

VOTERS' PAMPHLET

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& CLALLAM COUNTY

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NOVEMBER 5



2019

YOUR BALLOT WILL BE MAILED BY **OCTOBER 18**

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Kim Wyman



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,

A handwritten signature of Kim Wyman in black ink. The signature is stylized and cursive, with the first name 'Kim' and last name 'Wyman' clearly visible.

Kim Wyman
Secretary of State



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Important dates

Ballots mailed by: October 18
 Register by mail, received by: October 28
 Register online by: October 28
 Register in person by: November 5, 8 p.m.
 Election Day: November 5



Political parties

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 www.wa-democrats.org

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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!

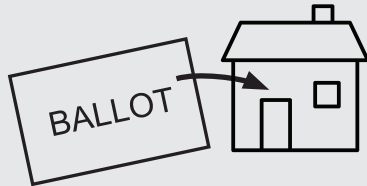
**#Future
#Voter**

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.

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



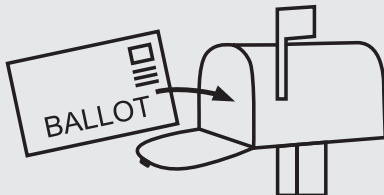
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Vote your ballot and sign your return envelope. You are not required to vote every race on your ballot. We encourage using this pamphlet to help you decide.



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**.

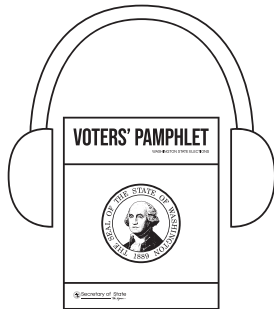
If you need a replacement ballot, contact your county elections department listed at the end of this pamphlet.

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 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**.

Are language services available?



Se habla español

Todos los votantes del estado de Washington tienen acceso al folleto electoral y a los formularios de inscripción en español por internet en **sos.wa.gov/elections**

Adicionalmente, los votantes de los condados de Yakima, Franklin y Adams recibirán su boleta y folleto electoral de forma bilingüe antes de cada elección.

Si usted o alguien que conoce necesitan asistencia en español llame al **(800) 448-4881**.

中國口語

所有華盛頓州的選民都可在網站 **sos.wa.gov/elections** 查看中文選民手冊和選民登記表格。

此外，金郡選民也可登記在每次選舉前自動獲取中文選票和選民手冊。

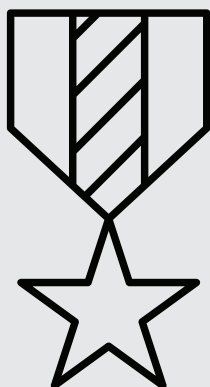
如果您或您認識的人需要語言協助，請致電 **(800) 448-4881**。

Nói tiếng Việt

Tất cả cử tri ở Tiểu Bang Washington có thể truy cập sách dành cho cử tri và đơn ghi danh cử tri bằng tiếng Việt trực tuyến tại **sos.wa.gov/elections**

Ngoài ra, cử tri ở Quận King có thể đăng ký để tự động nhận lá phiếu và sách dành cho cử tri bằng tiếng Việt trước mỗi cuộc bầu cử.

Nếu quý vị hoặc người nào quý vị biết cần trợ giúp ngôn ngữ, xin vui lòng gọi **(800) 448-4881**.



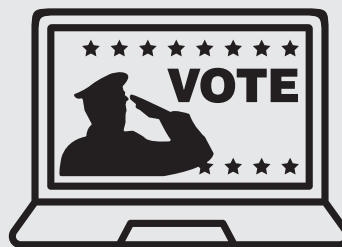
Our right to vote is protected by the members of the U.S. Armed Forces. Now is your chance to thank them for their service!

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

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Visit our website
sos.wa.gov/elections



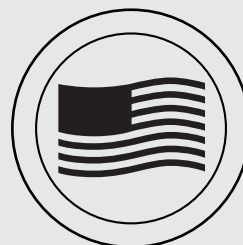
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Upload your story
and a picture



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...



259,622

Voters' signatures

8% of all votes in the last Governor's race

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...

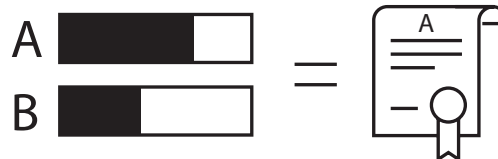


129,811

Voters' signatures

4% of all votes in the last Governor's race

**Initiatives and referenda
become law
with a simple
majority vote**



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



The Secretary of State is not responsible for the content of statements or arguments (WAC 434-381-180).

Explanatory Statement

Written by the Office of the Attorney General

The Law as it Presently Exists

Until 1998, Washington law allowed the use of affirmative action in public education, public contracting, and public employment, subject to constitutional limits on the use of affirmative action. In 1998, Washington voters approved Initiative 200 (I-200). I-200 prohibits state and local government from making decisions on the basis of race, sex, color, ethnicity, or national origin in public employment, public education, and public contracting.

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.

View your online voters' guide

votewa.gov

VoteWA

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

Gary Locke, Democrat, Former Governor, US Ambassador, US Secretary Commerce; **Daniel J. Evans**, Republican, Former Governor; **Christine Gregoire**, Democrat, Former Governor, Attorney General; **April Sims**, Secretary Treasurer, Washington State Labor Council, AFL-CIO; **Marilyn Strickland**, CEO, Seattle Chamber of Commerce, Former Tacoma Mayor; **Rogelio Riojas**, CEO, Sea Mar Community Health Centers

Contact: (206) 682-7328; www.wafairness.org

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**, JD MBA, Past Chair, Washington State Veterans Bar Association; **Mary A. Radcliffe**, past Co-chair, Diversity Committee, Episcopal Diocese; **Kan Qiu**, Tiananmen Square Survivor, Chair, American Coalition for Equality; **John Carlson**, Morning Radio Broadcaster 570 KVI

Contact: 425-588-8011;
campaign@reject88.com; www.reject88.com

Initiative Measure No.

976

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.

Tax/Fee	Fiscal year 2018 revenue impact
TBD Fee	(\$58,186,839)
RTA MVET	(\$328,000,000)
Passenger-only ferry MVET	0

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.

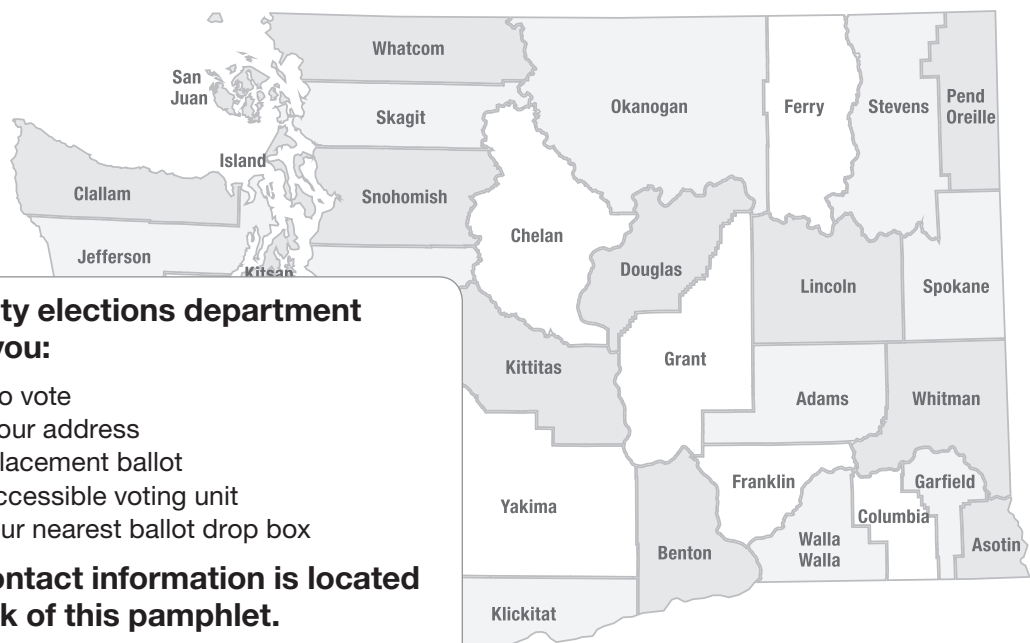
Local Government Expenditures

N/A

Table 1 – Potential Revenue Impact by Fund Distribution – Beginning Dec. 5, 2019

Registration Fees:	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025	Total
Snowmobile Account (01M)	(\$240,300)	(\$447,200)	(\$448,500)	(\$449,900)	(\$451,200)	(\$453,000)	(\$2,490,100)
WSP Highway Account (081)	(\$9,916,900)	(\$15,661,000)	(\$15,692,400)	(\$15,723,900)	(\$15,755,400)	(\$15,823,800)	(\$88,573,400)
Transportation Partnership Account (09H)	(\$5,115,000)	(\$8,077,700)	(\$8,094,000)	(\$8,110,100)	(\$8,126,400)	(\$8,161,700)	(\$45,684,900)
Rural Arterial Trust Account (102)	(\$202,163)	(\$539,700)	(\$714,975)	(\$928,725)	(\$1,176,675)	(\$1,451,700)	(\$5,013,938)
Motor Vehicle Account (108)	(\$28,223,075)	(\$45,210,500)	(\$46,151,950)	(\$47,278,650)	(\$48,576,750)	(\$50,112,500)	(\$265,553,425)
Puget Sound Ferry Operations (109)	(\$609,800)	(\$963,000)	(\$965,000)	(\$966,900)	(\$968,900)	(\$973,100)	(\$5,446,700)
Transportation Improvement Account (144)	(\$202,163)	(\$539,700)	(\$714,975)	(\$928,725)	(\$1,176,675)	(\$1,451,700)	(\$4,272,075)
Multimodal Account (218)	(\$128,650,600)	(\$227,504,000)	(\$231,592,800)	(\$294,399,500)	(\$298,790,300)	(\$303,184,500)	(\$1,484,121,700)
Nickel Account (550)	(\$2,322,700)	(\$3,668,000)	(\$3,675,400)	(\$3,682,700)	(\$3,690,100)	(\$3,706,100)	(\$20,745,000)
Total	(\$175,280,538)	(\$302,071,100)	(\$308,050,000)	(\$372,469,100)	(\$378,712,400)	(\$385,318,100)	(\$1,921,901,238)

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Argument for

\$30 tabs now!

Taxpayers are getting ripped off, politicians know it, refuse to fix it

Taxing a \$10,000 vehicle like it's \$25,000 is fraud. I-976 repeals the dishonest valuation schedule *politicians are currently using* to artificially inflate your taxes. No more price gouging!

I-976 limits license tabs to a flat, fair, and reasonable \$30 per year for your car, truck, motorcycle, motorhome, and other vehicles. We're paying sales taxes when we *buy*, gas taxes when we *use*, we shouldn't have to pay *dishonest triple taxes* just to *own* it. Working class folks, not just rich people, should be able to afford a newer vehicle.

If politicians had any compassion for the average taxpayer, I-976 wouldn't be necessary

Washington is one of the highest taxed states in the nation. Dishonest vehicle taxes, skyrocketing property taxes, crushing sales taxes, massive gas taxes, obnoxious tolls, and costly fees on everything. Despite record revenues and \$3.5 billion tax surplus, Olympia imposed 11 new taxes costing \$27 billion. It's insane. Now they're demanding income taxes, carbon taxes, pay-per-mile taxes. Enough!

If we can't get tax relief when there's a huge \$3.5 billion tax surplus...

...when can we? Besides, all the money taxpayers save will get pumped right back into our state's economy. Opponents' threats, lies, and scare tactics are absurd – I-976 only affects a tiny fraction of government spending.

Stop getting ripped off – your vote for I-976 tells politicians you're taxed out

Politicians will *never* limit taxes – here's our only chance. Vote "Yes."

Rebuttal of argument against

Triple taxing vehicles is indefensible. Taxing a \$10,000 vehicle like it's \$25,000 is fraud. Taxpayers are getting ripped off – *that's* the issue. Personally attacking Tim Eyman? Distraction. (the truth: *"Eyman risks \$500K of his own money to fund car tab initiative"*). The threats, lies, and scare tactics about I-976 are silly: massive \$3.5 billion tax surplus and record revenues can easily backfill affected programs. I-976 forces politicians to reexamine, prioritize. Reject dishonest taxes. Vote "Yes."

Written by

Bob Henkel, collected 8103 signatures from Pierce County voters, Puyallup; **Suzie Burke**, collected 2440 signatures from King County voters, Seattle; **Sid Maietto**, 4929 signatures from Snohomish County/North King voters; **Connie Christiansen**, 1588 signatures from Pierce County/South King voters; **Erma Turner**, 1014 signatures collected from voters; **Tim Eyman**, collected 8910 signatures from voters across the state.

Contact: (425) 590-9363; 30tabs@gmail.com; www.30tabs.com

Argument against

Tim Eyman's latest misguided, deceptive initiative would irresponsibly slash state and local transportation funding by more than \$4.2 billion over the next six years, undermining our ability to address critical safety and traffic problems. Vote *no* on 976!

976 Threatens Transportation Safety

Washington has over 160 bridges and overpasses in "poor" condition. 976 jeopardizes public safety, delaying projects to fix dilapidated bridges, overpasses, and tunnels that do not meet earthquake safety standards. The Washington State Troopers Association says, "We oppose this dangerous measure because it would stop thousands of needed road safety repair projects across the state, putting driver and pedestrian safety at greater risk."

976 Will Harm Your Local Community

This measure eliminates important local transportation funding in 62 cities throughout Washington. As a result, cities from Seattle to Spokane, from Anacortes to Zillah, would lose nearly \$60 million a year in funding needed for bus service, to repair potholes, upgrade safety, provide transit to seniors and people with disabilities, and reduce congestion.

976 Will Devastate Public Transit

Public transit connects people to jobs, education, health care, and each other. Many in our communities rely on public transportation as their primary way to get around. This measure would gut voter-approved light rail expansion and eliminate hundreds of thousands of bus trips each year for commuters, people with disabilities, teenage and elderly riders.

Public safety and transportation experts, business, labor and environmental groups all oppose Eyman's latest flawed and deceptive money-making scheme. Vote *no* on 976!

Rebuttal of argument for

Eyman's 976 might sound good, but in reality *it slashes transit and transportation funding by billions*, harming our ability to maintain and improve our roads, bridges, ferries, buses and light rail. And 976 isn't fair. It will give huge tax breaks to owners of brand-new luxury cars, and almost nothing to someone who drives a 10-year-old Corolla – while leaving all of us stuck in traffic. Vote *no* on 976!

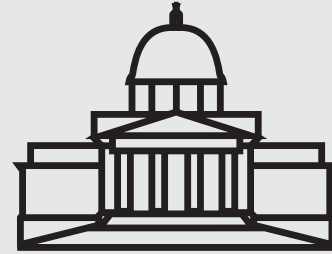
Written by

Steve Mullin, President, Washington Roundtable; **Larry Brown**, President, Washington State Labor Council, AFL-CIO; **Alex Hudson**, Executive Director, Transportation Choices Coalition; **Jeff Merrill**, President, Washington State Patrol Troopers Association; **Paula J. Hammond**, P.E., Former State Transportation Secretary; **Tim Archer**, President, Spokane Firefighters Local 29

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if you do or do not favor a tax
increase passed during the recent
legislative session.



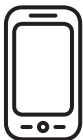
Repeal — means you **don't favor**
the tax increase.

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



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wa.gov/elections** and view additional cost information at
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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

Ten-Year Projection

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Second Substitute House Bill 1087 (2SHB 1087)
Cash receipt assumptions would be based on variables for which the data is unavailable to the state. Variables include: the number of self-employed persons who will elect coverage; the number of individuals exempted from Unemployment Insurance who are not exempted from the premium; and the number of individuals who have long-term care insurance and may be exempted from the premium. Since cash receipts cannot be determined, the ten year analysis is "indeterminate."

Final Votes Cast by the Legislature

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

Ten-Year Projection

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Engrossed Third Substitute House Bill 1324 (E3SHB 1324)			
Fiscal Year	B&O Surtax on Timber & Wood Products	Fiscal Year Total	Biennial Total
2020	0	0	
2021	0	0	0
2022	0	0	
2023	0	0	0
2024	0	0	
2025	2,500,000	2,500,000	2,500,000
2026	7,300,000	7,300,000	
2027	2,000,000	2,000,000	9,300,000
2028	8,000,000	8,000,000	
2029	800,000	800,000	8,800,000
Total:	20,600,000	20,600,000	20,600,000

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

Ten-Year Projection

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Substitute House Bill 1652 (SHB 1652)				
Fiscal Year	B&O Tax	Paint Stewardship Admin Fee	Retail Sales Tax	Total
2020	\$ 0	\$ 54,643	\$ 0	\$ 54,643
2021	-24,000	126,524	326,000	\$ 428,524
2022	-50,000	69,895	691,000	\$ 710,895
2023	-52,000	69,895	712,000	\$ 729,895
2024	-53,000	69,895	734,000	\$ 750,895
2025	-55,000	69,895	756,000	\$ 770,895
2026	-56,000	69,895	778,000	\$ 791,895
2027	-58,000	69,895	802,000	\$ 813,895
2028	-60,000	69,895	826,000	\$ 835,895
2029	-62,000	69,895	850,000	\$ 857,895
Total:	\$ -470,000	\$ 740,327	\$ 6,475,000	\$ 6,745,327

Final Votes Cast by the Legislature

Senate: Yeas, 26; Nays, 22; Absent, 0; Excused, 1
House: Yeas, 62; Nays, 35; Absent, 0; Excused, 1

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

Ten-Year Projection

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Engrossed Second Substitute House Bill 1873 (E2SHB 1873)				
Fiscal Year	B&O Tax	Retail Sales Tax	Vapor Tax	Total
2020	\$ 13,000	\$ 182,000	\$ 2,728,000	\$ 2,923,000
2021	107,000	1,478,000	12,812,000	\$ 14,397,000
2022	159,000	2,193,000	15,586,000	\$ 17,938,000
2023	215,000	2,963,000	18,562,000	\$ 21,740,000
2024	223,000	3,083,000	19,316,000	\$ 22,622,000
2025	232,000	3,207,000	20,094,000	\$ 23,533,000
2026	242,000	3,336,000	20,904,000	\$ 24,482,000
2027	251,000	3,471,000	21,744,000	\$ 25,466,000
2028	262,000	3,609,000	22,616,000	\$ 26,487,000
2029	272,000	3,754,000	23,521,000	\$ 27,547,000
Total:	\$ 1,976,000	\$ 27,276,000	\$ 177,883,000	\$ 207,135,000

Final Votes Cast by the Legislature

Senate: Yeas, 35; Nays, 13; Absent, 0; Excused, 1
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

Ten-Year Projection

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Engrossed Second Substitute House Bill 2158 (E2SHB 2158)	
Fiscal Year	B&O Tax
2020	\$ 113,100,000
2021	266,900,000
2022	192,200,000
2023	200,900,000
2024	211,100,000
2025	240,200,000
2026	246,800,000
2027	253,500,000
2028	260,400,000
2029	267,500,000
Total:	\$ 2,252,600,000

Final Votes Cast by the Legislature

Senate: Yeas, 25; Nays, 22; Absent, 0; Excused, 2
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.

This tax increase should be:

- ☐ Repealed
- ☐ Maintained

Ten-Year Projection

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Substitute House Bill 2167 (SHB 2167)	
Fiscal Year	B&O Tax
2020	\$ 36,600,000
2021	96,600,000
2022	100,700,000
2023	104,900,000
2024	108,000,000
2025	111,100,000
2026	114,400,000
2027	117,700,000
2028	121,100,000
2029	124,600,000
Total:	\$ 1,035,700,000

Final Votes Cast by the Legislature

Senate: Yeas, 25; Nays, 24; Absent, 0; Excused, 0
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.

This tax increase should be:

- ☐ Repealed
☐ Maintained

Ten-Year Projection

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Substitute Senate Bill 5581 (SSB 5581)			
Fiscal Year	1. B&O Tax	2. Enhance 911 Tax	3. Local Tourism Promotion Fee
2020	\$ 7,894,000	\$ 34,000	\$ 36,000
2021	16,259,000	88,000	94,000
2022	25,122,000	93,000	99,000
2023	34,503,000	98,000	105,000
2024	35,534,000	103,000	111,000
2025	36,604,000	109,000	117,000
2026	37,702,000	115,000	123,000
2027	38,830,000	121,000	130,000
2028	39,994,000	128,000	137,000
2029	41,197,000	135,000	145,000
Total:	\$ 313,639,000	\$ 1,024,000	\$ 1,097,000

Substitute Senate Bill 5581 (SSB 5581) continued						
Fiscal Year	4. Other Licenses	5. Other Taxes	6. Replacement Tire Fee	7. Retail Sales Tax	8. Woodstove Fee	Total
2020	\$ 5,000	\$ 126,000	\$ 40,000	\$ 33,725,000	\$ 2,000	\$ 41,862,000
2021	12,000	328,000	103,000	57,825,000	5,000	\$ 74,714,000
2022	12,000	345,000	108,000	63,286,000	5,000	\$ 89,070,000
2023	13,000	364,000	114,000	69,322,000	6,000	\$ 104,525,000
2024	14,000	385,000	120,000	71,227,000	6,000	\$ 107,500,000
2025	15,000	406,000	127,000	72,855,000	6,000	\$ 110,239,000
2026	15,000	428,000	134,000	79,765,000	7,000	\$ 118,289,000
2027	16,000	452,000	141,000	87,194,000	7,000	\$ 126,891,000
2028	17,000	476,000	149,000	93,765,000	7,000	\$ 134,673,000
2029	18,000	503,000	157,000	100,835,000	8,000	\$ 142,998,000
Total:	\$ 137,000	\$ 3,813,000	\$ 1,193,000	\$ 729,799,000	\$ 59,000	\$ 1,050,761,000

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

Ten-Year Projection

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Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill 5993 (ESSB 5993)	
Fiscal Year	Hazardous Substance Tax
2020	\$ 228,500,000
2021	253,900,000
2022	261,600,000
2023	269,400,000
2024	274,900,000
2025	281,100,000
2026	287,500,000
2027	294,000,000
2028	300,900,000
2029	308,200,000
Total:	\$ 2,760,000,000

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

Ten-Year Projection

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Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill 5997 (ESSB 5997)			
Fiscal Year	B&O Tax	Retail Sales Tax	Total
2020	\$ -77,000	\$ 25,541,000	\$ 25,464,000
2021	-86,000	28,546,000	\$ 28,460,000
2022	-88,000	29,247,000	\$ 29,159,000
2023	-90,000	29,948,000	\$ 29,858,000
2024	-93,000	30,849,000	\$ 30,756,000
2025	-96,000	31,851,000	\$ 31,755,000
2026	-99,000	32,853,000	\$ 32,754,000
2027	-102,000	33,954,000	\$ 33,852,000
2028	-106,000	35,156,000	\$ 35,050,000
2029	-105,000	34,756,000	\$ 34,651,000
Total:	\$ -942,000	\$ 312,701,000	\$ 311,759,000

Final Votes Cast by the Legislature

Senate: Yeas, 25; Nays, 22; Absent, 0; Excused, 2
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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Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill 5998 (ESSB 5998)	
Fiscal Year	Real Estate Excise Tax
2020	\$ 70,600,000
2021	173,900,000
2022	176,600,000
2023	179,600,000
2024	181,900,000
2025	186,100,000
2026	190,300,000
2027	192,900,000
2028	195,500,000
2029	199,900,000
Total:	\$ 1,747,300,000

Final Votes Cast by the Legislature

Senate: Yeas, 26; Nays, 22; Absent, 0; Excused, 1
House: Yeas, 56; Nays, 42; Absent, 0; Excused, 0

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

Ten-Year Projection

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Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill 6004 (ESSB 6004)	
Fiscal Year	B&O Tax
2020	\$ 2,200,000
2021	2,500,000
2022	2,600,000
2023	2,700,000
2024	2,800,000
2025	2,900,000
2026	3,000,000
2027	3,100,000
2028	3,200,000
2029	3,200,000
Total:	\$ 28,200,000

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.

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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

Ten-Year Projection

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Engrossed Senate Bill 6016 (ESB 6016)			
Fiscal Year	B&O Tax	Retail Sales Tax	Total
2020	\$ 26,800,000	\$ 870,000	\$ 27,670,000
2021	30,700,000	1,050,000	\$ 31,750,000
2022	32,300,000	-90,000	\$ 32,210,000
2023	34,100,000	-190,000	\$ 33,910,000
2024	35,800,000	-190,000	\$ 35,610,000
2025	37,600,000	-190,000	\$ 37,410,000
2026	39,500,000	-190,000	\$ 39,310,000
2027	41,400,000	-190,000	\$ 41,210,000
2028	43,500,000	-190,000	\$ 43,310,000
2029	45,700,000	-190,000	\$ 45,510,000
Total:	\$ 367,400,000	\$ 500,000	\$ 367,900,000

Final Votes Cast by the Legislature

Senate: Yeas, 27; Nays, 19; Absent, 0; Excused, 3
House: Yeas, 76; Nays, 22; Absent, 0; Excused, 0

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Final Votes Cast by Each Legislator

District 1

Sen. Guy Palumbo

(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

Rep. Derek Stanford

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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 5581 (AV26): Yea
 ESSB 5993 (AV27): Yea
 ESSB 5997 (AV28): Yea
 ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea
 ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea
 ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

Rep. Shelley Kloba

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 2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea
 E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea
 SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea
 E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay
 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

District 2

Sen. Randi Becker

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 E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea
 SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay
 E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea
 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. Andrew Barkis

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 E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea
 SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea
 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. J.T. Wilcox

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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

District 3

Sen. Andy Billig

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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 5581 (AV26): Yea
 ESSB 5993 (AV27): Yea
 ESSB 5997 (AV28): Yea
 ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea
 ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea
 ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

Rep. Marcus Riccelli

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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 5581 (AV26): Yea
 ESSB 5993 (AV27): Yea
 ESSB 5997 (AV28): Yea
 ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea
 ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea
 ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

Rep. Timm Ormsby

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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 5581 (AV26): Yea
 ESSB 5993 (AV27): Yea
 ESSB 5997 (AV28): Yea
 ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea
 ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea
 ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea



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District 4

Sen. Mike Padden

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 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 5581 (AV26): Nay
 ESSB 5993 (AV27): Nay
 ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay
 ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay
 ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay
 ESB 6016 (AV31): Excused

Rep. Matt Shea

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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): Excused
 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. Bob McCaslin

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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

District 5

Sen. Mark Mullet

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

Rep. Bill Ramos

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 2SHB 1087 (AV20): Excused
 E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea
 SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea
 E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea
 E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Nay
 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

Rep. Lisa Callan

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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): 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

District 6

Sen. Jeff Holy

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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. Mike Volz

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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. Jenny Graham

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 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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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. Jacquelin Maycumber

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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. Joel Kretz

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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

District 8

Sen. Sharon Brown

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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. Brad Klippert

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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. Matt Boehnke

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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

District 9

Sen. Mark Schoesler

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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. Mary Dye

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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. Joe Schmick

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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



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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

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

Rep. Dave Paul

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

District 11

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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Nay
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay
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): 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
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

Rep. Steve Bergquist

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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 5581 (AV26): Yea
ESSB 5993 (AV27): Yea
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Yea
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

District 12

Sen. Brad Hawkins

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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay
E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea
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

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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
ESSB 5993 (AV27): Nay
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

Rep. Mike Steele

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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
ESSB 5993 (AV27): Nay
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea



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District 13

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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea
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SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea
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. Tom Dent

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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. Alex Ybarra

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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

District 14

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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
SSB 5581 (AV26): Yea
ESSB 5993 (AV27): Nay
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay

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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

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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

District 15

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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 5581 (AV26): Nay
ESSB 5993 (AV27): Nay
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay

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SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea
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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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



District 16

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SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea
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

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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

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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

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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Nay
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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

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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

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E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea
SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea
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

District 18

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SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Excused
E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Nay
SHB 2167 (AV25): Nay
SSB 5581 (AV26): Yea
ESSB 5993 (AV27): Nay
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Excused
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay

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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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E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Excused
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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 E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea
 E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Nay
 SHB 2167 (AV25): Yea
 SSB 5581 (AV26): Yea
 ESSB 5993 (AV27): Nay
 ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay
 ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea
 ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea
 ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

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 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

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 SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea
 E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea
 E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Yea
 SHB 2167 (AV25): Yea
 SSB 5581 (AV26): Yea
 ESSB 5993 (AV27): Nay
 ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay
 ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea
 ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea
 ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

District 20

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 SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay
 E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea
 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

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 SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay
 E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay
 E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Nay
 SHB 2167 (AV25): Excused
 SSB 5581 (AV26): Nay
 ESSB 5993 (AV27): Nay
 ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay
 ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay
 ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay
 ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay

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 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

District 21

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 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

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 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

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 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



District 22

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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

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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

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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

District 23

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SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay
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

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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

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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

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SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay
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

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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

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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
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 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

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 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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 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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 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

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 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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 SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea
 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

District 27

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 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

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 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

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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 5581 (AV26): Yea
 ESSB 5993 (AV27): Yea
 ESSB 5997 (AV28): Yea
 ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea
 ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea
 ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay



District 28

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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

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 SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea
 E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay
 E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Nay
 SHB 2167 (AV25): Nay
 SSB 5581 (AV26): Yea
 ESSB 5993 (AV27): Nay
 ESSB 5997 (AV28): Yea
 ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay
 ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay
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 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): Nay
 ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

District 29

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 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

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 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

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 E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea
 SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea
 E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay
 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

District 30

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 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

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 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): Nay

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



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 SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay
 E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea
 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): Excused

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 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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 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

District 32

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 2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea
 E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Nay
 SHB 1652 (AV22): Excused
 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

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 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

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 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

District 33

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 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

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 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

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 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



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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): Nay

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SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Nay
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

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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

District 35

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

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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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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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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

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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): Nay

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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



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 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

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 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

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 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

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 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

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 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

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 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

District 39

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 E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea
 SHB 1652 (AV22): Nay
 E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea
 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): Yea
 ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay

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



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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

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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

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E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea
E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Yea
SHB 2167 (AV25): Yea
SSB 5581 (AV26): Excused
ESSB 5993 (AV27): Nay
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Yea
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay

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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): Nay
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

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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

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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 5581 (AV26): Yea
ESSB 5993 (AV27): Yea
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Yea
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

District 42

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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

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



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District 43

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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

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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
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

Rep. Frank Chopp

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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 5581 (AV26): Yea
ESSB 5993 (AV27): Yea
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Yea
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

District 44

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

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SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea
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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

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SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea
E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea
E2SHB 2158 (AV24): Nay
SHB 2167 (AV25): Yea
SSB 5581 (AV26): Yea
ESSB 5993 (AV27): Nay
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Nay
ESB 6016 (AV31): Nay

District 45

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SSB 5581 (AV26): Yea
ESSB 5993 (AV27): Yea
ESSB 5997 (AV28): Yea
ESSB 5998 (AV29): Nay
ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

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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

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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
ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea



District 46

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 E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Nay
 SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea
 E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea
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 ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

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 E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea
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 ESSB 5997 (AV28): Yea
 ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea
 ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea
 ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

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 E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea
 SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea
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 ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea
 ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea
 ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

District 47

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 E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea
 SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea
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 ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea
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 ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

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 ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea
 ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea
 ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

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 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

District 48

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 SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea
 E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea
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 ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea
 ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

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 E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea
 SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea
 E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea
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 ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea
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 ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

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 E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea
 SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea
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 ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea
 ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea
 ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea



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District 49

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 SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea
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 SHB 2167 (AV25): Yea
 SSB 5581 (AV26): Yea
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 ESSB 5997 (AV28): Nay
 ESSB 5998 (AV29): Yea
 ESSB 6004 (AV30): Yea
 ESB 6016 (AV31): Yea

Rep. Sharon Wylie

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2SHB 1087 (AV20): Yea
 E3SHB 1324 (AV21): Yea
 SHB 1652 (AV22): Yea
 E2SHB 1873 (AV23): Yea
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 SHB 2167 (AV25): 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

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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

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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The Secretary of State is not responsible for the content of statements or arguments (WAC 434-381-180).

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.

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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.”

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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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.

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Judicial Qualifications & Responsibilities

Washington judges are nonpartisan. Judges must be registered Washington voters.

Judges

Judicial candidates must be in good standing to practice law in Washington and are prohibited from statements that appear to commit them on legal issues that may come before them in court.

State Supreme Court Justice

The Washington Supreme Court is the highest judiciary in the state. State Supreme Court justices hear appeals and decide cases from Courts of Appeals and other lower courts. Nine justices are elected statewide to serve six-year terms.

Court of Appeals Judge

Court of Appeals judges hear appeals from Superior Courts. A total of 22 judges serve three divisions headquartered in Seattle, Tacoma, and Spokane. Court of Appeals judges serve six-year terms.

Superior Court Judge

Superior Courts hear felony criminal cases, civil matters, divorces, juvenile cases, and appeals from the lower courts. Superior Courts are organized by county into 30 districts. Superior Court judges serve four-year terms.



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No photo
submitted

Lauren
Erickson
(Nonpartisan)

Unopposed

Legal/Judicial Experience

Clallam County Superior Court Judge

Other Professional Experience

Administrative Law Judge; Deputy Prosecuting Attorney;
private law practice

Education

No information submitted

Community Service

No information submitted

Statement

It is an honor and a privilege to serve as Clallam County's first female superior court judge. It is a responsibility that I take very seriously.

As your judge, I will vigorously protect our system of open courts and judicial independence. My continuing goal and commitment to the citizens of Clallam County is to make sure legal matters are handled effeciently, competently and according to law. I believe in treating everyone who appears in front of me with courtesy and respect. Those who have committed crimes will be treated fairly but will be held accountable.

My hope is that people who have appeared in front of me feel they were heard, and their issue understood - even if the ultimate decision did not go their way.

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**Brent
Basden**

(Nonpartisan)

Unopposed**Legal/Judicial Experience**

My name is Brent Basden. I grew up in Clallam County and graduated from Port Angeles High School in 1984. In 1994 I began practicing law in this county. For fourteen years I focused my practice on family, criminal, and civil matters. In 2008 I became the full time Superior Court Commissioner handling family and juvenile matters. I held that position until 2019 when I was appointed by the governor to fill a superior court vacancy. I have been very involved in our community working with youth programs, church service, as well as numerous professional efforts with the courts.

Other Professional Experience

No information submitted

Education

No information submitted

Community Service

No information submitted

Statement

My wife and I decided to return to Port Angeles after finishing our university educations. We have made this our home for the last twenty-five years. This is where we chose to raise our family, and care deeply about the citizens of Clallam County.

It has been an honor to serve as a full-time judicial officer for the last eleven years. This experience has taught me the critical role the court plays in maintaining what Clallam County has to offer. I will continue to work hard to meet the challenges that our communities face as a result of drug use and mental health concerns.

My judicial philosophy is simple. A judge should be thoughtful and teachable. A judge should make decisions that are both individualized and consistent. A judge should be decisive in a way that is patient and kind and respectful. A judge should be constantly learning and working to improve. A judge should always seek to make the right decision even if it may not be popular. A judge should follow the law.

I am a better judge today than yesterday, and will strive to be a better judge tomorrow than today.

Contact

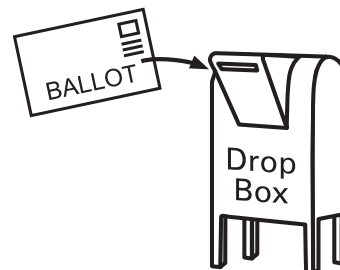
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How is my ballot counted?

1

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!



If your signature is missing or doesn't match, election staff will contact you before your ballot is processed.

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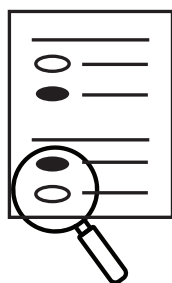
Your signature is verified

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.

3

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.



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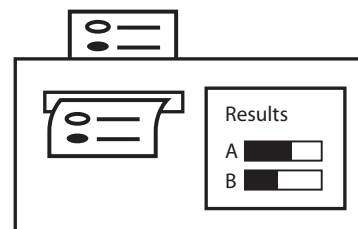
Your ballot is reviewed and scanned

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

5

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.



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Message from the Auditor

Dear Clallam County Voters,

Welcome to the 2019 General Election Local Voters' Pamphlet! Within these pages for Clallam County, you will find information about local candidates and measures that we hope will assist you in casting your ballot.

Ballots will be mailed to Clallam County voters on October 16. If your name, address, or signature has changed since you last voted, please update your information by contacting us at (360) 417-2221 or elections@co.clallam.wa.us.

Our Elections Division, located within the Auditor's Office in the Clallam County Courthouse in Port Angeles, will remain open until 8 p.m. on Election Day to assist voters and answer questions. Election results will be posted to our website at www.clallam.net/elections soon after voting closes that evening. Printouts of results will also be available at our office.

Our goal in producing this pamphlet is to provide a secure, accurate and efficient electoral process that encourages your participation.

Thank you,



Shoona Riggs
Clallam County Auditor

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Accessible Voting

Clallam County voters with disabilities have the option of voting independently and privately using an Accessible Voting Unit (AVU) at the Clallam County Auditor's Office, 223 E 4th St., Suite 1, in Port Angeles.

The AVU will be available Monday through Friday during normal business hours from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. beginning Wednesday, October 16, 2019 through Election Day on Tuesday, Nov. 5, 2019. Election Day hours are 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.



Are You Registered?

If you aren't, there may still be time!

Registrations submitted by mail or online must be received by the Auditor's Office by October 28, 2019 to be able to vote in this election. Alternatively, you may register in-person at the Auditor's Office up until 8:00 p.m. Election Day, Nov. 5.

Replacement Ballots

If you need a replacement ballot, contact the Clallam County Auditor's Office as soon as possible.

Clallam County Auditor's Office

223 E. 4th St., Suite 1
Port Angeles, WA 98362

Phone: (360) 417-2221

Fax: (360) 417-2312

Email: elections@co.clallam.wa.us

Returning Your Ballot

Don't forget to sign the envelope before sealing your ballot inside. Then, return it to the Clallam County Auditor's Office by the deadline using one of the three methods below.

By Mail

No stamp is necessary if you use the return envelope that is provided with your ballot. Your ballot must be postmarked on or before Nov. 5, 2019, in order to count.

Ballot Drop Box

Returning your ballot to a drop box reduces the cost of postage for the election. Additionally, the drop boxes are open until 8 p.m. on Election Night, giving you a few more hours to get your ballot turned in.

Carlsborg – 261461 Hwy 101, Sequim (near Sunny Farms, adjacent to Mill Road)

Clallam Bay – Clallam Bay Branch Library, 16990 Hwy 112, Clallam Bay

Forks – City Hall, 500 E. Division St., Forks

Neah Bay – Washburn General Store, 1450 Bayview Ave., Neah Bay

Port Angeles – Clallam County Courthouse
223 E. 4th St., Port Angeles (three drop boxes)

- Courthouse circular drive
- Courthouse sidewalk, across from disabled parking
- Auditor's Office (only available during business hours)

Seki – 15 Sekiu Airport Road, Sekiu (at the PUD, in the drive-up lane)

Sequim – Sequim Village Shopping Center (JCPenney's Parking Lot) 651 W. Washington St., Sequim

In Person

Clallam County Auditor's Office, 223 E. 4th St., Suite 1, in Port Angeles. Normal business hours are 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday, and 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Election Day (Tuesday, Nov. 5).

Remember to Sign

Remember to sign your ballot return envelope.

- Sign in the signature box next to the black X.
- Do not sign someone else's name, even if you have power of attorney.
- Ballot drop boxes are available if you don't want your signature to go through the mail.



Mark Ozias

(Prefers Democratic Party)

Elected Experience

Clallam County Commissioner for District 1; appointed to Sequim Planning Commission 2006-2008.

Other Professional Experience

Owned and operated two local businesses 2005-2014; extensive experience in non-profit management, fund development, philanthropic planning and organizational development.

Education

BA in Politics and Government from The University of Puget Sound

Community Service

Founder and President, Olympic Peninsula Healthy Community Coalition; President, Olympic Coast National Marine Sanctuary Foundation; member of the Board of Directors of the Olympic View Community Foundation, Sequim Food Bank, OlyCAP, North Olympic Development Council, Three County Opioid Response Project, and Washington Association of Counties.

Statement

It is an honor to serve as your County Commissioner. In my first term I have established a record of building creative and effective partnerships to solve problems; I have been elected Chair of the Board each of the past three years, which is a sign of my fair-mindedness and an endorsement of my leadership.

My guidance has been a key factor in establishing a robust Public Records Office and making county government more accessible; I am engaged in water resource management and climate change adaptation strategy; I am fighting for the necessary role of local leadership as our health care system integrates - including working with others to ensure that our region is doing all we can to combat the opioid epidemic; and I am searching for creative ways to address our most entrenched problems like homelessness and affordable housing.

The next four years will require focus to maintain a healthy county budget, vision to support a vibrant county economy, new partnerships to find solutions to vexing issues and engaging leadership that brings others on board to help. Thank you for trusting me with your vote so that I may continue to work on your behalf.

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Brandon Janisse

(Prefers Republican Party)

Elected Experience

Sequim City Councilor, January 2018 to Present

Other Professional Experience

Control Room Tech at Clallam County Jail, Department Manager at Walmart, Planning Commissioner with City of Sequim, Military Police Soldier with United States Army with a tour of duty in Iraq

Education

Graduate of Sequim High School. Associate of Arts Degree - Peninsula College, 2009; Bachelor of Science in Political Science from Kaplan University, 2012.

Community Service

Court Appointed Special Advocate (CASA) for abused and neglected children.

Statement

After graduating from Sequim High School, I joined the United States Army where I served a tour in Iraq with the 101st Airborne. When I arrived back in Sequim, I managed to find a job and housing, both of which are far too hard to come by. I know firsthand that government needs to avoid adding to the cost of living for working families and retired folks, and indeed try to lower it. With experience I've gained, I will work closely with my fellow elected County officials to ensure housing is affordable and available. I will work with civic leaders and county staff to remove any barriers to the county being a business friendly environment. I'll also prioritize helping families and younger citizens avoid or heal from drug addiction and mental health issues. My work has shown me the urgency of dealing with these problems. Supporting our courts, juvenile justice, and law enforcement are key priorities for me. I will work to make sure that the county sheriff and drug fighting agencies have a sustainable funding source and not have to depend on grant funding and that the county government operates in an efficient, effective, responsive and transparent manner.

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Maury A. Modine

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

Trustee Village of Magdalena, New Mexico. Recording Secretary Plumbing and Pipefitters Local Union 412 - 3 terms (11 years)

Other Professional Experience

Certified OSHA 10 for Construction Instructor. Licensed - Pipefitter, High Purity Welder, Plumber and Gasfitter. Co owner of Village Collectables - online and brick and mortar store

Education

Trinidad State Jr. College, Trinidad, CO. A.A.S. Degree in Occupational Safety and Health Technology. Great Plains Area Vocational Technical School, Lawton, OK. Pipefitting and Welding Apprenticeship. Southwestern Jr. College, Chula Vista, CA. Graduated Mar Vista High School, Imperial Beach, CA.

Community Service

Trek for Trash, Magdalena Area Chamber of Commerce , Heats-On

Statement

If elected as your Port Commissioner, I will serve and improve the current Logging, Marine, and Aeronautic industries infrastructure and contribute new ideas towards uses of existing alternative resources for Economic Development for the Citizens of Clallam County, with a vigorous focus for District 3.

We are taxed approximately \$30.00 per household and business every year to support the Port and its Economic Development Plans. I want to direct part of those funds back to our area by developing targeted activities and programs to bring prosperity to the communities of the West End.

I am not a career politician, nor do I want to be, but I believe it is essential to serve your community. It is important to have new eyes on old issues.

While serving as Trustee to the Village of Magdalena, New Mexico, I wrote a Water Conservation Plan and acquired Grants for new Sewage Lagoons. I wrote an OSHA Safety Program and Employee Handbook for the Village and helped to implement post 2001 FAA Regulations, all on a shoestring budget. I hope to bring that creativity and resourcefulness to this office. Thank you for your support and I ask for your vote.

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Connie Beauvais

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

Commissioner, Port of Port Angeles 2016-Present. Commissioner, Charter Review Commission 2016. Trustee, Crescent Water Association 2007-2014.

Other Professional Experience

Connie has worked for private business, in the public and private arenas, and owned 3 of her own businesses. Currently owns Alpacas of Cedar Wind and is Manager/Operator of Crescent Water Association.

Education

Associate of Business Arts Degree, Heald Business College, Sacramento, CA. WA certified Water Distribution Manager and Water Treatment Plant Operator.

Community Service

Present: State Lands' Commissioner's Solution Table, Chairman Clallam County Planning Commission, Crescent Community Advisory Council. Past: Port Angeles Business Association & Govt Affairs, Clallam Economic Development Council Ag Representative, Coast Guard Auxiliary.

Statement

It has been my privilege and honor to serve as District 3 Port Commissioner for the past three and a half years. Some highlights: my appointment by the State Lands Commissioner to the Solutions Table to find ways to make our forests resilient to climate change and explore innovative ways to make value-added products from this vital, renewable, natural resource; the K-Ply Site cleanup, the fastest the Department of Ecology has seen to date, to begin developing the future Marine Trades Industrial Park; adoption of Federal legislation recognizing emergency readiness as justification to maintain runway lengths; renovation of the Fairchild Airport terminal; stormwater infrastructure at the marine terminals and surrounding uplands; Clean Marina certifications for both marinas; spearheading legislation for Washington ports to develop workforce training; and continuing the Port's commitment to open, transparent communication and collaboration.

Looking forward, the three top issues are *jobs, jobs and jobs*. I will work to further the Marine Trades Industrial Park, opportunities with value-added wood products, and workforce training.

I am proud of these accomplishments. I ask for your vote again as we work to continue to make our Port more successful in improving the economy of our county.

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Daisy
Anderson
(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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**Ann Marie
Henninger**

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience
none

Other Professional Experience

Registered Nurse for 29 years in the following settings: medical clinics, hospitals, summer camps, daycare centers and free clinics; Childbirth Doula and Lactation Specialist; Board Member and Secretary: Northwinds Homeschool Band; Member of Perinatal Support Washington and Port Angeles Business Association; past Board Member: Volunteer Hospice of Clallam County;

Education

BS Psychology from University of Puget Sound, 1988; BS Nursing from Saint Louis University, 1990; ongoing continuing education

Community Service

Volunteer with: Boy Scouts Troop 1498; Washington Homeschool Organization; Storm King Soccer Club; Volunteer Hospice; North Olympic Discovery Marathon; Homeschool Support Groups; Served as licensed foster parent for 9 years.

Statement

My husband and I have lived, worked, played, and raised our family in Clallam County for 23 years. We are joyfully immersed in our community with service activities as a high priority.

Over the years, our county has experienced numerous changes, challenges, and successes in health care access and affordability. Our Public Hospital District #2 offers quality and safe medical care, service excellence, and passionate advocacy at the local, state, and national level.

As a regular attendee at the Olympic Medical Center Board of Commissioners meetings for nearly two years, I have had the opportunity to observe how the Board and its committees function, educate myself about the current challenges faced by our hospital district, and witness the plentiful awards, accolades, and successes our hospital district has achieved.

I am excited to work with the Board to implement Olympic Medical Center's 2020-2022 Strategic Plan, advocate for the residents of our county, and serve as an approachable and receptive commissioner for both citizens and OMC employees. With your vote, I will provide: servant leadership, quality communication, financial stewardship, and relentless support for mental and physical health and wellness in our community.

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**Nate
Adkisson**

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

First-time running for an elected position.

Other Professional Experience

16 years in the banking and mortgage industry working for small local companies to large financial institutions.

Education

Attended Olympic High School in Bremerton, Washington, B.A. in Communications from Western Washington University, Bellingham. Licensed in Washington State to originate residential mortgages.

Community Service

Past board member for Citizens for Sequim Schools, five year camp counselor at CISPUS youth leadership camps, sponsored by the Association of Washington School Principals.

Statement

Rural hospitals in the United States have been closing at alarming rates and are struggling to maintain services in the current environment. OMC is a vital institution to our community and its long term financial stability is under constant pressure from cuts to Medicare, Medicaid, and fewer residents on private insurance. I will work with the board and OMC leadership to explore ways to create new revenue streams. I would like the board and OMC to explore options in creating an Emergency Care membership program for Clallam County residents. I will promote policies that insure all patients who qualify for financial assistance apply for it. I will advocate for a seven day grace period for prompt cash payment. I will advocate for the board to organize with other western Washington hospital districts to explore centralizing administrative duties to reduce costs. I will advocate to reduce wage garnishments on patients to no more than 10% of their net take home pay. If elected, I will be a committed public servant fighting to ensure OMC continues to provide quality care to residents of Hospital District 2 for years to come.

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**Jean
Hordyk**

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

First Elected to the Olympic Medical Center Board in 1995. Elected two times to the Clallam County Charter Review Commission.

Other Professional Experience

Retired from City of Port Angeles and Department of Homeland Security Customs and Border Protection.

Education

Graduated from Port Angeles High School and Peninsula College. Earned a Bachelor's Degree in Parks and Recreation Administration from Eastern Washington University.

Community Service

Served on many Clallam County Boards including: Volunteer Hospice, United Way, North Olympic Health Planning Council, Juvenile Diversion, Port Angeles Parks and Recreation, Community Truancy. Serve on Queen of Angels Parish Committees. Charter member of Soroptimist International of Port Angeles-Jet Set.

Statement

I was elected to the Hospital board in 1995 and served as Board Chair and Board Secretary in addition to board committees including Human Resource, Budget and Audit, Home Health, Ethics and Strategic Planning. I am Board Liaison to OMC Foundation and Olympic Peninsula Community Clinic. Twenty-four years serving as a Hospital Commissioner has provided me insight and understanding of the unique issues and needs this community faces with the healthcare industry. Through my service on various sub-committees and community involvement, I have developed crucial relationships with fellow board members, OMC employees, volunteers and the community that facilitate effective discussion and implementation of key projects servicing our community medical needs.

I have been an integral part of a dynamic, conscientious, results-oriented team. Together, we have expanded our campus, grown the medical staff, improved patient service, state of the art electric medical system and received recognition within the medical community. OMC has been recognized in the Top 20 Rural Community Hospitals in the country.

I will continue to support the values of Olympic Medical Center: Quality, Safety, Teamwork, Compassion, Respect, Integrity, and Stewardship.

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**Ted
Bowen**

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

None

Other Professional Experience

Healthcare security including hospitals, clinics, mental health institutions, Medication Assisted Treatment programs including suboxone and methadone; *Safety/Security* at North Olympic Healthcare; *Security Manager* of casino and tribal gaming; *Security Supervisor*, Washington State House of Representatives;

Education

Peninsula College EMT certification, IAHS certification (International Association for Healthcare Security and Safety), Department of Corrections Core Academy

Community Service

Clallam County Fire District 2 Volunteer 2011-12

Statement

My life experience, as well as my healthcare security experience, has allowed me to see many spectrums of healthcare. OMC is the largest employer and medical facility in Clallam County, and a lot of families depend on the hospital to be at its best. In a hospital, staff members as well as patients could be having the worst day of their life, and I recognize that advocating for mental, physical, and spiritual health of both staff and patients needs to be a priority. Safety and security is also important along with empowering staff with the latest training and equipment to do their job, knowing they have the full support of the administration and the community. I know this county has its struggle on the street as well, with addictions and mental health issues which bring patients to the doors of OMC. I advocate for the public to have options such as intensive outpatient programs, group sessions, and medication assisted treatment programs. This cooperation with other facilities and clinics in Clallam County together would bring great success to the well being of all.

Contact

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**Thom
Hightower**

(Nonpartisan)

Unopposed

Elected Experience

Appointed to OMC Board of Commissioners in February, 2018.

Other Professional Experience

40+ years experience as an RN in a range of hospital leadership roles.

Education

Masters Degree in Nursing Administration from University of Washington in 1984.

Community Service

Currently: Member Olympic Peninsula Healthy Communities Coalition. Volunteer and Board Member Olympic Peninsula Community Clinic (VIMO).

Statement

My career in healthcare has spanned hospital roles from bedside nursing in critical care to holding a range of hospital leadership roles. I worked in hospitals from large to small and profit to not for profit.

My experience led me to hold strong beliefs about how hospitals best meet the healthcare needs of a community. In my view the most successful hospitals are characterized by: patient centered care, staff and provider engagement, community partnership, commitment to quality and safety, financial stewardship, and independent local control. I believe OMC meets these standards better than most hospitals in Washington State.

After being appointed as Commissioner last year, I have been active in numerous board and hospital committees: Quality Management Oversight, Legislative Advocacy, Ethics Advisory, Audit, Budget and Compliance, and Employee Wellness. I have had a steep learning curve and have thoroughly enjoyed this opportunity to serve.

My commitment to continuing as OMC commissioner is to add an informed voice and energy to the deliberations and decisions needed to ensure the people of Clallam County receive the best healthcare services. Services provided here in our community. I would appreciate your support allowing me to continue serving in this important role.

Contact

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No photo
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Juanita
Weissenfels
(Nonpartisan)

Unopposed

Elected Experience

I have served two terms as position 1 councilperson and city representative to the Clallam Transit Board. I would like to continue to offer my experience for another term.

Other Professional Experience

Teacher, grades 4-8 for 37 years.

Education

B.A. WWU. 5th year WWU. Graduate courses over the years from various universities

Community Service

Friends of Forks Animals spay/neuter coordinator for 17 years. Church organist/pianist for 47 years. Homelessness task force for 3 years

Statement

Your vote is appreciated.

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No photo
submitted

Jeff
Gingell
(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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**Mike
Gilstrap**

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

No information submitted

Other Professional Experience

No information submitted

Education

No information submitted

Community Service

No information submitted

Statement

Having lived in Forks my entire life I feel that being from Forks is a privilege that most people will never understand. So serving the people of Forks as city council member would be an honor. I have spent a big portion of my life serving my country in uniform, and I feel that experience will help me succeed above my opponents in being a good steward for the future of our city and its residents. From the people for the people!

Contact

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**Danny
Smith**

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

I have not held an elected office. I volunteer my time and service directly to agencies and activities that need hands on help.

Other Professional Experience

Truck Driving, Log Trucks, Dump Trucks and Lumber Trucks for thirteen years. Miller Logging, Walsh Bros. trucking, Kenny Bechtold, David Crippen Clallam County Ares, Races

Education

Graduated Forks High School, Ham Radio License General Level.

Community Service

Clallam County ARES.RACES Emergency Disaster Services thirteen years, Forks Elementary and Junior High, Boy/Girl Scouts, Girls Camp Fire Scouts, Forks Fire Department three years, Parent Committee Head Start, Cheerleader Booster Club, Forks Hospital, Forks Old Fashion 4th of July

Statement

Danny Smith has resided in Forks since 1980. He has always been a free spirit person who only looked to the future rather than dwelling on the past, never believing that there was anything he could not do. Many people told him he could never be a Truck Driver due to his stature but he proved them wrong.

He was taught anything worth doing was worth doing right. To believe in yourself and never forget where home is, that true friends are few and far between, never jeopardize nor fail a true friendship.

Danny believes that every citizen is the owner of that city. The laws, rules and policies must be respected and applied as appropriate to all and in an equal manner, citizens must be informed of any change that the council makes. The Council members are there to serve the citizens and the needs of the city. The council must publish meeting agendas in the Forks Forum prior to the meetings.

Danny believes that it is very important to talk with, listen and be available to as many folks as possible to get a true feeling of the condition of the city.

Contact

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Charlie McCaughan

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

This is my first experience; I am excited about the possibility.

Other Professional Experience

I work at Clallam County PUD as the Procurement & Facilities Supervisor (2008 – present); Previously employed at City of Port Angeles in Light Operations from 2003 -2008

Education

1974 Graduate of Long Beach High School in Long Beach, MS. Attended Mississippi Gulf Coast Junior College in Biloxi, MS

Community Service

My wife Melanie and I support Port Angeles High School sports, Port Angeles Lefties, Community Playhouse and have volunteered at Crab Fest, Juan de Fuca Festival and Serenity House. Melanie works in the Human Services field within the Port Angeles community.

Statement

I have been a Port Angeles resident since 2001. My wife Melanie and I enjoy walking our dogs, hiking, backpacking and camping all over the Olympic Peninsula. We are very grateful to live in this area with all it has to offer.

I would like to be a part of the decision making process within our City Council as a way of giving back to the community. I will work hard to achieve positive results. Transparency, ethics and honesty are the core values I stand by. I will work positively with all council members to help make sound decisions for our city. My hope is we can find solutions to public safety, homelessness, vacant storefronts and other issues. I will strive to stay informed and make responsible decisions.

With downtown renovations, increased tourism should bring revenue and opportunities for local merchants. My hope is that revenue will provide more funding for street and alley improvements and additional sidewalks in residential areas, increasing public safety.

I am committed to keeping Port Angeles a city we can all be proud of for decades to come. I would be honored to have your vote. Please call or email me with questions or concerns.

Contact

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No photo
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Richard W. Robinson

(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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**Nina
Napiontek**

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

No prior elected experience

Other Professional Experience

Teaching Assistant for the Lower Elwha Head Start for eight years. After a two year break to raise my children, I returned as a substitute three years ago. Former millhand at K-Ply. Former nanny for three years while stationed in Texas.

Education

Joyce Highschool graduate, 1999.

Community Service

No formal community service. I try to walk three times a week from downtown to home where I pick up discarded garbage, broken glass and drug paraphernalia for the last three years. I also try to clean up while visiting random public areas with my family

Statement

As a hardworking mom with with two young children and a wife of a disabled veteran, the deteriorating quality of life and declining conditions in Port Angeles alarm me.

As a third generation local, I'm setting aside my natural shyness and seek office to rebuild our community. I value honesty, transparency and hard work. I'll search for workable alternatives with you. More importantly, I'm a person of action. I'll do what I can to move our Council and community forward to actually implement viable solutions which address our problems, clean up our city and improve our hometown.

Port Angeles has always held a special place in my heart. I feel blessed to call it home. I look forward to working with both Council and community because I believe that our city and the people in it are worth the hard work it will take to implement positive change.

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**Navarra
Carr**

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

None

Other Professional Experience

Development & Administrative Associate, North Olympic Land Trust; Finance Assistant, Jefferson Land Trust; Volunteer Coordinator, US Servas; Office Manager & AmeriCorps VISTA, Arcata House Partnership; Secretary for Arcata House Partnership Board; AmeriCorps Literacy Tutor, Monterey County Department of Education

Education

BA in Philosophy: Ethics, Politics, & Law, Sacramento State University

Community Service

Served on the City of Arcata's Housing Equity Working Group, Humboldt County's CalFresh (food stamps) Taskforce & Humboldt State University's Food Alliance, and the Student Representative for Northcoast Preparatory Academy's School Board; Volunteer to support political engagement among young adults, Habitat for Humanity, Humboldt Pride, and Montessori in the City.

Statement

I am running for City Council with a vision of a safe community for the diverse people in Port Angeles. If elected, I will use my experience with housing equity and food security to address our community's challenges. I will strive to enact local solutions and policies to expand affordable housing, commit to climate resiliency, encourage a robust economy, and deepen support for our healthcare networks, particularly in responding to and solving the opioid crisis.

As a representative for the people of Port Angeles, I will thoroughly examine issues in order to find timely, economically viable solutions and increase transparency in the decision making process by committing to regularly scheduled office hours. I will use my experience in finance and administration to evaluate and maintain our City's budget, facilitate community outreach, and build collaborative partnerships.

Our City needs leaders who will continue to fight to improve our quality of life through strategic, sustainable growth. I will ensure that Port Angeles remains a welcoming and inspiring place to call home by supporting local business innovation, encouraging the creation of family wage jobs, and helping our arts community thrive.

I would be honored to serve as your Council Member.

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Martha Cunningham

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

Previously I have served as Art Commissioner for City of Kent. In that capacity we worked with King County Transit, City Council budgeting, and projects for the City of Kent. I have also been a volunteer for CASA of King County and now for Clallam County.

Other Professional Experience

I have owned small businesses including retail in Spokane and a Montessori school in Coeur d Alene, ID. I have experience with the legal system as a paralegal.

Education

WWU, UW, Chestnut Hill College, Highline Community College

Community Service

Volunteer for high school refugee students in Kent School District, and Crisis Clinic volunteer.

Statement

My goal as as a council member would be to work for the preservation and vitality of Port Angeles as a place where hard-working people could enjoy a healthy and safe life. I am willing to work hard and would give my time and energy to continue the good efforts of those who pioneered this place and for those who value its richness and want to see it prosper. I was born in Washington and my Great-grandparents were homesteaders here. I would like to see it remain the place that I grew up in -a place that feels like home. I want my grandchildren to experience the beauty and integrity of Port Angeles.

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Brendan Meyer

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

Vice-President of Neighborhood Association, National Night Out Coordinator

Other Professional Experience

Carpenter, Auto-body Technician, Factory Worker, Photographer, Self-Employed Streaming Media Marketing and Advertising Consultant.

Education

Associates of Applied Science in Advertising and Graphic Design

Community Service

Watershed Protection Advocate, Fundraising Duke Children's Hospital, Member of the PTA, Neighborhood Watch

Statement

I believe that the future of our city depends on working together today! My plan is to not only listen to those who speak up and are active in our community, but to seek out and encourage those without a voice. *I pledge to reach out to those on the ground; people doing the real work of keeping Port Angeles moving forward.* Our first responders and city workers need our support and resources so that we can ensure the strength and safety of our community. We need to address the issue of rising property taxes and we must grow and revitalize our downtown so that year round citizens can enjoy a diverse and prosperous local economy. I'm against frivolous spending- let's make sure our hard earned tax dollars work for us. I support forming coalitions and mentorship programs between business leaders, financial institutions, and Peninsula College to develop skills to grow our city. We need bold solutions to short circuit homelessness and we need to stop supporting ideas that don't work. I won't be silent. I'm a strong believer in the Constitution and I believe that no one, including the government, has the authority to intrude on those rights.

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City of Port Angeles

Proposition No. 1

AFFORDABLE AND SUPPORTIVE HOUSING – LOCAL SALES AND USE TAX

The City Council of the City of Port Angeles adopted Resolution No. 14-19 concerning a proposition to implement a sales tax of 0.1 percent pursuant to RCW 82.14.530 to be used only for construction of affordable housing, or funding the operations and maintenance of new units of affordable housing and facilities where housing-related programs are provided.

Should this proposition be approved?

☐ Yes

☐ No

Explanatory Statement

Written by William Bloor, City Attorney for Port Angeles

This proposition will increase the sales tax within the City of Port Angeles by 0.10%. The additional revenue from this sales tax increase will be used only for affordable housing and providing housing-related services within the City as provided in RCW 82.14.530. More specifically, the additional sales tax revenue will be used for: constructing affordable housing and facilities providing housing-related services; or funding the operations and maintenance costs of new units of affordable housing and facilities where housing-related programs are provided. Such affordable housing and facilities will be provided to persons whose income is at or below sixty percent of the median income of Clallam county and who are: persons with mental illness; veterans; senior citizens; families with children who are homeless, or at-risk of being homeless; unaccompanied homeless youth or young adults; persons with disabilities; or domestic violence survivors.

Passage of this proposition will make the City eligible to claim additional revenue from the State. The additional revenue is a credit, not an additional tax, that is transferred to the City from the State's portion of sales tax. It is equal to 0.0146% of sales taxes paid within the City.

Arguments For and Against this measure are on next page →

Argument For

In 2018 the City of Port Angeles completed a Housing Needs Assessment that illustrates our considerable struggle with a shortage of affordable housing. Affordable housing is generally defined as housing expenses being less than 35% of gross household income.

Many of our neighbors are paying upwards of 50% of their income on rent alone. Others are living in places that are not meant to be homes (cars, friends' homes, old RV's, hotels...) or are teetering on the verge of becoming homeless. Many people with jobs are unable to afford appropriate housing in Port Angeles. This has a negative effect on our local economy, leaving them unable to afford a lifestyle that supports vibrant economic growth.

Rapidly increasing rents, decreasing vacancy rates, fixed and limited incomes, and lack of local industries are all driving an increase in housing instability and homelessness in our city. Increasing homelessness cripples the vitality of our downtown, drives up costs for emergency services, and creates environmental and health concerns from unsanctioned encampments.

A one-tenth of one percent increase in the sales tax means that for every \$10 anyone spends locally, an extra penny will go to this sales tax. All those pennies add up to over \$350,000 dollars a year and will be spent building, operating, and maintaining safe, affordable homes for Port Angeles' most vulnerable residents.

Vote YES! and be part of the solution for solving homelessness and creating an economically vibrant community in Port Angeles.

Written by

Emily Dexter, Chairperson; **Bobby Dunlap**; **Amy Miller**

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Argument Against

Introduction: It's not about the money. Most people would be willing to spend an extra penny on a \$10 item if they knew it was going to a good cause. And while this is a good cause, potential pitfalls in the Resolution are not addressed.

Workability: Many other cities with large homeless populations have discovered to their detriment that those provided housing do not always take care of their new homes. Numerous incidents have occurred at Serenity House and the other housing units it owns.

Duplication of Services: As to evaluation and treatment centers: This Resolution could too easily duplicate the three alcohol and drug rehab centers already in Port Angeles, one of which has a residential program. The Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT) facility is planned to open in Sequim in 2021, which will treat approximately 250 patients.

Questions: Will "funding the operations and maintenance costs" include hiring a full-time city employee to administer this program? If yes, that person's salary and benefits could easily cost a quarter of the projected income of \$320,000 a year. Other questions remain.

With so many in need of housing, how will the individuals and families be prioritized in obtaining affordable housing?

How long will someone or a family be allowed to stay in subsidized housing?

Will counseling or treatment for addictions or other detrimental behaviors be mandatory?

What provisions will be made for enforceable contracts of behavior?

Please vote no on this Resolution.

Written by

Andrea Williams, Chairperson

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**William****Armacost**

(Nonpartisan)

Unopposed**Elected Experience**

Appointed to the Sequim City Council. No other elected experience.

Other Professional Experience

Owner of *Changes Salon & Spa*. Co-owner of *Sound Cutters* chain of styling salons. Owner of home staging business and antique store. Owner of residential and commercial income property. National spokesperson for Revlon.

Education

Nationwide Beauty Academy, Columbus Ohio. Apprentice at Vidal Sassoon, London England. Advanced Color Training, L'Oréal Paris France. Advanced Styling Training, Milan, Italy

Community Service

Sequim Irrigation Festival Pageant Board. Boys and Girls Club Auction. White Christmas Ball fundraiser for the St. Luke Church

Statement

I have loved living and working in Sequim for the past 34 years and want to give back to this great community. I am now seeking to be elected to the Sequim City Council seat that I volunteered for and was appointed to last year.

During those 34 years being part of the Sequim business community I have gained much valuable insight into those aspects of city government that both help and hinder small businesses and rental property owners. As a Sequim homeowner, I understand the need for good streets and clean water and safe neighborhoods at a reasonable cost especially to those that live on fixed incomes and are hurt by higher and higher taxes.

Our police need to be fully supported and drug policies enforced with pathways to treatment for those who are serious about restoring themselves into society.

The City of Sequim is not an isolated entity but exists in the context of the larger local community. As your member of the Council I will represent you first as well as recognize the need to promote Sequim as an affirmative contributor to the Greater Sequim Area.

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**Jennifer
States**

(Nonpartisan)

Unopposed**Elected Experience**

Jennifer has served on the Sequim City Council since January 2018.

Other Professional Experience

Jennifer has 20 years of clean technology experience within government, industry and research environments. She's currently a Senior Consultant for DNV GL - Energy and Maritime. Local experience includes the Port of Port Angeles, Composite Recycling Technology Center, and Pacific Northwest National Laboratory. She and her husband are co-owners of Wind Rose Cellars in Sequim.

Education

Bachelor of Science, Political Science, Nebraska Wesleyan University.

Community Service

Serving on the Solid Waste Advisory Committee and the North Olympic Development Council. Served on the board of the Peninsula Regional Transportation Planning Organization in 2018.

Statement

Jennifer is driven by her passion to create a sustainable future from an economic and environmental perspective through collaboration. As more people continue to discover our beautiful community, she understands the need for smart growth and planning that looks to the future and strikes the right balance.

Jennifer has already been able to make a difference in her time in office. She initiated collaboration with the Clallam PUD for a project to install EV charging, solar panels and storage at an unused site in town. She helped the City move forward with its project for solar panels on the roof of the Civic Center. She is advancing discussions on recycling and climate change resiliency with County and regional entities.

Jennifer and her husband choose Sequim as their as home and place to open their business, Wind Rose Cellars, 8 years ago. She knows first-hand about the challenges faced by small business owners and works to find ways to help local businesses be more successful.

Jennifer is passionate about giving back to this community by serving on City Council. She brings her knowledge, network, strategic skills and collaborative approach to the position to help make a positive impact in this community.

Contact

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Troy
Tenneson

(Nonpartisan)

Unopposed

Elected Experience

No past elected experience.

Other Professional Experience

Current: Owner of *Tenneson Construction Incorporated*.
Past: Professional Firefighter/Paramedic (Clallam Co. Fire Dist. #3). Wildland Firefighter (National Park Service). Ski Patrolter (Snoqualmie Pass).

Education

Bachelor of Science Degree (Central Washington University). Associate of Arts Degree (Peninsula College).

Community Service

Member of Independent Bible Church (Port Angeles).
Volunteer driver of mobile ultrasound truck for MyChoices.

Statement

I have seen Sequim go from a small farming town, to a retirement destination, and is now growing and defining itself again. With growth come issues of: Keeping housing and utilities affordable for blue-collar workers and retirees; maintaining public safety in light of a growing homeless population; proper road and traffic management; keeping a local business-friendly atmosphere; and conducting regular city business in an efficient, effective and transparent manner.

A born and raised local, my grandpa moved to Sequim in the late 1940s. My dad graduated from Sequim High School (class of '63). I look forward to raising my future family and continuing to build my life here.

A fifteen year firefighting and emergency medical service career, owning a residential construction company, and an assortment of life experiences has put me in a spot where I feel competent and confident to take this role. I look forward with humility and anticipation to transitioning from being a concerned citizen attending city council meetings, to being one of the city leaders. I would be honored by your vote. Please don't hesitate to call or email me.

Contact

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No photo
submitted

Tom
Ferrell
(Nonpartisan)

Unopposed

Elected Experience

No Elected Experience

Other Professional Experience

US Air Force officer, utility company accountant, auditor, aerospace manager, adjunct professor, economic development director, World Trade Centers manager, emerging technology director, leadership consultant, aerospace small business owner.

Education

Accounting degree and Masters degree in management, Air War College.

Community Service

Youth basketball coach, business leadership lecturer, Sequim planning commission.

Statement

There are many attributes a good city council member should use. It is important to approach all challenges and issues with the greatest degree of common sense and objective thinking. Making decisions that affects the constituency and taxpayer dollars require fiscal understanding and smart teamwork.

Attributes that would not be helpful when approaching challenges and issues include political correctness, inflexibility, and predetermined notions.

I will strive to always use the good attributes.

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**Arwen
Rice**

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

No information submitted

Other Professional Experience

author, 2016-2019, Clallam County seasonal park ranger 2019, newspaper reporter, 2007-2016 (Peninsula Daily News 2011-2016), US Navy veteran, hull technician/damage controlman, honorably discharged.

Education

University of Colorado – Boulder, 2008: majors – journalism, anthropology; minor – political science. Multiple community colleges: livestock/equine management. Piner High School, 1987: woodworking/cabinetry, auto repair, landscaping.

Community Service

Girl Scout leader 2003-2006, PAHS parent volunteer 2013-2015, superintendent's Equity Team, 2018-2019, Clallam County CERT, 2017-2019

Statement

The school board is limited to what it can do within state and federal law. There is only so much a board member can do. But, using her years of experience, both as a reporter and as a parent, Arwen Rice would like to help the district navigate through those restrictions and budgetary challenges to provide the best education possible to Port Angeles children and young adults, whether they are college-bound, seeking a trade, military-bound, or haven't yet decided their goals.

Rice believes teachers should be paid fairly for their dedication, but not at the expense of fiscal responsibility. She will fight for our district's fair share from Olympia, so that our teachers, support staff and the students all have the resources necessary for success both in the classroom and outside of it. No one should have to decide between fairly paid teachers, teacher layoffs, and funding successful education programs.

She believe our students need opportunities to prepare not just for college but also for everyday life, that the music and arts programs strengthens our students both academically and spiritually, and keeping a strong traditional vocational program is vital to the health of our local economy and our community's future.

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**Katie
Marks**

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

This is the first time Katie has sought elected office.

Other Professional Experience

Peninsula College as Director of Institutional Research and Data Manager (2012-current). Research Analyst Contractor for the Olympic Coast National Marine Sanctuary (2001-2012), Data Manager for State Board for Community and Technical Colleges (1999-2001)

Education

Oregon State University, B.A. in History

Community Service

Franklin Elementary and Stevens Middle Schools, Trey Green Guild member of the Seattle Children's Hospital Foundation, North Olympic Discovery Kid's Marathon, Port Angeles Downtown Association, Hurricane Ridge Ski and Snowboard Area, OAT Run, PA Lefties Baseball Host Family

Statement

I am dedicated to working for excellent schools that provide a safe and healthy learning environment for all of our children. As an active parent volunteer with children in elementary and high school, I will contribute this essential perspective to the board.

The health and vitality of our community is dependent upon the success of our children. We need to support all families, so they can send students to school ready to learn. Additionally, we need to support our teachers in creating a productive environment that addresses the social emotional needs of our children. I will emphasize strengthening the connections between students, their families, teachers, and our community. I will prioritize transparent and productive interaction between the board, the school administration, and the community.

I am optimistic about the future of our schools. To attain success and continuous improvement, we need board members who are able to find common ground and use sound judgment when making decisions that impact the taxpayers.

As a data and research analyst, I have the expertise to scrutinize the budget process and to make data informed decisions with our children's best interests in mind. I would be honored to serve on our school board.

Contact

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**Sandy****Long**

(Nonpartisan)

Unopposed**Elected Experience**

Appointed to PASD Board of Directors, February, 2016

Other Professional Experience

Tenure track Profession of Psychology, Louisiana Tech University and Louisiana State University; adjunct professor Centenary College and The University of Alabama; Elementary teacher, counselor, and curriculum coordinator; Partner, Behavioral Analysis, LLC; Executive Director, Youth Enrichment Program

Education

Ph.D., Psychology, University of Alabama; M.A. and Ed. S., Counseling, Louisiana Tech University; M.S. and B.S., Education, LSU

Community Service

Board of Directors of Port Angeles United Way; VIMO; Chemical Dependency/Mental Health Project; Peninsula Behavioral Health; Peninsula Dispute Resolution Center; Fine Arts Center. Member St. Andrews Episcopal Church and PEO.

Statement

A free and appropriate public education is the backbone of our American democracy. I believe that my 40 year career in education, at the public school and university levels, allow me an enhanced knowledge of curriculum; teaching and learning; and assessment.

The Port Angeles School District provides a high quality education for all students. The PASD Board's strategic plan includes new school construction and expansion and maintenance of older facilities funded through the public's support of future bonds and levies. I believe that all students can learn and should be allowed to progress and succeed at their own pace. The Board will continue to provide services and programs that allow individual students to gain academic success and life skills that will serve them throughout their adult lives. Open and transparent communications with students, staff, families, and the public will help to guide the Board's continued efforts. It is the responsibility of this Board to ensure sound fiscal guidance and competency.

It has been an honor and a privilege to represent this community on the PASD Board of Directors. I look forward to continuing to serve for the next four years.

Contact

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Jacob Wright

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

This is my first bid for public office.

Other Professional Experience

Real Estate Broker, owner of Pau Hana Painting LLC, District Manager and Board of Directors for Student Entrepreneurs.

Education

Studied Philosophy and Spanish at Washington State University.

Community Service

Volunteered with the North Olympic Salmon Coalition to educate the students in the Cape Flattery School District on the importance of our natural resources and helped teach hands-on techniques that can preserve salmon habitat. Volunteer Member of the Wellness Task Force and later appointed to the Wellness Advisory Group for the Sequim School District.

Statement

I am running for the Port Angeles school board because I believe the social and emotional health of our students is crucial for our community and our world. The education they receive here will provide them with the tools to meet life with grace and ambition. This generation will be faced some of the worlds most challenging problems, be they political, environmental or financial. It is our duty as members of this great community to help them be ready. I grew up in Clallam Bay and my wife was born and raised in Sequim, where she currently teaches at the middle school. We intend to raise our future children in Port Angeles and *nothing* is more important to us than a healthy education system. I believe Port Angeles School District has begun to make excellent strategic financial decisions for its facilities and I look forward to working with my fellow board members, the superintendent, and the members of this community to further these goals. I believe my fierce business mind, my passion for the well being of our students combined and the gentle guidance of my brilliant wife make me the best candidate for this position.

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Staci Politika

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

No

Other Professional Experience

No information submitted

Education

Port Angeles Public School, Washington State University, Peninsula College

Community Service

Volunteer: North Olympic Baseball and Softball, Wilder Baseball Club, elementary PTO, and the DECA program. Board member, and Vice President of Olympic Junior Babe Ruth. Olympic Medical Center Foundation, Teddy Bear Tea Chair.

Statement

I'm a born and raised Port Angeles local. I'm not interested in being a politician. I only want to be an advocate for the teaching and learning process. For me, this means it's an absolute priority to support our students, staff and parents as we all must work together and commit to our common goals.

Being a child of a teacher, I'm aware of the many challenges' educators face daily. As a past student of PASD, I know what an incredible school system is in place. Having two children graduate from this district, I see the caliber of students we produce. Additionally, I have an awareness of student/teacher needs and the obstacles they encounter. Being a community member, I see the endless generosity given to both students and the district and wish for it to continue.

I would like to see a strong board working together, have clear goals and a realistic plan of implementation. My intentions are focused around the students, teachers and community. It would be an honor to serve your children, our educators, and our community in this role. I ask for your support of my candidacy for the Port Angeles School Board.

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No photo
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Trisha
Haggerty
(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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Susan
Hopper
(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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submitted

Dara
Peppard
(Nonpartisan)

Unopposed

Elected Experience

No information submitted

Other Professional Experience

No information submitted

Education

No information submitted

Community Service

I value what the school board represents and appreciate the fact that the community has trusted me in the past in my role as a school board member. I care about the kids in our community, and the staff and faculty at our school.

New blood is always good for any organization.

Consider running. Our community has many volunteer opportunities. School Board is just another volunteer role.

My favorite role is flipping pancakes at the Lions Club one Sunday each month, at the very least come have breakfast with your friends and neighbors. It's always fun and there's always bacon.

Statement

No information submitted

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**Lawrence (Larry)****Jeffryes**

(Nonpartisan)

Unopposed**Elected Experience**

None. First-time candidate.

Other Professional Experience

Science (biology & chemistry) classroom teacher, 35 years in Colorado and New Mexico. Certified Health and Safety Training Specialist - Radiation Protection, Los Alamos National Laboratory, 9 years. Ed technology curriculum developer, New Mexico State University, 10 years. Track and Cross-Country coach, 20 years.

Education

Alamosa High School, Alamosa, CO. BS Adams State University, Colorado, 1969. MS University of New Mexico, 1974. Ed Specialist UNM, 1994.

Community Service

Sequim School's Strategic Planning Committee, Community Truancy Board volunteer; Sequim Education Foundation Board; Meals for Sequim Kids Fund founder; Dream Catcher/Morning Star balloon crew. B&G Club summer meal distribution volunteer.

Statement

My priority will be to focus on student achievement and success in a safe and supportive learning environment for students and staff. A primary goal for the School Board will be to hire and support a new Superintendent. It is essential that the School Board Directors and Superintendent work together in cohesive, productive, and positive ways to achieve district goals.

Sequim School District needs updated safety and security policies and procedures that are upheld districtwide. This includes training and implementing best practice safety protocols. Repairing or replacing outdated and unsafe facilities must be addressed immediately. The School Board and Superintendent team must allocate limited funding wisely, while also finding alternative revenue resources to support changing student needs for the future. To be successful, the School Board Directors must maintain and grow collaborative relationships with families, students, staff, and community partners.

Student programs and achievement are at risk due to funding limitations, aging facilities, and external and internal complexities. I will work to ensure the School Board focus is on minimizing those risks, with student safety and achievement at the forefront of every decision. I will promote community involvement and dedicate my time to bettering the Sequim community.

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Beth Smithson

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

No information submitted

Other Professional Experience

No information submitted

Education

No information submitted

Community Service

Beth Smithson has lived in Sequim school district since 2003, married to Garrett Smithson and mother of two boys, Cole (14) and Kellan (9), both whom have been in the district since kindergarten. She went to school in Cashmere, after which she traveled while working until 2005 when she combined her passion of working with people and her artistic talent and earned her cosmetology license. Beth started her hair salon in 2013 where she has enjoyed great success. Throughout her children's time in the district she has spent hours chaperoning, supporting school programs as well as coaching numerous youth teams.

Statement

I'm very passionate and motivated to help make positive changes in the district and I'm excited to be a part of a team that reestablishes the school district into something we can all be proud of. As a parent of current students, I bring a mother's perspective. I'm an entrepreneur that has successfully grown my own business locally. I've been involved with coaching for many years so I understand the value of being on a team. I will work hard creating an environment of integrity and transparency.

I want a superintendent that will not only hold people accountable in their *positions*, but also *works* to improve the *morale* and climate of our district as well as manage our resources wisely. We need safe buildings and campuses that supports excellent teaching and learning. I will be a vocal, persistent advocate for the staff and the parents so that our students can experience a safe, inclusive, encouraging environment that creates young adults we can be proud of.

I will always look at and consider all issues from many different perspectives. I will listen more than I speak, and ultimately will make decisions based on what is best for our students and schools.

Contact

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Jim Stoffer

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

Sequim School Board Director, 2015-Current

Other Professional Experience

Legislative Representative for the Sequim School Board. State School Directors Association (WSSDA) legislative committee member. WSSDA's Trust Lands Advisory committee member. DNR Forest Health Advisory Committee member on behalf of WSSDA. Retired U.S. Coast Guard with 31 years of active duty service.

Education

Graduate of Columbia College, Columbia, MO. Graduate of WSSDA Leadership

Community Service

President Elect – Sequim Chamber Board; Sequim Irrigation Festival Board Member; Past President, Citizens for Sequim Schools. Sequim School District Strategic Plan Committee Member; Prevention Works Board Member; Boys and Girls Club Summer Lunch Program Volunteer; Lavender Festival Volunteer; Sequim Food Bank Volunteer

Statement

Mr. Stoffer serves as a school board director and has for the past 4 years. Since 2002, he has been an active volunteer and advocate for the Sequim School District and community. Mr. Stoffer brings a broad perspective which includes detailed knowledge of our school district, an ability to be objective and fair, and an appreciation of the needs of all our students. He listens to input and understands the values and concerns of voters, parents, teachers, and students.

Sequim School District must prudently manage and administer our tax dollars allocated to education. Mr. Stoffer understands the complicated financial structure of education in Washington State. He is a core part of the statewide committee which worked to secure \$600K in timber revenue for our District. He is dedicated to pursuing training to strengthen his skills and knowledge of public education.

He labors tirelessly to foster relationships between the School Board, the District, the community; and the State Legislature to create the learning atmosphere needed for our community's greatest asset, our students.

Mr. Stoffer's lifetime of service has prepared him to effectively bring together our uniquely diverse and rural community. He serves our district creating opportunities for each student to thrive.

Contact

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Eric A. Pickens

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

Elected President-Port Angeles Education Association for two consecutive terms. Vice President- Washington Education Association Olympic Council, Board Director for the Washington Education Association, and WEA Legislative Strategies Committee.

Other Professional Experience

First Grade Teacher, Elementary Department Head, and Assessment/Curriculum Committee, PASD. 10+ years of business management experience directing call centers and retail stores. Additionally, I served 4 years in the United States Coast Guard.

Education

Graduate Chimacum High School, Middlesex College-AA, University of Phoenix BA -Management and MA-Elementary Education.

Community Service

Actively served on coalitions lobbying our state legislature to provide adequate funding to underfunded communities including the Sequim School District.

Statement

As a current first grade teacher, U.S. Coast Guard veteran, and a parent of two children attending public school in Sequim, I am passionate about public education and service. The most rewarding aspect of being a teacher is seeing students realize their fullest academic potential.

As a school board member, I will fight to ensure that every student is equipped with the tools, resources, and opportunities to ensure their academic success. Sequim School District must provide the best for our children, support our dedicated teachers and staff, and effectively prepare graduates to be ready for college or careers. Despite budget constraints, we must push our schools even more to provide better choices for families, strive for higher standards, and improve our facilities.

I will continually strive for excellence, ask difficult questions, and demand thorough and transparent answers. I have a proven track record and experience supporting public education. Furthermore, I believe that being raised here on the Olympic Peninsula gives me additional perspectives on the specific needs and priorities important to our community.

For passionate, dedicated, and experienced community leadership, I ask you to vote for me, Eric Pickens.

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Charles W. Smith III

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

None

Other Professional Experience

Real Estate Broker for 24 years, current member of the Sequim Association of Realtors and Northwest Multiple Listing Service, previous member of the Greater Las Vegas Association of Realtors (GLVAR), Chairman of the GLVAR Technology Committee, Qualified GLVAR Mediator, Professional Standards Committee member, and Manager/Broker of a franchised office.

Education

Bachelor of Science degree in Biopsychology/Behavioral Neuroscience from University of California Santa Barbara in 1994.

Community Service

History as a Volunteer Firefighter and EMT for Clallam County Fire District #3, currently serving on the Sequim High School Community Truancy Board, Young Life volunteer, and member of the Peninsula Men's Gospel Singers.

Statement

I am a 24-year professional real estate broker, entrepreneur, and business man. I understand the realities of working within a budget, and will ensure that the Sequim School District spends our taxpayer money wisely. I will ask questions and work to create the most affordable schools for our community while maintaining high standards of excellence that we all expect. I am an ardent supporter of true budget transparency and believe that teacher input is vital to protect our taxpayers from needless spending.

I promise to address the achievement gap: we do a good job serving students at the top and bottom, but not in the middle. We need cost effective ways to lessen the gap, which could include options for training in high-demand skills and vocations.

I know that a board's job is not to run the organization, but to make sure the organization is well-run. We must ensure that there is excellent leadership in place for our teachers. Good school leaders build a positive school climate and provide support to teachers to help them be the best educators for our students.

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Greg
Colfax
(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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LeAnne
Fletcher

(Nonpartisan)

Unopposed

Elected Experience

No information submitted

Other Professional Experience

Department of Corrections-Fiscal Technician 1995-1998; Secretary Senior 1998-2000; Community Involvement Program Coordinator/Public Information Officer 2000-2008; Business Manager 2008-2016; Program Specialist 2016-Current.

Education

Chula Vista High School, Chula Vista CA. Southwestern College, Chula Vista, CA., Business Administration.

Community Service

Clallam Bay Pre-School Cooperative, Volunteer. Clallam Bay School, Volunteer. Clallam Bay/Seki Chamber of Commerce Secretary. Clallam Bay/Seki Youth Sports Volunteer.

Statement

LeAnne Fletcher is a person who loves life. She is a wife, mother, and grandmother.

LeAnne and her husband have spent 26 years in Clallam Bay because they love the community and the tourist the community attracts. This is why she is here today.

LeAnne would very much like to be involved in the community. Years of experience has taught her that it is our responsibility to not only take care of our own family, but our neighbors, our community, and our cities. She also knows that there is no way to accomplish this all at once. It takes patience and baby steps. Partnering with those that have the same goals in this community will make it much easier to accomplish these goals.

"The Mission of the Cape Flattery School District in partnering with the Cape Flattery communities, is to ensure that each student be given the opportunity to gain the knowledge, skill and self-esteem necessary to become a contributing member of society." She has seen the results of when the system has given up on these children. She wants to make sure every child gets the same chance as any other child.

Be positive, have faith, work hard.

Contact

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No photo
submitted

Donald Rhodes

Baker

(Nonpartisan)

Unopposed

Elected Experience

I have 9+ years of experience as a School Board Director of Cape Flattery School District.

Other Professional Experience

Other experience includes: A Director of the Small Schools Board, a Representative of DNR Timber & Trustlands Advisory Committee and serving as the Legislative Representative for CFSD for 9+ years.

Education

No information submitted

Community Service

No information submitted

Statement

I strive to provide an equal opportunity for all students in the Cape Flattery School District and providing a safe and secure environment.

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submitted

Tracey

Rascon

(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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Quillayute Valley School District 402 | Director District No. 1 | 4-year term

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Val James

Giles

(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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No photo
submitted

Bill
Rohde
(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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No photo
submitted

Mike
Reaves
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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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Neris
Biciunas

(Nonpartisan)

Unopposed

Elected Experience

None.

Other Professional Experience

Various roles in the commercial forest management industry. Oregon and Washington. 1998-Present.

Education

BS, Forest Resource Management, University of Washington, 1995

Community Service

Young Life. Clallam County Amateur Radio Emergency Service.

Statement

It is easy to wish that someone else would fix “that” problem. It is much more difficult to step in and offer your own hand. I am taking this opportunity to step in, and contribute to my community in a meaningful way.

Maintaining the right tools and vehicles to be effective as a fire district is a critical task. Making sure that dollars are not wasted on inferior products and services, and continuing to be diligent with repairs and maintenance are solid first steps. Proper training in equipment used by staff will also aid in preventing unnecessary damage to vehicles and apparatus. A long term budget for equipment replacement is required to reduce the likelihood of short term fiscal crisis.

I have been working in the forest products industry since 1998. I have learned much about careful budgeting and financial analysis. I also have extensive training and work history with the LEAN method of process improvement. It is from this background that I will be able to critically evaluate the questions and issues facing our fire district. I will bring a fresh perspective that is not tainted by legacy ways of thinking.

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No photo
submitted

Giancarlo
Buonpane
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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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**Steve
Hopf**
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

None

Other Professional Experience

South King Fire: Captain, Training Officer, Technical Rescue Team. Maintenance, Repair Medical Equipment, Medical supply work, Teach classes, Evaluate Medical Equipment. Clallam Fire 2: First overall Paid Chief. Tasks: Meeting Firefighter Standards; Developing hiring, promotion system, training manual; District Master Plan. FEMA Washington Task Force 1: Rescue, Communications Technician. Dispatched to national disasters. Olympic Medical Center: LPN, OR Tech, Medical Electronics Tech.

Education

Peninsula College: Associates Arts, Associates Science; Multiple State, Federal Certificates (National Fire Academy, FEMA, Washington State Fire) in Fire Service Management, Education, Organization, Tactics, Company Operations, and Safety.

Community Service

Volunteer Firefighter/EMT. CPR, First Aid, AED instructor.

Statement

I have been a Clallam County resident for over 50 years. I have been involved in the Fire Service and Emergency Medical Services for over 35 years. I have seen Fire District 2 and the city grow incredibly over those years. I have worked for a fire department that went through similar growth and learned a lot about the management of that growth: both internally within the Department and externally with the community we served. I was on the board that ran a successful funding increase for Clallam Fire District 2 as well as Federal Way Fire Dept (King County Fire District #39). I have also attended Fire Service classes throughout the United States and talked with many leaders about how they managed the growth in their jurisdictions. I have learned how FEMA operates and while I hope we never need that knowledge it is good to understand how FEMA functions. I want to help the residents, businesses, and the staff (both paid and volunteer) of Fire District 2 through our growth and prepare for the future. I want to build on the successes that District 2 has enjoyed.

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**Keith
Cortner**
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

None

Other Professional Experience

Emergency Management Specialist. State of Florida Firefighter, retired. Florida State Fire Service Instructor. Past Board Member of Pink Heals, Southwest Florida Chapter. Past Board Member of Ft Myers Fire Department Retirement Health Supplemental Program.

Education

Graduate Miami Palmetto High School, Miami Florida. Associates Degree in Fire Science Columbia University. Florida State Fire College.

Community Service

Welfare for Animal Guild, volunteer.

Statement

Keith Cortner is a highly qualified fire service professional with 25 years of experience. Now retired, his experience includes volunteer, combination and paid service in South Florida. Keith has held the ranks of Firefighter, Engineer, Captain and Fire Chief, including 4 years within the administration of Monroe County Fire Rescue. Prior to the fire service Keith spent 18 years in the retail industry, including 4 years owning a small business.

Keith was a respected Fire Service Instructor who spent 4 years leading a State Certified Fire Academy in the Florida Keys as well as teaching numerous courses to fire departments in Lee County Florida. He is an ICS Instructor and holds instructor certifications in several disciplines including the Florida US&R System, EVOC and FEMA courses.

During his time in administration he participated in apparatus design and purchase, apparatus replacement program development, fire station design and assisting with budget development and management.

Keith believes that a fire department should be fiscally responsible along with being proactive and responsive to the needs of the community. He also understands that to be fully effective the department needs the appropriate tools, equipment and resources to meet modern demands for service, employee health and safety.

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William (Bill) Miano

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

First time running for elected public office.

Other Professional Experience

Firefighter/paramedic, West Valley City, Utah, 2005-2013. Firefighter/EMT, Ogden, Utah, 1995-2005. Firefighter/EMT (part time), Park City, Utah, 1991-1996. EMT, Park City Ambulance (volunteer), Park City, Utah, 1991-1996.

Education

AAS in Fire Science from Utah Valley University, Orem, Utah, 2007. Paramedic training from Weber State University, Ogden, Utah, 2008.

Community Service

Volunteer firefighter with Clallam County Fire District 3 since January 2018. Previous volunteer experience at Utah Burn Camp with West Valley City Firefighters Association. Volunteer fundraising for Muscular Dystrophy Association with West Valley City Firefighters Association.

Statement

The residents of Fire District #3 are fortunate to have a great fire department, but it is one that is understaffed. All too often medical and fire alarms are answered with a delayed response, a delay that can be detrimental when seconds count! As a retired firefighter and paramedic I have become keenly aware of the staffing levels and watched with interest as the district administration worked to solve the problem by successfully being awarded a federal SAFER grant to increase staffing levels. Unfortunately the commissioners denied the grant, leaving the district with inadequate staffing. As alarms and needs continue to mount, the commissioners have chosen to increase local levies, property taxes paid by you, and have in turn discussed adding two firefighters. These positions will be fully locally funded as the federal money the district was awarded has now gone off to another fire department.

I am running for commissioner because I have a long history in the fire service and the knowledge and foresight to make smart decisions both with your tax dollars and improving service. We live in a great area with a great fire department, let's work together to make it even better! Vote Miano!

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James Barnfather

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

Currently serving as Board Chairman in my second six-year term as Fire Commissioner.

Other Professional Experience

I have served 31 years as a professional Firefighter/EMT and Senior Engineer with the Seattle Fire Department.

Education

Two years college; Emergency Medical Technician; Heart Monitor Specialist; Teaching Certificate; CPR and First-aid Instructor; Engineering Instructor. Certifications in: Fire Service Law; Policies and Procedures; Public Records; Fire Service Finances; Strategic Planning; Ethics; Labor Negotiations; Annexations and Mergers; Tribal Relations; Leadership.

Community Service

Currently in my twelfth year as Fire Commissioner; Vice President of major Homeowner's Association; President of Sequim Valley Airport Association; member of the Sequim Chamber of Commerce.

Statement

My dedication to the health of our community has been a lifelong pursuit. I am running for a third term to ensure the safety of our citizens and firefighters, while maintaining sound fiscal management. That doesn't just mean cutting costs. By applying our resources in the areas which will improve our efficiency and reliability, we can make the best use of what we have without spending beyond our means.

We all have concerns about government spending and taxation. By statute, our Fire District is faced with only being allowed to operate above 1% of the previous year's budget, while the cost of living index has risen 3-5%. In an effort to overcome this limitation, I have been working hard to utilize cost saving measures such as seeking grants, purchasing a discarded school portable rather than constructing a new office building, and refurbishing our heavily-used aid vehicles instead of purchasing expensive new equipment.

I have dedicated 43 years to the fire service in Northwest Washington as a professional Fire Fighter, EMT, and as your Fire Commissioner. I will continue to apply wise business sense while providing fiscal accountability.

Re-elect your experienced Fire Commissioner who understands our community.

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Clallam County Fire Protection District No. 3

Proposition No. 1

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES PROPERTY TAX LEVY

The Board of Fire Commissioners of Clallam County Fire Protection District No. 3 adopted Resolution 2019-01 concerning a proposition to continue its emergency medical services property tax levy.

This proposition would authorize the board of commissioners to continue to fund emergency medical services for its citizens by imposing a regular property tax levy of up to \$.50 per \$1,000.00 of assessed valuation for a period of ten consecutive years. The first year of the levy to occur in 2020 for collection in 2021.

Should this proposition be approved?

☐ Yes

☐ No

Explanatory Statement

Written by Brian K. Snure, Attorney for District

In 2009 the voters approved a 10-year Emergency Medical Service “EMS” levy at the rate of \$.50 per thousand of assessed valuation. Collections from that levy began in 2011 and will expire at the end of 2020. This measure authorizes the continuation of the EMS levy at a rate not to exceed \$0.50 per thousand dollars of assessed valuation for an additional ten years. The first year that this levy will be collected will be in 2021.

Approval of the levy will allow the District to maintain and improve the level of emergency medical services currently provided on a continuing basis including basic, intermediate and advanced life support services by certified emergency medical technicians and paramedics. The revenue from this levy will be used by the District exclusively for emergency medical services.

If the levy is approved, the EMS levy on a \$300,000 assessed valuation residence would not exceed \$150.00 each year or approximately \$12.50 per month for emergency medical services.

Arguments For and Against this measure are on next page →

Argument For

Every hour of every day, Fire District #3 is on call to respond to your Fire or Medical Emergency. This vote is a request to renew the current Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Levy rate to enable Fire District #3 to continue to provide Emergency Medical Services to you and your 34,000 neighbors.

Voting Yes does not increase your taxes. Every 10 years, voters are required to renew this EMS Levy. This vote is to maintain the current EMS Levy rate for the next 10 years.

Clallam County Fire District #3 is funded primarily by two property tax Levies: the General Levy which represents about 75% of operations funding, and the Emergency Medical Services Levy providing about 21%. Last year, voters approved the General Levy request.

This year, voters are asked to renew the EMS Levy rate of \$0.50 per \$1,000 of assessed value. (For example, for every \$100,000 of your property's assessed taxable value, \$50 of your annual property tax, funds Fire District #3's Emergency Medical Services.)

Last year Fire District #3 responded to over 6,000 Emergency Medical Service calls. The EMS Levy is used entirely for Emergency Medical Services, enabling Fire District #3's certified emergency medical technicians and paramedics to provide Advanced Life Support Response (ALS) using some of the most innovative in-field treatment available.

Please vote Yes to continue Fire District #3's Emergency Medical Services - on call for you, every hour of every day - for the next 10 years.

Argument Against

No information submitted.

Written by

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Sam
Nugent

(Nonpartisan)

Unopposed

Elected Experience

I'm proud to have been a commissioner for the past 10 years and would be honored to serve again for another six. I take pride in serving my community in this manner and hope you will continue to support my involvement. Thank you.

Other Professional Experience

30 years of marketing and business professional career.

Education

Washington State University Bachelor of Arts in international business. Minor in political science

Community Service

Clallam County Fire Protection District No.4 fire commissioner since 2009.

Statement

I look forward to continuing my service to Clallam residents in the Joyce area. During my tenure Fire District 4 has been awarded Washington State's Management Excellence Award 4 years in a row. The level of professionalism within the department and training has grown and I am proud to say that I've been a part of it. We are lucky to have such a high level of emergency service in our community. I am proud to support our volunteers who give so much of their time and dedication to keep us safe.

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**Terry
Barnett**

(Nonpartisan)

Unopposed

Elected Experience

Current Fire District 4 Commissioner

Other Professional Experience

U.S. Navy veteran. 30 year career with WSDOT, 20 years in Roadway Maintenance Management

Education

HS Graduate, some college courses, and many Military and professional courses.

Community Service

Fire District 4 Commissioner, Joyce Daze Festival committee, Joyce Emergency Planning and Prep committee, Crescent Community Advisory Counsel vice chair.

Statement

Fire District 4 has been well managed for a long time, I have been part of that team for the last 2 years and am seeking to continue helping with responsible management.

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Lynne
Kastner

(Nonpartisan)

Unopposed

Elected Experience

No information submitted

Other Professional Experience

I have worked as an accountant for many corporations such as Hewlett Packard, PADI, Trinity Racing and currently employed with Clallam Transit.

Education

I was educated in accounting and received my Associates of Arts Degree in Business Administration.

Community Service

No information submitted

Statement

While I have very limited experience with emergency services, I find this a great opportunity to serve my community. My goal is to make sure with the limited resources and budget we have; we provide the best service we can to the community. With my accounting background I feel I can add value to the process of supporting Fire District #4 and represent my fellow neighbors.

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Clallam County Fire Protection District No. 4

Proposition No. 1

PROPERTY TAX LEVY FOR FIRE PROTECTION AND EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

The Board of Clallam County Fire Protection District No. 4 adopted Resolution No. 7:2019 concerning a proposition to maintain and adequately fund District operations.

This proposition authorizes the District to establish its regular property tax levy at \$1.50 per \$1,000.00 of assessed valuation to be levied in 2019 and authorizes annual adjustments by the greater of 1% or the annual CPI-W for Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue as reported in June of the levy year for each of the five succeeding years. The maximum allowable levy in 2024 shall serve as the base for subsequent levy limitations as provided by Chapter 84.55 RCW.

Should this proposition be:

☐ Approved

☐ Rejected

Explanatory Statement

Written by Brian K. Snure, Attorney for District

Clallam County Fire Protection District No. 4 provides emergency fire protection and medical services to its citizens. If approved by the voters, this proposition will authorize the District to establish its regular real property tax levy rate at \$1.50 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation in 2019 for collection in 2020 and will establish an annual growth rate based on annual CPI-W for Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue as reported in June of the levy year for each of the five succeeding years not to exceed the statutory levy limit of \$1.50. The District's current tax levy rate is approximately \$.76 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation. The dollar amount levied in 2024 shall serve as the District's tax levy base and in 2024, absent further voter approval, the tax levy will be subject to the statutory one percent limit.

The District's Board of Commissioners has determined that this proposition is necessary to maintain an effective level of services, fire fighter staffing, equipment and facilities in light of rising costs. Approval of this measure will allow the District to maintain the level of fire protection and emergency medical services provided to its citizens.

Arguments For and Against this measure are on next page →

Argument For

We in Joyce are so fortunate to be living where we do—gorgeous surroundings, breathtaking views, tight-knit community, and The Joyce General Store! However, living remotely means limited access to medical services. Hospital treatment is typically forty to fifty minutes away. Time is critical when someone you love is having a stroke, heart or asthma attack, allergic reaction, or is trapped in a vehicle, in pain.

Clallam County Fire Protection District No. 4 has always been there to provide critical care in times of emergency. Responding to approximately 300 calls a year, 80% of which are medical in nature, District 4 currently offers Advanced Life Support services which include cardiac drugs, pain medicine, critically important medications and advanced airway support.

While District 4 offers all the services of a larger city, call volume has increased, volunteerism is down, and advanced training is more costly. At the same time Medicare/Medicaid reimbursements are reduced. Further, monies received from the sale of county timber, historically covering up to 50% of our operating budget has recently dropped to about 4%. Simply put, CCFPD#4 cannot continue our service level without your assistance.

The time has come for us to request a levy lid lift so Joyce can continue to reap the benefits of all the services provided by our volunteer Firefighters, EMTs and Paramedics. People say, “If you are going to get sick or injured on the Peninsula, make sure you do it in Joyce”. Help us, help you. Vote YES.

Argument Against

No information submitted.

Written by

Jim Buck, Chairperson; **David Bingham**; **Bruce Leiper**

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**Karin
Ashton**

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

Maintaining a workable budget for District 5, enabling purchase of new ambulance and stimulating recruitment.

Other Professional Experience

Worked in private/corporate law, Washington State Corrections, received award for work with CBCC Safety Committee.

Education

1968 graduate Clallam Bay High School, attended several universities and community colleges, recently completed EMT course and certification.

Community Service

Certified EMT with District 5, secretary West End Youth and Community Club, president Clallam Bay Sekiu Lions, former Clallam County foster parent.

Statement

My name is Karin Ashton. I am a long-time resident of Clallam Bay, Washington. I graduated from the high school here and returned to raise my children. I worked at Clallam Bay Corrections Center in the Intensive Management Unit for many years.

I have been an appointed Fire Commission Position Two for District Five in Clallam County for about two years, replacing Mr. Glen McDaniel, also from this community. I would like to continue to serve in my community in the capacity of Fire Commissioner Position Two. I am a responsible, seasoned member of this team. I hope to continue the goals and objectives as outlined in the duties statement for this position. Those are mainly to protect and serve my community. In the dry season, we are responsible as Fire Commissioners to ensure that there are no uncontrolled burns in any area. With so many tourists visiting our peaceful shores, that's a challenge right there. During the rainy season, it's the home fires that become a problem and I hope to continue to adequately protect the community with smoke alarms and home checks; rapid, adequate response to fires and continued support for our local District Five fire crews.

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**Greg
Bellamy Sr.**

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

Clallam Bay 215 Precinct PCO CCRP (GOP)

Other Professional Experience

Retired Washington State Correctional Officer, Jailer, Lawenforcement, Ex-Hanford worker, Sergeant WANG 1/303rd, STARC.HQ Recruiting Retention, Received the Humanitarian Service U.S. Armed Forces Medal. May 18, 1980; MT ST Helen Eruption Awarded by U.S. President Carter.

Education

Andrew Jackson High School Portland Oregon, Correctional Officer Academy; Lawenfocrement training, education and training nuclear fuel Hanford Wa.

Community Service

Volunteer old Clallam Bay ambulance corps. West End Youth Sports, chairman Clallam bay Sekiu Fun Days, Clallam Bay Sekiu Senior Group. Clallam Bay Sekiu Chamber Of Commerce; NRA member.

Statement

1977 I moved from Oregon to Kennewick Washington 1988 moved to Clallam Bay to work in a new state prison.

Being a Fire Commissioner you have a big responsibility not only to the fire department but to the community as well. this position can not be taken lightly or self serving. I learned that in 1980 when I was activated by the Army National Guard for Mount St Helen natural disaster happen. it was be on belief and shocking people were living in fear. When our two companies arrived in Othello and Ritzville Washington people would, gather around us thanking us giving hugs and a KISS. you could feel the calmness and relief starting to set in, that when the first time I drove a fire truck.

With the Marbled Murrelet hanging over our head I will not support I am oppose to a New fire Levy. there other ways to obtain funding. maybe getting a FEMA grant or ask our 24th District Legislatures for emergency grant they know me. I will be working close with our West End County Commissioner. It time for a change I feel it time to have town hall meetings with the Fire Department and Community.

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**Danny G.****Ahrens**

(Nonpartisan)

Unopposed**Elected Experience**

My current appointment to position #3 District 5 Fire Commissioner was to fill a vacancy in March of 2018. I have worked closely with the other 2 commissioners, Captain, and Fire Chief. I have attended monthly Commissioner meetings, reviewing the Fire Department/EMS budget and their operations to include training, communication, disaster preparedness, equipment, staff recruiting and retention.

Other Professional Experience

3 years U.S. Army: Correctional Specialist; 4 years: Oregon State Department of Corrections; 2 years U.S Air Force Reserve: Security Police; 34 years: Washington Department of Corrections

Education

4 quarters in Criminal Justice at Chemeketa Community College Salem Oregon

Community Service

Lions Club; Church Board

Statement

If elected my goals for this term are to represent in a positive way the people of Clallam County District #5 and the District #5 Fire Department/EMS. I will do my best to encourage new volunteers for the department. This will allow better coverage for all our District. Being a Fire Commissioner I look forward to the challenge of improving the services to our local community.

On a personal note, in the winter of 2016 I had a life threatening situation. There is no doubt our EMS through all their dedication to duty, knowledge, effort and performance saved my life. I will be forever grateful. It would be my honor to continue to represent the citizens of Clallam County, District #5, as Fire Commissioner Position # 3.

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Robert (Chip)
Keen
(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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Ray
Henninger

(Nonpartisan)

Unopposed

Elected Experience

Currently serve as appointed Commissioner for Clallam County Parks and Recreation, District 1, Position 1, 2018-present;

Other Professional Experience

Physical Therapist-Olympic Medical Home Health, 2000-present; Arabic Linguist with Military Intelligence -101st Airborne Division, US ARMY, 1982-1986;

Education

M.S. Degree, Physical Therapy-University of Puget Sound, 1991; B.S. Degree, Physical Education-University of Puget Sound, 1989; Graduate of Oak Harbor High School Class of 1980.

Community Service

Lay Minister, Queen of Angels Parish, 2006-2019; Lay Minister, Saint Joseph Parish, 2019-present;

Statement

Together with my family, I have lived and worked in Sequim since 1996. We joined the Sequim Aquatic Recreation Center (SARC) soon after arrival and remained active members until the 2015 closure, whereupon we then joined the YMCA as soon as it opened in the fall of 2016.

I interviewed for the vacant Commissioner position in 2018 (due to the prior commissioner moving out of the area) because I wanted to give back to my community. I was chosen for the position due to my affiliation and familiarity with both organizations, dedication to community fitness, and experience with landlord-tenant issue as a manager for a large commercial building.

My solid understanding of the difficulties that the District has encountered in the past and familiarity with the role of the Parks District as landlord to the YMCA will enable me to continue serving the needs of our growing community.

With your vote, I will continue serving on the Board of Commissioners as the role of the Park District evolves to better serve the needs of its citizens. I am enthusiastic to continuing to serve my constituents as Commissioner and I would appreciate your vote.

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Chuck
Nagel
(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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submitted

Al
Mundy
(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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**J. Mike
Rudd**

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

First elected position.

Other Professional Experience

Mike's professional experience includes; Director of Consulting for a national business consulting firm, Director of Client and Legal services for an international consulting firm, business owner in the construction industry, LA County Lifeguard / EMT.

Education

Commensurate with experience.

Community Service

Coached boys and girls soccer, Boy Scouts as scout master and district volunteer positions.

Statement

SARC is more than a building with a pool. It has become a landmark where people of all ages gather and benefit. It supports children and adults with swim lessons, fitness activities, post surgery support, and wellness checks. The list of quality services is impressive; from aquatic aerobics, Dance/Yoga classes, racquetball, childcare, to morning coffee connecting with friends. Thus, I strongly support SARC's lease to the YMCA and its ever-growing wellness services.

Since completing the SARC/YMCA agreement and subsequent transferring of management responsibilities, our community significantly benefited. First, the YMCA is a stable, committed tenant for the facilities. Secondly, as a substantial regional employer it provides essential job opportunities. These wages then transfer to local businesses that sustain our economic viability. Lastly, by providing varied recreational and wellness services, Sequim is better poised to attract/retain needed doctors, teachers, nurses and other professionals.

I believe SARC working together with the YMCA and other stakeholders can continue to enhance quality of life. As your SARC council representative I will look to the needs of our community and work to make sure that this wonderful community asset continues to excel at meeting our diverse community needs.

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No photo
submitted

**Jan L.
Richardson**

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

No information submitted

Other Professional Experience

No information submitted

Education

No information submitted

Community Service

No information submitted

Statement

Over the past eight years as an incumbent Board member of this district, my goal has been to represent you, the public, in securing the best value of services for your taxes. I ask for your support to secure your voice on future financial proposals.

When the YMCA took over the daily management from Sequim Aquatic Recreation Center (SARC), I was deeply disappointed that monetary conveyances between the two were not in the best interest of you, the taxed. For example, the Y's lease is extremely low and their sub-lease of office space to Olympic Medical Center outrageously high. Nevertheless, I'm happy to see improvements by the Y as memberships increase. The Y's programs and classes are many and varied with knowledgeable staff. With increasing usage, a future expansion of the facility may be required.

While I'm not opposed to expansion, as landlord, SARC's Board must represent your interest as taxpayers in any future venture or expansion the YMCA might propose. It's my ardent hope both landlord and tenant bear equitably in any future arrangements.

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David
Gedlund
(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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Nedra
Reed
(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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submitted

Gordon
Gibbs
(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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Steve
Zenovic
(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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Jim
Larison
(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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Tony
Corrado

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

No information submitted

Other Professional Experience

30+ years of corporate management related to military, commercial and advanced automotive sensors. Responsible for strategic and tactical planning, contract preparation, legal, financial and ethical leadership.

Education

BSME, Fairleigh Dickinson University, Teaneck, NJ; Management and Team training at Raytheon and Aerojet.

Community Service

Chairman, Water Advisory Commission. Instituted a USGS grant effort to determine the health and availability of the aquifer water supply. Member of the Oil and Gas Regulation Committee. This was an appointed group assembled to write a regulation protecting both citizen's property rights as well as ensuring environmental and property value protections. Senior election judge.

Statement

The threats to the health and safety of our citizens is greater in 2019 that anytime in this century. We are facing global climate changes which could dramatically alter our local climatic conditions, causing food, power grid, income stability and health crises. Technological implementations, such as 5G, are being implemented without the public health risks, which are known, being adequately addressed. Water, and its availability must be addressed quickly as growth planned for the Olympic Peninsula must be in accordance with the sustainability of our changing water supply. The health of oceans, and the aquatic life that inhabit it, are threatened. These issues do not have a political ideology associated with them.

Clallam County government must become more cost efficient in order that resources be made available for both citizen awareness and the mitigation efforts that may become necessary to protect all citizens. In addition, government and all elected officials must be held accountable for their decisions that result in needless lawsuits, short sighted decision making and the lack of accountability to all citizen needs and desires.

The time for action is now. Five years for another attempt is simply too late.

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Stephen
Landess

(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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**Alex
Fane**
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

This will be my first elected office.

Other Professional Experience

Lifetime career in book publishing, printing, and binding. Most recently worked for Bethany House Publishers 20 years as lead IT specialist, network admin, help desk, manuscript processing for editorial and prepress. Library of Congress liaison for copyright registrations and cataloging data.

Education

The Cate School, Carpinteria and La Jolla Country Day School, CA. Academy of Language Arts, Tokyo. Some IT classes Normandale College, Bloomington, MN.

Community Service

Election judge/head judge for 25 elections for my former 2100 voter precinct in Minnesota, including registrations. Supporter of public radio/TV, food banks, sharing garden surplus. Snow-blowing for neighborhood elderly/infirm.

Statement

I welcome the opportunity to interview public officials and employees to determine ways to make services more efficient, transparent, accountable to the public, while improving job conditions and morale.

Years of assisting in the elder care of relatives gives me motivation to advocate for seniors, those on fixed incomes, lowest possible utility and broadband rates, availability and cost of healthcare, and Medicare reimbursement. As father of 6 and grandfather of 11, schools, library, and Peninsula College funding are priorities, as well as solutions for working single parents. Due to lack of affordable housing too many single parents, including contractors, need to commute to Sequim to work.

At this time of Charter review, I will be putting myself in the vantage point of 2050, looking back at what we should have fixed in 2020 to proactively protect or improve our present life-supporting environment: soil, streams, aquifers, ocean, air quality, electromagnetic exposure, expansion of solar energy, wildfire mitigation, preparation for sea level rise, and tsunami emergency management.

I look forward to working with our Charter Review Commission to bring government closer to citizens in open forums to create a slate of practical, common-sense ballot measures for your vote.

Contact

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**David
Lotzgesell**
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

Charter Review District 1, 2004

Other Professional Experience

Sales representative for Food Services of America, 1999 to current. Food service industry for 36 years.

Education

B.A. degree (Marketing / Finance emphasis) from Washington State University, Spring 1981. Sequim High School graduate 1976. Born and raised in Sequim, attended Sequim Elementary & Middle School.

Community Service

Sequim Planning Commission (and Ad- Hoc Housing Committee) 1 of 7 citizen members, term expires Jan. 2020; Dungeness Cemetery Board 2019; President of Sequim Junior Babe Ruth 2004-2007; Baseball Umpire for Sequim Little League & Junior Babe Ruth 2002 – 2011; Sequim Pioneer Association President 2003-2007.

Statement

I passionately support our community in its productive growth to benefit working families, small businesses and community partners while preserving the rural beauty and agricultural heritage, as a Sequim pioneer family member. My sons are 6th generation Lotzgesells. My goal is insuring Clallam County maintains its traditions, while ushering the future for young families, seasoned citizens & our businesses. I served in 2004 as your representative and I bring experience and common sense values. The Charter is critical to our grass roots leadership in Clallam County. Together let's balance of our growth and protect our precious community for future generations.

Contact

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**Gary
DeKorte**

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

None.

Other Professional Experience

I am a veteran of the U.S. Navy and a retired police officer having had a 30-year career, being promoted through the ranks to Captain and Deputy Chief.

Education

I have a B.A. degree from the University of New Mexico (1975) and graduated from the F.B.I. National Academy.

Community Service

I am married for the last 36 years to my dear wife; we have four children and nine grandchildren. We moved to Blyn on July 4, 2012. Past member of Rotary Club and Lions Club.

Statement

My name is Gary DeKorte, I am a candidate for the Charter Review Commission, seeking to represent District One. Clallam County is one of only seven counties across the state of Washington that has a Home Rule Charter, which I view as a "county constitution". As your representative, I have two priorities. My first priority is to utilize your citizen input to help me to make informed decisions. My second priority is to encourage the Charter Review Commission to make decisions that are in the best interests of the citizens of Clallam County.

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**Candace
Pratt**

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

Sequim City Council, 2012-2020; Mayor 2014-16.

Other Professional Experience

elementary school teacher; owner-operator of bookkeeping service.

Education

Tufts University, BA; Association of Washington Cities Certificate of Municipal Leadership, 2013.

Community Service

As Councilor, I served on the following boards and commissions: Clallam Transit System, Clallam County Homelessness Task Force, Dungeness Valley Chamber of Commerce, City Arts Advisory, Lodging Tax Advisory. I participated in the annual Clean Up Sequim, Boys and Girls Club and Rotary annual dinner auctions, Walk for Alzheimers; member North Olympic Land Trust, Olympic Peninsula Audubon Society, League of Women Voters, St Luke's Episcopal Church, Shipley Center.

Statement

I am completing a second term as City Councilor, having contributed to Sequim's leadership, vitality and vision. I want to contribute the same for the county by representing you on Charter Review Commission during 2020.

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**Judith
Parker**
(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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**Jim
Stoffer**
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

Sequim School Board Director, 2015-Current

Other Professional Experience

Serves as Legislative Representative for the Sequim School Board. State School Directors Association (WSSDA) legislative committee member. WSSDA's Trust Lands Advisory committee member. DNR Forest Health Advisory Committee member on behalf of WSSDA. Retired U.S. Coast Guard with 31 years of active duty service.

Education

Graduate of Columbia College, Columbia, MO.

Community Service

President Elect – Sequim Chamber Board; Sequim Irrigation Festival Board Member; Past President, Citizens for Sequim Schools. Sequim School District Strategic Plan Committee Member; Prevention Works Board Member; Boys and Girls Club Summer Lunch Program Volunteer; Lavender Festival Volunteer; Sequim Food Bank Volunteer

Statement

Mr. Stoffer currently serves as a school board director and has for the past 4 years. Since 2002, he has been an active volunteer and advocate for the Sequim School District and community. As a current school board director, Mr. Stoffer would like to bring the needs of our students and schools to the Charter Review Commission. He believes forging relationships with other community leaders will foster a better understanding of the needs of Clallam County. Mr. Stoffer currently serves on 3 statewide committees and 9 local committees ensuring the needs of our rural diverse community are at the forefront of priorities.

Contact

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**Sue
Erzen**
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

Charter Review Commissioner 2008

Other Professional Experience

Vice Chair Charter Review Commission 2008, Vice Chair Sequim Speaks

Education

BA & MA from Ohio State University

Community Service

Presently: Olympic Climate Action. In the past: Sequim Speaks, President Clallam County League of Women Voters, Clallam County Master Gardeners, member of Citizen Ad Hoc Committee for the Sequim Comp Plan

Statement

I am running for Charter Review Commissioner because I understand the importance of our County Charter and the Charter Review process. As a resident of Sequim for 19 years, I have participated in Sequim civic positions as well as serving as a Charter Review Commissioner in 2008. In the League of Women Voters, I have worked to support government that is efficient and transparent and to provide information for voters on election issues. I was an elementary and middle school teacher, a reading consultant and a data base administrator for a nonprofit. I care about the people in our communities.

Be assured that I shall study the issues and make decision for the good of all our citizens. This is a nonpartisan position and I will be impartial and fair and I shall also seek a widespread input of ideas.

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**Donald
Hatler**
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

Clallam Conservation District Board of Supervisors.
Reelected 4 times

Other Professional Experience

Former Naval Officer; 13 years Varian Associates ,manufacturing, designing, and marketing equipment for Analytical Chemistry research; 15 years Small business owner; Built, owned and managed a San Francisco Bay Marina; Built, owned and managed 40+ housing units Sacramento CA.

Education

University of Missouri, BS in Chemistry; Graduate courses in Managerial Finance, Economics, and Management at Santa Clara University ,

Community Service

Dungeness River Management Team 16 years; Served on the Marine Resource Council; Served as treasurer, board member Puget Sound Anglers; Honored as joint "Citizen of the year" 2018 by Sequim Chamber of Commerce.

Statement

My Interests are concerned with the growth and prosperity of Clallam County. I desire these outcomes but not at the expense of environmental degradation or poor governance. My wish to serve on the commission is to examine how our County government works now and to investigate ideas for improvements.

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**Ted
Miller**

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

Sequim City Council 2010 – date; Clallam County Charter Review Commission in 2015

Other Professional Experience

Sequim Planning Commission 2006 -2009; Practicing Attorney in Virginia 1991 – 1997; CIA / NRO employee 1967 – 1994

Education

Bachelor of Science in Mathematics, Political Science, and Education from Michigan State University (1967); Juris Doctor from George Mason University (1991)

Community Service

Tax Aide; Stratford Court Condominium Board (including terms as President) in Sequim; Various Short- Term projects

Statement

Ted Miller has two primary objectives if he is re-elected to the Charter Review Commission.

First, the 2015 Charter Review Commission nearly completed work on a ballot proposal to complete the conversion of judicial officials from partisan positions to non-partisan ones. Only the prosecuting attorney position remains, with the conversion of sheriff completed some time ago. In 2015 our prosecuting attorney sought a ruling from the Attorney General to establish the legality of making the position non-partisan. This was answered in the affirmative, but was received too late for the Charter Review Commission to vote on it. Now, we no longer can be the first county to make this change, but we can still be the second one to do so. If I am elected, I will advocate placing this on the ballot for the voters to decide.

Second, in 2015 the voters overwhelming decided (with more than 62% approval) to allow voters in each commissioner district to choose their own commissioner. The old system had all three commissioners dominated by the Port Angeles area, leaving the west end and the east end largely out of the decision-making process. If elected, I will fight to retain the voters' decision.

Contact

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**William
Kildall**

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

Democratic Party Precinct Officer.

Other Professional Experience

Veteran, USN Hospital Corps; Teacher, Counselor, Director of Negotiations and Policy Development, Assistant to the Superintendent; Superintendent; Licensed Mental Health Counselor.

Education

Stadium HS Tacoma, WA 1954; BA, Political Science, University of Puget Sound 1969; MA, Counseling Psychology, Pacific Lutheran University 1973; Doctorate Educational Leadership, Seattle University, 1984.

Community Service

Promoted community involvement in public education. Advocated for improved learning programs and facilities as an educator. Worked with children and families as a cognitive behavioral therapist. Served as consultant to the Department of Child and Family Services and as an expert witness before Snohomish County Superior Court.

Statement

The voters of Clallam County adopted the current twenty-three page Home Rule Charter in 1976 when it took effect on the second Monday of January, 1977. The Commission proposed amendments to the Charter and the voters approved those amendments eight times between 1981 and 2016. The Review Commission will be reconvened on January 1, 2020 following this coming General Election.

I am well qualified to serve as one of the five members of the Clallam County District 2 Charter Review Commission because I am a graduate in Political Science from UPS, Tacoma familiar with the provisions of Home Rule and County Government and a life time resident of the State of Washington and, have resided in Clallam County since my retirement in 2005.

I consider myself an independent civic minded progressive who is an advocate for Medicare for all, believe Social Security must be protected and expanded, approve of family unification, a woman's right to choose, equal pay for equal work, a living wage, and an end to malnutrition and homelessness. I favor tuition free public education through university and, support environmental protections for clean air, clean water and the prevention and elimination of all harmful conditions in the environment.

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**Norma E.
Turner**

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

Elected to all, but one, of the charter review commissions, 2007 served as chair. Elected precinct committee officer

Other Professional Experience

Port Angeles School District Nurse; volunteer nurse at Selian Hospital, Selian Tanzania.

Education

Bachelor of Science in Nursing and Masters of Public Health – University of Washington

Community Service

Served on boards of Prevention Works!, Peninsula Housing Authority, Boys & Girls Club of Olympic Peninsula, Clallam County LWV, Public Health Advisory Board and Clallam County Community Network. Volunteer at Franklin Elementary reading program. Former CASA volunteer and Certified Dispute Resolution Mediator.

Statement

The charter review commission presents an opportunity to hear from the public on how they want their local government to operate.

One interesting issue is that Clallam County has the only elected Director of Community development in the nation. It has been around for many years but I believe this elected role is not yet clearly defined. There are no state rules about how this elected official fits within the general scheme of local government. Historically I have been opposed to DCD being an elected official, but it seems to be here for the foreseeable future. Thus it becomes incumbent upon the charter review commission to clarify the role and relationship with other elected officials. I hope that the charter review process will allow for good discussions on local government issues.

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Jane
Vanderhoof
(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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Ian
Nickel
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

None

Other Professional Experience

Backcountry Trail Worker, Chair and Founder of Clallam County Young Democrats, Committee Member of Washington State Young Democrats Constitution Committee, Americorps Alumni, Former GED and ESL Teacher, Nationally Registered EMT

Education

Bachelor of Arts from Hastings College

Community Service

Chair Clallam County Young Democrats, Juan De Fuca Festival of the Arts Volunteer, Olympic Climate Action Member

Statement

Ian has lived and traveled around the US and has called Clallam County home for over three years. Due to his diverse familial, cultural and medical background, Ian intimately understands the needs of everyday citizens. Ian has a history of community involvement and will continue that trend bringing vibrant energy to the Charter Review Commission.

Ian believes that diverse leadership is vital to the successful future of Clallam County, particularly when it comes from youth and minority representation in government. As Charter Review Commissioner, Ian will work diligently ensuring the County Charter represents the needs of all citizens, especially those that have been traditionally underserved.

Ian feels strongly that transparency is vital to a just government, and will ensure that community members understand the County Charter and are engaged in the review process. He will accomplish this through community outreach and engagement. Ian has a track record of organizing diverse groups and will bring the same energy to the Charter Review Commission.

We need a community that fights for social justice, equality, compassion and an economy that allows all citizens to thrive. Ian is the candidate that will ensure Clallam County is on the right path to accomplish these goals.

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**Diane
Haffner**

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

No information submitted

Other Professional Experience

Currently retired and providing home care for my husband Hugh Haffner. Previous employment includes US West Communication Marketing/Customer Service Manager, Xerox Manager for Branch inventory/sales commission/internal office staff, ITT Courier Finance Manager for Sales and Service Division, Port Angeles School District Para-Educator/Administrative Aide and Para-legal for my husband.

Education

BSBA University of Phoenix

Community Service

Queen of Angeles School PTO Treasurer, Port Angeles School President Football Club and Wrestling Club, Treasurer Peninsula Dream Machine Car Club and 25 years neighborhood watch patrol.

Statement

I will support the Charter Review Commission and will strive to keep the control of County affairs with the people of the County.

Contact

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**Ron
Cameron**

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

No information submitted

Other Professional Experience

Almost 40 years as a law enforcement officer throughout Clallam County, Assigned to patrol, investigations and command positions;

Education

Graduated Port Angeles High School and attended community college in Port Angeles and Everett. Have completed a number of advanced command and executive level programs and certifications.

Community Service

Spent many years as a foster home, offering more than 50 children a place in times of need; organize law enforcement related activities in support of Special Olympics of Washington and serve on the United Way of Clallam County Board of Directors

Statement

I have predicated my work, time and life in service to Clallam County. In return, Clallam County has given me a rewarding and fulfilling career. It is my intent to give as much to Clallam County by offering to help in the latest Charter Review Commission.

We live in very dynamic times and impacts as the result of change are inevitable. Our little corner of the world may not be immune to these changes. Even our physical location has been identified as being vulnerable to natural disasters; events that can drastically change how our government operates.

I have lived and worked in almost every corner of our county. In that time, I have made many friends and contacts that have helped me understand the diverse communities we have here. I sincerely believe having someone that is or has been a part of county government as a part of the Charter Review Commission can be of great value. My career has associated me with county government for many years and I feel I can work with people to review and make necessary changes to our charter that will aid us in retaining a solid continuity of government.

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**Patti
Morris**

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

Elected to the Charter Review Commission in 2007 and ran for Clallam County Commissioner District #2 position. Serves on the County's Animal Issues Advisory Committee.

Other Professional Experience

Professional grant writer. Extensive experience in strategic planning, facilitation, and government relations. Owner – small consulting business and Broker at JACE Real Estate. Worked for Clallam County Sheriff's Office and Port Angeles School District.

Education

Pima College

Community Service

Past President of Clallam County Economic Development Council and Secretary of Port Angeles Education Foundation. Past President of the Port Angeles Association of Realtors. Secretary for Peninsula Dream Machines Car Club and Lecturer for Fairview Grange.

Statement

Patti Morris has a reputation for being a decision maker, working hard, and a leader. Patti has many accomplishments including assisting in writing and administering over 15 million dollars in grants for Clallam County agencies. She also believes in giving back to her community and has served in numerous leadership positions on Boards in Clallam County.

Patti was elected to the Charter Review Commission in 2007. She has no specific agenda in asking for your vote to serve on the Charter Review Commission again. Clallam County can be a place of opportunity for our families, a place where children will someday make a permanent home, and still be the place of beauty it is today.

The Charter Review is a process that affords our Citizens the opportunity to express their opinions, offer suggestions, and assist in developing the document that leads us into the future. There can be many opportunities from this process and we need to look at cost benefits and impact to all of our Citizens.

Patti has a combination of experience, common sense, and passion to do this job. She is not afraid of hard work and will ensure citizen's rights are protected in the process.

Contact

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**Steven
Wyall**

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

None.

Other Professional Experience

Certified Mediator, in a paid capacity since 2013, handling court related conflicts and disputes. Held other positions across Clallam County including with; Gordy's Pizza, Morningside Employment, ACTI, CCH, Peninsula College, and our County Roads department. In 2008, worked on the Elwha River Restoration Project.

Education

A.A. degree from Peninsula College, 2008.

Community Service

Certified Mediator, in a volunteer capacity, since 2001, handling court related conflicts and disputes. Spent 4 years volunteering across Clallam County in the Boy Scout and Cub Scout programs as a Varsity Coach, Cub Master, and Assistant Webelos leader.

Statement

I have literally walked our streets while rebuilding them. I have spent lengthy stretches helping others navigate and build real world plans and agreements that properly work for them and their circumstances. I appreciate the opportunity serve in whatever capacity I can whenever the opportunity arises.

Despite all this experience and eager readiness to work things out, I won't pretend to think I have all the answers. That's why I need your help. I want to know what you want for our county, and what you'd like to see happen here. I can't do this alone.

I have spent years helping others build agreements that properly fit the needs and circumstances of those involved, and as a county, we are all involved in what it means to live here. As my experience shows, I am willing to sort out the tough stuff, to work out the details, because we need to be where the rubber meets the road. We need real solutions and real cooperation, not just talk. But to get started, I need your permission, through your vote. May I have your support? Thank you for your time, effort, and consideration in this matter.

Contact

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**Wendy
Clark Getzin**
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience
Not yet

Other Professional Experience

Transportation professional for 28 years: Director of medium and small Public Transit (county-wide) agencies; WA State Transportation Improvement Board member; various executive committees. Land Trust board member; Symphony board officer with fiduciary responsibilities.

Education

Graduate of Cal State Univ. Long Beach, McGill (PQ) University, Univ. of Washington Seattle in Civil Engineering, Urban Planning and Public Administration respectively.

Community Service

Solid Waste Advisory Committee member, Block Watch Captain, Landlord, Symphony player, Juan de Fuca Festival Association and Olympic Theater Arts volunteer, Storm King Soccer Club, Olympic Peninsula Rowing Association and 4-H parent.

Statement

I will show further civic commitment to Clallam County and contribute to the stewardship of the county home rule charter. I will strive to protect local control and improve together the work of charter commissioners for the people's vote. I will have foresight of the rising issues to maintain a functional and representational local government for our next generation.

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**Nick
Spaeder**
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience
None

Other Professional Experience

Nick Spaeder served as a Navy SEAL in the US Navy from 1978-1998; earning numerous decorations (including two Navy/Marine Corps Commendation Medals and twice awarded the Combat Action Ribbon). In 2001 he became a professional firefighter in King County; establishing a water rescue program prior to retirement in 2012.

Education

Graduate Hershey High School, Hershey PA, UDT/SEAL training, Bates Fire Academy.

Community Service

Nick moved to Sequim in 1998, becoming an active member of his new community as a volunteer firefighter with CCFD3. Currently, he is providing his expertise in enhancing water rescue capabilities to various fire departments.

Statement

Nick Spaeder's professional careers have been devoted to public service. From childhood and his time in the Boys Scouts to his professional military service and further still to protecting communities as a firefighter/EMT, Nick's careers have spanned over four decades of working life devoted to public service. Today, he continues his passion for civic responsibility in seeking a position on the Clallam County Charter Review Board.

Since arriving to Clallam County in 1998, Nick has seen many changes in his cherished community. Many people are discovering this paradise which Nick calls home and he wants to ensure that the local government can maintain effective management; ensuring a prosperous and balanced rural community.

Nick wants to contribute as an effective Charter Review Board member to ensure oversight and effective mandates. Nick is committed to keeping the review process open and transparent. He knows how to listen and consider facts before reaching a conclusion. He is ready, willing and able to serve all in Clallam County. Please give him your support.

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**Kraig
Kylo**
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

No information submitted

Other Professional Experience

North Olympic Peninsula Turkey Trot - Race Director/
Owner; North Olympic Sports Association (Non-Profit) -
President

Education

Port Angeles High School – graduate; Peninsula College
- attended classes in Electronics; ITT Peterson School of
Business - attended classes in Electronics

Community Service

Community Services Director - for local Seventh Day
Adventist Church; Olympic National Park - volunteer with
maintenance/construction crew; Promoter of Recycling

Statement

I decided to run for the Charter Review Commission,
because of my concern for the people of Clallam County
and certain issues which are having or could have a
significant impact on our quality of life.

When Smart Meters were first introduced into the city of
Port Angeles, I was among the core group, who sought to
educate the public about the possible harmful effects and
consequences, of these meters. Now, county-wide, they
are starting to be installed and many residents are not
aware of the potential privacy, health and security risks
that they present to our families, homes and businesses.

The language used by utility companies that are trying to
promote Smart Meters and reassure the public, sounds
very reminiscent of what the tobacco industry did for
years. There are states that have already banned smart
meters. We need to carefully review this issue and
consider taking action, at the county level, for the sake of
the people of Clallam County.

Some other issues that need to be prioritized include
a reliable water reserve, emergency management
preparedness, creation of affordable housing and review
of the cost-effectiveness of county and PUD projects.

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**Allen
Coleman**
(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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Leya
Heart
(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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Jerry T.
Weider
(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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**Mary
Doherty**

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

None. Dem PCO.

Other Professional Experience

Community College faculty & dean (40+ yrs); Evaluator, Aberdeen & Omak Schools.

Education

PAHS; Gonzaga University B.A., MA (Counseling Psych); PhD program, ABD; Heritage College M.Ed., Adjunct Faculty: 7 Universities.

Community Service

50 yr Jesuit Volunteer Corps NW; Providence Yakima Hospital Board (chair); PTA (President, 3x); Yakima Schools' (controversial) Books Reviewer. Other boards: La Casa Hogar, Okanogan Behavioral Health, SJMMS School Board, Parish Council, Prevention Works!, WS Pool Advisory. Heart: 3 children, 6 grands.

Statement

Charter Review compels me because it helps create, change and maintain outcomes for County structures/ processes which are fair, just and serve the common good. Elected members must be accurately and broadly informed and do *all* the homework. We are a small population in a large geographic county so decisions must be fiscally and politically functional, sensitive to all 3 Districts but *not* built around self-serving biases.

I am thrilled to be back in Port Angeles (2010) after the joy of growing up here! My work and family life have focused on enriching, experiencing and developing community. We have always participated as a family in making our schools, towns & neighborhoods responsive and resilient. Currently I am working part time in schools around Washington, volunteering, restoring our parents' home and immersed in the most beautiful place on the planet!

I will be deliberate, hardworking and open-minded looking for creative solutions and building respectful consensus wherever possible in Charter Review.

Thank you for voting your conscience!

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**Elizabeth
Athair**

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

No information submitted

Other Professional Experience

RN Massage Therapist especially focused in Hospice and home care; Homeschooling mother and grandmother, Para pro teacher assist at Public School Holden Village, WA; Kitchen host at OPI and Nature Bridge, LMT @ Sol Duc Hot Springs; Weaving instructor at Holden Village, Suzuki Violin parent 10 years in Chelan, WA

Education

High School Graduate . Washington High School ,Washington ,PA; BA biology and BSRN .Valparaiso University ,Valparaiso ,IN; Licensed Massage Therapist . Suncoast School of Massage ,Tampa ,FL

Community Service

Feiro Marine Science Center, Volunteer Hospice of Clallam County , Black Diamond Contra Dance Coordinator, Recycling ,Noxious weed pulling,Bicycling.

Statement

My intent is to assist review and discussion of the wording of our Home Rule Charter to bring it up to date to contemporary needs with appropriate words that will serve the highest best for the citizens and wonderful natural habitats and creatures and Indigenous People that have been in our region long before most of us came here to our region...

Contact

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**Nina
Richards**

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

Democratic Precinct Committee Officer, County Democratic Party Chair (2006 - 2008)

Other Professional Experience

English Teacher, Hodgkins Junior High School, Westminster, Colorado; Librarian (K-12), Port Angeles School District; Librarian, Columbine High School, Jefferson County, Colorado

Education

Graduate, Bessemer High School (Alabama); Bachelor of Arts, English, Agnes Scott College (Atlanta, Georgia); Masters, Library Media, University of Colorado (Boulder, Colorado)

Community Service

Member, League of Women Voters; Member, Ladies in Politics; Founder Olympic Peninsula Track Club

Statement

Amendments proposed by the Charter Review Commission must be approved by a vote of county citizens. Listening to the public to determine what changes the citizens want, and communicating with the public regarding those changes, are therefore most important roles of a Commissioner. I have a proven record of being the good listener and communicator needed for these roles.

Several incidents have demonstrated ambiguities in the Charter regarding the relationship between, and responsibilities of, county officials. Writing these ambiguities out of the Charter should be a primary goal of the Commission. Other county government issues include financial management, economic development, homelessness and addiction. The Commission should consider whether to address these issues through some restructuring of county departments. For example, an office of financial management has been proposed. Whether that office should be created, and in what form, is a job for the Commission.

I would very much appreciate your vote for me, Nina Richards, for Charter Review Commission.

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**Marolee D.
Smith**

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

none.

Other Professional Experience

37 years self-employed as a researcher, writer, author, and editor. For 2 years I owned a deli in Port Angeles. Many years ago, I worked the corporate banking world (supervisor and AVP of computer online operations) Mother of three (now grown).

Education

I am a few credits shy of an AA in Administration of Justice. Graduated from Victor Business School.

Community Service

In the past I volunteered for crisis lines, and as a peer counselor for several organizations. I have written web materials, and other documents for a variety of non-profits.

Statement

Since I was a teenager, I have been interested, and involved, in local and state politics. I understand how to read their complex government documents and research on specific issues. I believe we can always improve our local government. I am enthusiastic about the opportunity to review our county charter.

I believe that we have too few commissioners to adequately represent the entire county. The West End is under-represented, with very different needs and issues than the more densely populated communities, which now dominate the agenda. I would support increasing the number of commissioners to five (5).

The Port Angeles City Council should eliminate the "district" positions. Instead, opt for all positions to be elected AT LARGE. This would eliminate the expense, and need for primary elections for council candidates, and it would stop the real problem of unopposed elections.

I support an elected coroner with medical experience, and move the duties of coroner from the District Attorney's office to the County Sheriff's office. There should be established (county, city and port)a public advocate position to investigate and respond to all complaints from the public, facilitate information exchange and to monitor and report on whistleblower, ethics and human rights proceedings.

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**Therese (Tree)
Stokan**

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

No information submitted

Other Professional Experience

Osteopathic Family Physician - who has practiced in both private and federal healthcare settings, and is well-aware of the challenges facing rural and underserved communities.

Education

B.A. in Biology; Seton Hill College, Greensburg, PA; D.O.; Ohio University College of Osteopathic Medicine, Athens, OH; Board-certified and re-certified; American Board of Family Medicine

Community Service

Volunteer for the following groups; organizer of educational events, held throughout Clallam and Jefferson Counties: Clallam Against Smart Meters, Washington Physicians for Social Responsibility, Whole Washington and Medicare for All

Statement

Among the issues that need to be addressed by the Charter Review Commission, *a resolution/ordinance ensuring reliable year-round potable water supply for Clallam County Communities is of highest priority.* We must consider developing off-channel reservoirs along one or more of our major rivers, for storing winter rain runoff for gradual release during the increasingly low-flow days of summer. *Determine Cost-Benefit ratios for county and PUD projects. Smart Meters and 5 G merit close review.* There are significant cybercrime, privacy, fire, and health concerns, with these technologies.

I have lived and/or worked in three of the four sovereign Native American communities, which are part of Clallam County. I find it unconscionable that the tribal communities have no formal representation at the county level. *Our Charter needs provisions for tribal liaisons.*

There must be county-wide emergency management preparations for the anticipated "Cascadia Rising" event. We need to reinforce roadways, especially high-risk locations for landslides, flooding, and natural disasters. *Stricter camping enforcement along county roads* should be considered. Parking and camping in non-designated areas, is creating aesthetic, safety and public health concerns.

Thank you for reviewing these suggestions. I welcome your input.

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No photo
submitted

**Mike
French**

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

Port Angeles City Council, one term

Other Professional Experience

Owner, First Street Haven Restaurant

Education

Associate of Arts, Peninsula College; Bachelor of Arts (Music), Central Washington University

Community Service

Vice President, Hamilton Elementary PTO; Board of Directors, Olympic Peninsula Community Clinic

Statement

No information submitted

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Lisa
Unger
(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 P.
Reandeu
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

Trust Lands Committee District #3 representative 2016

Other Professional Experience

Farmer/Rancher(Horses),Millworker in Port Angeles for 35 years,past Recording Secretary and Vice President for Local 155 AWPPW.

Education

All Port Angeles Schools and graduate Pa High in 1970. One year studies at Peninsula Community College.

Community Service

Helper/Caregiver to my elderly family members.

Statement

No information submitted

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**Andrew T.
May**

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

No political offices, Elected president of the Port Angeles Regional Chamber of Commerce, Elected president Port Angeles Business Association, Current Port Angeles Art Council board member, current Chamber of Commerce board member.

Other Professional Experience

Parliamentarian 45 years, Instructor of horticulture Peninsula College 22 years, Garden columnist P.D.N. 22 years, Owner and head Horticulturalist Mayflower Horticultural Services 34 Years .

Education

No information submitted

Community Service

Rotary 101 bulb project chairman, Dream Playground supervisor, Winter Ice Village light chairman, Pink- up waiter, celebrity bagger, public speaker for club programs.

Statement

I have lived in Clallam County for the last 24 years, falling in love with the peninsula when I first came here as a young teenager on a family vacation in 1974. I have always been active in both the civic and professional activities of the community and truly admire the incredible volunteerism of our area. It has also been delightful to teach horticulture as part of the community education program at the college as well as write the local garden column in the PDN for the last 22 years. I am running for charter review commissioner because I am also a parliamentarian and I wish to use that knowledge not only to aid in the thoughtful deliberations of the 15 member commission ;but to also ensure that everyone who wishes (citizens alike)will be heard and respected. This is my first time running for elected office but I am very excited for the opportunity to help mold our charter and thus I ask you for your vote. Respectfully; Andrew T. May

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**Brian
Hunter**

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

None

Other Professional Experience

American Planning Association award winning public agency planner with 30 years experience providing Land Use Development, Public Policy creation and Administration, State/Federal Grant Programs, Personnel and Contract Management, Interagency Coordination, Storm Water Runoff, Adequacy of Public Infrastructure, and Public Outreach and Education.

Education

Bachelor of Arts, Revelle College.

Community Service

Planning Commissioner, City of Port Angeles, 2014-2016

Statement

My 30 years planning and development public agency work in Washington, Oregon, California, and Hawaii, covering all levels of government from municipal to federal, as well as local special interest groups and business, has provided me with experience unparalleled by any individual I have met. I say this not as bravado, but as surety that I will bring to this position a complete portfolio of opportunity and knowledge. I understand the ability to review issues of importance for all of our futures, as well as provide meaningful interpretation and response in simple understandable non technical terms should be the final goal.

I am neither old school status quo Clallam County nor Seattle progressive. Instead I bring to this position a generalist encyclopaedia of economically sound and successful public policy perspectives appropriate to the task. If you want to vote fashion, personality, or familiarity I am not your candidate. If you want a 30 year proven track record of public policy success please consider myself.

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**Joseph
Murray**

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

Clallam Conservation District (25 years, 15 as Chair)

Other Professional Experience

Professional forester for 40 years, specializing in forest inventory, silviculture, public access, education, history and public policy. Serves on the Riparian Scientific Advisory Group (RSAG), part of Department of Natural Resources' Cooperative Monitoring Evaluation and Research Program (CMER). Western Forestry Conservation Association Board of Trustees 1998 to 2019.

Education

BS, Business, University of Notre Dame, 1971; AA, Forestry, Peninsula College, 1979

Community Service

United Way Funds Distribution Committee, 2004- 2015; Juan de Fuca Scenic Byway Association, 2000- present; Chair, Clallam County Trust Lands Advisory Committee, 2016-2017; Port of Port Angeles Timber Advisory Committee, 2017-present

Statement

Residents of Clallam County are fortunate to have the opportunity through this Commission to have direct input into the governance, policies and structure of the County. I am convinced that our local quality of life depends on able citizens willing to contribute their time to make the County better for all. That is why I am running for Counter Charter Review Commission.

Having lived in Clallam County for 47 years, I have been involved in many community organizations and initiatives, and have worked with many admirable people. As a resident of District 3 for 40 years, I have a deep knowledge of the people who live there, their issues and their needs. I believe that my background and experience will add value to the work of the Commission. I ask for your vote on November 5, 2019.

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**Deborah (Deb)
Cooke**

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

No information submitted

Other Professional Experience

Served as Chief Conservator of Waterlogged Artifacts - Makah Cultural & Research Center Museum; Fish Hatchery Technician - Hoko Falls Hatchery

Education

Neah Bay High School – graduate; Canadian Conservation Institute; Ottawa, Canada - Internship on Waterlogged Artifacts; U.S. National Park Service; Port Townsend, WA - Identification of Archeological Sites; U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service; Columbia River Fisheries Program, OR - Fish Health Program; Northwest Indian Fisheries Commission; Forks, WA - Yearly training programs - on Fish Health. Bureau of Indian Affairs; Albuquerque, NM - Leadership Training for Aspiring Managers

Community Service

Active at Tribal Community Meetings

Statement

I live in Neah Bay, a fishing community, but drive 45 minutes daily, on Highway 112, to get to my worksite. While there are established campgrounds, motels, and other housing options available for our visitors, I frequently see people camping at non-designated, pull-off sites. With no sewage management in these areas, this is having a worsening ecological impact on our water, fish, land, etc.

Requiring stricter camping enforcement along county roads, will benefit the residents and businesses, throughout Clallam County, and should be a high priority for the next Charter Review Commission term.

There are health and privacy concerns, posed by the "Smart Meters" and "TWACS Smart Meters", which are being installed by PUD. Most of our residents are not aware that criminals could scope out work schedules of entire neighborhoods with the click of a mouse.

I am calling upon the Tribal Communities, and all residents of Clallam County, to band together and say "No" to Smart Meters and 5 G. For the sake of our children, grandchildren, and all of our communities, we cannot wait to address this issue. I ask for your support and thank you for your vote.

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**Don
Corson**
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

Served on previous Charter Review Board. Appointed to Clallam County Boundary Review Board. Redistricting “marshal” for Clallam County Commissioner redistricting process.

Other Professional Experience

Over 30 years in environmental, planning, development consulting and corporate real estate management. Small business owner for 28 years.

Education

BA History, Seattle Pacific University; MA Geography, California State University, LA; Ph.D. Geography, University of Oregon.

Community Service

Board Member of Port Angeles Symphony, major fundraiser for the Olympic Medical Center Foundation, past member of United Way Board, multiple leadership roles at Holy Trinity Lutheran, Port Angeles.

Statement

Our family has lived in Clallam County since 1990. I will bring my previous experience on this commission, my independent point-of-view and broad professional and educational background to this process to the benefit of all county citizens.

Our county is one of the few in the state to have its own charter. The opportunity to review and revise it to meet our unique issues should not be taken lightly or used to push one-sided political agendas

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**Rod
Fleck**
(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

Elected to the past three Charter Review Commissions; Precinct Committee Officer

Other Professional Experience

City Attorney/Planner; Adjunct Lecturer with Peninsula College Forks Campus in American History and Government; and, Legislative Committee Chair, Washington State Association of Municipal Attorneys; member, Washington Coast Marine Advisory Council; member, Olympic Natural Resources Center Advisory Board; and, member, Washington State Bar Association.

Education

Graduate of University of Washington, 1991; and, Law Degree from Seattle University, 1994.

Community Service

Veteran, U.S. Air Force; and, most importantly father to three pretty amazing kids.

Statement

I would like your vote in order to ensure that the West End is well represented in the process of reviewing how our County should govern. I have served on the Charter Review Commissions three times in the past. I strongly support maintaining those items which you the voter decided upon in the past Charter Review processes. You the voter decided, and I support, to elect the Director of Community Development; elect Commissioners by District; and, limit the County’s use of eminent domain. I will work to ensure that our County government is one that encourages openness, fairness, and responsiveness to its citizens.

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Nina
Sarmiento

(Nonpartisan)

Elected Experience

Serves as the treasurer for Young Democrats of Clallam County

Other Professional Experience

Customer Service Associate, Environmental Education Instructor, Community Activist, Tour Guide.

Education

Graduate of Harrison High School, New York, 2012.
Graduate of Binghamton University, State University of New York, 2016, Bachelor of Science in Biology, concentration in Ecology.

Community Service

Active volunteer with North Olympic Salmon Coalition, Young Democrats of Clallam County, community activism events, Country Aire Ivy Pull.

Statement

Nina is running for Charter Review Board because she believes young people desperately need representation in local government. Supporting young people and especially women in elected positions is important for the progress of democracy, which begins at the most local and basic levels.

In 1976 Clallam County adopted a home charter to give independence and flexibility to the way local government is run. Ours defines the responsibilities of county officials and the organization and procedures that make our communities run smoothly. By continuing to review this charter the county has the ability to adapt to changing times and needs of the people.

Nina would be honored to represent district 3 in reviewing of the home charter. She is grateful to have found a home in Port Angeles, where the unique history, geography, and sense of community has spoken to her on a level that makes her care for it's future. It was Coretta Scott King that said, "The greatness of a community is most accurately measured by the compassionate actions of its members."

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How do I read measure text?

Language in double parentheses with a line through it is existing state law; it will be taken out of the law if this measure is approved by voters.

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Underlined language does not appear in current state law but will be added to the law if this measure is approved by voters.

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Complete Text

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 and its exceptions; and establishing a governor's commission on diversity, equity, and inclusion.

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, ~~((or))~~ 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.

(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, ~~((or))~~ 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 remedying 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 such as participation goals or outreach efforts that do not utilize quotas and that do not constitute preferential treatment as defined in this section.

(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. 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; and

(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.

((9)) (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.

((10)) (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)) 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; adding a new section to chapter 81.112 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 (MSRP). 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:

VEHICLE TYPE	INITIAL FEE	RENEWAL FEE	DISTRIB-UTED UNDER
(a) Auto stage, six seats or less	\$ 30.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.030
(b) Camper	\$ 4.90	\$ 3.50	RCW 46.68.030
(c) Commercial trailer	\$ ((34.00)) 30.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.035
(d) For hire vehicle, six seats or less	\$ 30.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.030
(e) Mobile home (if registered)	\$ 30.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.030
(f) Moped	\$ 30.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.030
(g) Motor home	\$ 30.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.030
(h) Motorcycle	\$ 30.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.030
(i) Off-road vehicle	\$ 18.00	\$ 18.00	RCW 46.68.045
(j) Passenger car	\$ 30.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.030
(k) Private use single-axle trailer	\$ 15.00	\$ 15.00	RCW 46.68.035
(l) Snowmobile	\$ ((50.00)) 30.00	\$ ((50.00)) 30.00	RCW 46.68.350
(m) Snowmobile, vintage	\$ 12.00	\$ 12.00	RCW 46.68.350
(n) Sport utility vehicle	\$ 30.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.030
(o) Tow truck	\$ 30.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.030
(p) Trailer, over 2000 pounds	\$ 30.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.030
(q) Travel trailer	\$ 30.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.030
(r) Wheeled all-terrain vehicle, on-road use	\$ 12.00	\$ 12.00	RCW 46.09.540
(s) Wheeled all-terrain vehicle, off-road use	\$ 18.00	\$ 18.00	RCW 46.09.510

(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:

WEIGHT	SCHEDULE A	SCHEDULE B
4,000 pounds	\$ 38.00	\$ 38.00
6,000 pounds	\$ 48.00	\$ 48.00
8,000 pounds	\$ 58.00	\$ 58.00
10,000 pounds	\$ 60.00	\$ 60.00
12,000 pounds	\$ 77.00	\$ 77.00
14,000 pounds	\$ 88.00	\$ 88.00
16,000 pounds	\$ 100.00	\$ 100.00
18,000 pounds	\$ 152.00	\$ 152.00
20,000 pounds	\$ 169.00	\$ 169.00
22,000 pounds	\$ 183.00	\$ 183.00
24,000 pounds	\$ 198.00	\$ 198.00
26,000 pounds	\$ 209.00	\$ 209.00
28,000 pounds	\$ 247.00	\$ 247.00
30,000 pounds	\$ 285.00	\$ 285.00
32,000 pounds	\$ 344.00	\$ 344.00
34,000 pounds	\$ 366.00	\$ 366.00
36,000 pounds	\$ 397.00	\$ 397.00
38,000 pounds	\$ 436.00	\$ 436.00
40,000 pounds	\$ 499.00	\$ 499.00
42,000 pounds	\$ 519.00	\$ 609.00
44,000 pounds	\$ 530.00	\$ 620.00
46,000 pounds	\$ 570.00	\$ 660.00
48,000 pounds	\$ 594.00	\$ 684.00
50,000 pounds	\$ 645.00	\$ 735.00
52,000 pounds	\$ 678.00	\$ 768.00
54,000 pounds	\$ 732.00	\$ 822.00
56,000 pounds	\$ 773.00	\$ 863.00
58,000 pounds	\$ 804.00	\$ 894.00
60,000 pounds	\$ 857.00	\$ 947.00
62,000 pounds	\$ 919.00	\$ 1,009.00
64,000 pounds	\$ 939.00	\$ 1,029.00
66,000 pounds	\$ 1,046.00	\$ 1,136.00
68,000 pounds	\$ 1,091.00	\$ 1,181.00
70,000 pounds	\$ 1,175.00	\$ 1,265.00
72,000 pounds	\$ 1,257.00	\$ 1,347.00
74,000 pounds	\$ 1,366.00	\$ 1,456.00
76,000 pounds	\$ 1,476.00	\$ 1,566.00
78,000 pounds	\$ 1,612.00	\$ 1,702.00
80,000 pounds	\$ 1,740.00	\$ 1,830.00
82,000 pounds	\$ 1,861.00	\$ 1,951.00
84,000 pounds	\$ 1,981.00	\$ 2,071.00
86,000 pounds	\$ 2,102.00	\$ 2,192.00
88,000 pounds	\$ 2,223.00	\$ 2,313.00
90,000 pounds	\$ 2,344.00	\$ 2,434.00
92,000 pounds	\$ 2,464.00	\$ 2,554.00

94,000 pounds	\$ 2,585.00	\$ 2,675.00
96,000 pounds	\$ 2,706.00	\$ 2,796.00
98,000 pounds	\$ 2,827.00	\$ 2,917.00
100,000 pounds	\$ 2,947.00	\$ 3,037.00
102,000 pounds	\$ 3,068.00	\$ 3,158.00
104,000 pounds	\$ 3,189.00	\$ 3,279.00
105,500 pounds	\$ 3,310.00	\$ 3,400.00

(b) For vehicle registrations that are due or become due on or after 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 gross weight:

WEIGHT	SCHEDULE A	SCHEDULE B
4,000 pounds	\$ ((53-00)) 30.00	\$ ((53-00)) 30.00
6,000 pounds	\$ ((73-00)) 30.00	\$ ((73-00)) 30.00
8,000 pounds	\$ ((93-00)) 30.00	\$ ((93-00)) 30.00
10,000 pounds	\$ ((93-00)) 30.00	\$ ((93-00)) 30.00
12,000 pounds	\$ 81.00	\$ 81.00
14,000 pounds	\$ 88.00	\$ 88.00
16,000 pounds	\$ 100.00	\$ 100.00
18,000 pounds	\$ 152.00	\$ 152.00
20,000 pounds	\$ 169.00	\$ 169.00
22,000 pounds	\$ 183.00	\$ 183.00
24,000 pounds	\$ 198.00	\$ 198.00
26,000 pounds	\$ 209.00	\$ 209.00
28,000 pounds	\$ 247.00	\$ 247.00
30,000 pounds	\$ 285.00	\$ 285.00
32,000 pounds	\$ 344.00	\$ 344.00
34,000 pounds	\$ 366.00	\$ 366.00
36,000 pounds	\$ 397.00	\$ 397.00
38,000 pounds	\$ 436.00	\$ 436.00
40,000 pounds	\$ 499.00	\$ 499.00
42,000 pounds	\$ 519.00	\$ 609.00
44,000 pounds	\$ 530.00	\$ 620.00
46,000 pounds	\$ 570.00	\$ 660.00
48,000 pounds	\$ 594.00	\$ 684.00
50,000 pounds	\$ 645.00	\$ 735.00
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104,000 pounds	\$ 3,189.00	\$ 3,279.00
105,500 pounds	\$ 3,310.00	\$ 3,400.00

(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:

~~((i))~~ (a) Seventy percent to the motor vehicle fund created in RCW 46.68.070;

~~((iii))~~ (b) Fifteen percent to the transportation improvement account created in RCW 47.26.084; and

~~((iii))~~ (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:~~

~~(i) The first one million dollars raised by the fee must be deposited into the multimodal transportation account created in RCW 47.66.070; and~~

~~(ii) Any remaining amounts must be deposited into the motor vehicle fund created in RCW 46.68.070.~~

~~(5) 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

district—Exemptions) and 2015 3rd sp.s. c 44 s 310, 2010 c 161 s 917, 2007 c 329 s 2, & 2005 c 336 s 16.

Sec. 7. RCW 82.08.020 and 2014 c 140 s 12 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) There is levied and collected a tax equal to six and five-tenths percent of the selling price on each retail sale in this state of:

(a) Tangible personal property, unless the sale is specifically excluded from the RCW 82.04.050 definition of retail sale;

(b) Digital goods, digital codes, and digital automated services, if the sale is included within the RCW 82.04.050 definition of retail sale;

(c) Services, other than digital automated services, included within the RCW 82.04.050 definition of retail sale;

(d) Extended warranties to consumers; and

(e) Anything else, the sale of which is included within the RCW 82.04.050 definition of retail sale.

(2) There is levied and collected an additional tax on each retail car rental, regardless of whether the vehicle is licensed in this state, equal to five and nine-tenths percent of the selling price. The revenue collected under this subsection must be deposited in the multimodal transportation account created in RCW 47.66.070.

(3) ~~((Beginning July 1, 2003, there is levied and collected an additional tax of three-tenths of one percent of the selling price on each retail sale of a motor vehicle in this state, other than retail car rentals taxed under subsection (2) of this section. The revenue collected under this subsection must be deposited in the multimodal transportation account created in RCW 47.66.070.~~

(4) For purposes of subsection (3) of this section, “motor vehicle” has the meaning provided in RCW 46.04.320, but does not include:

~~(a) Farm tractors or farm vehicles as defined in RCW 46.04.180 and 46.04.181, unless the farm tractor or farm vehicle is for use in the production of marijuana;~~

~~(b) Off-road vehicles as defined in RCW 46.04.365;~~

~~(c) Nonhighway vehicles as defined in RCW 46.09.310; and~~

~~(d) Snowmobiles as defined in RCW 46.04.546.~~

(5) Beginning on December 8, 2005, 0.16 percent of the taxes collected under subsection (1) of this section 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

~~((iv)))~~ (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. sess.

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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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 Consti-

tution: *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;

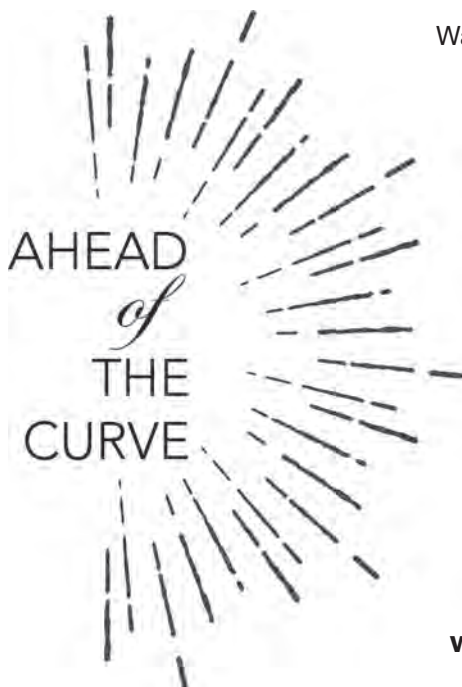
Article 11, Section 2, Seat of County Government;

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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