862  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea  
E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Yea  
SHB 2167 (AV25): Yea  
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ESSB 5993 (AV27): Yea  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Yea  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea  
ESSB 6016 (AV31): Yea

District 12

Sen. Brad Hawkins  
(R, East Wenatchee), (360) 786-7622  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea  
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E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Nay  
SHB 2167 (AV25): Nay  
SSB 5581 (AV26): Nay  
ESSB 5993 (AV27): Nay  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

Rep. Keith Goehner  
(R, Dryden), (360) 786-7954  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay  
E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Nay  
SHB 2167 (AV25): Nay  
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ESSB 5993 (AV27): Nay  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay

Rep. Mike Steele  
(R, Chelan), (360) 786-7832  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay  
E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Nay  
SHB 2167 (AV25): Nay  
SSB 5581 (AV26): Yea  
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ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay

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| **Sen. Judy Warnick**  
(R, Moses Lake), (360) 786-7624  
judith.warnick@leg.wa.gov  
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E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea  
E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Nay  
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ESSB 5993 (AV27): Nay  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay  |
| **Sen. Curtis King**  
(R, Yakima), (360) 786-7626  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea  
E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Nay  
SHB 2167 (AV25): Nay  
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ESSB 5993 (AV27): Nay  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay  |
| **Sen. Jim Honeyford**  
(R, Sunnyside), (360) 786-7684  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
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ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay  |
| **Rep. Tom Dent**  
(R, Moses Lake), (360) 786-7932  
tom.dent@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
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ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea  |
| **Rep. Chris Corry**  
(R, Yakima), (360) 786-7810  
chris.corry@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
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ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay  |
| **Rep. Bruce Chandler**  
(R, Granger), (360) 786-7960  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Nay  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
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ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay  |
| **Rep. Alex Ybarra**  
(R, Quincy), (360) 786-7808  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay  
E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Nay  
SHB 2167 (AV25): Nay  
SSB 5581 (AV26): Nay  
ESSB 5993 (AV27): Nay  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea  |
| **Rep. Gina Mosbrucker**  
(R, Goldendale), (360) 786-7856  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay  
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ESSB 5993 (AV27): Nay  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay  |
| **Rep. Jeremie Dufault**  
(R, Selah), (360) 786-7874  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Nay  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay  
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SSB 5581 (AV26): Nay  
ESSB 5993 (AV27): Nay  
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ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea  |

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### Advisory Votes

#### District 16

**Sen. Maureen Walsh**  
(R, College Place), (360) 786-7630  
maureen.walsh@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay  
E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Nay  
SHB 2167 (AV25): Nay  
SSB 5581 (AV26): Yea  
ESSB 5993 (AV27): Nay  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Excused  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Excused  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay

**Rep. Bill Jenkin**  
(R, Prosser), (360) 786-7836  
bill.jenkin@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay  
E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Nay  
SHB 2167 (AV25): Nay  
SSB 5581 (AV26): Nay  
ESSB 5993 (AV27): Nay  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay

**Rep. Skyler Rude**  
(R, Walla Walla), (360) 786-7828  
skyler.rude@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay  
E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Nay  
SHB 2167 (AV25): Nay  
SSB 5581 (AV26): Yea  
ESSB 5993 (AV27): Nay  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

#### District 17

**Sen. Lynda Wilson**  
(R, Vancouver), (360) 786-7632  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay  
E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Nay  
SHB 2167 (AV25): Nay  
SSB 5581 (AV26): Nay  
ESSB 5993 (AV27): Nay  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay

**Rep. Vicki Kraft**  
(R, Vancouver), (360) 786-7994  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay  
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ESSB 5993 (AV27): Nay  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay

**Rep. Paul Harris**  
(R, Vancouver), (360) 786-7976  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Excused  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea  
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SHB 2167 (AV25): Nay  
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ESSB 5993 (AV27): Nay  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

**Rep. Brandon Vick**  
(R, Vancouver), (360) 786-7850  
brandon.vick@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
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ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay

**Rep. Larry Hoff**  
(R, Vancouver), (360) 786-7812  
larry.hoff@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Nay  
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ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

#### District 18

**Sen. Ann Rivers**  
(R, La Center), (360) 786-7634  
ann.rivers@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Excused  
E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Nay  
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SSB 5581 (AV26): Yea  
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ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay

**Rep. Brandon Vick**  
(R, Vancouver), (360) 786-7850  
brandon.vick@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
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ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay

**Rep. Larry Hoff**  
(R, Vancouver), (360) 786-7812  
larry.hoff@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Nay  
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(R, Puyallup), (360) 786-7648  
hans.zeiger@leg.wa.gov  
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E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay  
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ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea | **Sen. Emily Randall**  
(D, Bremerton), (360) 786-7650  
emily.randall@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea  
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ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea | **Sen. Jeannie Darneille**  
(D, Tacoma), (360) 786-7652  
j.darneille@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Nay  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea  
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ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea |
| **Rep. Kelly Chambers**  
(R, Puyallup), (360) 786-7948  
kelly.chambers@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
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ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea | **Rep. Jesse Young**  
(R, Gig Harbor), (360) 786-7964  
jesse.young@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Excused  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
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ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea | **Rep. Laurie Jinkins**  
(D, Tacoma), (360) 786-7930  
laurie.jinkins@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea  
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ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea |
| **Rep. Chris Gildon**  
(R, Puyallup), (360) 786-7968  
chris.gildon@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
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ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea | **Rep. Michelle Caldier**  
(R, Port Orchard), (360) 786-7802  
michelle.caldier@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Excused  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay  
E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Nay  
SHB 2167 (AV25): Nay  
SSB 5593 (AV27): Nay  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea | **Rep. Jake Fey**  
(D, Tacoma), (360) 786-7974  
jake.fey@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea  
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SHB 2167 (AV25): Yea  
SSB 5593 (AV27): Yea  
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#### District 28

- **Sen. Steve O'Ban**
  - (R, Tacoma), (360) 786-7654
  - steve.oban@leg.wa.gov
  - SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay
  - E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea
  - SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay
  - E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay
  - E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Nay
  - SHB 2167 (AV25): Nay
  - SSB 5593 (AV27): Nay
  - ESSB 5997 (AV28): Yea
  - ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay
  - SSB 6004 (AV30): Nay
  - ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay

- **Rep. Mari Leavitt**
  - (D, University Place), (360) 786-7990
  - mari.leavitt@leg.wa.gov
  - SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea
  - E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea
  - SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea
  - E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay
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  - ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea
  - ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea
  - ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

#### District 29

- **Sen. Steve Conway**
  - (D, Tacoma), (360) 786-7996
  - steve.conway@leg.wa.gov
  - SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea
  - E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea
  - SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea
  - E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea
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  - ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea
  - ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

- **Rep. Melanie Morgan**
  - (D, Parkland), (360) 786-7996
  - melanie.morgan@leg.wa.gov
  - SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea
  - E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea
  - SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea
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  - ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

- **Rep. Christine Kilduff**
  - (D, University Place), (360) 786-7996
  - christine.kilduff@leg.wa.gov
  - SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea
  - E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea
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  - ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

- **Rep. Mike Pellicciotti**
  - (D, Federal Way), (360) 786-7996
  - mike.pellicciotti@leg.wa.gov
  - SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea
  - E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea
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  - ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay

- **Rep. Kristine Reeves**
  - (D, Federal Way), (360) 786-7930
  - kristine.reeves@leg.wa.gov
  - SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea
  - E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea
  - SHB 1652 (AV22): Excused
  - E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea
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  - ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

#### District 30

- **Sen. Claire Wilson**
  - (D, Auburn), (360) 786-7930
  - claire.wilson@leg.wa.gov
  - SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea
  - E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea
  - SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea
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  - ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

- **Rep. Kristine Reeves**
  - (D, Federal Way), (360) 786-7930
  - kristine.reeves@leg.wa.gov
  - SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea
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Sen. Joe Nguyen
(D, Seattle), (360) 786-7667
joe.nguyen@leg.wa.gov
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Nay
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea
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ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay

Rep. Eileen Cody
(D, West Seattle), (360) 786-7978
eileen.cody@leg.wa.gov
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea
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ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Excused
ESB 6016 (AV31): Excused

Rep. Joe Fitzgibbon
(D, West Seattle), (360) 786-7952
joe.fitzgibbon@leg.wa.gov
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea
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ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

District 35

Sen. Tim Sheldon
(D, Hoodsport), (360) 786-7668
timothy.sheldon@leg.wa.gov
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay
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ESSB 5993 (AV27): Nay
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay

Rep. Dan Griffey
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dan.griffey@leg.wa.gov
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Nay
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay
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ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay

Rep. Noel Frame
(D, Seattle), (360) 786-7814
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Nay
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay
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ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay

Rep. Gael Tarleton
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Nay
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay
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ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay

District 36

Sen. Reuven Carlyle
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Nay
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea
E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Yea
SHB 2167 (AV25): Yea
SSB 5581 (AV26): Excused
ESSB 5993 (AV27): Yea
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Yea
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

Rep. Drew MacEwen
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Nay
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay
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ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

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Sen. Liz Lovelett  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea  
E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Yea  
SHB 2167 (AV25): Yea  
SSB 5593 (AV27): Yea  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Yea  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

Rep. Debra Lekanoff  
(D, Bow), (360) 786-7800  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea  
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SSB 5593 (AV27): Yea  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Yea  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

Rep. Jeff Morris  
(D, Mount Vernon), (360) 786-7970  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea  
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SSB 5593 (AV27): Nay  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Yea  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

District 41

Sen. Lisa Wellman  
(D, Mercer Island), (360) 786-7641  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea  
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SSB 5593 (AV27): Yea  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Yea  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

Rep. Tana Senn  
(D, Mercer Island), (360) 786-7894  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea  
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ESSB 5997 (AV28): Yea  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

Rep. My-Linh Thai  
(D, Bellevue), (360) 786-7926  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Excused  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea  
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ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay

District 42

Sen. Doug Ericksen  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay  
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ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay

Rep. Luanne Van Werven  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
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ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay

Rep. Sharon Shewmake  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Excused  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yes  
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ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay

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### District 43

**Sen. Jamie Pedersen**  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea  
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SSB 5581 (AV26): Yea  
ESSB 5993 (AV27): Yea  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Yea  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

**Rep. Nicole Macri**  
(D, Seattle), (360) 786-7926  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea  
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ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

**Rep. Frank Chopp**  
(D, Seattle), (360) 786-7920  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
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ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

### District 44

**Sen. Steve Hobbs**  
(D, Lake Stevens), (360) 786-7686  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea  
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ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

**Rep. John Lovick**  
(D, Mill Creek), (360) 786-7826  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea  
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ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

**Rep. Jared Mead**  
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ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay

### District 45

**Sen. Manka Dhingra**  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
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ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

**Rep. Roger Goodman**  
(D, Kirkland), (360) 786-7878  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea  
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ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

**Rep. Larry Springer**  
(D, Kirkland), (360) 786-7822  
larry.springer@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
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**Sen. David Frockt**  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Nay  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea  
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ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

**Sen. Mona Das**  
(D, Kent), (360) 786-7692  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
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ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

District 47

**Rep. Gerry Pollet**  
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E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
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ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

**Rep. Debra Entenman**  
(D, Kent), (360) 786-7910  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea  
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ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

District 48

**Sen. Patty Kuderer**  
(D, Bellevue), (360) 786-7936  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
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ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

**Rep. Vandana Slatter**  
(D, Bellevue), (360) 786-7936  
vandana.slatter@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea  
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ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

**Rep. Pat Sullivan**  
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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
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ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

**Rep. Amy Walen**  
(D, Kirkland), (360) 786-7848  
amy.walen@leg.wa.gov  
2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea  
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea  
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea  
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea  
E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Yea  
SHB 2167 (AV25): Yea  
SSB 5581 (AV26): Yea  
ESSB 5993 (AV27): Yea  
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Yea  
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea  
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea  
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

### Advisory Votes

Don’t know which legislative district you live in?  
Call the legislative hotline at (800) 562-6000 or visit [www.leg.wa.gov](http://www.leg.wa.gov).
If I’m a crime survivor, can I vote safely?

Keep your voting address confidential

If you are a survivor of domestic violence, sexual assault, trafficking, stalking, or an employee in criminal justice and target of felony harassment on the job, you may be able to enroll in the Address Confidentiality Program and register as a Protected Records Voter.

To become a Protected Records Voter:

• You must first meet with a Certified Advocate who can assist with threat assessment, safety planning, and the program application.

• You should have recently moved to a new location that is unknown to the offender and undocumented in public records.

Call (800) 822-1065 or visit www.sos.wa.gov/ACP
Senate Joint Resolution No. 8200

The legislature has proposed a constitutional amendment concerning legislative powers in times of emergency.

This measure would add “catastrophic incidents” to the specified times of emergency that the legislature may take certain immediate actions to ensure continuity of state and local governmental operations.

Should this constitutional amendment be:

[ ] Approved
[ ] Rejected

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Explanatory Statement
Written by the Office of the Attorney General

The Constitutional Provision as it Presently Exists
Article II, section 42 of the Washington State Constitution permits the legislature to adopt legislation governing certain immediate actions in times of emergency resulting from enemy attack. The authorized legislation includes measures to ensure continuity of state and local governmental operations and appointing public officers to ensure public duties continue to be carried out.

The Effect of the Proposed Amendment if Approved
This measure would allow the legislature to adopt legislation governing continuity of state and local operations not just in case of “enemy attack,” but also in the event of “catastrophic incidents.”

Fiscal Impact Statement
Not required by law

Final Votes Cast by the Legislature
Senate: Yeas, 37; Nays, 11; Absent, 0; Excused, 1
House: Yeas, 91; Nays, 7; Absent, 0; Excused, 0

Why the 2020 Census matters
Every 10 years, as required by the United States Constitution, the U.S. Census Bureau takes a complete count of the country's population. Every person living in the U.S. is expected to participate. The Census Bureau collects data for statistical purposes only and is required by law to protect your individual identity.

Having accurate, updated census information is vitally important. The information is used by Congress to distribute more than $880 billion in federal health, education, and infrastructure funds to states, counties, and cities based on population. Census information is also used by Washington’s bipartisan redistricting commission to draw new, equally-populated legislative and congressional districts that reflect the population growth and shifts over the past decade.

The Census Bureau will begin collecting information in March 2020 and you can respond online, by mail, by phone, or with an in-person interview. You’ll be asked to complete a questionnaire with a few basic facts about the people in your household. It’s easy and confidential. Remember, everyone counts — so when you receive the official questionnaire, complete it for each person in your household.
Argument for

Our State Is Not Prepared for a Catastrophic Event
Following a catastrophic incident, it is critical for government to continue to function. The Washington State Constitution sets forth how governments will operate in the aftermath of an “enemy attack” but not in the case of other types of catastrophic incidents that may occur. The intent of this constitutional amendment is to ensure that state and local governments can properly function after any type of major disruption.

Voting Yes Is One Critical Step to Get Ready for a Disaster
This constitutional amendment allows for governments to continue operations after a “catastrophic incident.” A catastrophic incident is defined to include natural disasters, terrorism attacks, and other events that result in extraordinary levels of mass casualties, damage or disruption severely affecting the population, infrastructure, environment, economy or government functions.

We Never Know When a Disaster Will Strike, We Must Prepare Now
This amendment is essential for us to prepare for incidents such as the inevitable Cascadia earthquake, catastrophic wildfires or a catastrophic pandemic. The reality is that these events will occur at some point in the future, bringing about such damage and disruption severe enough to interfere with government operations. State and local governments need to be better prepared to continue to operate after these catastrophic events. This would allow us to take action to plan for those important steps now.

Vote Yes on SJR 8200

Rebuttal of argument against

This measure lives up to the existing framework for protecting critical functions of state and local governments, enshrined in our state constitution nearly 60 years ago. The definition of “catastrophic incident” is clear and military and other federal agencies use it too. By voting yes, you are allowing government to continue after “extraordinary levels of mass casualties, damage, or disruption severely affecting the population, infrastructure, environment, economy, national morale, and/or government functions.”

Argument against

Weakens Constitutional Protections for Citizens and Grants More Power to Government
This measure changes the constitution of our state to allow the legislature to bypass current constitutional and statutory provisions over the state legislature and how it operates. Current provisions allow this exemption in the event of enemy attack. The changes being made with this proposal would allow this exemption in the case of “catastrophic incident”.

Criteria Not Defined
This measure does not adequately define what constitutes a “catastrophic incident” nor does it define how widespread such an incident must be in order to trigger this provision. You would have to trust government to make these decisions with or without your input. We should demand a better proposal with clear definitions.

Legislative Dictates
This would grant Legislative leaders from distant areas of the state free reign to change the location of the Capitol, appoint legislators and local government officials to represent you, and pass bills as they see fit with no legislative process requirements, leaving you with no recourse to stop anything they do nor how they do it.

May Hurt You When You Need Help the Most
Passage of this measure will allow government to decide who will make the laws on your behalf and potentially concentrate power in fewer individuals further from you and your interests; and they will be able to do it at a time when you need the constitutional protections and assistance the most.

Rebuttal of argument for

While it is important to prepare for disasters, the legislature needs to provide more specificity on how it would use this new authority before voters approve this authority. How large an area much be affected and what actions they would take should be better spelled out prior to voters extending any additional authority. Don’t wait for disaster to strike to find out their intent – insist they tell you before you change the constitution.

Written by
Ed Orcutt, State Representative, forester, small business owner; Bob McCaslin, State Representative, teacher

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Written by
Roger Goodman, State Representative, Kirkland; Marko Liias, State Senator, Mukilteo; Dean Takko, State Senator, Longview; Bret Daugherty, Adjutant General, Washington National Guard; Dennis Lawson, President, Washington State Council of Firefighters

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Legislative Qualifications & Responsibilities

Legislators must be registered voters of their district.

Legislature

Legislators propose and enact public policy, set a budget, and provide for the collection of taxes to support state and local government.

State Senator

The Senate has 49 members; one from each legislative district in the state. Senators are elected to four-year terms, and approximately one-half the membership of the Senate is up for election each even-numbered year. The Senate's only exclusive duty is to confirm appointments made by the governor.

State Representative

The House of Representatives has 98 members; two from each legislative district in the state. Representatives are elected to two-year terms, so the total membership of the House is up for election each even-numbered year.

Candidate statements are printed exactly as submitted. The Office of the Secretary of State does not make corrections of any kind or verify statements for truth or fact.
**Elected Experience**
Washington State Senate (appointed 2019); Anacortes City Councilmember, 2015-2019.

**Other Professional Experience**

**Education**
Current student at WWU; graduated with honors from both Anacortes High School and Skagit Valley College after participating in Running Start program, 1998.

**Community Service**
Board Advisor, Anacortes Farmers Market; Capital Facilities Committee, Anacortes School District; President, Whitney PTA, 2015-2016; former Council Committee member: Affordable Housing and Community Services, Public Works, Public Safety, Parks and Recreation, Marine Resources, Depot Master Planning; mother of two active girls.

**Statement**
In my first session as your State Senator, I was proud to champion the values and priorities of the 40th District. I am part of a team of new progressive legislators that pressed for record higher education funding, overdue tax reform, and clean energy investments. As a lifelong area resident, mom, and community leader, I sponsored and passed legislation to protect our beloved orcas, win needed school funding, permanently protect Blanchard Mountain, and invest in projects including the Lopez Swim Center, Mount Vernon Library, Skagit Emergency Communications, and the Port of Bellingham waterfront.

I’m proud to have hit the ground running, but there is more to do as we face threats to our rights, environment, healthcare, and most vulnerable community members. We are stronger together and I’m proud to have earned the endorsement of unions like SEIU Healthcare 1199NW, Firefighters 1537, Washington Education Association, and the Washington State Labor Council. I am also supported by Attorney General Bob Ferguson, Bellingham Councilmember Pinky Vargas; Mount Vernon Mayor Jill Boudreau and Councilmember Iris Carias; Anacortes Mayor Laurie Gere and Councilmember Ryan Walters; Anacortes Port Commissioner John Petrich; San Juan Commissioner Rick Hughes; Skagit Commissioner Ken Dahlsted; and my Senate Democratic colleagues.

**Contact**
(360) 588-8707; lizlovelett@gmail.com; LizLovelett.org

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**Daniel Miller**
(Prefers Republican Party)

**Elected Experience**
Was the winner of the Republican primary for the Washington State legislature LD40 several years ago. Helped others run for the Washington State Legislature as well as city positions.

**Other Professional Experience**
Past owner of a popular antique store (*New England Collectibles*) in Friday Harbor Wa. I know how to manage a business in good times and bad! Worked on Public Policy issues in Washington state and California.

**Education**

**Community Service**
Relay for life, Community Dinners, including very good Thanksgiving Dinners!

**Statement**
This is a very important special election, there are many important issues we need be worked on in olympia next year, from keeping Washington beautiful to careful spending of your tax dollars.

We need to work on Educational policy, Healthcare policy, Freedom and Liberty and government finance as well as Banking reform.

In olympia we need to find ways to pay for what we need to pay for with out an Income and Tax and skyrocketing Taxes and Fees. would like to see Washington state, and the 40th district stay a great place for families, workers such as construction, retail, Landscapping! and Hotel, restaurants entertainment and of course business owners.

owners. Please consider voting for Daniel Miller for State Senate in 2019-Thank

**Contact**
(775) 223-3960; mountainsnow08@gmail.com
The ballot before you is a veritable lesson in how citizens make law. It includes 15 state measures, 6 local measures, and the election of a State Senator.

At the state level, in addition to twelve Advisory Votes, Washington voters get to vote on one each of an initiative, a referendum, and a Constitutional amendment.

At the local level, measures propose to form and to fund a park and recreation district on Shaw; to authorize excess levies for the Lopez Island Library, the Lopez Solid Waste Disposal District, and the County; and to amend the County Charter to permit biennial budgeting.

The only candidate race that will appear on every ballot in San Juan County is that for State Senator of the 40th District. The incumbent, who was appointed to the position in February, must win by election in November to keep the seat. The Senator is the county’s only voice in the State Senate.

Voters on Orcas will also vote in contested commissioner races for the Port of Orcas and Eastsound Sewer and Water.

This ballot is your chance to make law. Use it.

F. Milene Henley

What is a Ballot “Measure”?

- Measures are anything on a ballot that is not a race between candidates. Measures include initiatives, referenda, Constitutional or Charter amendments, levies, district formations, etc.

- Initiatives are laws proposed (“initiated”) by citizens. State Initiatives may be sent to the Legislature for adoption (in which case they are called Initiatives to the Legislature, or ITLs), or may be sent directly to the ballot for a vote of the people. An ITL that is not adopted by the Legislature is automatically sent to the ballot for a vote of the people.

- Referenda “refer to the people,” for approval or rejection, laws passed by the Legislature. The legislation might have originated as a bill or as an Initiative to the Legislature.

- Constitutional amendments, in Washington, may be initiated only by the Legislature. Even though the initiative process is well known and often used in Washington, it cannot be used to amend the Constitution.

- Advisory Votes are a uniquely Washington measure which give voters the chance to vote on whether the Legislature should have passed a law they already passed. However, unlike referenda, advisory votes have no effect and do not change the law that has passed.
**Voting Instructions**

**How to vote**

- Use a dark blue or black ink pen to completely fill in the box to the left of your choice. Do not use pencil.

Voting more than once for a contest will be an overvote and no votes for that contest will be counted.

**If you make a mistake**

- Draw a line through the entire measure response or candidate’s name.

Then you may make another choice.

**Optional write-in**

- To vote for a candidate not listed, print the name on the blank line provided and fill in the box.

- If you do not wish to vote in a contest, leave all boxes empty.

☐ Tear off the stub at the top of the ballot and throw the stub away.

☐ Mark all contests you wish to vote. **You don’t have to vote every issue.**

☐ Put your finished ballot into the security sleeve.

☐ Put your security sleeve and ballot into the return envelope.

☐ Read, sign, and date the Voter’s Declaration on the envelope. **We cannot count your ballot unless you sign the declaration.**

☐ Seal the return envelope.

☐ Return your voted ballot:  
  *By mail or ballot drop box, no postage is needed.*

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**Return Your Ballot**

**Ballot drop box**

Return your ballot to a ballot drop box by 8:00 p.m. on Election Day, November 5:

- **San Juan County Elections Office**  
  55 Second St., Ste. A, Friday Harbor  
  M–F 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.  
  Election Day 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

- **San Juan County Courthouse**  
  Second St. Entrance, 350 Court St., Friday Harbor

- **Lopez Island Fire District Office**  
  2228 Fisherman Bay Rd., Lopez Island

- **Orcas Island Senior Center**  
  62 Henry Rd., Eastsound

**By mail**

*No stamp is needed!* Place your ballot in the mail before the deadline. Your ballot must be postmarked on or before November 5 in order to count.

**In person**

The Elections office is open 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., M–F, and 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Election Day, November 5:

- **San Juan County Elections**  
  55 Second St., Ste. A, Friday Harbor  
  (across from the Courthouse)

**Accessible Voting**

San Juan County voters with disabilities have the option of voting independently and privately using an accessible voting unit.

The accessible voting equipment will be available Monday through Friday, during regular business hours for the General Election, beginning Friday, October 18, through Election Day, November 5.

**Replacement Ballots**

1. Contact SJC Elections as soon as possible:
   - **San Juan County Elections**  
     Phone: (360) 378-3357  
     Email: elections@sanjuanco.com

   OR

2. Download a replacement ballot:
   - Go to voter.votewa.gov
   - Sign in with your name and date of birth
   - Click on MyBallot then Online Ballot in the left-hand column
   - Follow the instructions for voting and returning your ballot
San Juan County Sample Ballot

This ballot checklist shows all San Juan County measures and candidates approved for inclusion on the ballot for the November 5, 2019 General Election. Not all races and measures listed here will be on your ballot.

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  - Greg White
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- **SJC Fire Protection Dist #2 – Comm 3**
  - Rick Christmas
- **SJC Fire Protection Dist #2 – Comm 5**
  - Tim Fuller
- **Port of Orcas – Comm 1**
  - Clyde A. Duke
  - Pierrette Guimond
- **Port of Orcas – Comm 2**
  - Michael D. Triplett
  - Poke Haffner
- **Port of Orcas – Comm 3**
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  - Gary M. Abood
- **Port of Orcas – Comm 5**
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  - Mia Kartiganer
- **SJC Cemetery Dist #3 – Comm 2**
  - Leith Templin
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  - Diane L. Boteler
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  - Edwin Sutton
- **Eastsound Sewer & Water Dist – Comm 5**
  - Michael Stolmeier

### Lopez Island
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- **Lopez Is School Dist #144 – Dir 4**
  - Jenny Poole
- **Lopez Is School Dist #144 – Dir 5**
  - Carol Steckler
- **SJC Fire Protection Dist #4 – Comm 1**
  - Rebecca (Becky) Smith
- **SJC Fire Protection Dist #4 – Comm 3**
  - Duane Bordvick
- **Port of Lopez – Comm 1**
  - Kenn Aufderhar
- **Port of Lopez – Comm 2**
  - Stephen K. Adams
- **SJC Public Hospital Dist #2 – Comm 2**
  - Rebecca Presley
- **SJC Public Hospital Dist #2 – Comm 5**
  - Albert Berger
- **MacKaye Harbor Water Dist – Comm 1**
  - Dean E. Anderson
- **MacKaye Harbor Water Dist – Comm 3**
  - Kenneth C. Jennings
- **Fisherman Bay Sewer Dist – Comm 1**
  - Lauren Stephens

### Lopez Island Library District
**Proposition No. 1**
**Levy Lid Lift**

The Board of Trustees of the Lopez Island Library District adopted Resolution No. 02 - 2019 concerning an increase to the District’s regular property tax levy. This proposition would authorize the District to increase its current levy from $0.39 to $0.48 per $1,000 of assessed value upon all the taxable property within the district for collection beginning in tax year 2020, and allows an increase in the amount of the levy each year thereafter, as authorized by Chapter 84.55 RCW, for normal operation and maintenance of the library.

Should this proposition be approved?
- Yes
- No
Lopez Solid Waste Disposal District
Proposition No. 1
Excess Property Tax Levy
The Governing Body of the Lopez Solid Waste Disposal District adopted Resolution No. 25-2019 concerning an excess levy for the district. This proposition would authorize the district to generate $105,000 by continuing a levy of excess taxes upon all taxable property within the district in an amount estimated to be $0.10131 per $1,000 assessed valuation for collection in one year -- 2020 -- for the purpose of funding operations and capital improvements of the district. Shall the proposition be approved?
☐ Yes
☐ No

Shaw Island
Shaw Is School Dist #10 – Dir 1
☐ Shirley Sprenger Lange

Shaw Is School Dist #10 – Dir 3
☐ John M. Bogert

Shaw Is School Dist #10 – Dir 4
☐ Jon Shannon

Shaw Is School Dist #10 – Dir 5
☐ Jennifer Swanson

SJC Fire Protection Dist #5 – Comm 1
☐ Corinne Storey

Shaw Island Park & Recreation Dist – Comm 1
☐ Matthew Pierce

Shaw Island Park & Recreation Dist – Comm 2
☐ Stephanie Buffum

Shaw Island Park & Recreation Dist – Comm 3
☐ Sharon Wootton

Shaw Island Park & Recreation Dist – Comm 4
☐ Jonathan Hogue

Shaw Island Park and Recreation District
Proposition No. 1
Formation of Shaw Island Park and Recreation District
The San Juan County Council adopted Resolution No.4-2019 regarding the formation of the Shaw Island Park and Recreation District. If approved, a park and recreation district would be formed pursuant to RCW 36.69.010 et. seq, with a boundary of all of Shaw, Canoe and Blind Islands with the objective of providing leisure time activities and facilities and recreational facilities of a nonprofit nature, to be governed by five commissioners elected from the district.
Shall the park and recreation district be formed?
☐ Yes
☐ No

Shaw Island Park and Recreation District
Proposition No. 2
Authorization for Excess Levy
Will the Shaw Island Park and Recreation District be authorized to impose regular property tax levies of sixty cents ($0.60) or less per thousand dollars of assessed valuation for each of six consecutive years or less?
☐ Yes
☐ No

Shaw Island
Shaw Is School Dist #10 – Dir 1
☐ Shirley Sprenger Lange

Shaw Is School Dist #10 – Dir 3
☐ John M. Bogert

Shaw Is School Dist #10 – Dir 4
☐ Jon Shannon

Shaw Is School Dist #10 – Dir 5
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SJC Fire Protection Dist #5 – Comm 1
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Shaw Island Park & Recreation Dist – Comm 1
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Shaw Island Park & Recreation Dist – Comm 2
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Shaw Island Park & Recreation Dist – Comm 3
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Shaw Island Park & Recreation Dist – Comm 4
☐ Jonathan Hogue

Stuart Island
San Juan County Cemetery Dist #2 – Comm 1
☐ David Ericksen
San Juan County
Proposition No. 1
Charter Amendment for Biennial Budget Authorization

The San Juan County Council adopted Ordinance No. 8-2019 regarding a charter amendment for biennial budgeting. This proposition would modify the county charter in Article 7 to authorize the use of biennial (2 year) budgets with a mid-biennium review using a procedures established for that purpose by state law and the State Auditor.

Shall this proposition be approved?

[ ] Yes
[ ] No

Explanatory Statement
Written by Randall K. Gaylord,
San Juan County Prosecuting Attorney

Since 1995, state law has allowed all counties to adopt an annual or biennial budget process and to change from one process to the other. Presently, San Juan County adopts an annual budget using procedures established by state law and subject to requirements and restrictions in the county charter which has been approved by voters.

Article 7 of the county charter, entitled “Financial Administration,” in multiple locations refers to an “annual” budget process. This language has been construed as a limit on the power of the county council to elect a biennial process and a charter amendment is necessary to authorize the county council to use the state-approved process for biennial budgets.

The county council desires to use a biennial budget process for all funds or any selection of funds. This biennial process will include a mid-biennium (annual) review and modifications for the second year of the biennium.

The county council desires to have the flexibility to use biennial budget process. If this process is approved by the voters and the choice is made by the county council, then an annual or biennial budget process may be adopted for future budgets.

The county council is authorized by Section 9.35 of the county charter to adopt an ordinance to propose amendments to the charter for a vote of the people. A “yes” vote is in favor or approve of the charter amendment. A “no” is against the charter an amendment. A majority of those voting must approve this measure.

Arguments For and Against this measure are on next page ➔
Argument For

The County Charter refers only to annual budgeting, in order to allow a two year budgeting process a Charter Amendment is required. The change will allow biennial budgeting, it will not require it.

Budgeting for two years at a time has been permitted in Washington counties since 1995. Dozens of cities and counties prepare biennial budgets.

Budgeting takes a substantial amount of time and effort. Implementing a biennial budget will allow more time for county departments to focus on their long term departmental goals and critical work. There will still be a mid-biennium review to make adjustments as needed. The budget process will include considerations for potential increases and decreases in year two of the budget which will result in a flexible and realistic plan.

We expect our county leaders to think strategically. A biennial process will require county officials to think more long term and encourage critical thinking at a programmatic level, resulting in better planning and creating a more efficient focus on programs, services and projects.

Biennial budgeting will require a longer term focus on sustainability. The effects of the decisions in year one will be evident in year two of the budget. This will allow the council to make decisions that will safeguard public interests by adopting a budget that is sustainable over a longer period of time.

We urge you to vote yes on biennial budgeting.

Written by
   Richard Fralick, Former San Juan County Freeholder and Council Member
   Rhea Miller, Former County Commissioner
   Jose’ Domenech, Finance Director, San Juan Island

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San Juan County
Proposition No. 2
Regular Property Tax Levy Lid Lift

The San Juan County Council adopted Resolution No. 26-2019 concerning the continuation of a levy lid lift. This proposition would provide stability for twelve county services, subject to exceptions based upon fiscal health or changes in grants, by cancelling the existing levy lid lift for 2020 and replacing it in the amount of 22 cents (for a total levy rate of 85 cents) per $1,000 assessed value; in subsequent years, the levy rate may increase based upon the 2020 amount subject to limit factors in RCW 84.55.

Shall this proposition be approved?

[ ] Yes
[ ] No

Explanatory Statement
Written by Randall K. Gaylord,
San Juan County Prosecuting Attorney

San Juan County voters have previously approved levy lid lifts in 2009 and 2014, each for a period of six years. The Council is returning to the voters for a levy lid lift with for 2020 and subsequent years to bring stability to the county services.

The San Juan County Council has proposed to increase property taxes in the year 2020 by way of a one-time levy lid lift on property tax of 22 cents per $1000 assessed value to a total of 85 cents per $1000 of assessed value and then in subsequent years continue that new levy amount subject to the limit factors set out by state law.

If approved by the voters, the existing levy lid lift for the year 2020 will be canceled and this levy lid lift will be used in its place.

The 2020 levy is expected to generate about $1,700,000. This is a one-time levy lid lift, and future increases of the levy amount will be subject to the limit factors set out in Chapter 84.55 RCW. The limit factor is typically limited to one percent (1%) plus add-ons including new construction and subject to maximum limits.

The resolution adopted by the County Council sets out the programs and activities that are to be allocated funds from the proceeds of this levy lid lift. The appropriations will be dedicated for the year 2020 at the amounts shown below and thereafter with increases to the levy amount resulting from the limit factor in Chapter 84.55 RCW, but subject to adjustment as set forth in the resolution. Because of the stability and duration of this levy, the resolution provides that appropriations in subsequent years may be adjusted as a result of 1) changes in the fiscal health of the county; 2) changes in state and federal funding used in conjunction with the levy lift programs; and 3) changes in the status of any non-profit that is funded.

The programs are similar to those previously approved, but the amounts have been adjusted to reflect costs of services as follows:

a. Senior Services including meals on San Juan, Orcas, and Lopez Islands, in an amount of
approximately $404,000;
b. WSU Extension programs, including 4-H, Master Gardeners, Agricultural Resources Committee and agricultural programs, in an amount of approximately $228,000;
c. Maintenance and operation of county parks, in an amount of approximately $326,00;
d. General fund support of the San Juan County Fair, in an amount of approximately $51,000;
e. Public health services on San Juan, Orcas, and Lopez Islands, in an amount of approximately $145,000;
f. Corrections-Work Release, in an amount of approximately $54,000;
g. Victim Services-Prosecutor, in an amount of approximately $68,000;
h. Emergency Management, in an amount of approximately $140,000;
i. Maintenance of county buildings and grounds, in an amount of approximately $23,000;
j. Protection of island waters by funding the operations and equipment of Islands’ Oil Spill Association in an amount of approximately $130,000;
k. Maintenance of the Parks and Fair in the amount of approximately $100,000; and
l. Natural Resources programming in the approximate amount of $40,000.
A simple majority of the voters is necessary to approve this measure. A “yes” vote is to approve the measure, a “no” vote is to reject the measure.
The justification for the initial Levy Lid Lift was to address needs resulting from budget shortfalls, caused by the worst Recession since the Great Depression. At that time, one would have thought the expenditures contemplated were absolutely essential, but WSU, 4H and Gardening Classes hardly fit the “absolutely essential” definition.

In addition, more money for Senior Meal Services seems to fly in the face of Mullis Center’s claims of declining activity, and their build-up of over $3,000,000 of liquid Reserves. Lopez Senior Meals has also seen a decline in participation over the last year.

The economy has gotten better here, and elsewhere, since the Recession- much better. However, rather than being eliminated, the asked-for increase in property taxes is a 280% increase in the tax rate per $1,000/valuation ($0.22-to-$0.85)!

Since the time of its last approval, there has been little or no inflation, but instead, there has been steep property valuation increases, and steep increases in overall property tax rates!

This levy increase uses one of the oldest plays in the political playbook. The proponents list a whole bunch of great sounding “Services”, and imply that they will have to be cut if they don’t get this new revenue.

We have all seen this before, with this list of “Revenue Needs”. And remember, just last year, we passed a different Property Tax Increase. It is becoming an Annual Event.

Vote NO on extending the Levy Lid at this time.

Written by: Committe to Stop Increasing Annual Property Tax Rates

Dan Schwartz
Cindy Carter
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Stephen Hushebeck (Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience
Friday Harbor Town Council 2010-2019

Other Professional Experience
Worked as an Executive Director and Marketing Manager in the energy industry for 29 years

Education
Bachelor of Science in Finance and minor in Marketing from California State University Northridge.

Community Service
Town Council of Friday Harbor 2010 -2019 and Friday Harbor Planning Commission from 2008 through 2010. Served as Treasurer and Board Member for Leadership San Juan Islands (LSJI) from 2010 to present. Also served on the Board of Directors for the Children’s Institute for Learning Differences in Seattle from 1998 until 2012.

Statement
I have thoroughly enjoyed the privilege of being on the Friday Harbor Town Council and serving our community since being appointed to Council Position #1 in January 2010 and reelected in 2015. Serving on the Town Council has been a pleasure and valuable experience for me including the opportunity to participate with many local organizations and committees including the Economic Development Council and the San Juan Island Chamber of Commerce. It has also been rewarding to work with Town staff and many of the Town employees toward achievements. Over the past few years Friday Harbor has faced many challenges and achieved some key milestones which I am privileged to be part of. I love the spirit and character of our community and look forward to serving on the Friday Harbor Town Council in the future!

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Elected Experience
10 years as Town of Friday Harbor Councilmember
(appointed June, 2009).

Other Professional Experience
22 years Fire Service.

Education
Associates Degree.

Community Service
Current Service: San Juan County Board of Health;
Region 3 Fire Training Council. Previous service includes:
San Juan EMS; Island Oil Spill Association; San Juan
County Law and Justice Committee; San Juan County
Housing Advisory Committee; Town of Friday Harbor Arts
Commission.

Statement
I seek to continue my role as a representative of the
people. I always do my best to land on decisions which
lead toward the overall best outcome for our Town and
the people who call it home

Contact
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Barbara Starr  
(Nonpartisan)

**Elected Experience**
I’ve served on the Town Council of Friday Harbor for the past 10 years, and I’m running for re-election this November. It has been a real privilege to do my best to represent you, our local citizens.

**Other Professional Experience**
I’ve worked as a Licensed Clinical Social Worker for the past 36 years. I am currently the Program Manager for Compass Health in San Juan County, which provides mental health and substance use disorder services. I also serve on the Board of the San Juan Island Prevention Coalition.

**Education**
No information submitted.

**Community Service**
No information submitted.

**Statement**
As a candidate for Town Council, I’d like you to know a little about me. I’ve lived on San Juan Island for 30 years, the last 22 in town. I raised my son here and love the way the community embraced and supported us.

My goals are to support our local identity, affordability and quality of life. That means supporting affordable housing, limiting tax increases whenever possible, maintaining close working relationships with law enforcement and the fire department, and supporting infrastructure such as safe roads and reliable water transmission lines. I also believe it’s important to support the arts and to make Friday Harbor an even more beautiful place to live, through support of art events and the installation of sculptures and the pocket park.

My mission is to support you, and I ask for your support so I can continue to do my best to serve you. Thank you.

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Kelle’ Wilson
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience
Served previous four years as elected Town Treasurer

Other Professional Experience
Government worker for 29 years

Education
FHHS and some college courses

Community Service
Assisted with youth athletics for many years when my children were in school

Statement
Thank you for allowing me the opportunity to serve as your Town Treasurer for the past 4 years, it’s been my honor. I look forward to maintaining a high-standard of financial integrity in the coming term. I will work hard to earn your trust in me.

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T. J. Heller  
(Nonpartisan)

**Elected Experience**
San Juan Public Schools Foundation Board of Directors (1.5 years); San Juan School District Board of Directors, Position #3 (one year)

**Other Professional Experience**
Instructional Designer/Trainer for over 20 years

**Education**
A.A. in Journalism, Meramec Community College; B.A. in Mass Communication, Northeast Missouri State University; Dale Carnegie Sales Training

**Community Service**
United Way Day of Caring

**Statement**
I believe the strength of a community is determined by the quality of its public school system. Although the State Supreme Court concluded our state legislators resolved the McCleary decision, the reality is that we're still feeling its impact, along with other recent budget decisions made by our current legislators that financially impacted our district. All of these decisions are affecting the day-to-day operations of San Juan School District, limiting our future planning. While sitting on the Board for the past year, I learned first-hand how difficult our financial challenges are and its impact on all of us. However, our goal remains the same: providing quality education for all students, while maintaining fiduciary constraints. Children are and should be our number one priority; delivering quality public education in a safe environment is paramount. Thanks to our hardworking teachers and our parent and community volunteers for their assistance in the classroom!

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John Kurtz
(Nonpartisan)

Unopposed

Elected Experience
No information submitted.

Other Professional Experience
No information submitted.

Education
No information submitted.

Community Service
No information submitted.

Statement
No information submitted.

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Brian Moore  
(Nonpartisan)  

**Elected Experience**  
Appointed to San Juan Island School Board, in an interim position, April 24, 2019  

**Other Professional Experience**  
Research Scientist/Laboratory Manager at University of Washington, January 2001 – March 2010  

**Education**  
BS Medical Technology w/minor in Chemistry. Seattle University 2001  

**Community Service**  
President of the not-for-profit San Juan Island Family Resource Network (Family Umbrella Group) since January 2014. The Family Umbrella Group provides need-based scholarships for children to attend preschool. Director and Vice President of the San Juan Island Public School Foundation, March 2014 to present.  

**Statement**  
I am passionate about public education and believe it is our duty as parents, educators and community leaders to provide every tool within our means to better our children’s education. I am an advocate for educational excellence. As such, I have experience in fund raising, gathering resources, and acting as a catalyst to involve the community in public education. Serving on two not-for-profit boards has enriched my education and understanding as to the difficulties school districts face. I will use my understanding of budgets and my leadership skills to arrive at the best possible decisions. I will always put what is in the best interest of our children first.  

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Elected Experience
I have been Fire Commissioner for 2 years.

Other Professional Experience
I was a member of the San Francisco Fire Department for over 36 years. I have been a member of San Juan County Fire and Rescue for the past 3 years.

Education
I have an associate's degree in Fire Science Technology from San Francisco City College and a Bachelors Degree from California State University Long Beach in Occupational Studies-Vocational Arts.

Community Service
I have volunteered with San Juan County Fire District #3 as a member of FIREWISE and as a Driver/Operator.

Statement
Marielle and I moved to San Juan Island in 2013. I volunteered with SJI Fire District #3 by teaching classes and accepting an appointment as a commissioner and then became a driver/operator too. I am a member of the Northwest Washington Incident Management Team. I have an extensive background in Fire Service Operations and Management and teach courses in these areas throughout the United States and abroad. I am an adjunct instructor at the National Emergency Training Center in Emmitsburg, Maryland. These skills have all proven useful in dealing with the overall management of San Juan Island Fire District #3. We are currently considering a merger with SJI EMS and I have had similar experiences when the same occurred in the San Francisco Fire Department. That experience has proven helpful in our negotiations with the EMS Board.

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Unopposed

Bob Jarman
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience
Two terms Fire Commissioner; One term San Juan Co. Councilman

Other Professional Experience
Small business Owner Island Communications; Thirty years in the telecommunications industry; Implementation of Enhanced 911 and County Addressing

Education
Studied at Cal Poly Tech; Business and Financial Management at U. of Kansas

Community Service
Rotary Intl; past Kiwanis member; past S.J. Senior Board member; Relay For Life; United Way; Dollars For Scholars; President, Homeowners Assoc.

Statement
I have been a Fire Commissioner at San Juan Protection No 3 for 14 years. I am running again to complete the term I was appointed to 1½ years ago. During my tenure as Fire Commissioner I have always strived to see that the district provide the best fire and protection services to our citizens. With our excellent Fire Chief, staff, volunteers and fellow board members, we have achieved this goal while being financially sound and prudent.

Together with strong citizen support, I look forward to our future challenges, including being able to provide enhanced Fire and EMS service. I have worked with the Peace Health Hospital Board in establishing the Citizen Advisory Committee and we established the Steering Committee on this issue. I feel confident that we will be able to provide the best services possible.

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Graham "Gib" Black  
(Nonpartisan)  

Elected Experience  
No information submitted.  

Other Professional Experience  
No information submitted.  

Education  
No information submitted.  

Community Service  
No information submitted.  

Statement  
No information submitted.  

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Unopposed
Bill Cumming  
(Nonpartisan)

Unopposed

Elected Experience
No information submitted.

Other Professional Experience
No information submitted.

Education
No information submitted.

Community Service
No information submitted.

Statement
Serving on the Island Rec Board of Commissioners for over 25 years has been truly an honor for me. I believe a vibrant recreational program is one of the most important components for a healthy island life. Our island is a wonderful example of a successful healthy community due in part to the efforts of the wonderful staff at Island Rec and of our strong community support. I want to continue serving as your commissioner to help ensure that our tax dollars are used wisely for programs that meet the needs of our young families, teens, young adults, and our seniors.

Thank you all for support of Island Rec and for your vote of confidence.

Contact
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Elected Experience
This would be my Second term as an elected Island Rec Commissioner. I had previously been appointed to fill a vacancy on the board of Commissioners.

Other Professional Experience
Owner of Island Petroleum Services

Education
Bachelors degree in Business and Construction Management from Washington State University

Community Service
Rotary board member for 4 years, FHBSA Softball Coach, Soccer Referee, 4-H Livestock Leader.

Statement
It has been an honor to serve as an Island Rec Commissioner. I am very excited about the direction we are headed. Being a part of a growing, thriving organization is what keeps me very much an active part of this asset to our community. I will stay focused and committed in my role as commissioner.

Contact
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Elected Experience
No information submitted.

Other Professional Experience
Massage Therapy private practice, Natural Hazards Disclosure Sales Representative, Mediation & Arbitration Coordinator, High School Guidance Counselor.

Education
B.A., M.Ed. from the University of Virginia

Community Service
Assistant Coach for the FHHS girl’s basketball team – 4 years; Athletes-As-Leaders Program mentor for the FHHS girl’s basketball team – 2 years; Co-President and President of the FHES PTA/PTO – 2 years; I facilitated the transition from PTA to PTO and wrote grants for a new Pie Booth.

Statement
I am a life-long athlete. I started as a Park and Rec basketball player, progressed to Division I basketball in college, and athletics continues to be an integral part of my life. My family and I moved to SJI five years ago, and our daughter attended FHES for 3 years before enrolling in Spring Street International School. I love being a part of this community and am an active volunteer. I am excited for the opportunity to support an organization that represents not only the roots of my life as an athlete, but also the fabric that connects many aspects of this Island community.

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Jeri Ahrenius
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience
No information submitted.

Other Professional Experience
No information submitted.

Education
No information submitted.

Community Service
No information submitted.

Statement
My name is Jeri Ahrenius and I am seeking re-election to the San Juan Cemetery District 1, Commissioner Position 1. I pledge to continue to serve our community in this capacity to the best of my ability and I appreciate your support.

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San Juan Island | SJC Cemetery District #1 Commissioner 1 | 6-year term

Unopposed
Kim Sundstrom  (Nonpartisan)  Unopposed

Elected Experience
In September of 2018, I was appointed as interim commissioner for the cemetery district and have been honored to serve.

Other Professional Experience
No information submitted.

Education
No information submitted.

Community Service
No information submitted.

Statement
I was born and raised on San Juan Island and graduated from Friday Harbor High School in 1971. After serving in the Air Force, I became a dairy farmer and was in the dairy business for many years. After raising my family and retiring from the dairy industry, I was able to return to full time island life and still do a little farming and reside on the same farmland in San Juan Valley where I grew up. I have been a regular visitor to the cemetery all my life and have several generations of family and friends buried in the Valley Cemetery as well as in the neighboring Catholic Cemetery on Madden Lane. I am pleased with the current level of maintenance at the church and cemetery, which preserves it for present and future generations and also honors the pioneer spirit of our ancestors for whom it was established.

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Gail Leschine-Seitz
(Nonpartisan)

Unopposed

Elected Experience
None

Other Professional Experience
Currently Aging & Family Case Coordinator for Health and Community Services. Previously: Worked in Senior Services for 2 years, 4-H Program Coordinator for 2 years. Worked for the San Juan Island School District as a Resource Specialist for Children and Families for 15 years.

Education
Bachelor of Arts Degree in English, University of Puget Sound. Master's Degree in Psychology, Antioch University. Graduate, Leadership San Juan.

Community Service
Board member for San Juan County Community Network Board and San Juan Island Prevention Coalition; Volunteer with Primary Intervention Program at Friday Harbor Elementary. Volunteer with Amnesty International.

Statement
I love the island community. There are so many caring people here and so many resources that come out of a genuine compassion for each other. How was the Hospital built? People work tirelessly and find resources when we identify critical needs. I have spent 25 years here working with amazing people of all ages, supporting them when they are facing challenges and seeing how they make our community richer as their lives improve.

I want to be on the Hospital District Board because resources are needed. Many seniors in our community are struggling daily to get by. They need care in their homes and they need a place to stay when they are ill. People of all ages go without getting basic health care needs met. I hope to work through the struggles that limit excellent health care for everyone in the islands.

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Elected Experience
This is my first time running for office.

Other Professional Experience
State of Alaska, Forensic Chemist (Department of Public Safety, 1984-99; Department of Public Health, 1983-84); U.S. Government, Medical Technologist (Native Health Service, 1981-83); Petaluma Clinical Lab, Petaluma, CA, Owner/Medical Technologist (1979-80); Central Pathology Lab, Santa Rosa, CA, Chief Medical Technologist (1976-78); Healdsburg Hospital Lab, Medical Technologist/Analytical Toxicologist/Forensic Alcohol Analyst (1972-75).

Education
California State University, Sonoma, BS in Chemistry; St. Mary’s Hospital, San Francisco, Medical Technology; Santa Rosa JC, AA in Physics.

Community Service
Mullis Senior Center, meal delivery; San Juan Community Theater, lights, usher, set construction; Rotary, Petaluma, CA

Statement
I sailed into Friday Harbor with my wife and son in August 1999 after retiring from the State of Alaska. Like many islanders, I spent four years building our home. Life in this community is wonderful and I am lucky to be part of it. Now I’d like to give back to my community by using my professional background to serve as a Public Hospital District Commissioner. During my professional career I have worked as part of a team, learned to listen to and respect the views of others, and collaborated to achieve common goals. My primary goals in this case will be to ensure that quality, affordable health care is available to everyone in the district, and to ensure that the Citizens Advisory Group’s recommendation to integrate EMS and Fire District 3 will be thoughtfully examined and implemented if it offers a net benefit to the community.

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Kyle Loring  
(Nonpartisan)

**Elected Experience**
None

**Other Professional Experience**
15 years of legal experience – currently in private practice; 10 years as legal counsel for Friends of the San Juans; 3 years with K&L Gates, Seattle; 1 year with Alternatives for Community and Environment, Roxbury, MA

**Education**
J.D. Boston College Law School (magna cum laude), A.B. Bowdoin College (summa cum laude, Government and Environmental Studies)

**Community Service**

**Statement**
I am asking for your vote so that I may serve my community on the Public Hospital District Commission by working for transparency, fiscal responsibility, and affordable, quality medical care. The hospital district finds itself in a period of transition and, thus, of opportunity. As the hospital commission looks to consider and act on the Citizen’s Advisory Group recommendations about consolidation with Fire District 3, I pledge to bring a thoughtful, inquisitive approach and to act in our community’s best interests.

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Trish Lehman
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience
None

Other Professional Experience
Currently a Registered Nurse with Hospice of the NW. Previously: RN case manager at Island Hospital Home Health; RN and supervisor at Island Hospital; Staff Development Coordinator at Life Care of the San Juans, Marysville Care Center and ModernCare Nursing Home; Director of Nursing at Islands’ Convalescent Center; manager of San Juan Travel in Eastsound, WA.

Education
Graduate of Tacoma General Hospital School of Nursing and simultaneously attended the University of Puget Sound; ongoing yearly continuing education for professional development.

Community Service
Auctioneer for numerous local non-profit organizations in San Juan County for 20 years; Kiwanis Club.

Statement
I’ve had the opportunity to work as a health care provider in our community for many years. I started in healthcare on the island when we had one doctor and no EMS. It’s given me a rare opportunity to witness the dynamic change in our community’s growth and healthcare needs. I’m a parent who raised three sons here, gave birth to one of them at the old Inter-Island Medical Center, had one flown off island for a life threatening medical situation and watched my aging parents’ medical needs increase as their health declined and their lives ended in hospice care to allow them to die at home. As a hospital commissioner I’ll work to assure we have sustainable medical services that meet the needs of all the residents in our community while applying the ethical principles I practice in my work as a nurse.

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J. Clark Munroe (Nonpartisan)

**Elected Experience**
No information submitted.

**Other Professional Experience**
No information submitted.

**Education**
No information submitted.

**Community Service**
No information submitted.

**Statement**
No information submitted.

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Linda Sheridan
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience
None

Other Professional Experience
Current: Special Projects Manager at Four Winds*Westward Ho Summer Camp. Past: Director of Orcas Island Park and Rec; Interpretive Specialist at Moran State Park and Director of Moran Outdoor School

Education
BA in Outdoor Recreation from the University of Minnesota Duluth

Community Service
No information submitted.

Statement
I have been fortunate to live on this beautiful Island for 14 years. My husband and I are happily raising our two daughters in this wonderful community. I am seeking this position because I truly believe in all the possibilities public education has to offer. I not only want to support all the great things going on in our schools today, but to work with staff, admin, and students to make our district the best it can be into the future.

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Elected Experience
None.

Other Professional Experience
Ayn has taught incarcerated kids, k-12 students in public schools, and gifted students. She has ten years of experience as a Chief Communications & Content Officer and experience transforming a Title 1 elementary school from low-performing to one of L.A.’s top 2 schools.

Education
Masters – Education & Social Policy, Harvard University; B.A. – Psychology, UCLA; MFA – Writing, UCLA.

Community Service
Ayn teaches a free weekly novel writing class to teens; cofounded Orcas P.A.C.T., a progressive Parent, Administrators, and Community Taskforce designed to foster positive change at OISD; and volunteers with our middle school, Funhouse, PTSA & Lit Fest.

Statement
Ayn has the formal education, experience, skills, and vision to help our Orcas Island schools meet their full potential. As a parent of an eighth grader, she appreciates that, although there are great things about our public schools, there is much room for improvement. Her focus on school board will be supporting policies that help create effective procedures and innovative (especially budget neutral) programs that address school culture and academics to develop the safest, most inspiring environment possible so that all students can thrive personally and academically. Priorities include ensuring all kids are in a classroom that builds confidence and is conducive to learning; improving transparency and trust; and addressing academic shortcomings. Ayn believes that addressing these matters will decrease disenfranchisement, help retain more exceptionally academic students that are lost to private schools and homeschooling, build more community support, and bring back much-needed resources for our school.

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**Greg White (Nonpartisan)**

**Elected Experience**
Current School Board Director, 6 years experience.

**Other Professional Experience**
Greg White has owned a land surveying company on Orcas Island for 19 years. Currently Greg operates his land surveying company as well as being a Realtor.

**Education**
No information submitted.

**Community Service**
Greg White has volunteered in various capacities for the duration of his life on Orcas Island including coaching, Little League Commissioner, serving on the Eastsound Planning Review Committee, being a Math Olympiad coach.

**Statement**
Experience is important. For the past six years as School Board Director there have been many changes in our district. Construction has transformed our facility into a clean and safe place for students to learn. The District has approximately 800 students and I am proud to have worked this year with the Montessori Steering Committee to open our newest school.

Along with the Superintendent, the Board constantly identifies what we are doing right, and how we can be even better. Deep understanding budget, policy and legal considerations are critical, but none of this would be possible without connection to community. My strongest attribute is the ability to listen to as many different voices when making a decision.

Experience is important. I have learned and grown, I also have more work to do. I hope that you continue to put your trust in me to continue to move the District forward.

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**Lili Hein (Nonpartisan)**

**Elected Experience**
N/A

**Other Professional Experience**
1995-1997 Manager, Beijing, AIESEC – world’s largest student internship exchange in 120+ countries; 2000-2006 Manager, Trade Development Alliance, Greater Seattle Chamber of Commerce; 2008-2010 President, AIESEC Life Alumni; 2010-2012 Hub Leader, AIESEC Life Seattle; 2007-2015 Owner, Bare Hooves Rock, equine services

**Education**
David Glasgow Farragut High School (Spain); Seoul American High School; North Kitsap High School, Diploma; UW, BA International Studies, MA Geography; Peking University, Semester Program

**Community Service**

**Statement**
My intention for running is to have a conversation about the state of the district and K-12 education in our small community, as a window, or rather a door to the rest of the country and world. For me, the journey is more important than any expectation of the end result.

Part-time on Orcas since 2001, full-time since 2015, our family has six cumulative years of student/parent experience at OISD, with two at OIHS and four at OIES. Getting to know several OIHS recent graduates gave me confidence to enroll our first grader at OIES in 2016, and another first grader in 2018. I have been actively involved with the district, from volunteering to fundraising.

Some ask why voters without children in OISD are voting for school board directors. I believe and act on the premise that educating our youth is a community responsibility. It takes a village.

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Janet Marlow
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience
No information submitted.

Other Professional Experience
Supply Chain Manager, Tenaris, 2001-2010. Human
Resources Learning and Development Manager, Tenaris,
2010-2018. Currently the Administrative Services
Coordinator at Orcas Island Public Library.

Education
Texas A&M University, 1993-1997, BA in English, Magna
Cum Laude; University of Houston, 1999-2001, MBA in
Operations and Logistics Management, with Honors.

Community Service
Currently a weekly volunteer at the Funhouse Commons.

Statement
Orcas Island Fire & Rescue serves a critical function in
our community. They are a talented and dedicated team
that I would be honored to support as commissioner.
I’ve spent the bulk of my career designing processes,
including inventory management systems for industrial
companies and training and compliance programs for
logistics personnel. No matter the process, critical in the
design of any operation is budget management – getting
the most effective results within the fiscal constraints.
Now working at the Library, I coordinate budget,
employee, and other administrative matters, and I see
firsthand the responsibility a junior taxing district has to
the population it serves. I would like to contribute this
experience to OIFR to help ensure we are serving the
community with the most effective operations possible
and with a fiscally responsible, transparent approach.

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Rick Christmas

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience
No information submitted.

Other Professional Experience
President of Christmas Consulting. Previously served as Chief Information Officer of True Blue, a leading international provider of specialized workforce solutions. I was also founding member and CIO of Gentiva Health Services, the largest provider of home health care and related services in the United States.

Education
BA, Business Administration & Information Management; MA, Health Information Management, University of Washington

Community Service
No information submitted.

Statement
I have been a resident of Orcas Island dating back to 1998. I take pride in being part of our community, which has given so much to me personally over the years. I was appointed Fire Commissioner of Orcas Island at the beginning of 2019. Currently I am also a member of the Board of Directors for OPALCO, the San Juan County electric and broadband utility. As a Fire Commissioner, I would like to continue to offer my experience and insights to serve OIFR and the public of Orcas Island to the best of my abilities. I believe that fiscal management and focused planning are critical to the success of any organization. As a past executive and having participated on boards of numerous other organizations, I believe that searching for common ground is critical to providing effective leadership. These are the traits I will bring as your Fire Commissioner.

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Elected Experience
Appointed to the SJC Fire Protection District #2 Board of Fire Commissioners in April 2017; currently serving as chair.

Other Professional Experience
Retired from a 40-year career in public service, working for the Cities of Saint Paul, MN and Redmond, WA. In 1991 appointed Fire Chief for Saint Paul and led the department for twelve years. In 2005 appointed Fire Chief for the City of Redmond and served in that position until 2011.

Education

Community Service
Trustee for OPAL Community Land Trust, currently serving as chair.

Statement
As fire commissioner, my responsibility is to ensure that the members of Orcas Island Fire and Rescue have the resources and support necessary to continue to safely and efficiently provide excellent fire and emergency medical service to the residents and visitors of the Island. I believe the Board of Fire Commissioners successfully provides strategic leadership and oversight by using a collaborative, transparent and disciplined approach.

Contact
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Clyde A. Duke
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience
Fire Commissioner, San Juan Fire District 2, two terms of 6 years each

Other Professional Experience
Duke Contracting Services, roofing/gutters and sheet metal since 1991; Restaurant/venue operator; Other commercial property management

Education
No information submitted.

Community Service
Eastsound Planning Review Committee, multiple terms; Currently serving on Eastsound Design Review Committee; Eastsound Water Users Association board, past chair; Orcas Center Board Selection Committee; Volunteer Fire Fighter and President of the Orcas Fire Fighter Association; Appointed Port of Orcas commissioner – currently serving

Statement
As a close neighbor of the Port of Orcas I am interested in maintaining its unique relationship with the community. My mission is to visualize the challenges ahead and maintain a transparent process of future development within the Eastsound core.

People often don’t understand how vital the port is to our community. It facilitates emergency and non-emergency medical needs including Mercy Pilots; banking; mail; and commerce besides the basic transportation function we all recognize it for.

My hope is to maintain harmony and to provide for the needs of the island to prosper with balance.

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Pierrette Guimond
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience
Orcas Cemetery Commissioner for 15 years

Other Professional Experience
Appointed Library Trustee for 3 years. Member of The Friends of the Library for 10 years, serving as President for 3 years.

Education
Benoit Secretarial/Business School

Community Service
Grounds upkeeps: Library, Library Park, Senior Center, Fire Department and Orcas Center.

Statement
I feel that the Port of Orcas needs a sensible voice to look at the future of our rural airport. I have attended a lot of public meetings in the last 20 years dealing with different issues. I will be a good voice for the public that elected officials represent.

I am a retired Flight Attendant, that chose Orcas Island 28 years ago for it’s rural beauty and I feel that we must protect it.

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Michael D. Triplett  
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience
No information submitted.

Other Professional Experience
Michael has practiced dentistry on Orcas Island these past 24 years.

Education
Bachelor of Science in Business Administration, Pacific Union College; Doctor of Dental Surgery, Loma Linda University

Community Service
Michael's office has hosted “Free Tooth Extraction” clinics for the economically challenged 3-4 times per year since 2013. Michael is currently a volunteer pilot for Orcas Island’s Mercy Flight Program. Orcas Island Lions Club member since 1995.

Statement
Imagine: The old dog park now a sea of asphalt with a new 4,000 sq. ft. terminal building. Mount Baker Road moved to the south with a round-about where it connects to Lover’s Lane. The loss of 3.4 acres of Brandt’s Landing Marina due to airport acquisition. The existing 2,901 foot runway length increases to 3,255 feet. Better yet, spend 15 minutes at the library reviewing the 2019 Master Plan approved unanimously by current Commissioners (Haffner, Duke, VonTobel, Sawyer, and Hopkins).

With 4 of the 5 Commissioner seats on the ballot, voters have a way to vote on this Master Plan. If you like current representation, elect the incumbents. But if you don’t like the Master plan, give the challengers a chance to better represent you. If elected, I will endeavor to bring a referendum on the Master Plan to the Orcas electorate. Let the People decide!

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Poke Haffner  
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience
Have not previously held elected office.

Other Professional Experience
I practiced law in Alaska between 1981 and 2015. In my final four years as an Assistant Attorney General, I represented the Alaska Department of Transportation.

Education

Community Service
Alaska: volunteer firefighter/EMT 1988-95; founding Board member Interior AIDS Association; Board member, Women’s shelter. Orcas: volunteer at Orcas Library; Indralaya Library; Hospice; driver for Meals on Wheels and off-island medical transports; volunteer ham radio operator with Orcas Fire Dept.

Statement
I intend to listen to all who wish to express their ideas, and I will seek out information to inform my decisions. I will make my own decisions based on all input and in the interests of maintaining a safe and functional airport for our island and to facilitate the friendliness and welcoming that has historically characterized this small airport.

My experience with Alaska’s Department of Transportation has given me familiarity with the regulatory challenges of operating a small airport, and my legal work in general involved working with regulators, the public, clients, and many competing interests. In my work for AKDOT, I was acutely aware that the agency was spending other people’s money. The same is true for the Orcas airport. I would offer this experience to the airport and would hope to be a reasonable and calming influence.

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Selected Experience
No information submitted.

Other Professional Experience

Education
M.S. Education/Counseling; University of Southern Maine, 1978; B.S. Education; Wittenberg University, 1963

Community Service
Moran State Park; Office Volunteer; Friends of Moran; Gift Shop Volunteer; Lutheran Church in the San Juans; council member/deacon

Statement
After over a decade as airport manager and almost 6 years since retirement, the master plan update process was something I experienced twice during my tenure. Public input for this update has been extensive, and includes changes made and memorialized before a unanimous vote accepted the document as revised.

Since an updated administrative structure was adopted in May, hiring people to fill open positions for a longer term can now proceed.

I will evaluate input needed and solicited for making decisions carefully, but will vote to maintain the airport as a welcoming and safe essential public facility for use by residents and visitors.

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Elected Experience
Port of Orcas Commissioner 2000-2004

Other Professional Experience
No information submitted.

Education
Yes

Community Service
No information submitted.

Statement
The Port of Orcas is an important part of the public infrastructure on our island. I would like to join the Board of Commissioners because I believe public management and oversight of the operations of our airport must improve...by a lot!

Many of the very same issues facing the Port of Orcas today are the same as they were during my previous time on the Board. I am happy to hear many members of our community speaking up about true community involvement, accountability, and transparency; I want to be part of that conversation.

Having enjoyed a keen interest in the Eastsound airport since 1998, I feel I can effectively contribute and add value to the conversations. I would like to add my voice to the next Board and work to get the Port on a better track.

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Greg Ayers  
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience
Commissioner, Eastsound Sewer & Water District  
2010-present

Other Professional Experience
Biotech industry entrepreneur; CEO/Board Member – 14  
biotech businesses; Lecturer/Advisor – small business;  
Cardiologist; Inventor

Education
Purdue University – BS/PhD (Biomedical Engineering);  
Indiana University – MD

Community Service
Orcas Island Fire & Rescue, Firefighter 2013-present;  
Eastsound Planning & Review Committee 2013-2017;  
Marine Resource Committee, 2013-2015; Northwest  
Straits Commissioner, 2013-2015; Northwest Straits  
Foundation, Board Member/Treasurer, 2013-2017; Island  
Reproductive Health, Founding Member/Clinical Director;  
Grange, 2011-present; Orcas Island Medical Foundation  
2008-2011

Statement
Whether we realize it, we rely on the Port for our island  
way of life. Bringing us packages, transporting our loved  
one’s, and the emergency transportation of our neighbors  
in their greatest time of need. As your commissioner, I will  
see these critical needs are met.

However, the Port must also be consistent with our island  
culture. I have the vision to protect our shared community  
values while assuring compliance with the necessary  
regulations.

I have shown leadership as Sewer & Water District  
commissioner, EPRC chair, and as a Firefighter and  
EMT. I am prepared to lead the Port through the many  
challenges it faces now, and in the future.

With your guidance and support, I will make the difficult  
decisions necessary to provide stewardship of our Port  
while protecting our island environment, economy, and  
way of life.

Stay in touch by visiting www.ElectAyers.org. Please vote  
for Greg Ayers.

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org

Mia Kartiganer  
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience
County Delegate for 2008 Presidential Election

Other Professional Experience
Owner of Mia’s Café; 2009-2019 Previous Board Member  
– Orcas Island Chamber of Commerce

Education
Ongoing

Community Service
In addition to keeping a restaurant open during the winter  
months, I have hosted and raised funds for numerous  
local non-profits

Statement
Since moving to Orcas Island in 1991 I have had the  
opportunity to work with/for a diverse sampling of our  
community. I hope to govern on behalf of them all.

It is the responsibility of the Commission to make sure  
the public has complete access to all of the information  
that weighs into their decisions, and to be aware that a  
differing opinion needn’t reflect a misunderstanding of  
the facts. Open dialogue is essential.

We must be conscientious about steering clear of  
anything that suggests impropriety and remember that  
the majority within our community should guide how we  
proceed.

I moved to Orcas Island in 1991 as a massage therapist  
and have since been fortunate to work in various fields of  
employment with people from diverse socio-economic  
backgrounds. My goal is to bring the voices of the whole  
community into Port process.

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Leith Templin
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience
No information submitted.

Other Professional Experience
No information submitted.

Education
No information submitted.

Community Service
No information submitted.

Statement
No information submitted.

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Diane L. Boteler
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience
No information submitted.

Other Professional Experience
No information submitted.

Education
No information submitted.

Community Service
No information submitted.

Statement
No information submitted.

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Del Guenther (Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience
7 years as a School Board Director for Lopez Island School

Other Professional Experience
32 years teaching, 11 years Athletic Director, mostly in Washington public schools, but also in private schools and schools in other countries

Education
B.S. Biology, M.A. Zoology, current K-12 teaching certificate for Washington State

Community Service
No information submitted.

Statement
Goals – To insure a safe school environment and to prepare every student for whatever path they may take in their future.

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Jenny Poole  
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience
None

Other Professional Experience

Education
BA in English and Masters of Education in Teaching, University of California, Santa Barbara.

Community Service
Preschool Treasurer and active volunteer at the Lopez Elementary school.

Statement
I have always been committed to public education, believing that our schools enrich and support our communities. I have pursued my interest in education professionally and spent many years as a secondary English teacher. With my two children currently enrolled in the Lopez elementary and middle schools, I would like to continue my involvement and support of public education as a school board representative.

I believe that our diversity of perspectives and voices is a strength of our community. I value the collaboration between students, parents, teachers, and administration in developing educational opportunities that support a variety of needs. I support the school and community’s commitment to providing unique and engaging learning opportunities through travel, experiential education, the arts, and extracurricular activities. If elected, I will focus on listening, learning, and collaborating in order to bring academic excellence to our schools.

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Carol Steckler
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience
No information submitted.

Other Professional Experience
No information submitted.

Education
No information submitted.

Community Service
No information submitted.

Statement
No information submitted.

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Rebecca (Becky) Smith
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience
I have served as a Fire Commissioner for 18 years (3 terms). Lopez Island School Board many years ago.

Other Professional Experience
I worked as a Visiting Nurse, manager of the Lopez Chamber of Commerce, and currently bookkeeper for Decatur Northwest Community Association and manager of Hamlet House Adult Family Home.

Education
2 years at WSU then graduated from Merritt Hospital School of Nursing in Oakland, CA

Community Service
I have served on numerous community and non-profit boards.

Statement
I am proud of the high level of skills our personnel and volunteers bring to our citizens. Lopez Island Fire & EMS (LIFE) has experienced many changes in the delivery of our emergency services in the past 2 years creating unique challenges. I would like to continue working in a leadership role to ensure our high level of care remains available for the future.

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Duane Bordvick  
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience
This is my first general election candidacy.

Other Professional Experience
36-year professional career centered on Environmental Protection, Health and Safety, Emergency Response, Public Affairs and Government Relations for public service and private industry sectors.

Education
B.S. in Mechanical Engineering – University of Washington.

Community Service
Since 2003 I’ve served through appointment to public and private boards including: SJC Salary Commission, currently 7th year and Chairman; North Lopez Service Board, a private association providing drinking water to over 60 households on Lopez, currently serving my eighth year; Lopez Island Community Center Board, four years including two as Chairman; Lopez Island Yacht Club Board for five years.

Statement
I look forward to this opportunity to further serve San Juan County and Lopez island. I believe the combination of my extensive board experience coupled with my past professional experience in Health, Safety and the Environment provides an excellent foundation to serve the community as a Fire District Commissioner.

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Kenn Aufderhar
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience
Port of Lopez, Commissioner

Other Professional Experience
Commercial Construction Contractor – 40 yrs, Dental Office Business Manager, Rental Properties Manager

Education
Business, Walla Walla University

Community Service
Treasurer for non-profit, Medical flights for Lopez Community, Logistics Team of the Lopez Fire Department.

Statement
Thank you for allowing me to serve the Lopez Community as Port Commissioner these last several years. We have a fantastic, dedicated team that puts the Port first and I have been privileged to be a part of that team.

Accomplishments include: Our first ever Lopez Island Airport Day. A celebration for the local community.

Completing the airport master plan update that provides for continued operation of this valuable and essential resource.

Airport lighting upgrade that now makes the port a net provider of electricity.

Thank you again for the opportunity to serve this community as we work for additional marine access, continued improvement of the airport for better access in bad weather by emergency medical flights and sound financial planning.

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Stephen K. Adams
(Nonpartisan)

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Elected Experience
No information submitted.

Other Professional Experience
No information submitted.

Education
No information submitted.

Community Service
No information submitted.

Statement
I am a retired HS science and technology teacher including, 30 years at Lopez School. I volunteered 20 years with the Lopez Fire Department as firefighter, EMT and Commissioner. As a long time pilot, my experience has been valuable in making responsible decisions for our airport in 8 years as Port Commissioner. We have solved serious safety issues for landing aircraft. Our recent improvements have enabled the Port to become a “net zero” electrical user. We purchased our first public marine access, the popular Fisherman Bay Day Park. We have made long term investments, assuring financial security. We completed our first comprehensive FAA master plan. We maintain one of the lowest Port taxes in the state. Our newest challenge is to develop an instrument approach that will enable safe Med Evacs during poor weather. I will continue the tradition of the airport serving our community while being fiscally responsible.

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Rebecca Presley
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience
No information submitted.

Other Professional Experience
No information submitted.

Education
No information submitted.

Community Service
No information submitted.

Statement
No information submitted.

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Albert Berger  
(Nonpartisan)  

**Elected Experience**  
I have been a Commissioner of the Lopez Island Hospital District (SJ County PHD #2) since its inception.

**Other Professional Experience**  
I am a retired UW School of Medicine faculty member. For over 35 years I taught students biomedical science courses. At UW I headed a biomedical research laboratory that was grant funded from the NIH. For 5 years I directed the Office of Research and Graduate Education, where I had administrative and oversight responsibility for all research at UW Medicine.

**Education**  
I have two Ph.D. degrees, one in Chemical Engineering from Princeton and in Physiology from the University of California, San Francisco.

**Community Service**  
No information submitted.

**Statement**  
Lopez needs an excellent primary care medical facility. As an incumbent, my goal remains to make sure this need is met.

As Commissioner I serve as Chair of the District’s Finance Committee. I have focused my efforts on making sure our property taxes are spent wisely. I am involved in monitoring the contract with UW Neighborhood Clinics (UWNC) to ensure that the Lopez Clinic is operated in a fiscally responsible manner. During my first term, we have paid off our loans from the Catherine Washburn Medical Association and San Juan County. Your Board has set up a Reserve Fund, and during our initial term, we had an excellent financial audit by the State of Washington. Also we have timely made our contractual payments to UWNC for Clinic operations. I hope that you will let me continue to serve, so that basic medical care remains available on Lopez Island.

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Dean E. Anderson
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience
No information submitted.

Other Professional Experience
No information submitted.

Education
No information submitted.

Community Service
No information submitted.

Statement
No information submitted.

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Kenneth C. Jennings
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience
No information submitted.

Other Professional Experience
No information submitted.

Education
No information submitted.

Community Service
No information submitted.

Statement
No information submitted.

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Lauren Stephens  
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience
6 years Fisherman Bay Sewer District Commissioner; 10+ years Lopez Island School District Board Member

Other Professional Experience
Property Manager

Education
BA American History University of Utah plus 1.5 years post-grad work in Masters Degree program.

Community Service
Catherine Washburn Medical Association Board 2016-present.

Statement
I am running for a second term as sewer commissioner because I believe that accountable management of public utilities is important. During my tenure FBSD has required replacement of failed systems, replaced failing sewer lines, and worked to protect the environment and aquifer. We have set rates and spent district revenues responsibly.

I have 15 years of board service on the Fisherman Bay Sewer Board and the Lopez Island School Board. I have experience budgeting, levy and bonding campaigns for operations and capital projects. I worked extensively on rate setting, contract negotiation, policy development, risk management and personnel issues.

My focus is responsible fiscal management and customer service. I advocate board participation with staff to make decisions that serve the agency and the customer. I believe that responsible management includes maintaining adequate reserves, keeping costs in line with services rendered, and spending to maintain system infrastructure.

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Lopez Library District

Proposition No. 1

Levy Lid Lift

The Board of Trustees of the Lopez Island Library District adopted Resolution No. 02 - 2019 concerning an increase to the District’s regular property tax levy. This proposition would authorize the District to increase its current levy from $0.39 to $0.48 per $1,000 of assessed value upon all the taxable property within the district for collection beginning in tax year 2020, and allows an increase in the amount of the levy each year thereafter, as authorized by Chapter 84.55 RCW, for normal operation and maintenance of the library.

Should this proposition be approved?

[ ] Yes
[ ] No

Explanatory Statement

Written by Randall K. Gaylord
San Juan County Prosecuting Attorney

The Board of Trustees of the Lopez Library District has proposed to increase its regular property tax levy in the year 2020 by way of a one-time levy lid lift of nine cents ($0.09) per $1000 assessed value to a total of 48 cents per $1000 of assessed value, and then use the 2020 amount for subsequent years, subject to the limit factors set out by state law.

The new levy increase is expected to generate about $565,000 in the year 2020. This is a one-time levy lid lift, and future increases of the levy amount will be subject to the limit factors set out in Chapter 84.55 RCW. The limit factor is typically limited to one percent (1%) plus add-ons including new construction, and subject to maximum limits.

The purpose of this levy is to cover the costs of normal operations and maintenance of the library.

A simple majority of the voters is necessary to approve this measure. A “yes” vote is to approve the measure, a “no” vote is to reject the measure.

Arguments For and Against this measure are on next page ➔
Argument For

Your vote to approve will support the beautiful Lopez Island Library by providing stable and adequate funding for operations and maintenance of the Library. The value of the Library to the community is evident daily by robust Library usage.

Funds are needed to continue innovative programs and services. Community requests, such as expanding opening hours to include Sundays, can be considered. The Library can also address community requests by redesigning meeting space, creating locations for collaborative work inside the library for learning and sharing, providing separate space for young adults, and protecting a quiet reading area. Environmentally conscientious maintenance of the historic library building requires investment in energy-efficient technology and alternative energy sources.

While grants and private donations help fund special programs and small capital projects, they cannot pay for general operation. Only levy funds provide the necessary, stable income stream.

Lopez Island Library earned for the 9th consecutive year, the coveted Star Library status. This is a source of community pride and a reflection of a well-managed library. This year, of 7361 U.S. public libraries, only 257 received this distinction, four of them in Washington State. Your vote will help assure a bright future.

Please vote “Approved.” Together, our Lopez Community can do this!

Written by

Advocacy Committee for the Lopez Island Library:
Robert Buchholz, Chair Library Board of Trustees,
Barbara Orcutt, Chair of the Friends of the Lopez Library
Iris Graville, Lopez Island Author

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Argument Against

No information submitted.
Lopez Solid Waste Disposal District

Proposition No. 1

Excess Property Tax Levy

The Governing Body of the Lopez Solid Waste Disposal District adopted Resolution No. 25-2019 concerning an excess levy for the district. This proposition would authorize the district to generate $105,000 by continuing a levy of excess taxes upon all taxable property within the district in an amount estimated to be $0.10131 per $1,000 assessed valuation for collection in one year -- 2020 -- for the purpose of funding operations and capital improvements of the district.

Shall the proposition be approved?

[ ] Yes

[ ] No

Explanatory Statement

Written by Randall K. Gaylord
San Juan County Prosecuting Attorney

Each year, the Governing Board of the Lopez Solid Waste Disposal District has proposed a balanced budget that includes revenue from tipping fees based upon weight or volume, and tax revenue to be paid for with a one-year property tax levy. For the year 2020, the amount of the tax revenue that is budgeted is $105,000, which is the same amount as in the year 2019.

The governing board has adopted Resolution No. 25-2019 calling for an election to approve the one-year property tax measure to generate $105,000. If adopted, the property tax for the Solid Waste District will remain the same as the levy from 2019 expires and it is replaced by the a levy of approximately $0.10131 per $1,000 of assessed value for taxes imposed for the year 2020. This amount is a replacement of the tax in the same amount for the current year (2019).

The Lopez Solid Waste Disposal District must use the revenue raised for district operations and capital expenses.

A “yes” vote is a vote to approve the proposal; a “no” vote is a vote against the proposal. A sixty percent majority is needed to pass this measure.

Arguments For and Against this measure are on next page ➔
Argument For

The solid waste levy must be approved by voters every year.

From January through June, 2019 volumes increased by 17%. We recycled over 151 tons, reclaimed 55 tons of glass, hauled 345 tons of garbage off island, and diverted over a ton of materials per day from landfills to reuse through Take It or Leave It. Over 28,000 customers will visit in 2019. Volunteers are providing over 3,750 hours of support annually.

This year we expanded recycling/garbage hours by 6%, paved, and improved parking, hired a District Manager and Assistant Facility Manager, added security cameras, added safety improvements to the Take It Or Leave It, and initiated a program with the Lopez school to find higher-value uses for recycled plastics.

The Lopez Dump will continue with free self-separated recycling and $8 per garbage can. Ours is the lowest cost solid waste facility in the county.

Garbage fees alone cannot support our system. Skagit fees increased this year while product prices remain depressed. This levy of $0.10131 per $1000 of assessed value will provide us $105,000 - a small price to pay for a well-managed, award-winning program that helps keep our beautiful rural island healthy and clean.

Vote for Lopez Proposition 1 to keep our Lopez Dump and Take It Or Leave It operating under local control and managed according to Lopez values.

Argument Against

No information submitted.

Written by

Chom Greacen
Larry Eppenbach
Kim Norton

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Shirley Sprenger Lange
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience
Previously elected to Waldron School Advisory Board

Other Professional Experience
Waldron School Substitute Teacher; Licensed Mental Health Counselor; worked as Social Worker and Counselor for families and children in Whatcom, Skagit, Snohomish and Island Counties.

Education
MA Psychology

Community Service
Shaw Island Library volunteer, Public School volunteer, 4-H Leader

Statement
I have been a registered voter in San Juan Co for over 45 years. I believe the public schools are the backbone of our island communities and I see public education as our most important challenge. I am interested in all our children, and in fostering personal responsibility as the best way to show respect for one another and our fragile environment.

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Shaw Island | Shaw Is. School District #10 Director 3 | 4-year term

John M. Bogert
(Nonpartisan)

Unopposed

Elected Experience
OPALCO Board of Directors; Shaw School Director; NPC HOA Director

Other Professional Experience
Engineer; Company executive; Blue Water Sailor

Education
Bachelor's Degree; Masters of Engineering

Community Service
Shaw Island Tinkerer

Statement
I am committed to continue the educational excellence that Shaw School has demonstrated for its students. Small public school districts like Shaw School have an opportunity to challenge, mentor and motivate students while instilling a life long love of learning. That is my goal.

Contact
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Jon
Shannon
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience
No information submitted.

Other Professional Experience
No information submitted.

Education
No information submitted.

Community Service
No information submitted.

Statement
I have been on the school board for long time. I am still not tired of it. Shaw Island has the best public school in Washington, and it is an honor to serve as a director. Please give me the privilege to serve for another term. Thank you!

Contact
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Unopposed
Jennifer Swanson  
(Nonpartisan)  

Elected Experience  
I have served two terms as a school district director for the Shaw Island School District #10.

Other Professional Experience  
I was an elementary teacher for seven years prior to moving to Shaw Island. I currently serve as Named Superintendent for the Shaw Island School District #10.

Education  
I have a B.A. in Latin American Studies and a K-12 teaching endorsement.

Community Service  
I have served on the Shaw Island Library and Historical Society board, volunteered as a librarian, and I will soon be serving as an EMT for the Shaw Island community.

Statement  
It has been very meaningful to serve as a director for the Shaw Island School District. I have been entrusted with an important responsibility to serve our island school population, and I remain dedicated to ensuring a high quality of instruction for our Shaw students and maintaining our historic island school. I appreciate your support as I embark on a third term.

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Corinne Storey
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience
No information submitted.

Other Professional Experience
No information submitted.

Education
No information submitted.

Community Service
No information submitted.

Statement
No information submitted.

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Matthew Pierce  
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience
No information submitted.

Other Professional Experience
Construction and outdoor recreation.

Education
No information submitted.

Community Service
No information submitted.

Statement
Two-year resident of Shaw Island. Hiker, biker, boater, and avid gardener.
Foster a community vision for Shaw property owners that preserves the rural values of our island community through local control for Shaw’s recreational amenities. Create and support community based recreational opportunities such as: trails, parks, marine facilities, and recreational programs for children and adults and other issues that are important to islanders. I also will work to ensure safe public spaces for Shaw Islanders that takes into account seasonal and year-round needs.

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Stephanie Buffum
(Nonpartisan)

Unopposed

Elected Experience
No information submitted

Other Professional Experience
Environmental planner, community economic development, public administration.

Education
No information submitted

Community Service
No information submitted

Statement
Shaw property owner since 1998 and full-time resident since 2001. I enjoy sea kayaking sailing, biking, swimming, running, tennis, baseball, hiking, foraging, and gardening.

Creation of a Shaw Island Parks and Recreation District will provide Shaw Islanders a formal organization to solicit public and private funding for areas of interest to the community such as docks, mooring buoys, car parking, trails, recreational programs and facilities for adults and youth.

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Elected Experience
No information submitted

Other Professional Experience
No information submitted

Education
No information submitted

Community Service
No information submitted

Statement
Science educator, recreation program manager, foster parent, writer, umpire, referee, gardener, 1,000-mile hiker. Live on family property owned since 1933; full-time Shaw resident since 2000.

Preserve Shaw’s recreation opportunities for the greater good of our community and future generations. Preserve Shaw’s environment through local control of Shaw’s recreational amenities. Enhance the community’s access to opportunities such as parks and recreation programming for adults and children, with access for all through scholarships; marine facilities, multi-purpose field activities, transportation planning, public and private access to our marine amenities, and other issues that the Shaw community identifies.

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Jonathan Hogue (Nonpartisan) Unopposed

Elected Experience
No information submitted

Other Professional Experience
Excavation, maintenance and construction. Store management.

Education
No information submitted

Community Service
No information submitted

Statement
Lives on a family farm owned for two generations. Full-time island resident since 2014.
Preserve Shaw's unique environment through local control for Shaw's recreational amenities.

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Shaw Island Park & Recreation District

Proposition No. 1
Formation of Shaw Island Park and Recreation District

The San Juan County Council adopted Resolution No. 4-2019 regarding the formation of the Shaw Island Park and Recreation District. If approved, a park and recreation district would be formed pursuant to RCW 36.69.010 et. seq. with a boundary of all of Shaw, Canoe and Blind Islands with the objective of providing leisure time activities and facilities and recreational facilities of nonprofit nature, to be governed by five commissioners elected from the district.

Shall the park and recreation district be formed?

[ ] Yes

[ ] No

Explanatory Statement
Written by Randall K. Gaylord
San Juan County Prosecuting Attorney

A petition was submitted to the San Juan County Council requesting that the voters consider a proposition to establish the Shaw Island Parks and Recreation District pursuant to the provisions of RCW 36.69.010 et. seq. The district boundaries are all of Shaw Island, Canoe Island and Blind Island.

If approved by a majority of those voting, this measure will establish a parks and recreation district with authority to conduct leisure time activities and provide facilities and recreational facilities of nonprofit nature as a public service to the residents of Shaw Island.

The district will be governed by five park and recreation district commissioners who must reside in the district and who will be on the same ballot as the question of formation. Those commissioner positions will be established with the persons duly elected if the park and recreation district is approved.

This is a petition for formation of the park and district and separately there is a ballot measure for initial financing of the district. The petition initiating the formation of the requested voter approval for financing the activities of the district with a levy, which is a separate ballot measure.

A “yes” vote is in favor of the formation of a parks and recreation district. A “no” vote is against the formation of a parks and recreation district.

Arguments For and Against this measure are on next page ➔
Argument For

The idea for creating a park and recreation district on Shaw Island was born in response to the potential sale of the Portal Property, the land adjacent to the Shaw Island ferry terminal. Although this initial motivation is, at present, no longer an issue, the proposed Park and Recreation District will also be able to accomplish many other things that benefit the Shaw Community: programs for kids and seniors, recreation facilities, community facilities, trails and parks are all possibilities for the future. The District also provides the community with an ongoing public entity for negotiating assistance and cooperation with the County.

By statute, the district will be managed by 5 elected commissioners who are residents and registered voters on Shaw Island. The commissioners will hold monthly public meetings so that members of the community can share their ideas, and advise the commissioners on priorities and limitations for projects and the budget.

Vote YES! For a park and recreation district for Shaw.

Written by
Jon Shannon
Brian Lynch

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Argument Against

This proposed new tax district initially was to create a source of funds to “Save Our Store” by purchasing the property at the ferry landing—referred to as the “Shaw Portal.” However, since the petition to establish the taxing district was filed and approved for the November Ballot, the store has been “saved” and it and the other property have been taken off the market. The opponents now want us to approve this Park District for undefined “recreational” purposes. This should be rejected.

This proposition could impose a tax of 60-cents per $1,000 of assessed property value. It would place in the hands of three of five commissioners the freedom to decide how to spend $686,000 in tax dollars without a levy or any further agreement of the island community. And for what? Who knows. The answer is as simple as whatever three commissioners decide.

When the Shaw community met to discuss the proposed tax district on August 10th, none of its primary advocates attended to answer questions to explain their new plans. That should serve as a warning that approving the proposition would both raise taxes and lower accountability.

For decades, Shaw has funded community projects— notably the community center, library/historical society, Shaw Landing, the ball field, and ambulance—through voluntary donations of time and money. Creating this new entity, for no defined purpose, will change the volunteer foundation of the Shaw community.

Join us in voting “no” on the proposed Park District.

Written by
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Shaw Island Park & Recreation District

Proposition No. 2
Authorization for Excess Levy

Will the Shaw Island Park and Recreation District be authorized to impose regular property tax levies of sixty cents ($0.60) or less per thousand dollars of assessed valuation for each of six consecutive years or less?

[ ] Yes
[ ] No

Explanatory Statement
Written by Randall K. Gaylord
San Juan County Prosecuting Attorney

The petition for the formation of the Shaw Island Park and Recreation District included a provision for financing of initial operational and capital expenses with a regular property tax approved by the voters.

If approved by the voters, this regular property tax is authorized by RCW 36.69.145 in the amount of sixty cents or less per thousand dollars of assessed value. The funds received for the district will be budgeted and appropriated by the commissioners to be elected to the district.

The duration of the regular property tax levy is six years or less, unless voter approval is made for an additional duration.

This excess levy is being proposed for authorization in this vote. Pursuant to RCW 84.09.030, the imposition of the levy will only be made if the district is formed and the boundaries established and if the commissioners set out a request for the imposition of the levy, all as provided by law.

A “yes” vote is in favor of the levy. A “no” vote is against the levy. A three-fifths majority is necessary for approval.

(Author’s note: This unique language of Proposition 2 per RCW 29A.35.210 and RCW 36.60.145 and RCW 84.09.030)
Argument For

The district is funded by a local tax levy of up to $0.60 per thousand dollars of assessed value. The levy must be voted on by Shaw Island voters and pass with at least 60% approval (60% of the number corresponding to 40% of those voting in the previous general election).

The actual amount of the levy each year is determined by the following process:

1. The Board holds a public hearing on the proposed budget to gather input from the community. They can then modify the budget, or not, and pass a resolution adopting the budget.

2. The budget resolution gives the total revenue needed to operate for the following year and the amount of cash projected to be on hand at the end of the year.

3. The “levy” is the same as the total amount of revenue needed from the budget in total dollars.

The ability to collect the yearly levy must be reauthorized every 6 years. The commissioners may also put a bond on the ballot, if a purchase of a property is agreed on. A bond levy also requires a 60% approval of the voters.

This levy will be managed by the commissioners, elected by and responsible to the community members of Shaw Island (as detailed above).

Vote YES! For the funding of a park and recreation district for Shaw.

Written by

Jon Shannon
Brian Lynch

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Argument Against

A levy for .60 per thousand requested by the proponents of the Park District would raise nearly $700,000 over the six year period the levy would run. The Park District also has access to $686,000 without a levy. This would leave the Park District with about 1.4 million dollars. The board is not even formed yet and we have heard nothing about how the money is to be spent.

This levy is premature. If the Park District passes, it would be appropriate for the board to determine its course, then present tax payers specifics about how it plans to proceed. In particular, what is the project, how long will it take to complete, and how much will it cost. We are not in favor of a blank check looking for a purpose.

Join us in voting no on the Park District levy.

Written by

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David Ericksen (Nonpartisan)

No photo submitted

Elected Experience
No information submitted.

Other Professional Experience
No information submitted.

Education
No information submitted.

Community Service
No information submitted.

Statement
No information submitted.

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Unopposed
Your county receives your ballot
Deposit your ballot in an official drop box by 8 p.m. on Election Day, or return your ballot by mail — postage paid — but make sure it’s postmarked no later than Election Day!

Your signature is verified
The signature on your ballot is compared to the signature on your voter registration record. If the signature matches, you are credited for voting to ensure only one ballot is counted for you.

Envelopes are separated
The return envelope is opened and the security envelope containing your ballot is removed. The envelopes are separated to ensure the secrecy of your vote.

Your ballot is reviewed and scanned
The security envelope is opened and election staff review your ballot to verify that it can be successfully scanned.

Your ballot is counted
At 8 p.m. on Election Day all scanned ballots are tallied. Ballots will be scanned and tallied over the next several days until all the votes are counted.
Vote by mail
Washington votes by mail, no stamp needed. We were the second state in the nation to adopt vote by mail and the first to provide all postage paid. A ballot is mailed 18 days before each election, ensuring you have time to cast an informed ballot without waiting in line.

Online voter registration
We offer online voter registration. Register to vote or update your address at votewa.gov

Top 2 Primary
Washington uses a Top 2 Primary system where the two candidates who receive the most votes advance to the General Election, regardless of their party preference.

No party affiliation
Washington voters do not register by party affiliation. Vote for any candidate regardless of their party preference.

Voters’ Pamphlet
Only a few states produce a Voters’ Pamphlet like this one. A pamphlet is mailed to every household before each General Election.

Learn more about voting at sos.wa.gov/elections
Military or overseas voter
Register to vote anytime on or before Election Day. You may receive your ballot by mail, email, or fax. Spouses and dependents also away from home have the same voting rights.

New Washington resident
Welcome! Register to vote online, by mail, in person, or when you get your new driver’s license or ID at the Department of Licensing. You may not vote in more than one place, so cancel your previous voter registration.

College student
Register to vote using either your home or school address, but you may not vote in more than one place. Your ballot can be mailed to you anywhere in the world; however, your residential address must remain in Washington.

Seasonal resident
Vote in Washington even if you’re away during an election. To ensure you receive your ballot, update your mailing address at votewa.gov or with your county elections department. Your ballot can be mailed to you anywhere in the world; however, your residential address must remain in Washington. You may not vote in more than one place.

Convicted felon
If you were convicted of a felony in Washington, your right to vote is restored when you are no longer under Department of Corrections supervision. You must register to vote in order to receive a ballot.
Mark your calendar for these upcoming dates:

**January 16, 2020** – Temperance and Good Citizenship Day

**March 10, 2020** – Presidential Primary

**July 13–17, 2020** – National Disability Voter Registration Week

**August 4, 2020** – Primary Election

**September 22, 2020** – National Voter Registration Day

**November 3, 2020** – General and Presidential Election
Referendum Measure No. 88

AN ACT Relating to diversity, equity, and inclusion; amending RCW 49.60.400 and 43.43.015; adding a new section to chapter 43.06 RCW; and creating new sections.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

PART I

TITLE AND INTENT

NEW SECTION. Sec. 1. This act may be known and cited as the Washington state diversity, equity, and inclusion act.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. The intent of the people in enacting this act is to guarantee every resident of Washington state equal opportunity and access to public education, public employment, and public contracting without discrimination based on their race, sex, color, ethnicity, national origin, age, sexual orientation, the presence of any sensory, mental, or physical disability, or honorably discharged veteran or military status. This is accomplished by: Restoring affirmative action into state law without the use of quotas or preferential treatment; defining the meaning of preferential treatment as defined in this section; implementing affirmative action laws, regulations, policies, or procedures such as participation goals or outreach efforts that do not utilize quotas and that do not constitute preferential treatment as defined in this section.

PART II

PROHIBITION OF DISCRIMINATION AND PREFERENTIAL TREATMENT

Sec. 3. RCW 49.60.400 and 2013 c 242 s 7 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) The state shall not discriminate against, or grant preferential treatment to, any individual or group on the basis of race, sex, color, ethnicity, (ee) national origin, age, sexual orientation, the presence of any sensory, mental, or physical disability, or honorably discharged veteran or military status in the operation of public employment, public education, or public contracting. Affirmative action includes, but shall not be limited to, recruitment, hiring, training, promotion, outreach, setting and achieving goals and timetables, and other measures designed to increase Washington’s diversity in public education, public employment, and public contracting. Affirmative action includes, but shall not be limited to, recruitment, hiring, training, promotion, outreach, setting and achieving goals and timetables, and other measures designed to increase Washington’s diversity in public education, public employment, and public contracting.

(2) This section applies only to action taken after December 3, 1998.

(3) This section does not affect any law or governmental action that does not discriminate against, or grant preferential treatment to, any individual or group on the basis of race, sex, color, ethnicity, (ee) national origin, age, sexual orientation, the presence of any sensory, mental, or physical disability, or honorably discharged veteran or military status.

(4) This section does not affect any otherwise lawful classification that:

(a) Is based on sex and is necessary for sexual privacy or medical or psychological treatment; or
(b) Is necessary for undercover law enforcement or for film, video, audio, or theatrical casting; or
(c) Provides for separate athletic teams for each sex.

(5) This section does not invalidate any court order or consent decree that is in force as of December 3, 1998.

(6) This section does not prohibit action that must be taken to establish or maintain eligibility for any federal program, if the director of the office of financial management, in consultation with the attorney general and the governor’s commission on diversity, equity, and inclusion, determines that ineligibility (would) will result in a material loss of federal funds to the state.

(7) Nothing in this section prohibits schools established under chapter 28A.715 RCW from:

(a) Implementing a policy of Indian preference in employment; or
(b) Prioritizing the admission of tribal members where capacity of the school’s programs or facilities is not as large as demand.

(8) Nothing in this section prohibits the state from remediying discrimination against, or underrepresentation of, disadvantaged groups as documented in a valid disparity study or proven in a court of law.

(9) Nothing in this section prohibits the state from implementing affirmative action laws, regulations, policies, or procedures which are not in violation of a state or federal statute, final regulation, or court order.

(10) Nothing in this section prohibits the state from implementing affirmative action laws, regulations, policies, or procedures which are not in violation of a state or federal statute, final regulation, or court order.

(11) For the purposes of this section(()

(a) “State” includes, but is not necessarily limited to, the state itself, any city, county, public college or university, community college, school district, special district, or other political subdivision or governmental instrumentality of or within the state;

(b) “State agency” means the same as defined in RCW 42.56.010;

(c) “Affirmative action” means a policy in which an individual’s race, sex, ethnicity, national origin, age, the presence of any sensory, mental, or physical disability, and honorably discharged veteran or military status are factors considered in the selection of qualified women, honorably discharged military veterans, persons in protected age categories, persons with disabilities, and minorities for opportunities in public education, public employment, and public contracting.

(d) “Preferential treatment” means the act of using race, sex, color, ethnicity, national origin, age, sexual orientation, the presence of any sensory, mental, or physical disability.
and honorably discharged veteran or military status as the sole qualifying factor to select a lesser qualified candidate over a more qualified candidate for a public education, public employment, or public contracting opportunity.

((49)) (12) The remedies available for violations of this section shall be the same, regardless of the injured party’s race, sex, color, ethnicity, or national origin, as are otherwise available for violations of Washington antidiscrimination law.

((49)) (13) This section shall be self-executing. If any part or parts of this section are found to be in conflict with federal law, the United States Constitution, or the Washington state Constitution, the section shall be implemented to the maximum extent that federal law, the United States Constitution, and the Washington state Constitution permit. Any provision held invalid shall be severable from the remaining portions of this section.

Sec. 4. RCW 43.43.015 and 1985 c 365 s 4 are each amended to read as follows:

For the purposes of this chapter, “affirmative action” means, in addition to and consistent with the definition in section 3 of this act, a policy or procedure by which racial minorities, women, persons in the protected age category, persons with disabilities, Vietnam-era veterans, honorably discharged military veterans, and ((disabled)) veterans with disabilities are provided with increased employment opportunities. It shall not mean any ((sort ((12) form of quota system.

PART III
CREATION OF THE GOVERNOR’S COMMISSION ON DIVERSITY, EQUITY, AND INCLUSION

NEW SECTION. Sec. 5. A new section is added to chapter 43.06 RCW to read as follows:

(1) There is created the governor’s commission on diversity, equity, and inclusion. The commission is responsible for planning, directing, monitoring, and enforcing each state agency’s compliance with this act. The commission may propose and oppose legislation and shall publish an annual report on the progress of all state agencies in achieving diversity, equity, and inclusion in public education, public employment, and public contracting.

(2) The governor’s commission on diversity, equity, and inclusion shall be staffed and funded within the governor’s biennial budget. The executive commission members shall be appointed by the governor and serve four-year terms:

(a) Lieutenant governor;
(b) Attorney general;
(c) Superintendent of public instruction;
(d) Commissioner of the department of employment security;
(e) Secretary of the department of transportation;
(f) Director of the department of enterprise services;
(g) Director of the office of minority and women’s business enterprises;
(h) Director of the department of commerce;
(i) Director of the department of veterans affairs;
(j) Executive director of the human rights commission;
(k) Director of the office of financial management;
(l) Director of the department of labor and industries;
(m) Executive director of the governor’s office of Indian affairs;
(n) Executive director of the Washington state women’s commission;
(o) Executive director of the commission on African-American affairs;
(p) Executive director of the commission on Asian Pacific American affairs;
(q) Executive director of the commission on Hispanic affairs;
(r) Chair of the governor’s committee on disability issues and employment;
(s) Chair of the council of presidents;
(t) Chair of the board for community and technical colleges;
(u) Chair of the workforce training and education coordinating board;
(v) Executive director of the board of education;
(w) Chair of the board of Washington STEM;
(x) Chair, officer, or director of a state agency or nonprofit organization representing the legal immigrant and refugee community;
(y) Chair, officer, or director of a state agency or nonprofit organization representing the lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and queer community;
(z) Any other agencies or community representatives the governor deems necessary to carry out the objectives of the commission.

(3) (a) The commission shall also consist of the following legislatively appointed members:

(i) Two state senators, one from each of the two largest caucuses, appointed by the president of the senate;
(ii) Two members of the state house of representatives, one from each of the two largest caucuses, appointed by the speaker of the house of representatives.
(b) Legislative members shall serve two-year terms, from the date of their appointment.

(4) Each commission member shall serve for the term of his or her appointment and until his or her successor is appointed. Any commission member listed in subsection (2) of this section, who serves by virtue of his or her office, shall be immediately replaced by his or her duly elected or appointed successor.

(5) A vacancy on the commission shall be filled within thirty days of the vacancy in the same manner as the original appointment.

PART IV
MISCELLANEOUS

NEW SECTION. Sec. 6. Within three months following the effective date of this section, the office of program research and senate committee services shall prepare a joint memorandum and draft legislation to present to the appropriate committees of the legislature regarding any necessary changes to the Revised Code of Washington to bring nomenclature and processes in line with this act so as to fully effectuate and not interfere in any way with its intent. In preparing the memorandum and draft legislation, the office of program research and senate committee services shall consult with the sponsors of this initiative, the governor’s committee on diversity, equity, and inclusion and the state human rights commission.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 7. If any provision of this act or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of the act or the application of the provision to other persons or circumstances is not affected.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 8. For constitutional purposes, the subject of this act is “Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion.”
Complete Text

Initiative Measure No. 976

BRING BACK OUR $30 CAR TABS

AN ACT Relating to limiting state and local taxes, fees, and other charges relating to vehicles; amending RCW 46.17.350, 46.17.355, 46.17.323, 82.08.020, 82.44.065, 81.104.140, and 81.104.160; adding a new section to chapter 46.17 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 82.44 RCW; creating new sections; repealing RCW 46.17.365, 46.68.415, 82.80.130, 82.80.140, 82.44.035, and 81.104.160; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

POLICIES AND PURPOSES

NEW SECTION. Sec. 1. Voters have repeatedly approved initiatives limiting vehicle costs, yet politicians keep ignoring the voters’ repeated, unambiguous mandate by imposing higher and higher vehicle taxes and fees. It’s not fair and it must stop. Without this follow-up ballot measure, vehicle costs will continue to skyrocket until vehicle charges are obscenely expensive, as they were prior to Initiative 695. This measure and each of its provisions limit state and local taxes, fees, and other charges relating to motor vehicles. This measure would limit annual motor vehicle license fees to $30, except voter-approved charges, repeal and remove authority to impose certain vehicle taxes and charges; and base vehicle taxes on Kelley Blue Book rather than the dishonest, inaccurate, and artificially inflated manufacturer’s suggested retail price (MRSP). Voters have repeatedly approved initiatives limiting vehicle costs. Politicians must learn to listen to the people.

LIMITING ANNUAL MOTOR-VEHICLE-LICENSE FEES TO $30, EXCEPT VOTER-APPROVED CHARGES

NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. A new section is added to chapter 46.17 RCW to read as follows:

(1) State and local motor vehicle license fees may not exceed $30 per year for motor vehicles, regardless of year, value, make, or model.

(2) For the purposes of this section, “state and local motor vehicle license fees” means the general license tab fees paid annually for licensing motor vehicles, including but not limited to cars, sport utility vehicles, light trucks under RCW 46.17.355, motorcycles, and motor homes, and do not include charges approved by voters after the effective date of this section. This annual fee must be paid and collected annually and is due at the time of initial and renewal vehicle registration.

Sec. 3. RCW 46.17.350 and 2014 c 30 s 2 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) Before accepting an application for a vehicle registration, the department, county auditor or other agent, or subagent appointed by the director shall require the applicant, unless specifically exempt, to pay the following vehicle license fee by vehicle type:

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(2) The vehicle license fee required in subsection (1) of this section is in addition to the filing fee required under RCW 46.17.005, and any other fee or tax required by law.

**Sec. 4.** RCW 46.17.355 and 2015 3rd sp.s. c 44 s 201 are each amended to read as follows:

(1)(a) For vehicle registrations that are due or become due before July 1, 2016, in lieu of the vehicle license fee required under RCW 46.17.350 and before accepting an application for a vehicle registration for motor vehicles described in RCW 46.16A.455, the department, county auditor or other agent, or subagent appointed by the director shall require the applicant, unless specifically exempt, to pay the following license fee by weight:

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(2) Schedule A applies to vehicles either used exclusively for hauling logs or that do not tow trailers. Schedule B applies to vehicles that tow trailers and are not covered under Schedule A.

(3) If the resultant gross weight is not listed in the table provided in subsection (1) of this section, it must be increased to the next higher weight.

(4) The license fees provided in subsection (1) of this section and the freight project fee provided in subsection (((6))) (7) of this section are in addition to the filing fee required under RCW 46.17.005 and any other fee or tax required by law.

(5) The license fees provided in subsection (1) of this section for light trucks weighing 10,000 pounds or less are limited to $30.

(6) The license fee based on declared gross weight as provided in subsection (1) of this section must be distributed under RCW 46.68.035.

(((6))) (7) For vehicle registrations that are due or become due on or after July 1, 2016, in addition to the license fee based on declared gross weight as provided in subsection (1) of this section, the department, county auditor or other agent, or subagent appointed by the director must require an applicant with a vehicle with a declared gross weight of more than 10,000 pounds, unless specifically exempt, to pay a freight project fee equal to fifteen percent of the license fee provided in subsection (1) of this section, rounded to the nearest whole dollar, which must be distributed under RCW 46.68.035.

(((7))) (8) For vehicle registrations that are due or become due on or after July 1, 2022, in addition to the license fee based on declared gross weight as provided in subsection (1) of this section, the department, county auditor or other agent, or subagent appointed by the director must require an applicant with a vehicle with a declared gross weight of less than or equal to 12,000 pounds, unless specifically exempt, to pay an additional weight fee of ten dollars, which must be distributed under RCW 46.68.035.

Sec. 5. RCW 46.17.323 and 2015 3rd sp.s. c 44 s 203 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) Before accepting an application for an annual vehicle registration renewal for a vehicle that both (a) uses at least one method of propulsion that is capable of being reenergized by an external source of electricity and (b) is capable of traveling at least thirty miles using only battery power, the department, county auditor or other agent, or subagent appointed by the director must require the applicant to pay a (one hundred dollar fee in addition to any other fees and taxes required by law) $30 fee. The (one-hundred thirty dollar) $30 fee is due only at the time of annual registration renewal.

(2) This section only applies to a vehicle that is designed to have the capability to drive at a speed of more than thirty-five miles per hour.

(3) (((a) The fee under this section is imposed to provide funds to mitigate the impact of vehicles on state roads and highways and for the purpose of evaluating the feasibility of transitioning from a revenue collection system based on fuel taxes to a road user assessment system, and is separate and distinct from other vehicle license fees. Proceeds from the fee must be used for highway purposes, and must be deposited in the motor vehicle fund created in RCW 46.68.070, subject to (b) of this subsection.

(b)) If in any year the amount of proceeds from the fee collected under this section exceeds one million dollars, the excess amount over one million dollars must be deposited as follows:

1. (((a) Seventy percent to the motor vehicle fund created in RCW 46.68.070;)))
2. (((b) Fifteen percent to the transportation improvement account created in RCW 47.26.084; and)))
3. (((c) Fifteen percent to the rural arterial trust account created in RCW 36.79.020.)))

4. (((a) In addition to the fee established in subsection (1) of this section, before accepting an application for an annual vehicle registration renewal for a vehicle that both (i) uses at least one method of propulsion that is capable of being reenergized by an external source of electricity and (ii) is capable of traveling at least thirty miles using only battery power, the department, county auditor or other agent, or subagent appointed by the director must require the applicant to pay a fifty dollar fee.

(b) The fee required under (a) of this subsection must be distributed as follows:

1. The first one million dollars raised by the fee must be deposited into the multimodal transportation account created in RCW 47.66.070; and
2. Any remaining amounts must be deposited into the motor vehicle fund created in RCW 46.68.070.

(c) This section applies to annual vehicle registration renewals until the effective date of enacted legislation that imposes a vehicle miles traveled fee or tax.)))

REPEAL AND REMOVE AUTHORITY TO IMPOSE CERTAIN VEHICLE TAXES AND CHARGES

Sec. 6. The following acts or parts of acts are each repealed:

(1) RCW 46.17.365 (Motor vehicle weight fee—Motor home vehicle weight fee) and 2015 3rd sp.s. c 44 s 202 & 2010 c 161 s 533;

(2) RCW 46.68.415 (Motor vehicle weight fee, motor home vehicle weight fee—Disposition) and 2010 c 161 s 813;

(3) RCW 82.80.130 (Passenger-only ferry service—Local option motor vehicle excise tax authorized) and 2010 c 161 s 916, 2006 c 318 s 4, & 2003 c 83 s 206; and

(4) RCW 82.80.140 (Vehicle fee—Transportation benefit
chapter 82.44 RCW to read as follows:

82.12.020. imposed under chapter 82.12 RCW as provided in RCW successive retail sales of the same property.

RCW 43.09.475. performance audits of government account created in subsection must be deposited in the multimodal transportation account created in RCW 47.66.070.

must be dedicated to funding comprehensive performance audits required under RCW 43.09.470. The revenue identified in this subsection must be deposited in the performance audits of government account created in RCW 43.09.475.

((6)) (4) The taxes imposed under this chapter apply to successive retail sales of the same property.

((7)) (5) The rates provided in this section apply to taxes imposed under chapter 82.12 RCW as provided in RCW 82.12.020.

BASE VEHICLE TAXES USING KELLEY BLUE BOOK VALUE

NEW SECTION. Sec. 8. A new section is added to chapter 82.44 RCW to read as follows:

(1) BASE VEHICLE TAXES USING KELLEY BLUE BOOK VALUE. Any motor vehicle excise tax must be calculated in an honest and accurate way so the burden on vehicle owners is not artificially inflated. For the purpose of determining a vehicle tax, a taxing district imposing a vehicle tax must set a vehicle's taxable value at the vehicle's base model Kelley Blue book value. This ensures an honest and accurate calculation of the tax and, combined with the appeal process in RCW 82.44.065, ensures that vehicle owners are taxed on their vehicle's market value.

(2) For the purpose of determining a tax under this chapter, the value of a truck-type power or trailing unit, or motor vehicle, including a passenger vehicle, motorcycle, motor home, sport utility vehicle, or light duty truck is the base model Kelley Blue book value of the vehicle, excluding applicable federal excise taxes, state and local sales or use taxes, transportation or shipping costs, or preparatory or delivery costs.

Sec. 9. RCW 82.44.065 and 2010 c 161 s 912 each amended to read as follows:

If the department determines a value for a vehicle (equivalent to a manufacturer's base suggested retail price or the value of a truck or trailer under RCW 82.44.035)) under section 8 of this act, any person who pays a state or locally imposed tax for that vehicle may appeal the valuation to the department under chapter 34.05 RCW. If the taxpayer is successful on appeal, the department shall refund the excess tax in the manner provided in RCW 82.44.120. Using Kelley Blue Book value ensures an honest and accurate calculation.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 10. RCW 81.104.140 and 2015 3rd sp.s. c 44 s 318 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) Agencies authorized to provide high capacity transportation service, including transit agencies and regional transit authorities, and regional transportation investment districts acting with the agreement of an agency, are hereby granted dedicated funding sources for such systems. These dedicated funding sources, as set forth in RCW 81.104.150, 81.104.160, 81.104.170, and 81.104.175, are authorized only for agencies located in (a) each county with a population of two hundred ten thousand or more and (b) each county with a population of from one hundred twenty-five thousand to less than two hundred ten thousand except for those counties that do not border a county with a population as described under (a) of this subsection. In any county with a population of one million or more or in any county having a population of four hundred thousand or more bordering a county with a population of one million or more, these funding sources may be imposed only by a regional transit authority or a regional transportation investment district. Regional transportation investment districts may, with the approval of the regional transit authority within its boundaries, impose the taxes authorized under this chapter, but only upon approval of the voters and to the extent that the maximum amount of taxes authorized under this chapter have not been imposed.
(2) Agencies planning to construct and operate a high capacity transportation system should also seek other funds, including federal, state, local, and private sector assistance.

(3) Funding sources should satisfy each of the following criteria to the greatest extent possible:

(a) Acceptability;
(b) Ease of administration;
(c) Equity;
(d) Implementation feasibility;
(e) Revenue reliability; and
(f) Revenue yield.

(4)(a) Agencies participating in regional high capacity transportation system development are authorized to levy and collect the following voter-approved local option funding sources:

(i) Employer tax as provided in RCW 81.104.150, other than by regional transportation investment districts;
(ii) ((Special motor vehicle excise tax as provided in RCW 81.104.160;)
(iii)) Regular property tax as provided in 81.104.175; and
((###)) (iii) Sales and use tax as provided in RCW 81.104.170.

(b) Revenues from these taxes may be used only to support those purposes prescribed in subsection (10) of this section. Before the date of an election authorizing an agency to impose any of the taxes enumerated in this section and authorized in RCW 81.104.150, 81.104.160, 81.104.170, and 81.104.175, the agency must comply with the process prescribed in RCW 81.104.100 (1) and (2) and 81.104.110. No construction on exclusive right-of-way may occur before the requirements of RCW 81.104.100(3) are met.

(5) Except for the regular property tax authorized in 81.104.175, the authorization in subsection (4) of this section may not adversely affect the funding authority of transit agencies not provided for in this chapter. Local option funds may be used to support implementation of interlocal agreements with respect to the establishment of regional high capacity transportation service. Except when a regional transit authority exists, local jurisdictions must retain control over moneys generated within their boundaries, although funds may be commingled with those generated in other areas for planning, construction, and operation of high capacity transportation systems as set forth in the agreements.

(6) Except for the regular property tax authorized in 81.104.175, agencies planning to construct and operate high capacity transportation systems may contract with the state for collection and transference of voter-approved local option revenue.

(7) Dedicated high capacity transportation funding sources authorized in RCW 81.104.150, 81.104.160, 81.104.170, and 81.104.175 are subject to voter approval by a simple majority. A single ballot proposition may seek approval for one or more of the authorized taxing sources. The ballot title must reference the document identified in subsection (8) of this section.

(8) Agencies must provide to the registered voters in the area a document describing the systems plan and the financing plan set forth in RCW 81.104.100. It must also describe the relationship of the system to regional issues such as development density at station locations and activity centers, and the interrelationship of the system to adopted land use and transportation demand management goals within the region. This document must be provided to the voters at least twenty days prior to the date of the election.

(9) For any election in which voter approval is sought for a high capacity transportation system plan and financing plan pursuant to RCW 81.104.040, a local voter's pamphlet must be produced as provided in chapter 29A.32 RCW.

(10)(a) Agencies providing high capacity transportation service must retain responsibility for revenue encumbrance, disbursement, and bonding. Funds may be used for any purpose relating to planning, construction, and operation of high capacity transportation systems and commuter rail systems, personal rapid transit, busways, bus sets, and entrained and linked buses.

(b) A regional transit authority that ((imposes a motor vehicle excise tax after the effective date of this section,)) imposes a property tax((,)) or increases a sales and use tax to more than nine-tenths of one percent must undertake a process in which the authority’s board formally considers inclusion of the name, Scott White, in the naming convention associated with either the University of Washington or Roosevelt stations.

NEW SECTION, Sec. 11. The following acts or parts of acts are each repealed:

(1) RCW 82.44.035 (Valuation of vehicles) and 2010 c 161 s 910 & 2006 c 318 s 1; and
(2) RCW 81.104.160 (Motor vehicle excise tax for regional transit authorities---Sales and use tax on car rentals---Former motor vehicle excise tax repealed) and 2015 3rd sp.s. c 44 s 319, 2010 c 161 s 903, 2009 c 280 s 4, 2003 c 1 s 6 (Initiative Measure No. 776, approved November 5, 2002), & 1998 c 321 s 35 (Referendum Bill No. 49, approved November 3, 1998).

NEW SECTION, Sec. 12. A new section is added to chapter 81.112 RCW to read as follows:

In order to effectuate the policies, purposes, and intent of this act and to ensure that the motor vehicle excise taxes repealed by this act are no longer imposed or collected, an authority that imposes a motor vehicle excise tax under RCW 81.104.160 must fully retire, defease, or refinance any outstanding bonds issued under this chapter if:

(1) Any revenue collected prior to the effective date of this section from the motor vehicle excise tax imposed under RCW 81.104.160 has been pledged to such bonds; and
(2) The bonds, by virtue of the terms of the bond contract, covenants, or similar terms, may be retired or defeased early or refinanced.
Sec. 13. RCW 81.104.160 and 2015 3rd sp.s. c 44 s 319 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) Regional transit authorities that include a county with a population of more than one million five hundred thousand may submit an authorizing proposition to the voters, and if approved, may levy and collect an excise tax, at a rate approved by the voters, but not exceeding (eight-tenths) two-tenths of one percent on the value, under chapter 82.44 RCW, of every motor vehicle owned by a resident of the taxing district, solely for the purpose of providing high capacity transportation service. The maximum tax rate under this subsection does not include a motor vehicle excise tax approved before the effective date of this section if the tax will terminate on the date bond debt to which the tax is pledged is repaid. This tax does not apply to vehicles licensed under RCW 46.16A.455 except vehicles with an unladen weight of six thousand pounds or less, RCW 46.16A.425 or 46.17.335(2). Notwithstanding any other provision of this subsection or chapter 82.44 RCW, a motor vehicle excise tax imposed by a regional transit authority before or after the effective date of this section must comply with chapter 82.44 RCW as it existed on January 1, 1996, until December 31st of the year in which the regional transit authority repays bond debt to which a motor vehicle excise tax was pledged before the effective date of this section. Motor vehicle taxes collected by regional transit authorities after December 31st of the year in which a regional transit authority repays bond debt to which a motor vehicle excise tax was pledged before the effective date of this section must comply with chapter 82.44 RCW as it existed on the date the tax was approved by voters.

(2) An agency and high capacity transportation corridor area may impose a sales and use tax solely for the purpose of providing high capacity transportation service, in addition to the tax authorized by RCW 82.14.030, upon retail car rentals within the applicable jurisdiction that are taxable by the state under chapters 82.08 and 82.12 RCW. The rate of tax may not exceed 2.172 percent. The rate of tax imposed under this subsection must bear the same ratio of the 2.172 percent authorized that the rate imposed under subsection (1) of this section bears to the rate authorized under subsection (1) of this section. The base of the tax is the selling price in the case of a sales tax or the rental value of the vehicle used in the case of a use tax.

(3) Any motor vehicle excise tax previously imposed under the provisions of RCW 81.104.160(1) shall be repealed, terminated, and expire on December 5, 2002, except for a motor vehicle excise tax for which revenues have been contractually pledged to repay a bonded debt issued before December 5, 2002, as determined by Pierce County et al. v. State, 159 Wn.2d 16, 148 P.3d 1002 (2006). In the case of bonds that were previously issued, the motor vehicle excise tax must comply with chapter 82.44 RCW as it existed on January 1, 1996.

(4) If a regional transit authority imposes the tax authorized under subsection (1) of this section, the authority may not receive any state grant funds provided in an omnibus transportation appropriations act except transit coordination grants created in chapter 11, Laws of 2015 3rd sp. sss.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 14. CONSTRUCTION CLAUSE. The provisions of this act are to be liberally construed to effectuate the intent, policies, and purposes of this act.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 15. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE. If any provision of this act or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of the act or the application of the provision to other persons or circumstances is not affected.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 16. EFFECTIVE DATE. (1) Sections 10 and 11 of this act take effect on the date that the regional transit authority complies with section 12 of this act and retires, defeases, or refinances its outstanding bonds.

(2) Section 13 takes effect April 1, 2020, if sections 10 and 11 of this act have not taken effect by March 31, 2020.

(3) The regional transit authority must provide written notice of the effective dates of sections 10, 11, and 13 of this act to affected parties, the chief clerk of the house of representatives, the secretary of the senate, the office of the code reviser, and others as deemed appropriate by the regional transit authority.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 17. TITLE. This act is known and may be cited as “Bring Back Our $30 Car Tabs.”

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Complete Text
Senate Joint Resolution No. 8200

BE IT RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON, IN LEGISLATIVE SESSION ASSEMBLED:

THAT, At the next general election to be held in this state the secretary of state shall submit to the qualified voters of the state for their approval and ratification, or rejection, an amendment to Article II, section 42 of the Constitution of the state of Washington to read as follows:

Article II, section 42. The legislature, in order to insure continuity of state and local governmental operations in periods of emergency resulting from a catastrophic incident or enemy attack, shall have the power and the duty, immediately upon and after adoption of this amendment, to enact legislation providing for prompt and temporary succession to the powers and duties of public offices of whatever nature and whether filled by election or appointment, the incumbents and legal successors of which may become unavailable for carrying on the powers and duties of such offices; the legislature shall likewise enact such other measures as may be necessary and proper for insuring the continuity of governmental operations during such emergencies. Legislation enacted under the powers conferred by this amendment shall in all respects conform to the remainder of the Constitution:

Provided, That if, in the judgment of the legislature at the time of ((disaster)) the emergency, conformance to the provisions of the Constitution would be impracticable or would admit of undue delay, such legislation may depart during the period of emergency caused by a catastrophic incident or enemy attack only, from the following sections of the Constitution:

Article 14, Sections 1 and 2, Seat of Government;
Article 2, Sections 8, 15 (Amendments 13 and 32), and 22, Membership, Quorum of Legislature and Passage of Bills;
Article 3, Section 10 (Amendment 6), Succession to Governorship: Provided, That the legislature shall not depart from Section 10, Article III, as amended by Amendment 6, of the state Constitution relating to the Governor's office so long as any successor therein named is available and capable of assuming the powers and duties of such office as therein prescribed;

Article 3, Section 13, Vacancies in State Offices;
Article 11, Section 6, Vacancies in County Offices;
Article 11, Section 2, Seat of County Government;
Article 3, Section 24, State Records.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the secretary of state shall cause notice of this constitutional amendment to be published at least four times during the four weeks next preceding the election in every legal newspaper in the state.

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