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INTRODUCTION TO THE 1991 VOTERS PAMPHLET

On December 15, 1791, the Congress of the United States of America officially certified the adoption of the first ten amendments to our country's new constitution. These amendments, which set forth the specific rights and freedoms reserved to the people and to the states, formed the historic document known as the Bill of Rights.

As we celebrate the 200th anniversary of the adoption of the Bill of Rights, phenomenal changes are taking place in the world around us. In many countries, freedom and democracy are replacing tyranny and oppression. People who have lived all their lives under repressive regimes are now beginning to attain the basic rights which Americans have enjoyed for the past two centuries.

These events serve to underscore and renew our appreciation for the rights and freedoms we possess as citizens of the United States of America. This year, as we celebrate the bicentennial of the Bill of Rights, I hope you will make an effort to learn more about the importance of this remarkable document. The original ten amendments are listed on page 5 of this year's pamphlet; please take a moment to read them. Also, I would urge you to take advantage of the special exhibitions and programs which are being offered in conjunction with the Bill of Rights bicentennial celebration.

Above all, be sure to exercise one of your most fundamental rights — the right to vote. This pamphlet is designed to help you with the voting process and to assist you in making informed decisions on election day. Please make use of it, and please vote on November 5th. Your participation will help preserve and strengthen democracy here in the United States, and it will serve as an example and an inspiration to those who are struggling for democracy in other parts of the world.



RALPH MUNRO
Secretary of State

Dear Yakima County Voters:

It is with a great deal of pride and satisfaction that we continue with our efforts to provide you with our annual Local Voters Pamphlet. The support from you continues to grow year after year as you indicate to us the importance of this information tool. Our satisfaction is in bringing to the citizens of Yakima County information on candidates and issues that is of fundamental significance to your ability to make informed decisions at the polls.

We are once again pleased to join with Ralph Munro, Secretary of State, to consolidate our efforts to provide a single pamphlet inclusive of all election choices for the November ballot.

This cooperative effort is just one example of our desire to meet the citizens' healthy expectation for a government that is responsive to the needs of its constituents.

I invite you to review the pamphlet, mark your choices and feel free to take it with you to vote on election day. We all have a responsibility to take our stand, make our voices heard and let our votes count.

BETTIE INGHAM
Yakima County Auditor

NOTE:

Important new election laws take effect next year. Please read page 4 thoroughly.



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Secretary of State Toll-Free Hotlines

1-800-448-4881

TDD (Hearing Impaired) 1-800-422-8683

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IMPORTANT ELECTION LAW CHANGES

Please read thoroughly - If you have questions, call the State Voter Information Hotline, 1-800-448-4881.

In the coming year, citizens of the state of Washington will benefit from two significant additions to the state's laws dealing with elections and voting. One of these additions — a program known as "Motor Voter" — will provide a convenient new system of registering to vote at the state's driver licensing offices. The other will create a Washington State Presidential Preference Primary, giving citizens the ability to cast a direct vote for the nomination of presidential candidates.

THE 1992 WASHINGTON STATE PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY

Washington's new presidential primary was created through the passage of Initiative 99, a citizen-sponsored measure signed by more than 200,000 people and approved by the Washington State Legislature. Beginning in 1992, Washington citizens will be able to make their choice regarding the nomination of major party presidential candidates by casting a direct vote, much like they do in other state elections or primaries. Previously, anyone wishing to vote for the nomination of a major party presidential candidate had to attend a precinct caucus meeting conducted by the state Democratic or Republican parties. The presidential preference primary is designed to provide greater participation and a more accurate reflection of public sentiment regarding presidential candidates.

Timing of the Presidential Primary

Under the provisions of Initiative 99, Washington's presidential primary is to be held on the fourth Tuesday in May of presidential election years, or on a date "selected by the Secretary of State to advance the concept of a regional primary." With that in mind, the Secretary of State has set the date for Washington's first presidential primary for May 19, 1992 (the third Tuesday in May). The selection of this date, which coincides with the state of Oregon's primary, is a major step in creating a Pacific Northwest Regional Presidential Primary.

Eligibility to Vote

Any person eligible to vote in a regular primary or election in Washington state — that is, any registered voter — will be eligible to vote in the presidential primary. To be eligible to vote, you must be a citizen of the United States and at least 18 years of age at the time of the primary or election. (Note: Under state law, you must be registered at least 30 days prior to an election to vote in that election. This means you must register no later than April 18, 1992, to vote in the presidential primary.)

Requesting a Party Ballot

Voters are not required to register with a political party to vote in the presidential primary. Initiative 99 only requires that voters make a declaration as to which party ballot they wish to receive and in which political party's presidential primary they wish to participate. This

request will be recorded, but it should not be construed as a political party registration or a declaration of party membership. The party ballot request requirement applies only to the presidential primary; it does not affect the state's regular blanket primary law, which allows voters to alternate between political parties when voting to nominate candidates to the general election ballot. (The ballot request provision was included in the presidential primary law to avoid any potential conflict with the eligibility rules of the national political parties. In recent U.S. Supreme Court decisions, national party rules have been held to override state election laws in certain circumstances, including eligibility to participate in presidential primaries.)

Ballot Format

Each political party will be assigned a ballot of a particular color. You will be issued a ballot corresponding to your signed request which will list only the candidates of that party. Should you vote for a candidate of a party different from the one you requested, your vote in the presidential primary will not be counted.

Absentee Ballots

You may vote by absentee ballot in the presidential primary, but your request **must** state which political party ballot you wish to receive. Absentee ballot requests will be available from your county auditor (in King County, the Department of Elections) preceding the presidential primary.

Precinct Caucuses

The approval of a presidential primary has not eliminated the precinct caucus system; to the contrary, the caucuses continue to play an important role in the state's process of nominating presidential candidates. The caucuses are still the starting point for selecting the delegates who will ultimately attend the national nominating conventions of the major political parties. Under the new system, however, delegates from the state of Washington will be allocated according to the popular vote in the primary, not by a vote in the caucuses. Precinct caucuses also provide an opportunity to determine party platform, to vote on resolutions, and to meet candidates for a variety of offices. (For more information on the caucus and convention system, see page 35).

"MOTOR VOTER" REGISTRATION

Beginning January 1, 1992, Washington citizens will be able to register to vote through an innovative new program which connects the voter registration process with the state's driver licensing system. This procedure, commonly referred to as "Motor Voter," is designed to provide a quick, convenient method of voter registration for those who are obtaining their Washington state driver's license.

"Motor Voter" registration will be available at each of the 59 Department of Licensing driver licensing examining offices located around the state. When you visit one of these offices to apply for or renew your driver's license, the licensing examiner will ask if you wish to register to vote. If the answer is yes, the examiner will confirm the address information on your license application and ask you to sign a voter registration card affirming that you are a citizen of the United States and that you will be at least eighteen years of age at the next election.

The "Motor Voter" registration process will take only a few minutes of your time, and it will be well worth the effort. The "Motor Voter" system can also be used to transfer your registration if you have moved to a new address, or to update any other information such as a change in name. Remember, you must be registered at least 30 days in advance of an election to vote in that election; while you need only register once, you must be registered for 30 days before you can vote.

In addition to "Motor Voter," there are numerous other ways to register to vote in Washington state. Voter registrars are available in county auditor offices, city halls, schools, libraries, fire stations, and numerous other locations. If you need assistance in locating a voter registrar or registering to vote, contact the Yakima County Auditor's Office, 128 N. 2nd Street #117, Yakima, WA 98901, or call 575-4043 during regular business hours.



The Bill of Rights

ADOPTED IN THE YEAR 1791

ARTICLE I: "Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of the people peaceably to assemble, and to petition the Government for a redress of grievances."

ARTICLE II: "A well regulated Militia, being necessary to the security of a free State, the right of the people to keep and bear Arms, shall not be infringed."

ARTICLE III: "No Soldier shall, in time of peace, be quartered in any house, without the consent of the Owner, nor in time of war, but in a manner to be prescribed by law."

ARTICLE IV: "The right of the people to be secure in their persons, houses, papers, and effects, against unreasonable searches and seizures, shall not be violated, and no Warrants shall issue, but upon probable cause, supported by Oath or affirmation, and particularly describing the place to be searched and the persons or things to be seized."

ARTICLE V: "No person shall be held to answer for a capital, or otherwise infamous crime, unless on a presentment or indictment of a Grand Jury, except in cases arising in the land or naval forces, or in the Militia, when in actual service in time of War or public danger; nor shall any person be subject for the same offence to be twice put in jeopardy of life or limb; nor shall be compelled in any criminal case to be witness against himself, nor be deprived of life, liberty, or property, without due process of law; nor shall private property be taken for public use, without just compensation."

ARTICLE VI: "In all criminal prosecutions, the accused shall enjoy the right to a speedy and public trial, by an impartial jury of the State and district wherein the crime shall have been committed, which district shall have been previously ascertained by law, and to be informed of the nature and cause of the accusation; to be confronted with the witnesses against him; to have compulsory process for obtaining witnesses in his favor, and to have the Assistance of Counsel for his defense."

ARTICLE VII: "In suits at common law, where the value in controversy shall exceed twenty dollars, the right of trial by jury shall be preserved, and no fact tried by a jury, shall be otherwise re-examined in any Court of the United States, than according to the rules of the common law."

ARTICLE VIII: "Excessive bail shall not be required, nor excessive fines imposed, nor cruel and unusual punishments inflicted."

ARTICLE IX: "The enumeration in the Constitution, of certain rights, shall not be construed to deny or disparage others retained by the people."

ARTICLE X: "The powers not delegated to the United States by the Constitution, nor prohibited by it to the States, are reserved to the States respectively, or to the people."



INITIATIVE MEASURE 553

TO THE PEOPLE

Note: The ballot title and explanatory statement were written by the Attorney General as required by law. The complete text of Initiative Measure 553 begins on page 22.

Statement for

Term Limitation Is A Crucial Bi-partisan Government Reform

Vote YES for Initiative 553 for real political reform. That's why over a quarter million Democrats, Republicans, and Independents signed this initiative. I-553 will solve a fundamental problem in our political system: the need to limit the number of years a politician can stay in a particular office. *Vote YES on I-553 for necessary government reform!*

Return Control of OUR Government to the People — Where it Belongs

"Experienced" career politicians, financed by PACs and special interest money, have brought us the S&L scandal, a \$3 trillion national debt and elected officials' excessive pay raises. Term limitation will make it more difficult for lobbyists to maintain their influence with elected officials. Our Founding Fathers envisioned citizen legislators, not career politicians. *Vote YES on I-553 to reduce special interest influence.*

Reduce the Influence of Lobbyists and Special Interests

Re-election is a politician's top priority. Nothing proves it more than the outrageous growth in campaign spending using PAC and special interest money. We have a system where incumbents, who choose to run, nearly always win - 96% re-elected to Congress in 1990, 96% re-elected to the Washington State Legislature. Excellent candidates are discouraged from running against incumbents. *Vote YES on I-553 to provide opportunities for fair competition.*

Official Ballot Title:

Shall there be limitations on terms of office for Governor, Lieutenant Governor, State Legislators, and Washington State members of Congress?

The law as it now exists:

Persons can be candidates for election or re-election for the State Legislature, Governor, Lieutenant Governor, or Congress without any limitation based on prior service. No one is disqualified from seeking those offices for having previously served.

Term Limitation Is a National Movement

Our President and 31 governors have term limits. Oklahoma, Colorado and California passed term limits in 1990. Term limitation movements are underway in 22 states for 1992. Nationally, incumbency has taken over our political system and voters are staying home. *Vote YES on I-553 to regain meaningful choice at the voting booth, locally and nationally.*

Vote YES on I-553 to assure a responsive citizen legislature.

Rebuttal of Statement against

Scare tactics and doomsaying are desperate maneuvers by career politicians who don't want to give up their power and perks.

Thomas Jefferson was the original advocate for term limitations because he foresaw the problems associated with the accumulation of power.

I-553 makes our representatives more accountable to us. What's so radical about that? Ask yourself this question. If special interests and bureaucrats will flourish under term limits, why are they so opposed to term limits?

For more information call (206) 475-8650.

Voters Pamphlet Statement Prepared by:

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The effect of Initiative Measure 553, if approved into law:

This initiative declares that no one would be eligible to serve more than two consecutive terms as Governor or Lieutenant Governor.

For state legislative offices, the declared maximum would be ten consecutive years; with no more than three consecutive terms in the House or two consecutive terms in the Senate. Current legislators who have already reached the maximum would be eligible to serve one additional term of office.

For congressional offices, the declared maximum would be twelve consecutive years; with no more than three consecutive terms in the House or two consecutive terms in the Senate. Current members of Congress who have already reached the maximum would be eligible to serve one additional term of office.

Statement against

- Initiative 553 is a radical effort to reform politics which will do more harm than good.

- Today we can choose which officials to keep and which have been there too long. 553 would take that choice away. Between 1979 and 1989 we turned over 81% of our legislature. Almost a quarter were new in 1991. Washington voters are turning incumbents out now. This initiative is a solution to a problem that doesn't exist.

- If 553 passes, we will lose all of our Congressional delegation in 1994. Speaker of the House Tom Foley and past giants such as Scoop Jackson, Dan Evans and Warren Magnuson have protected us against powerful east coast interests. How will newcomers have the clout to protect the electric rates and irrigation rights which underpin our economy? How can we prevent the closure of a Whidbey Island Naval Air Station and keep supertankers out of Puget Sound? Do we want offshore oil drilling? There's too much to lose.

- Without senior members, the Legislature will have less institutional memory, and the influence of professional lobbyists and appointed bureaucrats will increase.

- 553 won't take big money out of campaigns. And it will actually reduce competition. Why run against an incumbent when you can wait for an automatic open seat?

- If 553 passes, we'll lose good people with the bad. And will the new ones be better — or just know less?

For legislative and congressional offices, terms would be considered as consecutive unless they are at least six years apart.

Rebuttal of Statement for

Term limitation is NOT a national movement. Only one state has done what Initiative 553 would do. Most people recognize that to send newcomers to Congress while other states don't would be to lose the power to protect the regional economy and natural resources.

Initiative 553 will NOT reduce the influence of special interests. We need to take big money out of campaigns. Initiative 553 will not do that.

You should decide who to vote for. Vote no on Initiative 553.

Voters Pamphlet Statement Prepared by:

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INITIATIVE MEASURE 559

TO THE PEOPLE

Note: The ballot title and explanatory statement were written by the Attorney General as required by law. The complete text of Initiative Measure 559 begins on page 22.

Official Ballot Title:

Shall property value for tax purposes be the January 1, 1985 value or subsequent sales price, adjusted for cost of living changes?

The law as it now exists:

Real property is valued for tax purposes at its true and fair value without reference to when the particular property was purchased. The Washington Constitution requires that taxes on the same class of property be uniform within a taxing

district, and that all real estate is a single class. The Constitution also limits property taxes to one percent of the true and fair value of property, unless additional taxes are approved by the people.

The effect of Initiative Measure 559, if approved into law:

This initiative would not change any provisions of the Constitution. The initiative declares a different method will be used to determine the value of real property for tax purposes beginning with taxes to be collected in 1992.

The new determination of assessed value would begin with the 1985 assessed value of the particular property, or the selling price, if sold after January 1, 1985. This value would be adjusted to reflect subsequent additions or removals of property improvements. For taxes to be collected in 1992 that property value would be further adjusted to

reflect the percentage change in the cost of living index between 1985, or the sale date if later, and 1991. Any increase in value based on the cost of living adjustment could not exceed four percent a year nor could it result in a value exceeding the present true and fair value of a particular property.

In subsequent years the assessed property value for tax purposes would be annually adjusted by the formula or if the property is sold then the sale price would become the new assessed value.

Statement for

Initiative 559 will put common sense and affordability back into our property tax system. In addition, assessments will be stabilized.

Greedy politicians have been riding the real estate market to bigger and bigger budgets, raising taxes as they go. Initiative 559 will stop them.

- Initiative 559 will protect home owners and renters.
- Initiative 559 will limit future assessment increases to 4% annually.
- Initiative 559 will protect both new and long-term home owners.
- Initiative 559 will provide more than adequate funding for schools, parks and social services.

Our current tax structure has forced a 69% increase in property taxes since 1985. Also, the state budget has doubled in the past eight years. It is time to put on the brakes. We should not be taxed out of our homes.

Vote "yes" on Initiative 559 for property tax relief.

Rebuttal of Statement against

The question boils down to a simple one: Should property taxes be lowered?

It is the opponent's job as a politician to find ways to increase the State revenue. The opponent would like to obscure the fact that the middle class always carries the burden of taxation.

Property tax payers are supporters of 559. Why? It lowers taxes. There is a constitutional lid of \$10 per mille on the State tax rate.

For more information call: (206) 322-4740.



Initiative 559 would roll back the recent unfair property tax increases.

Voters Pamphlet Statement Prepared by:

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Statement against

INITIATIVE 559 IS THE WRONG ANSWER FOR WASHINGTON'S PROPERTY TAXPAYERS

I-559 WILL SHIFT TAXES

I-559 doesn't lower taxes, it shifts them from one taxpayer to another. This means owners of low to moderate-valued properties will subsidize the tax burden of high-valued property owners. Why provide tax relief to those who need it the least — the owners of high-valued property — at the expense of the middle class? This is Robin Hood in reverse!

Under I-559, tax relief for some will mean higher taxes for many others.

DON'T BE MISLED; I-559 WILL INCREASE TAXES

Property taxes are calculated by multiplying assessed valuations and tax rates. When valuations go down, tax rates go up. I-559 limits valuation for some, but raises tax rates for all property owners. Even renters will pay more because of property tax increases.

Will you pay less or more? Do you know?

I-559 IS UNEQUAL, UNFAIR AND COMPLICATED

Under I-559, identical homes in the same neighborhood will pay vastly unequal taxes. You may pay higher taxes than your neighbors. Is this "fair"?

I-559 doesn't reduce property taxes for senior citizens. In fact, senior citizens may be "trapped" in a larger home since taxes on a smaller, more practical home may be much higher.

I-559 places the heaviest tax burden on first-time homebuyers and growing families entering the real estate market. Are you willing to pass this increased tax burden to your children and grandchildren?

I-559 violates our constitutional requirement that all taxes be applied equally and uniformly.

I-559 will cause uncertainty and confusion. Why have your taxes pay for more bureaucracy and lawsuits instead of funding schools, emergency services and fire protection?

Vote "NO" on I-559.

Rebuttal of Statement for

No one wants higher taxes! That's why you should oppose I-559!

In King County alone, 64.9% of housing units under \$120,000 will pay higher taxes, while 92.0% of million-dollar homes get a tax break. That's not fair!

It's even more unfair in other counties!

I-559 doesn't lower assessments equally and doesn't lower taxes at all.

Phoney photos? Simple slogans? Don't be misled! Get the facts! Call your county assessor, then vote "NO."

For more information call (206) 357-6896.

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REFERENDUM BILL 42

CHAPTER 54, LAWS OF 1991

Note: The explanatory statement was written by the Attorney General as required by law. The ballot title was submitted as part of Referendum Bill 42. The complete text of Referendum Bill 42 begins on page 23.

Vote cast by the 1991 Legislature on final passage:

House: Yeas, 64; Nays, 34; Absent or not voting, 0.

Senate: Yeas, 44; Nays, 4; Excused, 1; Absent or not voting, 0.

Statement for

ENHANCED 9-1-1 SAVES LIVES AND PROPERTY

You are hurt and cannot breathe or speak. Or, a child witnesses an accident or crime. Or, you are in emotional distress and cannot accurately describe your location. Enhanced 9-1-1 could mean the difference between life and death.

WHAT IS ENHANCED 9-1-1?

With Enhanced 9-1-1, when a call is answered, the caller's location is confidentially displayed on a screen. Help can be sent immediately to the correct location, even when the caller cannot talk, such as a suddenly ill person, or someone terrified by an intruder. Help can be sent even when callers such as children, babysitters, visitors, or distraught relatives or friends of victims, cannot describe their location.

ENHANCED 9-1-1 SHOULD BE AVAILABLE STATEWIDE

82% of Washington's geographic area does not have Enhanced 9-1-1, including areas where you or your loved ones live, travel or vacation. Referendum 42 would bring 24-hour-a-day, 7-day-a-week emergency answering to all of Washington.

Expanding Enhanced 9-1-1 statewide would cost only 20 cents a month on telephone bills, which would be reduced to 10 cents in 1998. These funds would be pooled to help bring E9-1-1 to areas now without it. Those currently without any 9-1-1 service would establish E9-1-1 through existing local government budgets or by a maximum of an additional 50 cents a month on telephone bills.

Official Ballot Title:

Shall enhanced 911 emergency telephone dialing be provided throughout the state and be funded by a tax on telephone lines?

The law as it now exists:

Counties are authorized to provide an emergency service communication system, commonly called a 911 system, for police, fire, medical and other emergency calls. Such a system may at the county's option be available either on a county-wide basis, or for a district within a county. With the

A FEW CENTS A MONTH COULD SAVE YOUR LIFE

Statewide, we have a huge investment in police, fire and emergency medical services. Enhanced 9-1-1 will speed access to those services, saving more lives and property...thus increasing the effectiveness of these vital services. For only a few cents a month, it's a bargain. *Vote yes!*

Rebuttal of Statement against

Opponents of Referendum-42 claim it's unnecessary—they should tell you this in an emergency. The fact is geographically 82% of Washington is *not* protected by *Enhanced 911*. *Enhanced 911* will lead to a better response system and *reduce* bureaucracy. Rather than taking away your right to vote, Referendum-42 *provides* you the right to vote to ensure lifesaving assistance for injured children, workers and the elderly. For so few pennies a month, don't leave yourself helpless.

For additional information on Referendum 42 call Citizens for Enhanced 911, (206) 931-8274.

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approval of the voters, the county may impose a tax not exceeding \$.50 per month on the use of telephone access lines to fund the emergency service communication system. The telephone company collects the tax and remits the same to the county.

The effect of Referendum Bill 42, if approved into law:

All counties would be required, by December 31, 1998, to singly or in combination with adjacent counties implement an emergency service communication system, a 911 system. The system would be for the reporting of police, fire, medical and other emergencies. Such systems would selectively switch the calls to the appropriate public safety answering point which would have the capacity to automatically display the name, address and telephone number of the incoming 911 call. A county tax of \$.50 per switched access line each month, not requiring voter approval, would be collected by

the telephone company and remitted to the county for operating the system.

A statewide emergency communication network, also a 911 system, would be provided. A statewide advisory committee would be created, appointed by the director of the Office of Community Development, and a 911 state coordination office would be established. Commencing on January 1, 1992, there would be a \$.20 per month charge for each switched access line, and thereafter the amount would be set by the Utilities and Transportation Commission in response to a recommendation by the state 911 coordinator. However, such charge could not exceed \$.20 per month, and after December 31, 1998, \$.10 per month. This tax would be collected by the local telephone company and remitted to the state.

Statement against

REFERENDUM BILL 42 IS TOTALLY UNNECESSARY

We strongly support 911...but we don't need this referendum. Current law already allows counties to establish 911 services. In fact, 94% of the phone lines in Washington are covered by 911.

For those areas not covered, counties already have the authority to impose a 911 surcharge with voter approval. This tax is limited to six years without subsequent voter approval. Referendum-Bill-42 would remove the six-year limitation and allow the tax to be imposed indefinitely.

Referendum-Bill-42 also creates an additional bureaucracy paid for by a surcharge on your phone. The initial cost to implement Referendum-Bill-42 is an estimated \$16.5 million with an additional \$6 million subsidy every year thereafter. We just don't need more government, more taxes, and less accountability.

REFERENDUM BILL 42 GIVES EVEN MORE TAXING POWER TO GOVERNMENT

Referendum-Bill-42 repeals laws requiring counties to obtain voter approval before they can impose a tax on phone services. We are again being asked to give up a right to protect ourselves from excessive taxation and make it easier for government to tax us more.

In addition, Referendum-Bill-42 imposes a new statewide tax on every phone line in Washington so users will be hit with two ongoing taxes...a county tax and a state tax.

REFERENDUM BILL 42 WILL COST EVERYONE, EVEN THE POOR

Referendum-Bill-42 imposes taxes on everyone's telephone line without regard to economic status. Thus, seniors, the poor, and others on fixed incomes will be hit the hardest.

Moreover, Referendum-Bill-42 forces those who have already paid or are paying for their own 911 services to subsidize others who can afford to pay for themselves. This is not fair.

PLEASE VOTE "NO" ON REFERENDUM BILL 42

Rebuttal of Statement for

We want to make it very clear. We strongly support 911.

But Referendum-Bill-42 wants to tax everyone in the state, including the poor, to subsidize 911 services for others who can easily afford to pay for themselves. This is not fair.

In addition, it creates a new state tax, removes your right to approve tax increases, creates additional bureaucracy and costs millions of dollars. Let's keep local control and tax fairness.

Vote "No" on Referendum Bill 42.

Voters Pamphlet Statement Prepared by:

JOHN BETROZOFF, State Representative; PAUL ZELLINSKY, SR., State Representative.

Advisory Committee: ROSE BOWMAN, State Representative; STEVE VAN LUVEN, State Representative.



INITIATIVE MEASURE 119

TO THE LEGISLATURE

Note: The ballot title and explanatory statement were written by the Attorney General as required by law. The complete text of Initiative Measure 119 begins on page 27.

Statement for

STOP NEEDLESS PAIN AND SUFFERING OF TERMINAL PATIENTS

The law to protect patients' rights is not working. Too often people are kept alive by technology that only delays death, without any chance of recovery. Unconscious patients are maintained on tubes and machines against their previously expressed wishes, sometimes for years. Conscious and suffering adult patients within six months of death are not permitted to choose a death with dignity according to their own personal beliefs.

STRENGTHEN THE LIVING WILL

The legislature has failed to meet the needs of hopelessly ill people. I-119 respects the last wishes of patients to refuse all artificial life supports—including feeding tubes—if such treatment only prolongs the process of dying, or if we end up in a permanent vegetative state and cannot return to consciousness.

STRONG SAFEGUARDS PROTECT EVERYONE

Where two physicians have confirmed a terminal condition, a conscious and mentally competent dying adult patient will be able to ask his or her physician for medication to end life in a dignified, painless, and humane manner. Such written requests require two independent witnesses and can be revoked at any time. The options permitted by I-119 are completely voluntary for patients, physicians, and health-care facilities.

Official Ballot Title:

Shall adult patients who are in a medically terminal condition be permitted to request and receive from a physician aid-in-dying?

The law as it now exists:

Washington State's Natural Death Act permits adults to voluntarily make a written directive that life sustaining procedures (the definition of which does not mention artificial nutrition nor hydration) be withheld or withdrawn when the individual is in a terminal condition. The written

authorization must be witnessed by two persons and is revocable at any time. Two physicians must verify that the individual is in a terminal condition before there can be a withholding or withdrawal of medical, surgical, or other means to sustain or prolong life. Furthermore, there must be a medical conclusion that death is imminent. Persons who comply with an individual's written authorization are protected from civil or criminal responsibility for those acts. Mercy killings, however, are not authorized.

The effect of Initiative Measure 119, if approved into law:

Adults would continue to be authorized to voluntarily make a written directive that life sustaining procedures be withheld or withdrawn when the individual is in a terminal condition. However, what is considered to be a terminal condition would be expanded to include any terminal condition which would irreversibly result in death within six months or when there is no reasonable probability of recovery from an irreversible coma or persistent vegetative state. The withdrawal or withholding of life sustaining procedures would specifically include the artificial administration of nutrition and hydration.

Adults in a terminal condition would also be authorized to make a voluntary written directive affirmatively asking for "aid-in-dying" when in a terminal condition, and the patient must be conscious and mentally competent when service is provided. In accord with that patient directive a physician could act to end their life in a "dignified, painless, and humane manner." The prohibition against mercy killings would be retained but "aid-in-dying" under the act would be permitted.

No physician would be required to provide aid-in-dying nor would a health facility be required to permit "aid-in-dying" within its facility. Licensed medical personnel acting in accordance with patient directives for withholding or withdrawing of life sustaining procedures, and physicians providing aid-in-dying, would be protected from civil and criminal responsibility for those acts.

Statement against

LEGALIZES HOMICIDE

Initiative 119 radically changes the homicide laws in Washington. Calling it "aid-in-dying", I-119 allows doctors to kill their patients when they are diagnosed with only six months to live.

Why would Washington want to be the only place in the world where doctors could legally kill dying patients? Proponents want you to believe it's to care for dying people. But I-119 pushes caring aside in favor of killing.

WE DON'T NEED I-119

Washington laws already allow you to choose to turn off life-extending machines, like respirators. The law already allows dying people to have as much medication as they need to be free from pain. Our laws must make sure everyone gets the quality care they need. We should never ask our doctors to kill.

I-119 HAS NO SAFEGUARDS

No safeguards for depressed persons who in a moment of despair ask for a lethal injection.

No safeguards to protect vulnerable people from being pressured into assisted suicide because they are a burden on others.

No safeguards to stop someone from ending their life only because they have no money for health care.

No safeguards for patients who are misdiagnosed as terminal and then are mistakenly killed.

No safeguards for families who find that a loved one has been killed without their knowledge.

CARING NOT KILLING

We *should not* kill dying people nor prolong their pain and suffering with life-extending machines. We *should* give them all of our care and compassion.

Vote NO on Initiative 119.

For more information, call Washington Physicians Against I-119: (206) 462-9668.

Rebuttal of Statement for

Living Wills exist today for those who choose to discontinue life-extending procedures. Proponents of I-119 are simply trying to frighten people into accepting their solution of killing as a way to relieve pain and suffering.

I-119 protects the doctor who takes your life, but has no safeguards for you.

Make your choice known by turning down this careless and dangerous law.

Vote NO on I-119!

Voters Pamphlet Statement Prepared by:

JAMES E. WEST, State Senator; JOHN MOYER, M.D., State Representative; MARGARITA PRENTICE, R.N., State Representative.

Advisory Committee: JAMES KILDUFF, M.D., President, Washington State Medical Association; KARLA ROWE, R.N., President, Washington State Hospice Organization; RAYMOND HUNTHAUSEN, Archbishop, Archdiocese of Seattle; ESTHER STÖHL, President, Seniors Educating Seniors; STEVE LARGENT, former Seahawk & concerned citizen.

CONTROL YOUR OWN HEALTH-CARE DECISIONS VOTE YES ON I-119

I-119 calls upon the health-care system to let people make their own decisions. It is supported by citizens from all walks of life, including hundreds of clergy, doctors, nurses, and seniors. I-119 has been reviewed and endorsed by the Board of Trustees of the Seattle-King County Bar Association. Call (206) 624-2776.

Rebuttal of Statement against

I-119 protects your right to decide. Many hospitals and nursing homes refuse to remove artificial feeding tubes from terminal patients, even those who have Living Wills.

Safeguards include: • only conscious, mentally competent terminal patients may request aid-in-dying • limited to adults • two independent witnesses must sign • two licensed physicians • entirely voluntary for patients, doctors, and hospitals.

Cancer and AIDS patients, and others with terminal conditions, should be permitted their own decisions at the end of life.

Voters Pamphlet Statement Prepared by:

REVEREND DALE TURNER, Interfaith Clergy for Yes on I-119; JUDGE ROBERT W. WINSOR, Retired, WA Citizens for Death with Dignity; LINDA GROMKO, M.D., Physicians for Yes on I-119.

Advisory Committee: HILKE FABER, Washington State Nursing Home Resident Council; REVEREND DR. BRUCE G. PARKER, United Methodist Church - Pacific Northwest Annual Conference; NANCY S. CAMPBELL, Northwest AIDS Foundation; RABBI EARL S. STARR, Interfaith Clergy for Yes on I-119; WILLIAM O. ROBERTSON, M.D., Physicians for Yes on I-119.



INITIATIVE MEASURE 120

TO THE LEGISLATURE

Note: The explanatory statement was written by the Attorney General as required by law. The ballot title was court mandated. The complete text of Initiative Measure 120 begins on page 30.

Statement for

WHAT IS INITIATIVE 120?

Washington Initiative 120 is PRO-CHOICE and protects our existing right to choose whether or not to have an abortion. This right was granted by the landmark U.S. Supreme Court's *Roe v. Wade* decision in 1973.

Initiative 120 recognizes the fundamental right of the people of Washington to make personal decisions regarding birth control and abortion — without government interference.

WHY DO WE NEED INITIATIVE 120?

The right to choose is threatened! Recent U.S. Supreme Court decisions leave no doubt — *Roe v. Wade* could be overturned as soon as next year!

Initiative 120 keeps the decision about abortion between women and their doctors in Washington state.

Initiative 120 keeps abortion legal and safe for all women in Washington — regardless of their economic situation — no matter what the U.S. Supreme Court does.

WHAT ARE THE KEY PROVISIONS OF INITIATIVE 120?

1. Continues the legal right to choose or refuse an abortion up to the point when there is a medical likelihood that the fetus can survive outside the woman's body — and thereafter *only* to protect the life or health of the woman;
2. Allows *only* physicians to perform abortions;
3. Continues the current State practice of funding prenatal care and abortion for low-income women;
4. Ensures safe abortions by prohibiting abortions outside the provisions of this Initiative.

Official Ballot Title:

Shall state abortion laws be revised, including declaring a woman's right to choose physician performed abortion prior to fetal viability?

The law as it now exists:

In 1970 Washington voters approved a statute which permitted the performance of an abortion if the following conditions were met:

1. Be within four lunar months from the time of conception.

WHO SUPPORTS INITIATIVE 120?

Initiative 120 is supported statewide by thousands of Washington citizens, more than 60 prestigious organizations, and community leaders from medical, labor, civic, religious and women's groups.

We urge you to join with us and *VOTE PRO-CHOICE — VOTE YES ON 120* on November 5.

For more information about Initiative 120, call 1-800-232-4120.

Rebuttal of Statement against

Anti-choice rhetoric doesn't change the facts.

PRO-CHOICE INITIATIVE 120 — written by Constitutional scholars in consultation with leaders of the medical community — *protects existing rights and current practice* to choose whether or not to have an abortion no matter what the U.S. Supreme Court does to *Roe v. Wade*.

PRO-CHOICE INITIATIVE 120 continues the choice of legal, safe abortions for women in Washington state.

VOTE PRO-CHOICE
VOTE YES ON 120

Voters Pamphlet Statement Prepared by:

MARGARET A. COLONY, President, League of Women Voters of Washington; DR. RICK LANE JOHNSON, Past President, Washington State Medical Association; RONALD E. MORRISON, President, Planned Parenthood Affiliates of Washington.

Advisory Committee: BOOTH GARDNER, Governor; JOEL PRITCHARD, Lieutenant Governor; THE REV. DR. SAMUEL MCKINNEY; GLADYS BURNS, Past President, American Association of University Women, Washington State Division; MARI J. CLACK, Spokane Activist.

2. Consent by the woman and spouse or by a parent if under the age of eighteen.
3. The woman must have been a state resident for ninety days.
4. Be performed by a physician.
5. Be performed in an approved medical facility.

As a result of court decisions, commencing with *Roe v. Wade* in 1973, abortions can be lawfully performed any time during the first six lunar months from the time of conception. No consent is required by a spouse or parent and there is no residency requirement. Further, an abortion during the first six months is not required to be conducted in a hospital.

The effect of Initiative Measure 120, if approved into law:

The Washington statutes would be changed but the initiative would not change the court decisions.

Statement against

INITIATIVE 120 IS EXTREME

Initiative-120 goes far beyond existing law. It will be the most radical abortion law in the United States.

INITIATIVE 120 CREATES ABORTION ON DEMAND

Initiative-120 allows abortions for any reason, including birth control, convenience or sex selection ... even in the final three months of pregnancy.

INITIATIVE 120 DISREGARDS THE RIGHTS OF PARENTS

Initiative-120 allows young girls of any age to get abortions ... without their parent's knowledge or permission.

INITIATIVE 120 PROTECTS THE ABORTION INDUSTRY NOT WOMEN

Initiative-120 makes it nearly impossible for women to recover damages for abortion-related injuries by giving special legal protections to abortionists.

Initiative-120 prohibits nearly all regulations that protect a woman's life or health and allows unqualified personnel to participate in abortion services.

INITIATIVE 120 COSTS TAXPAYERS MILLIONS MORE DOLLARS

Initiative-120 allows all women, even wealthy women, to demand taxpayer-funded abortions.

Initiative-120 requires state and local governments to provide the same amount of money for abortion services that is being provided for prenatal and maternity care for women and children. This will require reductions in current services or tax increases to pay at least \$64 million more for additional abortion-related costs.

State law would declare a fundamental right to choose or refuse birth control or abortion prior to the viability of the fetus or when necessary to protect the woman's life or health. The good faith judgment by a physician as to pregnancy duration and fetus viability would be a defense in any proceeding alleging a violation of the act. The termination of the pregnancy would not be required to be performed in a hospital facility. If the state provides any maternity care benefits, it would be required also to provide substantially equivalent benefits for the termination of pregnancies.

INITIATIVE 120 IS UNNECESSARY

Current state law already allows women easy access to legal abortion and ensures medically-accredited facilities. We just don't need Initiative-120.

INITIATIVE 120 GOES WAY TOO FAR

Initiative-120 allows abortions for any reason, even in late pregnancy, in unsafe facilities with unqualified personnel, for young girls, even behind their parent's back ... and forces you, the taxpayer, to foot the bill.

PLEASE VOTE "NO" ON INITIATIVE 120

For more information on Initiative 120 call (206) 867-1351.

Rebuttal of Statement for

Don't be misled. Regardless of what the U.S. Supreme Court does, Washington women will continue to have easy access to legal abortion under existing law passed by state voters in 1970.

Initiative-120 goes way beyond *Roe v. Wade*. Initiative-120 would make Washington the abortion capital of America. Initiative-120 allows anyone to come to Washington to get an abortion, for any reason, even in late pregnancy ... and your tax-dollars pay the bill.

PLEASE VOTE "NO" ON INITIATIVE 120

Voters Pamphlet Statement Prepared by:

LINDA SMITH, State Senator; MIKE PADDEN, State Representative; ELLEN CRASWELL, State Senator.

Advisory Committee: DR. GLENN DOORNINK, Chairman, Physicians Against 120; VAL STEVENS, State Director, Concerned Women for America; PASTOR ED NELSON, Pastors Against Initiative 120; MARY JO KAHLER, Chairperson, Vote No 120 Committee; JAMES HUGHES, Labor Consultant.



SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 8203

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

Note: The ballot title and explanatory statement were written by the Attorney General as required by law. The complete text of Senate Joint Resolution 8203 begins on page 31.

Vote cast by the 1991 Legislature on final passage:

House: Yeas, 95; Nays, 0; Excused, 3; Absent or not voting, 0.

Senate: Yeas, 33; Nays, 12; Excused, 4; Absent or not voting, 0.

Statement for

A MORE SIMPLE AND DIRECT ALTERNATIVE METHOD

SJR 8203 provides a more simple and direct method to submit a proposed county home rule charter to voters for their approval or rejection. It does not eliminate the current freeholder option. The existing method to write a county home rule charter is time consuming, complicated, expensive, and has frustrated voters.

SJR 8203 IS ANOTHER WAY TO SECURE COUNTY HOME RULE

Under SJR 8203, the Legislature creates an unsalaried temporary commission to prepare five different county charters. Any one of these charters may be submitted directly to voters upon either a petition filed by county voters or a decision by the county government. The same procedures are used to elect freeholders under the existing method.

The only changes under SJR 8203 are to *eliminate double elections* and to offer a *more direct, less costly alternative method* of submitting a proposed county home rule charter. A charter cannot be adopted without voter approval.

WHY COUNTY HOME RULE?

By adopting a county home rule charter, local voters — instead of the Legislature — determine the structure of their county government. Voters need the flexibility to determine what structure is most appropriate for their local needs.

When voters approve a charter, the county may offer its citizens:

- The right of initiative and referendum on county matters.

Official Ballot Title:

Shall the Constitution be amended to permit an alternative method of drafting county home rule charters for submission to voters?

The law as it now exists:

The Constitution permits the voters of a county to approve the adoption of a home rule charter. The process set forth in the Constitution requires an election in the county of 15 to 25 freeholders. The elected freeholders then draft a

- A more representative county council or board.
- The power to adapt to changing needs through voter approved charter amendments.

SJR 8203 INCREASES VOTERS' POWER

Thoughtfully drafted alternative charters enhance the ability of voters to govern themselves by offering a variety of choices for county government.

Why not let the voters decide, rather than the Legislature? VOTE YES.

Rebuttal of Statement against

The opponents' arguments are not valid. SJR 8203 *does not* take away the right to elect freeholders. It is an *alternative* which gives citizens the choice of selecting one of five predrafted charters or drafting their own. Local control is enhanced, not diminished.

The structure of government in counties without home-rule charters is at the mercy of the state legislature. This amendment will make it easier for counties to control their own affairs.

Voters Pamphlet Statement Prepared by:

BOB McCASLIN, Washington State Senator; MARY MARGARET HAUGEN, Washington State Representative; ROY A. FERGUSON, Washington State Representative.

Advisory Committee: CHUCK KLARICH, President, Washington State Association of Counties; LOIS NORTH, Member, King County Council; SAM S. REED, Thurston County Auditor; DOROTHY DUNCAN, Clallam County Commissioner; RUTH RIDDER, King County Assessor.

proposed home rule charter which is submitted to the county voters for approval or rejection.

The effect of Senate Joint Resolution 8203, if approved into law:

The present process for adopting a home rule charter would be retained and an alternative method would be provided.

The new alternative method would have a state committee appointed by the Governor draft five alternative home rule charters. A county legislative body or a petition signed by the equivalent of 10 percent of the county voters voting in the preceding general election could select one of the five alternative proposed home rule charters to be submitted to the county voters for approval or rejection. The voters would then either approve or reject the proposed charter.

Statement against

PROTECT YOUR RIGHTS: VOTE NO ON SJR 8203

Watch out, the purpose of SJR 8203 is to reduce your constitutional rights while expanding the power of state government.

Article XI, Section 4 of our Constitution permits the voters of a county to approve the adoption of a home rule charter. The process set forth in the Constitution requires the election in the county of 15 to 25 freeholders. *The elected freeholders in your county* then draft a proposed home rule charter which is submitted to the county voters for approval or rejection. Elected freeholders hold meetings and proposed changes are discussed in public hearings so all voters are aware of proposed changes in county government.

BEWARE: STATE GOVERNMENT TAKES THE POWER

The effect of SJR 8203 if approved takes the power away from the citizens and places it in the hands of the state government.

The new alternative method would have a state committee—appointed by the Governor—draft five alternative home rule charters. Voters would not have a role in writing a charter.

Remember, the Home Rule Charter Constitutional change was defeated overwhelmingly in every county in the state in 1976. At that time, the measure before the voters was HJR 64. It received 347,555 "yes" votes and 892,419 "no" votes.

RETAIN YOUR RIGHTS: VOTE "NO" ON SJR 8203.

Rebuttal of Statement for

Protect your Constitutional Rights.
Vote "No" on SJR 8203.

Beware of those people who say they have a simple direct way to change your local government. You, the voters in the county, can make that change now and can participate in formulating any new county government.

A commission—appointed by the Governor to draw up alternative plans for you to select from—will not improve the process.

Retain your rights. Vote "No" on SJR 8203.

Voters Pamphlet Statement Prepared by:

A.L. (SLIM) RASMUSSEN, State Senator; IRV NEWHOUSE, State Senator.



HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 4218

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

Note: The ballot title and explanatory statement were written by the Attorney General as required by law. The complete text of House Joint Resolution 4218 begins on page 32.

Vote cast by the 1991 Legislature on final passage:

House: Yeas, 98; Nays, 0; Absent or not voting, 0.

Senate: Yeas, 42; Nays, 0; Excused, 1; Absent or not voting, 6.

Statement for

THE COURTS NEED MORE FLEXIBILITY THAN IN 1889

The original Constitution provided that counties could have three Court Commissioners regardless of the county's population. Thousands of lawsuits are filed each year. Courts have attempted to adapt and deal with increasing court congestion without adding more judges. One strategy has been to create specialty Court Commissioners in the areas of mental health and family law. This has helped, yet lacks flexibility among counties of different populations and varying volumes of court cases.

THE WASHINGTON COMMISSION ON TRIAL COURTS RECOMMENDED THIS AMENDMENT

In 1990, the Chief Justice of the Washington State Supreme Court appointed the Washington Commission on Trial Courts. This Commission recommended that the limit of three Court Commissioners for each county be changed. The duties of Court Commissioners, however, remains unchanged, performing duties such as probate proceedings, issuing temporary restraining orders and hearing uncontested civil matters. Decisions of Court Commissioners are subject to review by an elected judge. Commissioners performing less complicated activities avoid additional permanent judgeships.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS WILL DECIDE COUNTY-BY-COUNTY

County commissioners are responsible for budgeting the costs of courthouse operation. They are able to determine how many Commissioners are needed and set their compensation. Mental health and family law commissioners would

Official Ballot Title:

Shall each county legislative body establish the number of Superior Court Commissioners and the constitutional limit of three be repealed?

The law as it now exists:

The State Constitution now limits the number of Superior Court Commissioners who can be appointed by the Superior Court Judges in each county to a maximum of three commissioners. These general Court Commissioners are constitu-

tionally limited in their functions and do not possess the full powers of a Superior Court Judge. These Commissioners have authority to perform duties that a judge can perform at chambers, take depositions, and perform other business connected with the administration of justice as prescribed by law. The decisions of the Commissioners are subject to revision by the Superior Court Judges.

SUPPORT THIS CHANGE FROM THE ARCHAIC

This constitutional amendment is a small but meaningful step in combating court congestion and in meeting the changing needs in individual counties. It deserves your support.

Rebuttal of Statement against

Court Commissioners are qualified attorneys with judicial skills. None are paid \$80,000. Like elected judges, Commissioners are subject to ethical review by the Judicial Conduct Commission.

All Court Commissioner decisions are subject to review by an elected judge upon request of any party (RCW 2.24.050).

Our crucial issue is flexibility to deal with increased civil caseloads in a state whose population has increased to nearly 5,000,000 people. Court Commissioners are a practical, cost-effective, proven solution.

Voters Pamphlet Statement Prepared by:

SENATOR GARY NELSON, Chair, Senate Law & Justice Committee; REPRESENTATIVE MARLIN APPELWICK, Chair, House Judiciary Committee.

Advisory Committee: THE HONORABLE FRED H. DORE, Chief Justice, Washington Supreme Court; THE HONORABLE TED KOLBABA, President, Assn. of Superior Court Judges; CHARLES J. KLARICH, President, Washington State Assn. of Counties; LOWELL K. HALVERSON, President, Washington State Bar Association.

The effect of House Joint Resolution 4218, if approved into law:

The only change would be to delete the constitutional limitation of having a maximum of three Superior Court Commissioners in each county. There would be no change in the functions or authority of the Court Commissioners. The number of Court Commissioners in each county would be determined by the legislative authority of that county, not by the court.

Statement against

Court Commissioners are a blight on our judicial system. Most are unsuccessful lawyers who opt for the security of this appointed position and an \$80,000 paycheck.

Commissioners are not acting as the Constitution provides - making "uncontested" decisions. These responsibilities are for elected accountable judges, not appointed, unelected and unaccountable Commissioners.

Before Commissioners, citizens lose their constitutional rights; no right to an affidavit of prejudice, no right to appeal on the record, and most importantly, no right to speak! This proposed constitutional amendment is bad judicial reform. Good government costs money and requires accountability. Washington may need more Superior Court Judges, but not more unelected, unaccountable Court Commissioners.

Commissioners decide most family law cases. Because they tolerate false statements and they refuse to discipline parties for perjury, family court is derisively known as "perjury court" or "liars court".

Bad judges can be removed, bad Commissioners remain kings in their court, and just like kings, they lose touch with reality. Overturning Commissioner decisions takes time and money, both of which the vast majority of parties don't have.

Integrity and accountability in our judiciary requires judges who have respect for the constitutional rights of children and parents. Divorce is too easy in Washington. Commissioners not only divorce parents, but they also divorce children from one of their parents by arbitrarily awarding sole custody. Commissioners do not realize the significant effect their decisions have on the lives of people who appear before them.

Vote no to preserve an accountable judiciary.

Rebuttal of Statement for

The proponents ask you to allow the appointment of unlimited numbers of Court Commissioners, not subject to election or public review, who will have virtually the same powers as elected judges.

Appointing more second-class pseudo-judges will not solve anything, and will only add to the cost and inefficiency of the present system by adding scores of unelected officials.

We rejected a similar proposal in 1981. We must do so again. Please vote "NO".

For more information call (206) 572-7340.

Voters Pamphlet Statement Prepared by:

BILL HARRINGTON, President, Fathers Rights; GLEN STOLL, President, Family Defense League; CHARLES L. SMITH, Seattle Attorney.

Advisory Committee: ALVA LONG, Attorney, King County; COLLEEN ALLEN GRADY, Attorney, Pierce County; CYNDI MCBAIN, Vancouver, President, Second Wives and Step-Mothers for Equal Rights in Divorce; LOLA WOLK, Everett, President, Grandparents for Fairness in Seeing Grandchildren; RHONDA BREAULT, Bellingham, President, VOCAL, Victims of Child Abuse Laws.



SUBSTITUTE HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 4221

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

Note: The ballot title and explanatory statement were written by the Attorney General as required by law. The complete text of Substitute House Joint Resolution 4221 begins on page 33.

Vote cast by the 1991 Legislature on final passage:

House: Yeas, 96; Nays, 0; Absent or not voting, 2.

Senate: Yeas, 41; Nays, 0; Excused, 8; Absent or not voting, 0.

Statement for

COURT CONGESTION AND DELAY ARE HARMFUL TO THE PUBLIC

The State Constitution allocates jurisdiction between the Superior Courts (our chief trial court) and the courts of limited jurisdiction, which include the District Court.

"EQUITY" CASES CAN ONLY BE BROUGHT IN SUPERIOR COURT

The Constitution creates jurisdiction only in the Superior Court for matters in "equity" as well as many other enumerated matters. Cases in "equity" would cover things not thought of as "black letter" law issues. They would include, among other things, actions or injunctions or restraining orders. Perhaps most significantly today, they would include the issuance of protective orders in the case of domestic violence or harassment cases.

DISTRICT COURTS SHOULD BE ALLOWED TO HANDLE CERTAIN CASES

A recommendation from the Washington Commission on Trial Courts appointed by the Washington State Supreme Court is that jurisdiction over the domestic violence and anti-harassment cases, the authority to grant name changes, and other more minor ministerial actions should be transferred to the District Courts. The Legislature considering these arguments concluded that it was appropriate that both District and Superior Courts should have jurisdiction. This change will assist in court congestion and court management. In some circumstances, this change will get the cases into courthouses that are closer to the public rather than only handled in the Superior Courts located in the county seat.

Official Ballot Title:

Shall the Constitution's description of the Superior Court's original jurisdiction be amended by deleting the reference to "cases in equity"?

The law as it now exists:

The Washington State Constitution describes the original jurisdiction of the state Superior Courts. The Superior Courts also have jurisdiction for other matters as designated by the Legislature. The Constitution's description of original

THIS AMENDMENT IS NECESSARY FOR COURT EFFICIENCY TO EASE COURT CONGESTION, AND FOR PUBLIC CONVENIENCE

This constitutional amendment is necessary to authorize the Legislature to allocate equity jurisdiction to both the Superior Court and the District Courts. This constitutional amendment is necessary for flexibility in dealing with court congestion and for efficiency in running the court system. It deserves your support.

Rebuttal of Statement against

Contrary to the opponents' statement, this constitutional amendment does *not* alter the "equity jurisdiction" of the Superior Courts, but merely extends this jurisdiction to District Courts. Citizens may therefore choose the court that is convenient for their needs.

Founders of the Constitution would *approve* dispersing this judicial choice to the people, particularly when noting the careful analysis and debate by the Legislature and the Washington Commission on Trial Courts in proposing this constitutional improvement.

Voters Pamphlet Statement Prepared by:

SENATOR GARY NELSON, Chair, Senate Law & Justice Committee; REPRESENTATIVE MARLIN APPELWICK, Chair, House Judiciary Committee.

Advisory Committee: THE HONORABLE FRED H. DORE, Chief Justice, Washington Supreme Court; THE HONORABLE TED KOLBABA, President, Association of Superior Court Judges; THE HONORABLE LARRY MOLLER, President, District & Municipal Court Judges Association; CHARLES J. KLARICH, President, Washington State Association of Counties; LOWELL K. HALVERSON, President, Washington State Bar Association.

jurisdiction provides that the following legal actions are to be initially commenced in the Superior Courts of this state: cases at law involving real property, legality of taxes, felony cases, probate, divorce, annulments, insolvencies, abatement of nuisances, and other special actions not specifically assigned by the Legislature. The description also refers to "cases in equity" which is not defined.

There is difficulty in precisely defining what is meant by "cases in equity." The distinction between "cases at law" and "cases in equity" dates back historically to England, where there were common law courts and separate chancery or "equity" courts. Historically "equity courts" were more innovative in creating remedies. Equity matters frequently involved injunctive relief and claims not related to money damages. However, in the United States and in Washington state we do not have separate court systems for "equity" and "law." Therefore, the historical distinctions have become blurred, and there is no precise definition of what is meant by the Constitution's reference to "cases in equity."

Statement against

EQUITY IS THE SOUL AND THE SPIRIT OF THE LAW

SHJR 4221, if passed, would destroy the Equity Jurisdiction and the constitutional rights to "Equity" in our Superior Courts.

THE JUDICIARY IS THE GUARDIAN OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND PRIVATE RIGHTS

The judiciary is the guardian of the peoples' Constitutional and Private Rights. Most of our territorial rights and laws flowed from the Federalist thinking of Alexander Hamilton, James Madison and the Honorable John Jay (the first Chief Justice of the United States Supreme Court).

EQUITY JURISDICTION GUARANTEES IMPARTIALITY AND JUSTICE

Alexander Hamilton stated in the Federalist Papers LXXX (80): "The Courts of the United States were granted authority over all cases of Admiralty jurisdiction and granted the individual State Courts power in propriety of delegating 'Equity Jurisdiction'". This guaranteed justice and impartiality which means the giving or desiring to give each person their due. Taken broadly, Equity means to do to all persons as we would have them do unto us.

THIS AMENDMENT IS NOT NECESSARY FOR COURT EFFICIENCY

The citizens must vote *NO* on SHJR 4221 as a constitutional amendment to Article IV, section 6, and declare all

The effect of Substitute House Joint Resolution 4221, if approved into law:

The only change would be to delete the reference to "cases in equity" in the constitutional description of the Superior Courts' original jurisdiction. The Legislature could then authorize other courts, including the state District Courts, to exercise jurisdiction for various matters without having to be concerned whether those matters would or would not be characterized as being "cases in equity."

Contrary acts such as this null and void in order to preserve our constitutional rights to our courts of Equity. The courts were designed to be an intermediate body between the citizens and the Legislature. Our Constitution is preferred to statutes, and the intention of the people is preferred to that of their agents, the Legislature. This does not mean the judiciary is superior to the Legislature; it only supposes that the power of the people is superior to all three branches of their government.

Rebuttal of Statement for

Beware, this amendment will remove "Equity" from our Superior Courts. The way this amendment is worded you will lose your Constitutional Rights to fairness.

This is a devious and deceitful solution under the pretense to relieve congestion. Sponsors would lead you to believe "Equity" would be in both courts; in reality, it will be in neither!

Vote No. Ask your legislature to put "Equity" in the District Courts like the sponsors said they would do!

For more information call, Equal Justice For All (206) 938-0234.

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COMPLETE TEXT OF Initiative Measure 553

AN ACT Relating to term limits for elected officials; adding a new section to chapter 43.01 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 44.04 RCW; and adding a new section to chapter 29.68 RCW.

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

NEW SECTION. Sec. 1. A new section is added to chapter 43.01 RCW to read as follows:

A person elected to the office of governor or lieutenant governor is eligible to serve not more than two consecutive terms in each office.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. A new section is added to chapter 44.04 RCW to read as follows:

A person elected to the Washington state legislature is eligible to serve not more than three consecutive terms in the house of representatives and not more than two consecutive terms in the senate. In addition, no person may serve more than ten consecutive years in any combination of house and senate membership. Terms are considered consecutive unless they are at least six years apart. Therefore, elected legislators who have reached their maximum term limits are eligible for legislative office after an absence of six years from the state legislature. Persons who have already reached the maximum term of service on the effective date of this act are eligible to serve one additional term in either the state house of representatives or the senate.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 3. A new section is added to chapter 29.68 RCW to read as follows:

A person elected to the United States congress from this state is eligible to serve not more than three consecutive terms in the United States house of representatives and not more than two consecutive terms in the United States senate and not more than twelve consecutive years in any combination of United States house and senate membership. Terms are considered to be consecutive unless they are at least six years apart. Therefore, elected legislators who have reached their maximum term limits are eligible for legislative office after an absence of six years from the United States congress. Persons who have already reached the maximum term of service on the effective date of this act are eligible to serve one additional term in either the United States house of representatives or senate.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 4. 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.



COMPLETE TEXT OF Initiative Measure 559

AN ACT Relating to property value assessment; amending RCW 84.40.030; adding new sections to chapter 84.40 RCW; and creating new sections.

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

Sec. 1. RCW 84.40.030 and 1988 c 222 s 14 are each amended to read as follows:

Except as provided in sections 2 and 3 of this act, all property shall be valued at one hundred percent of its true and fair value in money and assessed on the same basis unless specifically provided otherwise by law.

Taxable leasehold estates shall be valued at such price as they would bring at a fair, voluntary sale for cash without any deductions for any indebtedness owed including rentals to be paid. Notwithstanding any other provisions of this section or of any other statute, when the value of any taxable leasehold estate created prior to January 1, 1971 is being determined for assessment years prior to the assessment year 1973, there shall be deducted from what would otherwise be the value thereof the present worth of the rentals and other consideration which may be required of the lessee by the lessor for the unexpired term thereof: PROVIDED, That the foregoing provisions of this sentence shall not apply to any extension or renewal, made after December 31, 1970 of the term of any such estate, or to any such estate after the date, if any, provided for in the agreement for rental renegotiation.

The true and fair value of real property for taxation purposes (including property upon which there is a coal or other mine, or stone or other quarry) shall be based upon the following criteria:

(1) Any sales of the property being appraised or similar properties with respect to sales made within the past five years. The appraisal shall take into consideration political restrictions such as zoning as well as physical and environmental influences. The appraisal shall also take into account, (a) in the use of sales by real estate contract as similar sales, the extent, if any, to which the stated selling price has been increased by reason of the down payment, interest rate, or other financing terms; and (b) the extent to which the sale of a similar property actually represents the general effective market demand for property of such type, in the geographical area in which such property is located. Sales involving deed releases or similar seller-developer financing arrangements shall not be used as sales of similar property.

(2) In addition to sales as defined in subsection (1), consideration may be given to cost, cost less depreciation, reconstruction cost less depreciation, or capitalization of income that would be derived from prudent use of the property. In the case of property of a complex nature, or



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being used under terms of a franchise from a public agency, or operating as a public utility, or property not having a record of sale within five years and not having a significant number of sales of similar property in the general area, the provisions of this subsection (2) shall be the dominant factors in valuation. When provisions of this subsection (2) are relied upon for establishing values the property owner shall be advised upon request of the factors used in arriving at such value.

(3) In valuing any tract or parcel of real property, the value of the land, exclusive of structures thereon shall be determined; also the value of structures thereon, but the valuation shall not exceed the value of the total property as it exists. In valuing agricultural land, growing crops shall be excluded.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. A new section is added to chapter 84.40 RCW to read as follows:

For taxes payable in 1992 and thereafter, all real property shall be valued at one hundred percent of its assessed value, as finally determined, after any appeals, for property taxes payable in 1985, adjusted as follows: (1) The 1985 assessed value shall be increased to reflect the addition since 1985 of any assessable improvements to such property, that constitute real property, at the cost thereof or, if less, at the true and fair value thereof; (2) the 1985 assessed value shall be reduced to reflect the loss, removal, damage, or destruction since 1985 of any part of such real property, at the true and fair value thereof at the time of such loss, removal, damage, or destruction; and (3) except as provided in section 3 of this act, the 1985 assessed value shall be adjusted to reflect the percentage change in the consumer price index for all urban consumers in the United States, as published by the United States department of labor, from January 1, 1985, to January 1, 1991, for taxes payable in 1992 and for taxes payable in 1993 and thereafter, the assessed value shall be adjusted to reflect the percentage change in the consumer price index for all urban consumers in the United States, as published by the United States department of labor, from January 1 of the year preceding the assessment year to January 1 of the assessment year. In no event shall the percentage change so determined result in an increase in assessed value for any real property that exceeds four percent of the assessed value of the property for the immediately preceding assessment year. In no event shall the assessed value of any real property exceed one hundred percent of the true and fair value thereof as determined under RCW 84.40.030.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 3. A new section is added to chapter 84.40 RCW to read as follows:

In the event any real property is sold or transferred subsequent to January 1, 1985, in a transaction subject to the real estate excise tax imposed under chapter 82.45 RCW, the assessed value thereof shall equal the selling price of the real property as determined under RCW 82.45.030, subject, however, to such adjustments after the date of sale or transfer as are provided in section 2 (1), (2), and (3) of this act; provided, however, adjustments in the assessed value of real property caused by any percentage change in the consumer price index as specified in section 2(3) of this act shall be made from January 1 of the year following any such sale or transfer. In no event shall the assessed value of any real property exceed one hundred percent of the true and fair value of the real property as determined under RCW 84.40.030.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 4. 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. 5. This act shall be effective for taxes levied for collection in 1992 and thereafter.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 6. The department of revenue shall adopt rules to implement this act.

PLEASE NOTE:

To obtain a copy of the preceding and following texts for the state measures in larger print, call the Secretary of State's toll-free hotline -- 1-800-448-4881.



COMPLETE TEXT OF Referendum Bill 42

AN ACT Relating to state-wide implementation of enhanced 911; amending RCW 38.52.030, 9.73.070, 82.148.010, 82.148.020, 82.148.030, 82.148.040, 82.148.090, and 82.148.100; adding new sections to chapter 38.52 RCW; repealing RCW 80.36.550, 80.36.5501, and 82.148.080; and providing for submission of this act to a vote of the people.



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

NEW SECTION. Sec. 1. The legislature finds that a state-wide emergency communications network of enhanced 911 telephone service, which allows an immediate display of a caller's identification and location, would serve to further the safety, health, and welfare of the state's citizens, and would save lives. The legislature, after reviewing the study outlined in section 1, chapter 260, Laws of 1990, further finds that state-wide implementation of enhanced 911 telephone service is feasible and should be accomplished as soon as practicable.

Sec. 2. RCW 38.52.030 and 1986 c 266 s 25 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) The director may employ such personnel and may make such expenditures within the appropriation therefor, or from other funds made available for purposes of emergency management, as may be necessary to carry out the purposes of this chapter.

(2) The director, subject to the direction and control of the governor, shall be responsible to the governor for carrying out the program for emergency management of this state. The director shall coordinate the activities of all organizations for emergency management within the state, and shall maintain liaison with and cooperate with emergency management agencies and organizations of other states and of the federal government, and shall have such additional authority, duties, and responsibilities authorized by this chapter, as may be prescribed by the governor.

(3) The director shall develop and maintain a comprehensive, all-hazard emergency plan for the state which shall include an analysis of the natural and man-caused hazards which could affect the state of Washington, and shall include the procedures to be used during emergencies for coordinating local resources, as necessary, and the resources of all state agencies, departments, commissions, and boards. The comprehensive, all-hazard emergency plan authorized under this subsection may not include preparation for emergency evacuation or relocation of residents in anticipation of nuclear attack. This plan shall be known as the comprehensive emergency management plan.

(4) In accordance with the comprehensive emergency management plans and the programs for the emergency management of this state, the director shall procure supplies and equipment, institute training programs and public information programs, and shall take all other preparatory steps, including the partial or full mobilization of emergency management organizations in advance of actual disaster, to insure the furnishing of adequately trained and equipped

forces of emergency management personnel in time of need.

(5) The director shall make such studies and surveys of the industries, resources, and facilities in this state as may be necessary to ascertain the capabilities of the state for emergency management, and shall plan for the most efficient emergency use thereof.

(6) The director may appoint a communications coordinating committee consisting of six to eight persons with the director, or his or her designee, as chairman thereof. Three of the members shall be appointed from qualified, trained and experienced telephone communications administrators or engineers actively engaged in such work within the state of Washington at the time of appointment, and three of the members shall be appointed from qualified, trained and experienced radio communication administrators or engineers actively engaged in such work within the state of Washington at the time of appointment. This committee shall advise the director on all aspects of the communications and warning systems and facilities operated or controlled under the provisions of this chapter.

(7) The director, through the state enhanced 911 coordinator, shall coordinate and facilitate implementation and operation of a state-wide enhanced 911 emergency communications network.

(8) The director shall appoint a state coordinator of search and rescue operations to coordinate those state resources, services and facilities (other than those for which the state director of aeronautics is directly responsible) requested by political subdivisions in support of search and rescue operations, and on request to maintain liaison with and coordinate the resources, services, and facilities of political subdivisions when more than one political subdivision is engaged in joint search and rescue operations.

((9)) (9) The director, subject to the direction and control of the governor, shall prepare and administer a state program for emergency assistance to individuals within the state who are victims of a natural or man-made disaster, as defined by RCW 38.52.010(6). Such program may be integrated into and coordinated with disaster assistance plans and programs of the federal government which provide to the state, or through the state to any political subdivision thereof, services, equipment, supplies, materials, or funds by way of gift, grant, or loan for purposes of assistance to individuals affected by a disaster. Further, such program may include, but shall not be limited to, grants, loans, or gifts of services, equipment, supplies, materials, or funds of the state, or any political subdivision thereof, to individuals who, as a result of a disaster, are in need of assistance and who meet standards of eligibility for disaster assistance established by the department of social and health services: PROVIDED, HOWEVER, That nothing herein shall be construed in any manner inconsistent with the provisions of Article VIII, section 5 or section 7 of the Washington state Constitution.

((99)) (10) The director shall appoint a state coordinator for radioactive and hazardous waste emergency response programs. The coordinator shall consult with the state



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radiation control officer in matters relating to radioactive materials. The duties of the state coordinator for radioactive and hazardous waste emergency response programs shall include:

(a) Assessing the current needs and capabilities of state and local radioactive and hazardous waste emergency response teams on an ongoing basis;

(b) Coordinating training programs for state and local officials for the purpose of updating skills relating to emergency response;

(c) Utilizing appropriate training programs such as those offered by the federal emergency management agency, the department of transportation and the environmental protection agency; and

(d) Undertaking other duties in this area that are deemed appropriate by the director.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 3. By December 31, 1998, each county, singly or in combination with adjacent counties, shall implement district-wide, county-wide, or multicounty-wide enhanced 911 emergency communications systems so that enhanced 911 is available throughout the state. The county shall provide funding for the enhanced 911 communication system in the county or district in an amount equal to the amount the maximum tax under RCW 82.14B.030(1) would generate in the county or district or the amount necessary to provide full funding of the system in the county or district, whichever is less. The state enhanced 911 coordination office established by section 4 of this act shall assist and facilitate enhanced 911 implementation throughout the state.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 4. A state enhanced 911 coordination office, headed by the state enhanced 911 coordinator, is established in the emergency management division of the department. Duties of the office shall include:

(1) Coordinating and facilitating the implementation and operation of enhanced 911 emergency communications systems throughout the state;

(2) Seeking advice and assistance from, and providing staff support for, the enhanced 911 advisory committee; and

(3) Recommending to the utilities and transportation commission by August 31st of each year the level of the state enhanced 911 excise tax for the following year.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 5. The enhanced 911 advisory committee is created to advise and assist the state enhanced 911 coordinator in coordinating and facilitating the implementation and operation of enhanced 911 throughout the

state. The director shall appoint members of the committee who represent diverse geographical areas of the state and include state residents who are members of the national emergency number association, the associated public communications officers northwest, the Washington state fire chiefs association, the Washington association of sheriffs and police chiefs, the Washington state council of fire fighters, the Washington state council of police officers, the Washington ambulance association, the state fire policy board, the Washington fire commissioners association, the Washington state patrol, the association of Washington cities, the Washington state association of counties, the utilities and transportation commission or commission staff, and representatives of large and small local exchange telephone companies. This section shall expire December 31, 2000.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 6. The enhanced 911 account is created in the state treasury. All receipts from the state enhanced 911 excise tax imposed by RCW 82.14B.030 shall be deposited into the account. Moneys in the account shall be used only to help implement and operate enhanced 911 state-wide. The state enhanced 911 coordinator, with the advice and assistance of the enhanced 911 advisory committee, shall specify by rule the purposes for which moneys may be expended from this account.

Sec. 9. RCW 82.14B.010 and 1981 c 160 s 1 are each amended to read as follows:

The legislature finds that the state and counties should be provided with an additional revenue source to fund enhanced 911 emergency ((service)) communication systems throughout the state on a multicounty, county-wide, or district-wide basis. The legislature further finds that the most efficient and appropriate method of deriving additional revenue for this purpose is to ((vest the legislative authorities of the counties, subject to voter approval, with the power to)) impose an excise tax on the use of ((telephone)) switched access lines.

Sec. 10. RCW 82.14B.020 and 1981 c 160 s 2 are each amended to read as follows:

As used in this chapter:

(1) "Emergency services communication system" means a multicounty, county-wide, or district-wide radio or landline communications network, including an enhanced 911 telephone system, which provides rapid public access for coordinated dispatching of services, personnel, equipment, and facilities for police, fire, medical, or other emergency services.

(2) "((Telephone)) Enhanced 911 telephone system" means a public telephone system consisting of a network, data base, and on-premises equipment that is accessed by dialing 911 and that enables reporting police, fire, medical, or other emergency situations to a public safety answering



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point. The system includes the capability to selectively route incoming 911 calls to the appropriate public safety answering point that operates in a defined 911 service area and the capability to automatically display the name, address, and telephone number of incoming 911 calls at the appropriate public safety answering point.

(3) "Switched access line" means the telephone service line which connects a subscriber's main telephone(s) or equivalent main telephone(s) to the ~~((telephone))~~ local exchange company's switching office.

~~((3))~~ (4) "~~((Telephone))~~ Local exchange company" has the meaning ascribed to it in RCW 80.04.010.

Sec. 11. RCW 82.14B.030 and 1981 c 160 s 3 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) The legislative authority of a county may impose ~~((on))~~ a county enhanced 911 excise tax on the use of ~~((telephone))~~ switched access lines in an amount not exceeding fifty cents per month for each ~~((telephone))~~ switched access line. The amount of tax shall be uniform for each ~~((telephone))~~ switched access line. ~~((This tax must be approved by a favorable vote of at least three-fifths of the electors thereof voting on the proposition, at which election the number of persons voting "yes" on the proposition shall constitute three-fifths of a number equal to forty per centum of the total votes cast in the county at the last preceding general election when the number of electors voting on the proposition does not exceed forty per centum of the total votes cast in the county in the last preceding general election, or by a majority of at least three-fifths of the electors thereof voting on the proposition when the number of electors voting on the proposition exceeds forty per centum of the total votes cast in the county in the last preceding general election. This tax may be imposed for six years without subsequent voter approval. At any election held under this section, the ballot title of the proposition shall state the maximum monthly rate of the proposed tax which may be imposed by the county legislative authority. The actual rate of tax to be imposed shall be set by ordinance, which rate shall not exceed the maximum monthly rate approved by the electors.~~

~~No tax may be imposed under this section for more than one year before the expected implementation date of an emergency services communication system. The power granted under this section is in addition to any other authority which counties have to fund emergency services communication systems.) Each county shall provide notice of such tax to all local exchange companies serving in the county at least sixty days in advance of the date on which the first payment is due.~~

(2) Beginning January 1, 1992, a state enhanced 911 excise tax is imposed on all switched access lines in the state. For 1992, the tax shall be set at a rate of twenty cents per month for each switched access line. Until December 31, 1998, the amount of tax shall not exceed twenty cents per month for each switched access line and thereafter shall not exceed ten cents per month for each switched access line. The tax shall be uniform for each switched access line. Tax proceeds shall be deposited by the treasurer in the enhanced 911 account created in section 6 of this act.

(3) By August 31st of each year the state enhanced 911 coordinator shall recommend the level for the next year of the state enhanced 911 excise tax to the utilities and transportation commission. The commission shall by the following October 31st determine the level of the state enhanced 911 excise tax for the following year.

Sec. 12. RCW 82.14B.040 and 1981 c 160 s 4 are each amended to read as follows:

~~((A county imposing a))~~ The state enhanced 911 tax and the county enhanced 911 tax ~~((under))~~ created in this chapter shall ~~((require collection of the tax))~~ be collected from the user by the ~~((telephone))~~ local exchange company providing the switched access line. The ~~((telephone))~~ local exchange company shall state the amount of the ~~((tax))~~ taxes separately on the billing statement which is sent to the user.

Sec. 13. RCW 82.14B.090 and 1987 c 17 s 3 are each amended to read as follows:

An emergency service communication district is authorized to finance and provide an emergency service communication system and ~~((if authorized by the voters,))~~ to finance the system by imposing the excise tax authorized in RCW 82.14B.030.

Sec. 14. RCW 82.14B.100 and 1987 c 17 s 4 are each amended to read as follows:

RCW 82.14B.040 through 82.14B.060 apply to any emergency service communication district established under RCW 82.14B.070 ~~((through))~~ and 82.14B.090. ~~((A ballot proposition to authorize the excise tax authorized under RCW 82.14B.040 through 82.14B.060 may be submitted to the voters of a proposed emergency service communication district at the same election the ballot proposition creating the district is submitted. The authority to impose the tax shall only exist if both of these ballot propositions are approved.))~~

NEW SECTION. Sec. 15. The following acts or parts of acts are each repealed:

- (1) RCW 80.36.550 and 1990 c 260 s 3;
- (2) RCW 80.36.5501 and 1990 c 260 s 2; and
- (3) RCW 82.14B.080 and 1987 c 17 s 2.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 16. Section 1 and 3 through 7 of



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this act are each added to chapter 38.52 RCW.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 17. Sections 1 through 6 and 9 through 16 of this act shall be submitted to the people for their adoption and ratification, or rejection, at the next succeeding general election to be held in this state, in accordance with Article II, section 1 of the state Constitution, as amended, and the laws adopted to facilitate the operation thereof. The ballot title for this act shall be: "Shall enhanced 911 emergency telephone dialing be provided throughout the state and be funded by a tax on telephone lines?"



COMPLETE TEXT OF Initiative Measure 119

AN ACT Relating to the natural death act; and amending RCW 70.122.010, 70.122.020, 70.122.030, 70.122.040, 70.122.050, 70.122.060, 70.122.070, 70.122.080, 70.122.090, 70.122.100, and 70.122.900.

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

Sec. 1. Section 2, chapter 112, Laws of 1979 and RCW 70.122.010 are each amended to read as follows:

The ~~(legislature)~~ people find~~(s)~~ that adult persons have the fundamental right to control the decisions relating to the rendering of their own medical care, including the decision to have all life-sustaining procedures withheld or withdrawn in instances of a terminal condition, and including the right to death with dignity through voluntary aid-in-dying if suffering from a terminal condition.

The ~~(legislature)~~ people further find~~(s)~~ that modern medical technology has made possible the artificial prolongation of human life beyond natural limits.

The ~~(legislature)~~ people further find~~(s)~~ that, in the interest of protecting individual autonomy, such prolongation of life for persons with a terminal condition may cause loss of patient dignity, and unnecessary pain and suffering, while providing nothing medically necessary or beneficial to the patient.

The ~~(legislature)~~ people further find~~(s)~~ that there exists considerable uncertainty in the medical and legal professions as to the legality of terminating the use or application of life-

sustaining procedures where the patient has voluntarily and in sound mind evidenced a desire that such procedures be withheld or withdrawn.

The people further find that existing law does not allow willing physicians to render aid-in-dying to qualified patients who request it.

In recognition of the dignity and privacy which patients have a right to expect, the ~~(legislature)~~ people hereby declare~~(s)~~ that the laws of the state of Washington shall recognize the right of an adult person to make a written directive instructing such person's physician to withhold or withdraw life-sustaining procedures in the event of a terminal condition, and/or to request and receive aid-in-dying under the provisions of this chapter.

Sec. 2. Section 3, chapter 112, Laws of 1979 and RCW 70.122.020 are each amended to read as follows:

Unless the context clearly requires otherwise, the definitions contained in this section shall apply throughout this chapter:

(1) "Attending physician" means the physician selected by, or assigned to, the patient who has primary responsibility for the treatment and care of the patient.

(2) "Directive" means a written document voluntarily executed by the declarer in accordance with the requirements of RCW 70.122.030.

(3) "Health facility" means a hospital as defined in RCW ~~(70.36.020(7))~~ 70.41.020(2), a nursing home as defined in RCW ~~(70.36.020(6))~~ 18.51.010, or a home health agency or hospice agency as defined in RCW 70.126.010.

(4) "Life-sustaining procedure" means any medical or surgical procedure or intervention which utilizes mechanical or other artificial means to sustain, restore, or supplant a vital function, which, when applied to a qualified patient, would serve only to artificially prolong the moment of death ~~(and where, in the judgment of the attending physician, death is imminent whether or not such procedures are utilized).~~ "Life-sustaining procedure" includes, but is not limited to, cardiac resuscitation, respiratory support, and artificially administered nutrition and hydration, but shall not include the administration of medication to relieve pain or the performance of any medical procedure deemed necessary to alleviate pain.

(5) "Physician" means a person licensed under chapters 18.71 or 18.57 RCW.

(6) "Qualified patient" means a patient diagnosed and certified in writing to be afflicted with a terminal condition by two physicians one of whom shall be the attending physician, who have personally examined the patient.

(7) "Terminal condition" means an incurable ~~(condition caused by injury, disease, or illness, which, regardless of the application of life-sustaining procedures, would within reasonable medical judgment, produce death, and where the application of life-sustaining procedures serve only to postpone the moment of death of the patient))~~ or irreversible condition which, in the written opinion of two physicians



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having examined the patient and exercising reasonable medical judgment, will result in death within six months, or a condition in which the patient has been determined in writing by two physicians as having no reasonable probability of recovery from an irreversible coma or persistent vegetative state.

(8) "Adult person" means a person attaining the age of majority as defined in RCW 26.28.010 and 26.28.015.

(9) "Aid-in-dying" means aid in the form of a medical service provided in person by a physician that will end the life of a conscious and mentally competent qualified patient in a dignified, painless and humane manner, when requested voluntarily by the patient through a written directive in accordance with this chapter at the time the medical service is to be provided.

Sec. 3. Section 4, chapter 112, Laws of 1979 and RCW 70.122.030 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) Any adult person may execute at any time a directive directing the withholding or withdrawal of life-sustaining procedures and/or requesting the provision of aid-in-dying when in a terminal condition. The directive shall be signed by the declarer in the presence of two witnesses not related to the declarer by blood or marriage and who would not be entitled to any portion of the estate of the declarer upon declarer's decease under any will of the declarer or codicil thereto then existing or, at the time of the directive, by operation of law then existing. In addition, a witness to a directive shall not be the attending physician, an employee of the attending physician or a health facility in which the declarer is a patient, or any person who has a claim against any portion of the estate of the declarer upon declarer's decease at the time of the execution of the directive. The directive, or a copy thereof, shall be made part of the patient's medical records retained by the attending physician, a copy of which shall be forwarded to the health facility upon the withdrawal of life-sustaining procedures, and/or provision of aid-in-dying. No person shall be required to execute a directive in accordance with this chapter. Any person who has not executed such a directive is ineligible for aid-in-dying under any circumstances. The directive shall be essentially in the following form, but in addition may include other specific directions:

DIRECTIVE TO PHYSICIANS

Directive made this _____ day of _____ (month, year).

I _____, being of sound mind, willfully, and voluntarily make known my desire that my life shall not be artificially prolonged under the circumstances set forth below, and do hereby declare that:

(a) If at any time I should have an incurable injury, disease,

or illness certified to be a terminal condition by two physicians, and where the application of life-sustaining procedures would serve only to artificially prolong the moment of my death (and where my physician determines that my death is imminent whether or not life-sustaining procedures are utilized),

Declarant must initial one or both of the following:

___ I direct that such procedures be withheld or withdrawn, and that I be permitted to die naturally.

___ I direct that upon my request my physician provide aid-in-dying so that I might die in a dignified, painless and humane manner.

(b) In the absence of my ability to give directions regarding the use of such life-sustaining procedures, such as while in an irreversible coma or persistent vegetative state, it is my intention that this directive shall be honored by my family and physician(s) as the final expression of my legal right to refuse medical or surgical treatment and I accept the consequences of such refusal.

(c) If I have been diagnosed as pregnant and that diagnosis is known to my physician, this directive shall have no force or effect during the course of my pregnancy.

(d) I understand the full import of this directive and I am emotionally and mentally competent to make this directive.

(e) I understand that I may add to or delete from or otherwise change the wording of this directive before I sign it, and that I may revoke this directive at any time.

Signed _____

City, County and State of Residence.

The declarer has been personally known to me and I believe him or her to be of sound mind.

Witness _____

Witness _____

(2) Prior to effectuating a directive the diagnosis of a terminal condition by two physicians shall be verified in writing, attached to the directive, and made a permanent part of the patient's medical records.

(3) Similar directives to physicians lawfully executed in other states shall be recognized within Washington state as having the same authority as in the state where executed.

Sec. 4. Section 5, chapter 112, Laws of 1979 and RCW 70.122.040 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) A directive may be revoked at any time by the declarer, without regard to declarer's mental state or competency, by any of the following methods:

(a) By being canceled, defaced, obliterated, burned, torn, or otherwise destroyed by the declarer or by some person in declarer's presence and by declarer's direction.

(b) By a written revocation of the declarer expressing declarer's intent to revoke, signed, and dated by the declarer. Such revocation shall become effective only upon communication to the attending physician by the declarer or by a person acting on behalf of the declarer. The attending



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physician shall record in the patient's medical record the time and date when said physician received notification of the written revocation.

(c) By a verbal expression by the declarer of declarer's intent to revoke the directive. Such revocation shall become effective only upon communication to the attending physician by the declarer or by a person acting on behalf of the declarer. The attending physician shall record in the patient's medical record the time, date, and place of the revocation and the time, date, and place, if different, of when said physician received notification of the revocation.

(2) There shall be no criminal, civil, or administrative liability on the part of any person for failure to act upon a revocation made pursuant to this section unless that person has actual or constructive knowledge of the revocation.

(3) If the declarer becomes comatose or is rendered incapable of communicating with the attending physician, the directive shall remain in effect for the duration of the comatose condition or until such time as the declarer's condition renders declarer able to communicate with the attending physician.

Sec. 5. Section 6, chapter 112, Laws of 1979 and RCW 70.122.050 are each amended to read as follows:

No physician or health facility which, acting in good faith in accordance with the requirements of this chapter, causes the withholding or withdrawal of life-sustaining procedures from a qualified patient, shall be subject to civil liability therefrom. No licensed health personnel, acting under the direction of a physician, who participates in good faith in the withholding or withdrawal of life-sustaining procedures in accordance with the provisions of this chapter shall be subject to any civil liability. No physician, or licensed health personnel acting under the direction of a physician, or health facility ethics committee member who participates in good faith in the withholding or withdrawal of life-sustaining procedures and no physician who provides aid-in-dying to a qualified patient in accordance with the provisions of this chapter shall be subject to prosecution for or be guilty of any criminal act or of unprofessional conduct.

Sec. 6. Section 7, chapter 112, Laws of 1979 and RCW 70.122.060 are each amended as follows:

(1) Prior to effectuating a withholding or withdrawal of life-sustaining procedures from or provision of aid-in-dying to a qualified patient pursuant to the directive, the attending physician shall make a reasonable effort to determine that the directive complies with RCW 70.122.030 and, if the patient is mentally competent, that the directive and all steps proposed by the attending physician to be undertaken are

currently in accord with the desires of the qualified patient.

(2) The directive shall be conclusively presumed, unless revoked, to be the directions of the patient regarding the withholding or withdrawal of life-sustaining procedures and/or the provision of aid-in-dying. No physician, and no licensed health personnel acting in good faith under the direction of a physician, shall be criminally or civilly liable for failing to effectuate the directive of the qualified patient pursuant to this subsection, and no health facility may be required to permit the provision of aid-in-dying within its facility. If the physician or health care facility refuses to effectuate the directive, such physician or facility shall make a good faith effort to transfer the qualified patient to another physician who will effectuate the directive of the qualified patient or to another facility.

Sec. 7. Section 8, chapter 112, Laws of 1979 and RCW 70.122.070 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) The withholding or withdrawal of life-sustaining procedures from or the provision of aid-in-dying to a qualified patient pursuant to the patient's directive in accordance with the provisions of this chapter shall not, for any purpose, constitute a suicide.

(2) The making of a directive pursuant to RCW 70.122.030 shall not restrict, inhibit, or impair in any manner the sale, procurement, or issuance of any policy of life insurance, nor shall it be deemed to modify the terms of an existing policy of life insurance. No policy of life insurance shall be legally impaired or invalidated in any manner by the withholding or withdrawal of life-sustaining procedures from or the provision of aid-in-dying to an insured qualified patient, notwithstanding any term of the policy to the contrary.

(3) No physician, health facility, or other health provider, and no health service plan, insurer issuing disability insurance, self-insured employee welfare benefit plan, or nonprofit hospital service plan, shall require any person to execute a directive as a condition for being insured for, or receiving, health care services.

Sec. 8. Section 10, chapter 112, Laws of 1979 and RCW 70.122.080 are each amended to read as follows:

The act of withholding or withdrawing life-sustaining procedures or providing aid-in-dying, when done pursuant to a directive described in RCW 70.122.030 and which causes the death of the declarer, shall not be construed to be an intervening force or to affect the chain of proximate cause between the conduct of any person that placed the declarer in a terminal condition and the death of the declarer.

Sec. 9. Section 9, chapter 112, Laws of 1979 and RCW 70.122.090 are each amended to read as follows:

Any person who willfully conceals, cancels, defaces, obliterates, or damages the directive of another without such declarer's consent shall be guilty of a gross misdemeanor. Any person who falsifies or forges the directive of another or willfully conceals or withholds personal knowledge of a



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revocation as provided in RCW 70.122.040, with the intent to cause a withholding or withdrawal of life-sustaining procedures or the provision of aid-in-dying contrary to the wishes of the declarer and thereby, because of any such act, directly causes life-sustaining procedures to be withheld or withdrawn or aid-in-dying to be provided and death to thereby be hastened, shall be subject to prosecution for murder in the first degree as defined in RCW 9A.32.030.

Sec. 10. Section 11, chapter 112, Laws of 1979 and RCW 70.122.100 are each amended to read as follows:

Nothing in this chapter shall be construed to condone, authorize, or approve mercy killing, or to permit any affirmative or deliberate act or omission to end life other than to permit the natural process of dying and to permit death with dignity through the provision of aid-in-dying only by a physician when voluntarily requested in writing as provided in this chapter by a conscious and mentally competent qualified patient at the time aid-in-dying is to be provided.

Sec. 11. Section 1, chapter 112, Laws of 1979 and RCW 70.122.900 are each amended to read as follows:

This act shall be known and may be cited as the "~~(Natural)~~ Death With Dignity Act."

NEW SECTION. Sec. 12. 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.



COMPLETE TEXT OF Initiative Measure 120

AN ACT Relating to reproductive privacy; adding new sections to chapter 9.02 RCW; repealing RCW 9.02.010, 9.02.020, 9.02.030, 9.02.040, 9.02.060, 9.02.070, 9.02.080, and 9.02.090; and prescribing penalties.

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

NEW SECTION. Sec. 1. The sovereign people hereby declare that every individual possesses a fundamental right of privacy with respect to personal reproductive decisions.

Accordingly, it is the public policy of the state of

Washington that:

(1) Every individual has the fundamental right to choose or refuse birth control;

(2) Every woman has the fundamental right to choose or refuse to have an abortion, except as specifically limited by this act;

(3) Except as specifically permitted by this act, the state shall not deny or interfere with a woman's fundamental right to choose or refuse to have an abortion; and

(4) The state shall not discriminate against the exercise of these rights in the regulation or provision of benefits, facilities, services, or information.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. The state may not deny or interfere with a woman's right to choose to have an abortion prior to viability of the fetus, or to protect her life or health.

A physician may terminate and a health care provider may assist a physician in terminating a pregnancy as permitted by this section.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 3. Unless authorized by section 2 of this act, any person who performs an abortion on another person shall be guilty of a class C felony punishable under chapter 9A.20 RCW.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 4. The good faith judgment of a physician as to viability of the fetus or as to the risk to life or health of a woman and the good faith judgment of a health care provider as to the duration of pregnancy shall be a defense in any proceeding in which a violation of this chapter is an issue.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 5. Any regulation promulgated by the state relating to abortion shall be valid only if:

(1) The regulation is medically necessary to protect the life or health of the woman terminating her pregnancy,

(2) The regulation is consistent with established medical practice, and

(3) Of the available alternatives, the regulation imposes the least restrictions on the woman's right to have an abortion as defined by this act.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 6. No person or private medical facility may be required by law or contract in any circumstances to participate in the performance of an abortion if such person or private medical facility objects to so doing. No person may be discriminated against in employment or professional privileges because of the person's participation or refusal to participate in the termination of a pregnancy.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 7. If the state provides, directly or by contract, maternity care benefits, services, or information to women through any program administered or funded in whole or in part by the state, the state shall also provide women otherwise eligible for any such program with substantially equivalent benefits, services, or information to



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permit them to voluntarily terminate their pregnancies.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 8. For purposes of this chapter:

(1) "Viability" means the point in the pregnancy when, in the judgment of the physician on the particular facts of the case before such physician, there is a reasonable likelihood of the fetus's sustained survival outside the uterus without the application of extraordinary medical measures.

(2) "Abortion" means any medical treatment intended to induce the termination of a pregnancy except for the purpose of producing a live birth.

(3) "Pregnancy" means the reproductive process beginning with the implantation of an embryo.

(4) "Physician" means a physician licensed to practice under chapter 18.57 or 18.71 RCW in the state of Washington.

(5) "Health care provider" means a physician or a person acting under the general direction of a physician.

(6) "State" means the state of Washington and counties, cities, towns, municipal corporations, and quasi-municipal corporations in the state of Washington.

(7) "Private medical facility" means any medical facility that is not owned or operated by the state.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 9. The following acts or parts of acts are each repealed:

(1) Section 38, page 81, Laws of 1854, section 40, page 209, Laws of 1869, section 42, page 188, Laws of 1873, section 821, Code of 1881, section 196, chapter 249, Laws of 1909 and RCW 9.02.010;

(2) Section 197, chapter 249, Laws of 1909 and RCW 9.02.020;

(3) Section 198, chapter 249, Laws of 1909 and RCW 9.02.030;

(4) Section 199, chapter 249, Laws of 1909 and RCW 9.02.040;

(5) Section 1, chapter 3, Laws of 1970 ex. sess. and RCW 9.02.060;

(6) Section 2, chapter 3, Laws of 1970 ex. sess. and RCW 9.02.070;

(7) Section 3, chapter 3, Laws of 1970 ex. sess. and RCW 9.02.080; and

(8) Section 5, chapter 3, Laws of 1970 ex. sess. and RCW 9.02.090.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 10. This act shall not be construed to define the state's interest in the fetus for any purpose other than the specific provisions of this act.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 11. 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. 12. This act shall be known and may be cited as the Reproductive Privacy Act.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 13. Sections 1 through 8 and 10 through 12 of this act are each added to chapter 9.02 RCW.

PLEASE NOTE:

In the preceding and following measures, all words in double brackets with a line through them are in the State Law or Constitution at the present time and are being taken out by the measure. All words underlined do not appear in the State Law or Constitution as they are now written but will be put in if the measure is adopted.



COMPLETE TEXT OF Senate Joint Resolution 8203

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 there shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the state for their approval and ratification, or rejection, an amendment to Article XI of the Constitution of the state of Washington by adding a new section to read as follows:

Article XI, section ... In addition to the methods of framing a county home rule charter contained in section 4 of this Article, a charter may be framed as provided in this section. The legislature shall without unreasonable delay enact legislation creating and appropriating funds for a temporary county home rule commission of fifteen members. The commission shall draft five alternative county "Home Rule" charters, a copy of which shall be submitted to the legislative authority of each county, and shall be retained by the state in its permanent records. The commission shall



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exist not more than one year. Commission members shall be appointed by the governor with at least one-third of the members to consist of members of the legislature and elected county officials. A new county home rule commission with the same membership qualifications, which shall exist no longer than a one-year period, shall be appointed by the governor to redraft any of the alternative "Home Rule" charters whenever the legislature enacts legislation calling for the creation of a new temporary home rule commission. As far as practical, all commissions created under this section shall be representative of major geographic areas of the state and the state's demographic distribution.

A single alternative charter may be submitted at an election to voters of any county for their approval and ratification, or rejection, upon either: (1) An ordinance adopted by the county legislative authority; or (2) the filing of a petition calling for an election which is signed by registered voters of the county equal in number to ten percent of the voters voting at the last preceding general election in the county. Upon approval and ratification of a charter by the voters of the county under this section, the charter shall become the organic law of the county.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the secretary of state shall cause notice of the foregoing constitutional amendment to be published at least four times during the four weeks next preceding the election in every legal newspaper in the state and that the ballot title of the foregoing constitutional amendment shall be: "Shall an additional procedure be permitted to simplify the process by which a proposed county charter is placed upon the ballot?"



COMPLETE TEXT OF House Joint Resolution 4218

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

THAT, At the next general election to be held in this state there shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the state for their approval and ratification, or rejection, an amendment to Article IV, section 23 of the Constitution of the state of Washington to read as follows:

Article IV, section 23. There may be appointed in each county, by the judge of the superior court having jurisdiction therein, one or more court commissioners, (~~not exceeding three in number;~~) who shall have authority to perform like duties as a judge of the superior court at chambers, subject to revision by such judge, to take depositions and to perform such other business connected with the administration of justice as may be prescribed by law. The number of court commissioners in each county shall be determined by the legislative authority of that county.

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

LANGUAGE ASSISTANCE

In many instances, assistance can be provided to those who have difficulty reading this pamphlet because their primary language is not English. For more information, call the Secretary of State Voter Information Hotline at 1-800-448-4881.

**NOTE: Important new election laws take effect next year.
Please read page 4 thoroughly.**



COMPLETE TEXT OF Substitute House Joint Resolution 4221

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

THAT, At the next general election to be held in this state there shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the state for their approval and ratification, or rejection, an amendment to Article IV, section 6 of the Constitution of the state of Washington to read as follows:

Article IV, section 6. The superior court shall have original jurisdiction (~~in all cases in equity and~~) in all cases at law which involve the title or possession of real property, or the legality of any tax, impost, assessment, toll, or municipal fine, and in all other cases in which the demand or the value of the property in controversy amounts to three thousand dollars or as otherwise determined by law, or a lesser sum in excess of the jurisdiction granted to justices of the peace and other inferior courts, and in all criminal cases amounting to felony, and in all cases of misdemeanor not

otherwise provided for by law; of actions of forcible entry and detainer; of proceedings in insolvency; of actions to prevent or abate a nuisance; of all matters of probate, of divorce, and for annulment of marriage; and for such special cases and proceedings as are not otherwise provided for. The superior court shall also have original jurisdiction in all cases and of all proceedings in which jurisdiction shall not have been by law vested exclusively in some other court; and said court shall have the power of naturalization and to issue papers therefor. They shall have such appellate jurisdiction in cases arising in justices' and other inferior courts in their respective counties as may be prescribed by law. They shall always be open, except on nonjudicial days, and their process shall extend to all parts of the state. Said courts and their judges shall have power to issue writs of mandamus, quo warrant, review, certiorari, prohibition, and writs of habeas corpus, on petition by or on behalf of any person in actual custody in their respective counties. Injunctions and writs of prohibition and of habeas corpus may be issued and served on legal holidays and nonjudicial days.

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

ELECTION DAY AND VOTING

Where to vote:

At your precinct's polling place. The name and number are on your registration card and the location is published in the newspaper sometime the week before the election. You may also call your county auditor.

When to vote:

Polls are open from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

How to vote:

Three methods of voting are used in Washington State: punchcard, lever machine, and paper ballot. Each county uses one or a combination of these methods. If you need assistance, you may ask an election worker to explain how to use your county's voting device or ballot.

Absentee voting:

1. **Regular Absentee Ballot:** If you cannot vote in person, you may vote by absentee ballot. You may request an absentee ballot, either in person or by mail, as early as 45 days before the election, but no later than the day before the election.

Exception: If you are confined to the hospital and were admitted no earlier than five days before the election, you may

apply for an absentee ballot up to and including the day of the election.

2. **Service Absentee Ballot:** Members of the military service may apply for an absentee ballot at any time. Such service voters will be mailed an absentee ballot for the next primary or general election, or special election to be held subsequent to the date of application.

3. **Special Absentee Ballot:** A voter who is working outside the continental United States and will be unable to return a regular absentee ballot by normal mail delivery may apply for a **special absentee ballot** 90 days before the primary or general election. The special absentee ballot will contain the offices and measures, if known, scheduled to appear on the ballot. The county auditor will include a list of candidates who have filed and a list of any issues that have been referred to the ballot before the application was filed.

The voter may use the special absentee ballot to write in the name of an eligible candidate for each office and vote on any measure.

4. **Ongoing Absentee Ballot:** If you are a disabled person or a person over the age of 65, you may apply for status as an ongoing absentee voter. This will entitle you to automatically receive an absentee ballot for each subsequent election through January of the next odd-numbered year. At that time, the county auditor will automatically notify you and permit you to renew your status as an ongoing absentee voter. Contact the Yakima County Auditor's Office for an application.

WASHINGTON STATE VOTER INFORMATION

To register to vote in the state of Washington, you must be at least 18 years of age on or before the day of the election, a U.S. citizen by birth or naturalization and a legal resident of the state of Washington. You must register to vote at least 30 days before an election to be qualified to vote. Call your local county auditor's office for information on how to change your name or address.

The Washington State County Auditors Association also provides an ongoing voter outreach program. If you have any questions about voter registration or voting, please contact your local county auditor's office. For your convenience, the number for your auditor is listed below.

<u>COUNTY</u>	<u>NUMBER</u>	<u>COUNTY</u>	<u>NUMBER</u>
Adams	659-0090*	Lincoln	725-4971*
Asotin	243-4164*	Mason	427-9670 Ext 470
Benton	783-1310 Ext 618*		1-800-562-5628 Ext 470
Chelan	664-5432*	Okanogan	422-3712*
Clallam	452-7831	Pacific	875-9317
Clark	699-2345	Pend Oreille	447-3185*
Columbia	382-4541*	Pierce	591-7430
Cowlitz	577-3002	San Juan	378-2161
Douglas	745-8527*	Skagit	336-9305
Ferry	775-5200*	Skamania	427-5141 Ext 226*
Franklin	545-3536*	Snohomish	388-3444
Garfield	843-1411*		1-800-562-4367
Grant	754-2011 Ext 333*	Spokane	456-2320*
Grays Harbor	249-4232	Stevens	684-6595*
Island	679-7366	Thurston	786-5408
Jefferson	385-9119		1-800-624-1234 Ext 5408
King	296-8683	Wahkiakum	795-3219
Kitsap	876-7128	Walla Walla	527-3204*
	1-800-872-4503	Whatcom	676-6742
Kittitas	962-7503*	Whitman	397-6270*
Klickitat	773-4001*	Yakima	575-4043*
Lewis	748-9121 Ext 278		
	1-800-562-6130		

* Area Code: 509

The Office of the Secretary of State provides a toll-free voter information service to residents within the state of Washington. The number is listed below. This service will be operated Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m., beginning Monday, October 14, and continuing through the day of the election, November 5.

TOLL-FREE VOTER INFORMATION

1-800-448-4881

Voters may also call to request additional copies of the Voters Pamphlet or any of the following special versions of the Voters Pamphlet:

- Braille Voters Pamphlet
- Tape-cassette Voters Pamphlet
- Spanish-language Voters Pamphlet

The Office of the Secretary of State also provides a toll-free voter information service for the hearing impaired (TDD-Telecommunications Device for the Deaf).

TDD TOLL-FREE VOTER INFORMATION

1-800-422-8683

MAJOR POLITICAL PARTY CAUCUS AND CONVENTION PROCEDURES

In the state of Washington, candidates for most offices which appear on the state general election ballot are nominated at a primary. An important addition to this procedure is the nomination of candidates for the positions of President and Vice President, which will be conducted under a presidential preference primary starting in 1992.

While this new system allows citizens to nominate presidential candidates by direct vote, it also retains the caucus and convention system of the state's major political parties as an important part of the process. The following information is provided to familiarize Washington citizens with these caucus and convention procedures.

Delegates to the national nominating conventions of the major political parties from Washington are selected through a system of precinct caucuses, county or legislative district conventions, and finally, a state convention. The first step in this process is the precinct caucus, a neighborhood-level meeting open to all members of a particular political party. Precinct caucuses are held in each precinct of the state in the early spring of each presidential year. Individuals are elected from each precinct to attend the legislative district or county convention where the delegates to the state convention are chosen. The state conventions of the major political parties will, in turn, choose delegates for the national conventions at which the Presidential and Vice Presidential nominees are selected. (Under the new presidential primary system, however, the delegates from Washington state will be required to support candidates for President and Vice President based on the votes received by those candidates at the presidential primary.)

In addition to the selection of delegates, those persons attending party caucuses and conventions have the opportunity to determine the party platform, vote on resolutions, and meet party candidates for a variety of local, state, and national offices.

DATES OF PRECINCT CAUCUSES AND CONVENTIONS

	Democrats	Republican
Precinct caucuses	March 3, 1992	March 3, 1992
County conventions	April 18, 1992	March-May 1992*
District conventions	April 25, 1992	March-May 1992*
State convention	June 6, 1992	June 18-20, 1992
Location of state convention	Silverdale	Yakima

*Information was not complete at the time this publication was prepared.

RULES AND PROCEDURES

Each political party has the authority under the United States Constitution and state law to adopt rules to govern the delegate selection process and other party activities which occur in conjunction with the caucuses and conventions. These party rules specify the number of delegates from each precinct to the county or legislative district convention, the number of delegates from each legislative district or county convention to the state convention, and the procedural rules for conducting the caucuses and conventions. A copy of the rules of either party should be available from the state committee of that party in advance of the time precinct caucuses are held.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

The dates and locations of all party caucuses and conventions receive advance press coverage and are generally advertised by the parties. Specific questions you have about any aspect of the nominating procedure may be directed to the state committee of the respective party. They may be able to respond to your inquiry directly or they may refer you to either your precinct committeeperson or your county or district chairperson. The addresses and telephone numbers of the state committees are as follows:

Washington State Democratic Central Committee
1701 Smith Tower
Seattle WA 98104
(206) 583-0664

Washington State Republican Party
Nine Lake Bellevue Drive Suite 203
Bellevue WA 98005
(206) 454-1992

INDEPENDENT CANDIDATE AND MINOR PARTY NOMINATING PROCEDURES

This summary of the procedures governing the nomination of independent and minor party candidates is **NOT** meant to be inclusive. Persons interested in this procedure should review Chapter 29.24 of the Revised Code of Washington or obtain more detailed information from the Office of the Secretary of State, Legislative Building AS-22, Olympia, WA 98504-0422 or their county auditor.

NOMINATING CONVENTION

Any nomination of a candidate for partisan political office other than by a major political party must be made by a convention held not earlier than the last Saturday in June and not later than the first Saturday in July. Notice of the intention to hold a nominating convention must be published in a newspaper of general circulation within the county in which the convention is held at least ten days before the date of the convention. To be valid, a convention must be attended by at least twenty-five (25) registered voters. In order to nominate candidates for the offices of President and Vice President of the United States, United States Senator, or any state-wide office, the parties holding the nominating convention must obtain and submit the signatures of at least two hundred (200) registered voters of the state of Washington. In order to nominate candidates for any other office the parties holding the nominating convention must obtain and submit the signatures of at least twenty-five (25) persons who are registered to vote in the jurisdiction of the office for which nominations are being made.

CERTIFICATE OF NOMINATION

The signatures and addresses of the registered voters who attended the convention and a record of the proceedings of the convention must be submitted to the appropriate filing officer no later than one week following the adjournment of the convention at which the nominations were made. Any candidate except for President and Vice President who is nominated at an independent or minor party convention, must file a declaration of candidacy and pay the filing fee required for the office sought during the regular filing period established for major political parties. (A nominating petition containing signatures of registered voters equal to the dollar amount of the filing fee is permitted for those candidates without sufficient assets or income to pay the filing fee.) The names of all of the candidates who have been nominated by convention except for President and Vice President will be printed on the primary ballot together with the major party candidates for their respective offices. Candidates for President and Vice President will only appear on the general election ballot. No other candidate's name may be printed on the general election ballot unless he or she receives at least one percent of the total votes cast for the office in the partisan primary and a majority of the votes cast for candidates of that party for that office. Independent candidates need only meet the one percent threshold in order to qualify for placement on the general election ballot.

WHERE FILINGS ARE MADE

When the candidacy is for:

A federal or state-wide office, with the Secretary of State;

A legislative office that includes territory from more than one county, with the Secretary of State;

A county office or legislative office which lies entirely within a single county, with the County Auditor.

If a minor party or independent candidate convention nominates *any* candidate for office in a jurisdiction where voters from more than one county vote upon the office, *all* nominating petitions and the convention certificates are to be filed with the Office of the Secretary of State.



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PARTICIPATING JURISDICTIONS



CITIES & TOWNS

Grandview
Granger
Mabton
Naches
Selah
Sunnyside
Tieton
Toppenish
Union Gap
Wapato
Yakima
Zillah

FIRE DISTRICTS

#1
#3
#4
#5
#7
#11

PORT DISTRICTS

Sunnyside

SEWER DISTRICTS

Cowiche

SCHOOL DISTRICTS

2 Union Gap
#JL 3 Naches Valley
#116/200 Grandview
#119 Selah
#120 Mabton
#201 Sunnyside
#202 Toppenish
#203 Highland
#203 Bickleton
#204 Granger
#207 Wapato
#208 West Valley
#209 Mt. Adams

NOTE: The following districts chose to participate in this pamphlet; however, none of the candidates submitted statements:

City of Mabton
City of Union Gap
#203 Highland School District
#203 Bickleton School District
#208 West Valley School District
Fire Protection District #5
Fire Protection District #7
Cowiche Sewer District

The following jurisdictions **CHOSE** not to participate; therefore, no information is available for those jurisdictions.

Town of Harrah
City of Moxee
#7 Yakima School District
#90 East Valley School District
#205 Zillah School District
Fire Protection District #2
Fire Protection District #6
Fire Protection District #9
Fire Protection District #12
Fire Protection District #14
Naches Park & Recreation District
Port of Grandview
Terrace Heights Sewer District

A separate Spanish Edition of the Yakima County Local Voters' Pamphlet is being published for the following areas:

City of Grandview	#116/200 Grandview School District
Town of Granger	#120 Mabton School District
City of Mabton	#201 Sunnyside School District
City of Sunnyside	#202 Toppenish School District
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NOTE: You will be voting only on the issues and candidates within your jurisdiction.

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SAMPLE
GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT
YAKIMA COUNTY, WASHINGTON
November 5, 1991

SAMPLE BALLOT

Study this ballot carefully before voting. You may mark your sample ballot and take it into the voting booth with you on Election Day.

NOTE TO VOTERS:

This **sample ballot** contains all candidates and measures certified to appear at our General Election, November 5. **You will not be entitled to vote on all races that appear on this ballot.** When you go to the polls, only the contests and ballot measures that apply to your precinct will be listed.

The polls are open from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

BETTIE INGHAM
Yakima County Auditor

(See STATE VOTERS' PAMPHLET for information on state issues)



SAMPLE BALLOT

GENERAL ELECTION

NOVEMBER 5, 1991

STATE ISSUES

STATE ISSUES

INITIATIVE MEASURE 553

Shall there be limitations on terms of office for Governor, Lieutenant Governor, State Legislators, and Washington State Members of Congress?

YES	+
NO	+

INITIATIVE MEASURE 559

Shall property value for tax purposes be the January 1, 1985 value or subsequent sales price, adjusted for cost of living changes?

YES	+
NO	+

REFERENDUM BILL 42

Shall enhanced 911 emergency telephone dialing be provided throughout the state and be funded by a tax on telephone lines?

YES	+
NO	+

INITIATIVE MEASURE 119

Shall adult patients who are in a medically terminal condition be permitted to request and receive from a physician aid-in-dying?

YES	+
NO	+

INITIATIVE MEASURE 120

Shall state abortion laws be revised, including declaring a woman's right to choose physician performed abortion prior to fetal viability?

YES	+
NO	+

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 8203

Shall the Constitution be amended to permit an alternative method of drafting county home rule charters for submission to voters?

YES	+
NO	+

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 4218

Shall each county legislative body establish the number of Superior Court Commissioners and the constitutional limit of three be repealed?

YES	+
NO	+

SUBSTITUTE HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 4221

Shall the Constitution's description of the Superior Court's original jurisdiction be amended by deleting the reference to "cases in equity"?

YES	+
NO	+

SPECIAL ISSUES

COUNTY OF YAKIMA - ADVISORY PROPOSITION ANNEXATION OF UNINCORPORATED WEST VALLEY AREA TO THE CITY OF YAKIMA

Should the unincorporated West Valley area be annexed to the City of Yakima?

ANNEXATION	YES	+
ANNEXATION	NO	+

FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT #2 - PROPOSITION GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS - \$640,000

Shall Fire Protection District No. 2 borrow \$640,000 to construct, furnish and equip a new headquarters fire station by selling general obligation bonds therefor maturing within 20 years and levy annual excess property taxes necessary to pay and retire the bonds, as provided in Resolution No. 106?

BONDS	YES	+
BONDS	NO	+

BENTON COUNTY MOSQUITO DIST. ANNEXATION PROPOSITION #1

Shall the area described in a resolution of the Benton County Mosquito Control Board of Trustees adopted on 16 September 1991, be annexed to the mosquito district?

ANNEXATION	YES	+
ANNEXATION	NO	+

PROPOSITION #2 - TAX LEVY

Shall the annexation if approved levy a general tax of .08 cents per thousand dollars of assessed value for one year upon all the taxable property within said district in excess of the constitutional and/or statutory tax limits for authorized purposes of the district?

TAX LEVY	YES	+
TAX LEVY	NO	+



CITIES & TOWNS NON - PARTISAN

CITY OF GRANDVIEW		
MAYOR		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
HELEN DARR	Non - Partisan	+
ESSE S. PALACIOS	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #1		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
GAYLORD BREWER	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #2		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
BILL FLORY	Non - Partisan	+
ARCHIE McARTHUR	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #3		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
TIMOTHY M. CHRISTOMOS	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #4		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
ANN O. MANLEY	Non - Partisan	+
LESLIE A. MOORE-KROUS	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #5		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
AMELIA M. GARZA	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+

TOWN OF GRANGER		
MAYOR		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
GARY M. ANDERSON	Non - Partisan	+
DENNIS HARRIS	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #1		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
CHARLES M. (CHUCK) LYNN	Non - Partisan	+
EUGENE DUNN	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #2		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
DAVID LEACH	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+

TOWN OF HARRAH		
MAYOR		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
BARBARA HARRER	Non - Partisan	+
BERNARD HEDDEN	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #1		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
DONALD M. YERGES	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #2 - 2 YR UNEXP TERM		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
SHARON R. BROWN	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #3 - 2 YR UNEXP TERM		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
PATRICIA KRUEGER	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #4 - 4 YR TERM S/F		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
SANFORD JETTON	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #5 - 4 YR TERM S/F		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
ONDY HARRIS	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+

CITY OF MABTON		
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #1 - 4 YR TERM S/F		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
PHARABY SPRINGSTEAD	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #2 - 2 YR UNEXP TERM		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
JAMES B. ADAMS	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #3		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
ROBERT C. PETERSON	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+



CITIES & TOWNS NON - PARTISAN

CITY OF MABTON

COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #4 - 2 YR UNEXP TERM	
	VOTE FOR ONE
RODGER E. BARGER	Non - Partisan +
	Non - Partisan +
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #5 - 2 YR UNEXP TERM	
	VOTE FOR ONE
WILLIAM L. ROETTGER	Non - Partisan +
	Non - Partisan +

CITY OF MOXEE

MAYOR	
	VOTE FOR ONE
BIM M. PLATT	Non - Partisan +
M. A. (MEL) TANASSE	Non - Partisan +
	Non - Partisan +
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #1 - 4 YR TERM S/F	
	VOTE FOR ONE
GREG LABREE	Non - Partisan +
ALBERT H. VARGAS	Non - Partisan +
	Non - Partisan +
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #2	
	VOTE FOR ONE
DENNIS L. BETKER	Non - Partisan +
PATRICIA JEFFERY	Non - Partisan +
	Non - Partisan +
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #3 - 4 YR TERM S/F	
	VOTE FOR ONE
LARRY WHITEHEAD	Non - Partisan +
DAVID HYDE	Non - Partisan +
	Non - Partisan +

TOWN OF NACHES

MAYOR	
	VOTE FOR ONE
MARY E. TENNEY	Non - Partisan +
	Non - Partisan +
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #1	
	VOTE FOR ONE
DOUG MAC NEIL	Non - Partisan +
	Non - Partisan +
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #2	
	VOTE FOR ONE
JANET A. ANDERSON	Non - Partisan +
CURTIS SPEAK	Non - Partisan +
	Non - Partisan +

CITY OF SELAH

MAYOR	
	VOTE FOR ONE
WARREN FORDYCE, SR.	Non - Partisan +
JOHN SWEESY	Non - Partisan +
	Non - Partisan +
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #1	
	VOTE FOR ONE
RUSSELL L. NICHOLS	Non - Partisan +
IRVIN (MONK) SONKER	Non - Partisan +
	Non - Partisan +
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #2	
	VOTE FOR ONE
DAVID SNEBACK	Non - Partisan +
GRACE ROBERTSON	Non - Partisan +
	Non - Partisan +
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #3	
	VOTE FOR ONE
ROBERT E. WARD	Non - Partisan +
	Non - Partisan +
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #4	
	VOTE FOR ONE
RON DEATHERAGE	Non - Partisan +
	Non - Partisan +

CITY OF SUNNYSIDE

COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #1	
	VOTE FOR ONE
ROY ANCISO	Non - Partisan +
	Non - Partisan +
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #2	
	VOTE FOR ONE
ERROL BROWN	Non - Partisan +
JOE MORALES	Non - Partisan +
	Non - Partisan +
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #3 - 4 YR TERM S/F	
	VOTE FOR ONE
ED PRILUCK	Non - Partisan +
	Non - Partisan +



CITIES & TOWNS NON - PARTISAN

TOWN OF TIETON		
MAYOR - 4 YR TERM S/F		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
DEWANE ASHBROOKS	Non - Partisan	++
WILBERT (MAC) McWAIN, SR.	Non - Partisan	++
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #1		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
FRED C. BECK	Non - Partisan	++
	Non - Partisan	++
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #2 - 2 YR UNEXP TERM		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
CINDY STONE	Non - Partisan	++
	Non - Partisan	++
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #3		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
MARCUS DILLEY	Non - Partisan	++
	Non - Partisan	++

CITY OF TOPPENISH		
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #1		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
JUDITH BOEKHOLDER	Non - Partisan	++
RENE GUTIERREZ	Non - Partisan	++
	Non - Partisan	++
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #2		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
NINA M. MALTOS	Non - Partisan	++
BILL ROGERS	Non - Partisan	++
	Non - Partisan	++
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #3		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
RUSTY JONES	Non - Partisan	++
STAN WSHKOSKI	Non - Partisan	++
	Non - Partisan	++

CITY OF UNION GAP		
MAYOR		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
RONALD D. KREBS	Non - Partisan	++
	Non - Partisan	++
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #1		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
KURT LAYMAN	Non - Partisan	++
	Non - Partisan	++

CITY OF UNION GAP		
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #2		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
DORINA L. MILLER	Non - Partisan	++
	Non - Partisan	++

CITY OF WAPATO		
MAYOR		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
RICHARD C. CALAHAN	Non - Partisan	++
EDNA M. MAUCH	Non - Partisan	++
	Non - Partisan	++
COUNCILMEMBER AT LARGE, POSITION #1		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
DEL BUNNELL	Non - Partisan	++
	Non - Partisan	++
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #2 - 4 YR TERM S/F		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
RICK FOSS	Non - Partisan	++
	Non - Partisan	++
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #3		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
RAYMOND E. JUD	Non - Partisan	++
RICARDO SOSA	Non - Partisan	++
	Non - Partisan	++
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #4		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
JAMES W. HANSON	Non - Partisan	++
	Non - Partisan	++

CITY OF YAKIMA		
COUNCILMEMBER, COUNCIL DIST. #1		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
ERNEST BERGER	Non - Partisan	++
PAT BERNDT	Non - Partisan	++
	Non - Partisan	++
COUNCILMEMBER, COUNCIL DIST. #2		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
CLARENCE BARNETT	Non - Partisan	++
CHUCK MOORE	Non - Partisan	++
	Non - Partisan	++



CITIES & TOWNS NON - PARTISAN

CITY OF YAKIMA	
COUNCILMEMBER, COUNCIL DIST. #3	
	VOTE FOR ONE
LYNN BUCHANAN	Non - Partisan +
PATTY F. GONZALES	Non - Partisan +
	Non - Partisan +
COUNCILMEMBER, COUNCIL DIST. #4 - 4 YR TRM S/F	
	VOTE FOR ONE
BILL BRADO	Non - Partisan +
GEORGE H. PECHTEL	Non - Partisan +
	Non - Partisan +

CITY OF ZILLAH	
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #1	
	VOTE FOR ONE
ROBERT CORY	Non - Partisan +
	Non - Partisan +
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #2	
	VOTE FOR ONE
SHIRLEY MELKE	Non - Partisan +
	Non - Partisan +
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #3	
	VOTE FOR ONE
JOHN K. PETTINGILL	Non - Partisan +
VIC KEZELE	Non - Partisan +
	Non - Partisan +
COUNCILMEMBER, POSITION #4 - 2 YR UNEXP TERM	
	VOTE FOR ONE
MARK S. DRISCOLL	Non - Partisan +
	Non - Partisan +

SCHOOL DIRECTORS NON - PARTISAN

#2 UNION GAP SCHOOL DIST.	
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #1	
	VOTE FOR ONE
TAMMY HENNE	Non - Partisan +
	Non - Partisan +
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #2	
	VOTE FOR ONE
DAVINA MARTIN	Non - Partisan +
	Non - Partisan +

SCHOOL DIRECTORS NON - PARTISAN

#2 UNION GAP SCHOOL DIST.	
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #3	
	VOTE FOR ONE
DONALD C. SMITH	Non - Partisan +
	Non - Partisan +

#11, 3 NACHES VALLEY SCHOOL DIST.	
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #1	
	VOTE FOR ONE
JIM DWINELL	Non - Partisan +
GEORGE PICKARD	Non - Partisan +
	Non - Partisan +
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #4	
	VOTE FOR ONE
PEGGY EUTENEER	Non - Partisan +
	Non - Partisan +
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #5	
	VOTE FOR ONE
ERRY ROBBINS	Non - Partisan +
	Non - Partisan +

#7 YAKIMA SCHOOL DIST.	
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, POSITION #1	
	VOTE FOR ONE
JOE FALK	Non - Partisan +
DAVID E. RODGERS	Non - Partisan +
	Non - Partisan +
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, POSITION #2	
	VOTE FOR ONE
GREGORY AARONS	Non - Partisan +
JANE H. GRANDY	Non - Partisan +
	Non - Partisan +
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, POSITION #3	
	VOTE FOR ONE
RICHARD SPIEGEL	Non - Partisan +
THOMAS FRANCIS MCCORMICK	Non - Partisan +
	Non - Partisan +



SCHOOL DIRECTORS NON - PARTISAN

#90 EAST VALLEY SCHOOL DIST.		
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #1		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
JAMES L. PERRY	Non - Partisan	+
ERNEST W. SOLOWAN	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #3		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
HARRY BOORSMA	Non - Partisan	+
GILBERT CARRILLO	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #4		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
REVA J. BAKER	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+

#116/200 GRANDVIEW SCHOOL DIST.		
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #1		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
MARGARET (MAGGIE) PORTER	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #2 - 2 YR UNEXP TERM		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
L. J. EMERSON	Non - Partisan	+
RICK KIMBROUGH	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #3		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
RALPH C. OLER	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #4		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
GEORGE GRAF	Non - Partisan	+
JIM HANSEN	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+

#119 SELAH SCHOOL DIST.		
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #3		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
THOMAS W. REDTFELDT	Non - Partisan	+
CAROLE VALENTINE	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+

#119 SELAH SCHOOL DIST.		
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #4		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
FRANK S. ROWLEY	Non - Partisan	+
DAVID D. HARRIS	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #5		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
LISA IVERSON	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+

#120 MABTON SCHOOL DIST.		
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #1		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
L. DONALD BASER	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #4		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
DONNA L. ROETTGER	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #5		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
BILL HARRIS	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+

#201 SUNNYSIDE SCHOOL DIST.		
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #1		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
ROSITA CASTILLO	Non - Partisan	+
MIKE DIAZ	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #4		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
FREDRICK KILIAN	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #5		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
GERRY LAMBERTE, JR.	Non - Partisan	+
KBITH E. McDONALD	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+



SCHOOL DIRECTORS **NON - PARTISAN**

#202 TOPPENISH SCHOOL DIST.		
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #1		
VOTE FOR ONE		
ROBERTO ALVIZO	Non - Partisan	+
GINNY WELLS	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #4		
VOTE FOR ONE		
ELLIS JOHNSON	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #5		
VOTE FOR ONE		
JOHN BABICH	Non - Partisan	+
VIRGINIA (GIN) OBERT	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+

#203 HIGHLAND SCHOOL DIST.		
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #1		
VOTE FOR ONE		
RON ZIRKLE	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #4		
VOTE FOR ONE		
RAY KELLER	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #5		
VOTE FOR ONE		
KEN L. SUGARMAN	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+

#203 BICKLETON SCHOOL DIST.		
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #2		
VOTE FOR ONE		
NANCY SLATER	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #3		
VOTE FOR ONE		
NEAL E. BROWN	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+

#204 GRANGER SCHOOL DIST.		
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #2		
VOTE FOR ONE		
RON LIEBERT	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+

#204 GRANGER SCHOOL DIST.		
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #4		
VOTE FOR ONE		
STEVEN R. GINES	Non - Partisan	+
TAMARA N. PARKER	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+

#205 ZILLAH SCHOOL DIST.		
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #3		
VOTE FOR ONE		
WALLACE A. DONALDSON	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #4		
VOTE FOR ONE		
JOYCE NINNEMANN	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+

#207 WAPATO SCHOOL DIST.		
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #3		
VOTE FOR ONE		
HILDA L. SKONE	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #4		
VOTE FOR ONE		
ALAN McMAHAN	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #5		
VOTE FOR ONE		
MARGARET TANGEE HYDE	Non - Partisan	+
TIMOTHY J. MACKIE	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+

#208 WEST VALLEY SCHOOL DIST.		
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #1		
VOTE FOR ONE		
DON EYMAN	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #2 - 2 YR LINEXP TERM		
VOTE FOR ONE		
DARRELL K. SMART	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+



SCHOOL DIRECTORS NON - PARTISAN

#208 WEST VALLEY SCHOOL DIST.		
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #4		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
IRENE GLESSNER	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #5		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
WAYNE L. KALBFLEISCH	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+

#209 MT. ADAMS SCHOOL DIST.		
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #1		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
JAMES CURTIS HARRIS	Non - Partisan	+
RAY RIEL	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
SCHOOL DIRECTOR, DISTRICT #2		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
ESTHER JARNECKE	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+

OTHER TAXING DISTRICTS NON - PARTISAN

YAKIMA COUNTY FIRE PROTECTION DIST. #1		
COMMISSIONER		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
TOM GERBRACHT	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+

YAKIMA COUNTY FIRE PROTECTION DIST. #2		
COMMISSIONER		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
KENNETH E. WADE	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+

OTHER TAXING DISTRICTS NON - PARTISAN

YAKIMA COUNTY FIRE PROTECTION DIST. #3		
COMMISSIONER		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
ROGER PETERSEN	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+

YAKIMA COUNTY FIRE PROTECTION DIST. #4		
COMMISSIONER - 6 YR TERM		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
ART AARON	Non - Partisan	+
RICHARD P. (RICH) ROWLAND	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+
COMMISSIONER - 4 YR UNEXP TERM		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
ROYLANCE W. HILL	Non - partisan	+
	Non - partisan	+

YAKIMA COUNTY FIRE PROTECTION DIST. #5		
COMMISSIONER		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
HENRY VANDEN BRINK, JR.	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+

YAKIMA COUNTY FIRE PROTECTION DIST. #6		
COMMISSIONER		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
WALTER ROWE	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+

YAKIMA COUNTY FIRE PROTECTION DIST. #7		
COMMISSIONER		
	VOTE FOR ONE	
TONY L. MAINS	Non - Partisan	+
	Non - Partisan	+



OTHER TAXING DISTRICTS NON - PARTISAN

YAKIMA COUNTY FIRE PROTECTION DIST. #9

COMMISSIONER

VOTE FOR ONE

ANDREW EVANS

Non - Partisan +

Non - Partisan +

YAKIMA COUNTY FIRE PROTECTION DIST. #11

COMMISSIONER - 6 YR TERM S/F

VOTE FOR ONE

G. KENNETH McALLISTER

Non - Partisan +

AUBREY C. REEVES, JR.

Non - Partisan +

Non - Partisan +

YAKIMA COUNTY FIRE PROTECTION DIST. #12

COMMISSIONER - 6 YR TERM

VOTE FOR ONE

RICHARD L. ABHOLD

Non - Partisan +

DEAN P. ARMITAGE

Non - Partisan +

Non - Partisan +

COMMISSIONER - 2 YR UNEXP TERM

VOTE FOR ONE

LESTER LENINGTON

Non - Partisan +

Non - Partisan +

YAKIMA COUNTY FIRE PROTECTION DIST. #14

COMMISSIONER

VOTE FOR ONE

JAMES C. BISHOP

Non - Partisan +

Non - Partisan +

NACHES PARK & RECREATION DISTRICT

COMMISSIONER - DISTRICT #1

VOTE FOR ONE

JOE M. RIARTE

Non - Partisan +

Non - Partisan +

COMMISSIONER - DISTRICT #2

VOTE FOR ONE

MARGARET ST. MARTIN

Non - Partisan +

Non - Partisan +

NACHES PARK & RECREATION DISTRICT

COMMISSIONER - DISTRICT #4

VOTE FOR ONE

PAT LOUNSBURY

Non - Partisan +

Non - Partisan +

PORT OF GRANDVIEW

COMMISSIONER - DISTRICT #2

VOTE FOR ONE

ORREN FRICKE

Non - Partisan +

DEAN E. JACKSON

Non - Partisan +

Non - Partisan +

PORT OF SUNNYSIDE

COMMISSIONER - DISTRICT #3 - 6 YR TERM S/F

VOTE FOR ONE

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COWICHE SEWER DISTRICT

COMMISSIONER - 6 YR TERM S/F

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STEVEN L. BRMEY

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COMMISSIONER - 2 YR UNEXP TERM

VOTE FOR ONE

JON HALL

Non - Partisan +

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TERRACE HEIGHTS SEWER DIST.

COMMISSIONER

VOTE FOR ONE

ROBERT J. CHENEY

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Taxing Jurisdictions

What are they? What do they do?

CITIES AND TOWNS:

In Washington cities and towns, the council or commission, as legislative body, are authorized to levy taxes and must furnish police and fire protection. They establish local laws and policies, consistent with state law, usually through the enactment of ordinances and resolutions; and also exercise general oversight and control over the city's finances, primarily through the budget process. They may require and issue licenses for the purpose of regulation and/or revenue; may grant various franchises and acquire and operate certain types of public utilities. They may enact zoning ordinances, and may purchase, lease, condemn, or otherwise acquire real and personal property for city purposes. It is ordinarily the council's function to create subordinate positions, prescribe duties and establish salaries.

Cities are generally classified on the basis of population. In some instances, the powers and obligations of a municipality are determined by the class to which it belongs.

Under the Optional Municipal Code, any city or town, regardless of population, may select to become a non-charter code city and be governed under the Optional Municipal Code rather than under existing statutes relating to the class of city to which it belongs. Cities organized under the Optional Municipal Code must adopt either the mayor-council or council-manager plan unless the city was previously organized under the commission form of government.

TYPES OF CITY GOVERNMENT:

There are three principal forms of government used by Washington cities. These are:

- 1) mayor-council
- 2) council-manager
- 3) commission

The basic difference between the three forms of city government is the placement of responsibility for the administration of the city and the relationship of the administrative officer to the legislative or policy-making body to the public.

NON-CHARTER CODE CITY

- * Grandview
- * Mabton
- * Moxee
- * Selah
- * Sunnyside
- * Toppenish
- * Zillah

UNCLASSIFIED

- * Union Gap

1ST CLASS CITY

- * Yakima

3RD CLASS CITY

- * Wapato

4TH CLASS CITY

- * Granger
- * Harrah
- * Naches
- * Tieton



COUNCIL-MANAGER CITIES:

Basic to a council-manager system is the belief that the policy-making and administrative functions of the city should be separate. Therefore, the council, which determines city policies and is politically responsible for its actions, selects a city manager who serves as the chief administrator of the city. The manager is accountable to the council for the proper performance of his/her duties and serves at the pleasure of that body.

In some Washington council-manager cities, the mayor is chosen biennially from among the city council members at the first meeting of the new council. In other cities of the council-manager type, the voters choose the presiding council officer. The mayor retains all the rights, privileges, and immunities of other councilmembers, presides at meetings, is recognized as the head of the city for all ceremonial purposes and by the governor for the purposes of military law. However, the mayor does not have the veto power or any regular administrative duties. In an emergency, and if so authorized by the city council, the mayor takes command of the police, maintains law, and enforces order.

MAYOR-COUNCIL CITIES:

The mayor is the chief administrative officer. In addition, he/she is the political head of the city, and as presiding officer of the city council, is active in the development of city policies. Thus, he/she is responsible both for determining policy and for seeing that the policy is carried out.

A variation of the mayor-council form of government present in Washington cities involves allowing the council to override many of the mayor's decisions. The development of public policy, under this form, is primarily the responsibility of the city council, and the job of the mayor is one of coordination rather than leadership.

MAYOR-COUNCIL

Harrah
Grandview
Cranger
Mabton
Naches
Selah
Tieton
Union Gap
Wapato
Zillah

COUNCIL-MANAGER

Sunnyside
Toppenish
Yakima



CANDIDATE STATEMENTS: CITIES AND TOWNS



HELEN
DARR

GRANDVIEW CITY - MAYOR

I've been a resident of Grandview 43 years. Married with two children. 10 continuous years on City Council. 8 years as Mayor Pro-Tem, chairman of Utilities Committee, member of Personnel/Finance Committee, Senior Citizen Advisory Board, Liaison to Library Board, Chairman Grandview Public Corporation.

If elected Mayor I will work cooperatively and openly with the City Council to:

- 1: Encourage quality industrial/commercial growth.
- 2: Complete on going projects: waste water treatment plant renovations, Alice Grant Learning Center, Armory, Country Park, and covering irrigation ditches.
- 3: Encourage open communication with all civic organizations.

I'm experienced, honest and won't quit until the job is done!



JESSE S.
PALACIOS

GRANDVIEW CITY - MAYOR

I am a candidate for the position of Mayor, City of Grandview. I am employed by the Dept. of Wildlife. I have been a wildlife law enforcement officer for 24 years.

In 1984 I became a member of the Grandview City Council. I served for 6 years. I was appointed to serve on the Public Safety, Parks, Finance, Block Grant and Fairground Relocation Committees. I was chairman of the Public Safety, Neighborhood Block Grant and Fairgrounds Relocation Committees. Some of the things our team accomplished. *bringing Yakima Valley College to Grandview *using block grant money to pave South Division and Munson and Wolfe Lanes *encouraging new business and expansion of existing business Shonan and National Guard Armory *establishing a Beautification Commission to beautify our streets and parks

Chris, Margie, David, Debra and I would appreciate your support. I believe in being a team player and have Grandview pride inside.

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GRANDVIEW CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #1

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

GAYLORD
BREWER



BILL
FLORY

GRANDVIEW CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #2

As a Grandview native, I am concerned about my Community. I've had experience as a small businessman and know something about the problems in that area. I realize that this job will put demands on my time and energy and, as I am retiring within the year, I will be able to devote both the time and effort in doing the job.

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ARCHIE
McARTHUR

GRANDVIEW CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #2

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

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TIMOTHY M.
CHRISTOMOS

GRANDVIEW CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #3

(Candidate did not submit a statement)



**ANN Q.
MANLEY**

GRANDVIEW CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #4

Being a long time resident of the Lower Valley, I am convinced that having an active and effective city council is essential to the positive growth of Grandview.

It is important to consider all aspects of any situation before a decision is made. I have the qualities to work well with other members of the city government as well as the citizens of Grandview to get the job done.



**LESLIE A.
MOORE-KROUS**

GRANDVIEW CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #4

A graduate of Hermiston High School, Eastern Oregon State College (B.S.), University of Oregon (M.S.), I have taught at Sunnyside High and lived in Grandview since 1986.

I am married to Melvin Krous, a life-long resident of Grandview.

I am a member of various educational, political, theatrical and sports groups in the area.

The people of Grandview must decide what kind of city we will develop. We have many positive factors, clean air, a neat and clean city, and no severe housing problems. Keeping and using these advantages could result in Grandview becoming the educational hub of the lower valley. Building a new learning center for pre-school children, an addition to YVCC, an OIC center and a branch of the YMCA, would all enhance our image. Non-polluting and well paying jobs would follow. All segments of our population would benefit from this focus on a City That Values Education.



**AMELIA M.
GARZA**

GRANDVIEW CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #5 - 2 YR UNEXP TERM

I am a candidate to retain my City Council Position #5, in Grandview. I have been a resident of Grandview for over 35 years.

My husband, Ed, and I raised six children in Grandview. We believe in supporting our community. Serving on the City Council gives me an opportunity to give something back to the community in return for the years our community has helped to shape the lives of our children.

I will continue my commitment to serving Grandview and will work on furthering the economic development of new businesses in our community. I am excited about the new National Guard Amory - something we worked hard to achieve. The possibility of a new DSHS office, the Yakima Valley OIC Learning Center, and completing the Alice Grant Learning Center. Projects that I feel proud to bring to Grandview.

I look forward to serving our community and ask for your support.



GARY M.
ANDERSON

GRANGER TOWN - MAYOR

I have been a resident of Granger for 45 of my 48 years. My wife Betty and I have two grown children, both graduates of Granger High School and both are now married.

I have served on the Granger Police Dept. for 15 years. I have been a member of Granger Assembly of God Church for 27 yrs. and served 4 years as deacon.

My experience in law enforcement would enable me to help improve our Police Dept.

When elected I will work with the citizens to help build a more positive image of Granger and I will perform my duties as Mayor with a foundation of honesty, integrity and fairness to all.

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DENNIS
HARRIS

GRANGER TOWN - MAYOR

- I am a graduate of Granger High School and attended Central Wa. State College.

- I have been a Granger Councilperson for 10 years & Mayor for 6 years.

- Past accomplishments I have done while Mayor include:

The new Library

Improvements to water, sewer & garbage systems.

Improvements to parks & streets

& General Clean up of the Town.

- Future goals include:

New Sewer Plant

Recreation Program for our youth.

& Keep the Town Clean!

Motto: In the 80's Granger was known as the "Poorest," Town in the State - In the 90's I want it to be known as the "Most Improved" in the State.





CHARLES M.
(CHUCK)
LYNN

GRANGER TOWN COUNCIL - POSITION #1

I am a 55 year old Naval retiree who has lived in Granger for 14 years. 3 of my 4 Children graduated from Granger High. Since moving to Granger I have served as a police officer, and as your Municipal Judge. I am a past President of the Booster Club and am active in the local V.F.W. Post.

I believe the position of Council Person entails more than just controlling the purse string. The Council should be the Sounding Board for the Community.

Granger needs growth: I believe there are steps that can be taken to help bring this about. Some of these are: Improved Law enforcement, Improved image of the Public schools, Public Transportation, a change in the physical appearance of the town, and most importantly an increase in Public involvement in civic affairs.

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EUGENE
DUNN

GRANGER TOWN COUNCIL - POSITION #1

I with my wife and family have lived in the City of Granger for the past 29 years. I have served as Pastor of the Assembly of God Church for that time. I have served under five mayors in my years on the city council. I have seen the City of Granger go through a number of changes, some good and some not so good. My desire is to be the best representative for those I serve that I can be. I try to be honest in my decisions realizing my reputation rests on truth. I am deeply concerned about our police dept. and its workings because our protection and safety is important. I have always been concerned about the growth as well as the appearance of our city.

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DAVID
LEACH

GRANGER TOWN COUNCIL - POSITION #2

(Candidate did not submit a statement)



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MABTON CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #1 - 4 YEAR TERM S/F

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

PHARABY
SPRINGSTEAD

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MABTON CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #2 - 2 YR UNEXP TERM

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

JAMES B.
ADAMS

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MABTON CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #3

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

ROBERT C.
PETERSON



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MABTON CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #4 - 2 YR UNEXP TERM

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

**RODGER E.
BARGER**

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MABTON CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #5 - 2 YR UNEXP TERM

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

**WILLIAM L.
ROETTGER**

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NACHES TOWN - MAYOR

I have worked hard as your mayor for 13 years to protect and enhance the quality of life in Naches. I have helped bring about many improvements in streets, sewage system, Town Hall, library and housing. I will appreciate your vote of confidence to continue.

**MARY E.
TENNEY**



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NACHES TOWN COUNCIL - POSITION #1

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

DOUG
MAC NEIL



JANET A.
ANDERSON

NACHES TOWN COUNCIL - POSITION #2

I will do my best to fulfill the duties of councilperson for the City of Naches.

I have lived in Naches most of my life. I have served almost 2 years as Naches City Councilperson. I am employed by the Yakima School District as a teacher.

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NACHES TOWN COUNCIL - POSITION #2

Hello my name is Curtis Speak. I'm running for Position #2, City Council, Naches. I'm 49 years old, married for 22 years, one daughter in Naches Valley High School. She is very active in the Ranger Marching Band. I'm active with band parents. I was involved in the Lions Club. I've been with the volunteer fire department for the past 22 years. I am very active in my church.

I hope see growth in our city and that we can keep up the good work. I will appreciate your vote.

CURTIS
SPEAK



WARREN
FORDYCE, SR.

SELAH CITY - MAYOR

The Strong Mayor form of government, as established by State law, for the City of Selah dictates: The City Council sets budgets, guidelines and passes ordinances for the governing of Selah. The Mayor as the elected Manager, using these tools, is solely responsible for all Departments and Personnel and their actions or inactions in City operations, and in serving the residents and business community. In view of the above, I feel I am qualified to be Mayor for the following reasons:

- 1) I am retired and have ample time to manage the day to day operations of Selah.
 - 2) I have the education, and over 20 years of management experience.
 - 3) I have served four years on the Selah City Council, and know how the City, as a service organization, should operate.
- I ask that you cast your vote for me as a strong Mayor.

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SELAH CITY - MAYOR

The City of Selah is at a crossroad. There are fewer and fewer state and federal dollars and more and more demands for City services. Our community of 5,000 residents help support services for our approximately 13,000 rural neighbors. As Mayor, my primary objective would be to develop the necessary partnerships between our city and county, state and federal governments and agencies. The better the partnerships, the greater the benefits to the city of Selah. I believe my experiences as a former Selah City Councilmember and Mayor will be a great asset in forming these partnerships to provide greater resources to our community.

I have lived in Selah over thirty years. I graduated from Selah schools. I work in Selah and I have been involved in Selah government. My commitment to Selah is heartfelt and I will work diligently towards it's betterment.





RUSSELL L.
NICHOLS

SELAH CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #1

The City of Selah is entering a new era of growth and development. One that requires a common sense approach that balances the life styles of Selah's residents and that which is best for the overall interest of Selah. I believe that I have exhibited that characteristic of "common sense" and honest "down home" judgement over the past nine years that I have served you as a member of your city council.

It would be my pleasure to serve you for another four years. Four years that could have an even greater impact on our quality of life than the past eighty years of Selah's history. If you are concerned about Selah's future. If you feel that everyone should be treated equally and that the rules and regulations are the same, regardless of ones status. Then I encourage you to cast your vote for me on Election Day this November.



IRVIN
(MONK)
SONKER

SELAH CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #1

Irvin "Monk" Sonker received his Masters of Education degree from Central Washington University in 1974, and is a mathematics teacher at Franklin Middle School.

Irvin and his wife Sunny, a fourth grade teacher at Lince Intermediate, (Selah residents since 1972), have two sons, Ben and Jason who are attending Central Washington University and University of Washington respectively.

Involvement in the community has included past elected city service, president of the Selah Dolphins Swim Team, Selah Music Boosters, Elks Men's Golf Division and, Central Washington Business Education Association. Also Monk co-chaired the annual Se-Corn Run for six years, served as Cub Scout leader for six years and, coached various soccer and baseball teams in Selah.

"I would like to work towards improving the quality of life for people in Selah and to continue efforts towards manageable utility services, harmonious relationships between all citizens, businesses and government; and, assisting our senior citizens."





DAVID
SMEBACK

SELAH CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #2

If anything is certain about the 1990's, it is change. Like other cities of the Yakima Valley, Selah is having to adjust to growth and the challenges that follow. As a member of the Selah Planning Commission for the past 5 years, I have witnessed and dealt with an increasing amount of development activity in and around the city. It is important that the city council be proactive in its' approach to the impact of growth and the increased burdens placed on city services, utilities, and streets. I believe that through responsible fiscal management and boundary control, progressive growth can occur for Selah, without adding further financial burdens on city residents, while maintaining its' small town complexion.

I am excited about the prospect of serving the community of Selah. I feel I will be an asset with my background in business management and experience as a planning commissioner.



GRACE
ROBERTSON

SELAH CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #2

Grace has served on the Selah City Council since 1985, and has the distinction of being the first female councilmember. She is an experienced and hard-working legislator, having served on county and state level committees during her tenure.

Grace is raising 3 boys and is committed to maintaining the quality of life that makes Selah a wonderful and healthy place to raise a family. She actively supports programs with goals for a drug and crime free environment.

Recently graduating with the Class of 1991 at Central Washington University, Grace earned her degree in Business Administration and Human Resource Management. Her career background includes the fields of manufacturing, agriculture, retail, financial and legal. She brings into office an educated understanding for the varied business needs of Selah and strives towards Selah's growth as an economic and vital community.





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SELAH CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #3

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

ROBERT E.
WARD

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SELAH CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #4

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

RON
DEATHERAGE





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SUNNYSIDE CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #1

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

ROY
ANCISO



ERROL
BROWN

SUNNYSIDE CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #2

Age 69. Washington resident 58-years, Sunnyside 25-years. Married 47-years. Three children. EXPERIENCE: Sunnyside merchant 20-years (Totem Sales). Sunnyside City Council 12-years. Mayor Pro tem 10-years. Sunnyside Inc./Economic Development Board 5-years. YCDA/New Vision Board of Directors 4-years. Sunnyside Housing Rehabilitation Board. Member Home Security Bank Board. Past President Chamber of Commerce. Served 3-years Sunnyside Civil Service Commission. OUR FUTURE TOGETHER: I would appreciate the opportunity to continue serving all the people of Sunnyside for another term as your representative on the City Council. I will strive to continue our aggressive efforts to make Sunnyside a City we will all be proud of. I have supported City programs/projects: South Hill Park, recreation programs, new swimming pool, covering 16th Street drain, purchase new City Hall, two housing rehabilitation projects, establishment Sunnyside City Ambulance Service, domestic sewer plant expansion, Interstate I-82 routing.



JOE
MORALES

SUNNYSIDE CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #2

Many friends, Anglos and Hispanics alike, encouraged me to run for the City Council because they knew that I would stand firm on:

- no more taxes;
- no more subsidies to big business;
- no more increases on municipal utilities;

I will stand firm against increasing the cost of living for retirees, and many other friends of limited income who need to live with dignity. I will also stand firm on:

- better management of municipal services;
- seeking alternative funding for local transportation;
- making better deals for ambulance and garbage collection services.

As a businessman I can provide the kind of thinking that has been needed in Sunnyside's municipal policies. I will see that the City is run efficiently, with its residents in mind. Make your vote count with me. I live and work in Sunnyside. I will actively work to keep your trust.



**ED
PRILUCKIK**

SUNNYSIDE CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #3 - 4 YR TERM S/F

As a Sunnyside City Councilman, I will strive to represent all citizens of the City on issues that are before the Council. I will receive and solicit opinions from citizens on issues and continue to be informed.

Sunnyside is growing rapidly and during the next 4 years, Council Members will be facing some tough decisions about Sunnyside's future. I am prepared to meet that challenge and also introduce and listen to new ideas.

The number one asset of the City is its people. The citizens of Sunnyside are made up of people from many diverse ethnic, religious, and economic backgrounds. In a community such as this you need strong leaders who can bridge the gaps and base decisions on the good of the whole and not solely on the advice of a few.

I feel I am one these leaders and ask for your vote.



**DEWANE
ASHBROOKS**

TIETON TOWN - MAYOR - 4 YR TERM S/F

My past eleven months as mayor and my time serving as a city council member more than qualifies me to continue as mayor of the Town of Tieton.

During this past year working with the City Council we have continued the Franklin Street Project, obtained the deed to the City Park, put in more street lights, aquired new office equipment, new equipment for our city water department, a vehicle for the Fire department for the benefit of our citizens. We have also formed a Citizen's Committee to work on growth management. The harmony between the council, planning commision and myself will lead to many more productive goals for our community.

My wife Jean and I are long time residents of the Town of Tieton. we have 4 children and our youngest is a Junior at Highland High School.



**WILBERT
(MAC)
McWAIN, SR.**

TIETON TOWN - MAYOR - 4 YR TERM S/F

After nine years as your Postmaster I am now making plans to retire. Thus the decision to run for Mayor. I feel I will and can give the needed time to administer the daily tasks of your City.

During the past nine years I have served 4 1/2 years as councilman, started the surplus foods program for our area and was founder of Fiesta Day which this year gave moneys to the Tieton Gazebo fund with which we hope to build a stage type gazebo for our town square.

We must continue to follow the lead of the present council to update our citylighting system and water system. The small cost of doing such now far out weighs the cost of system failures in the future. Even with this we can maintain a budget that the city can live with.



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TIETON TOWN COUNCIL - POSITION #1

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FRED C.
BECK

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TIETON TOWN COUNCIL - POSITION #2 - 2 YR UNEXP TERM

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

CINDY
STONE

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TIETON TOWN COUNCIL - POSITION #3

I was born in Yakima in 1941. I grew up on an apple ranch north east of Tieton. I was educated in the Highland Public Schools graduating in 1959. I attended Y.V.J.C. and graduated from J. M. Perry Institute. I have ben an active member of the Tieton Fire Dept. since 1959. I have owned and operated several antique and second hand stores both in Tieton and around the Valley. Before I was divorced in 1982 my wife and I operated the Tieton Square Auction for eight years. I am presently self employed selling vintige car parts at swap meets all over the Northwest. I am well acquainted with the City of Tieton having worked as a garbage man for it in the early 1960's.

This is the third time I have served on the Council.

MARCUS
DILLEY



**JUDITH
BOEKHOLDER**

TOPPENISH CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #1

I, Judith Boekholder, am seeking re-election to the council for a 5th term. I have lived in Toppenish continuously for 23 years since first coming here to teach. My family has been raised in the city and my spouse and I both work in Toppenish. In my 16 years on the council I have worked to improve the quality of our city for all citizens. Many blocks of streets have been paved, and curbs and sidewalks installed. Several hundred homes have been rehabilitated and nearly 100 new rental units constructed. Our new 50 meter pool, parks in downtown, murals, and new street lights are all contributing to a renewed vigor and pride in the community. Continued emphasis on improved housing, infrastructure, law enforcement, and economic development are helping Toppenish become a focal point for all the Yakima Valley. I will continue to work towards these goals if re-elected.

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TOPPENISH CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #1

I am a married, working parent with 4 children (ages 3, 9, 10, 14). I grew up in Toppenish and graduated from Top-Hi in 1968. I graduated from the University of Washington, earning a B.A., and a Law Degree.

My interest is that the children and residents of Toppenish have quality education and a clean and safe environment. Growth in the city increases our needs in fire protection, law enforcement, and additional space in our schools. By getting involved with city government, I will have an opportunity to provide input on growth management.

**IRENE
GUTIERREZ**





**NINA M.
MALTOS**

TOPPENISH CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #2

I was raised in Toppenish and graduated from Toppenish High School. I have worked with local farmers in the area and for the past six years have been employed as a registered nurse with the Toppenish School District. This experience has given me a long-standing familiarity with our town and its citizens.

Toppenish is, and always has been, "home" to me and my family. This commitment has given me the desire to become an active participant in the continued growth and credibility of Toppenish.

I ask for your support in allowing me the opportunity to help promote and serve the best interests of Toppenish and its citizens. I will carry out my responsibilities as a city council member in a positive and professional manner. I will help promote and maintain the direction Toppenish has taken to excel!



**BILL
ROGERS**

TOPPENISH CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #2

I have served on the Toppenish City Council since January, 1980. In that time we have built a new swimming pool, remodeled the jail, paved almost all the streets in town and added the beautiful street lights downtown. Our aggressive use of grants has enabled dozens of homeowners to improve their homes and businesses.

There is a renewed pride and enthusiasm in Toppenish. Businesses are excited about the promise of a tourism based economy as the murals and western theme attract growing numbers of visitors.

I am the only downtown business person in the council and am accessible to all the citizens.

I am a Toppenish High School graduate and have lived in Toppenish since I was 4 years old. I am married to my wife Karen and our son Benjamin is a senior at Topp-Hi. I look forward to serving the citizens of Toppenish for another four years.





RUSTY
JONES

TOPPENISH CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #3

I feel that the time has come to stop being a bystander.

To me, being involved in the process of government makes more sense than just standing on the sidelines complaining & doing nothing.



STAN
WISHKOSKI

TOPPENISH CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #3

My wife, Betty, and I have lived in Toppenish since 1957. After 25 years as Personnel Manager, I have retired from Del Monte Corporation. I received a B.S. Degree in Business Administration from the University of California, Berkeley.

As Councilman, I have served on Parks & Recreation Board, Western Design Review Board, COG representative. Organized the first City Drug Prevention Task Force in Yakima Valley. Currently, I am Chairman, Yakima County Health District Board; Chairman, MidValley Cable Regulation Board; Director, Toppenish Mural Society Board; member Chamber of Commerce Tourism Board.

It is my concern to provide the residents of Toppenish with the best quality of life that our revenues can provide. We have made great strides in housing, streets, parks, pool, street lighting, Western Theme. There is more to come with prudent management. Operating City Government is big business requiring experienced and knowledgeable people. I feel that I qualify.

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RONALD D.
KREBS

UNION GAP CITY - MAYOR

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UNION GAP CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #1

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

KURT
LAYMAN

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UNION GAP CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #2

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

DONNA L.
MILLER





**RICHARD C.
CALAHAN**

WAPATO CITY - MAYOR

Richard "Dick" Calahan has served the City of Wapato as Mayor for 8 1/2 years, and is running for reelection for a third time. Under his leadership the City has most recently completed a \$1.5+ million dollar improvement to the Wapato water system, improvement of the West first Street entrance to town and pump lift stations for the sewer system. His lobbying for Housing and Urban Development funds and other state matching funds has resulted in the rehabilitation of 65 North Wapato homes (\$1,117,100. (fund)) in 1987-1989, similar (\$500,000.) improvement in Central Wapato homes in 1990-91 and another (\$500,000.) grant is currently being dispensed to rehabilitate homes in the Wapato area. Mayor Calahan has earned the respect of his fellow City and County officials who elected him chairman of the Yakima Valley Conference of Governments.



**EDNA M.
MAUCH**

WAPATO CITY - MAYOR

Edna Mauch offers a fresh new look to the City of Wapato as Mayor. She believes in the community and wants to see: Wapato prosper and once again become a proud community.

Edna Mauch believes in a strong, responsive, efficient and accountable government. Public safety and crime prevention will remain top priorities. A strong emphasis on community and economic growth will be pursued including a long range planning process, a housing program and annexation of adjacent properties.

Edna is familiar with the rich history of the city, surrounding community and the people who live here. Edna is a proven community leader, second term as president of the Chamber of Commerce, secretary to the Civil Service Commission, serving on the Economic Development Commission and champion for the Community Breakfasts and Victory Plaza.

Difficult times lie ahead and Edna Mauch will provide the progressive leadership necessary to move Wapato into the future.

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**DEL
BUNNELL**

WAPATO CITY - COUNCILMEMBER AT LARGE - POSITION #1

After being elected to, and serving, previous terms to the Wapato City Council, I am especially interested in being elected to another term.

The current administration has accomplished a great deal in the last eight years for the betterment of the City and the residents.

With Council teamwork - the support of community organizations -- many individuals, and a good rapport with the Yakima Indian Nation the quality of life has improved for all. The new well is a good example of something being done to insure the well-being of our most treasured possession, that of our children! With the previous well all water had to travel across town to the school facilities; this could have created a disaster if there should ever have been a crisis at one of the schools. That danger has been eliminated. Phase one of the new park system is nearly completed.



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WAPATO CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #2 - 4 YR TERM S/F

It has been a pleasure to serve as an appointed councilmember for the past year. During that time, I have had the opportunity to work with several people who believe as I do that the City of Wapato has a bright future.

As your elected Councilman, I will continue to do everything I can to improve the quality of life for our citizens. This will include improved wastewater facilities, efforts to upgrade streets and sidewalks, revitalizing our business district most important addressing the needs and concerns of our residents.

I believe in Wapato and the Yakima Valley. My hope is that we can all get together and work as a team to make it an even better place to live. Please vote on election day and join me as we build a team for Wapato.

RIK
FOSS

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WAPATO CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #3

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

RAYMOND E.
JUDD



RICARDO
SOSA

WAPATO CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #3

A vote for Richard Sosa is a vote for community pride. Richard can help provide the leadership necessary to meet today's and tomorrow's challenges, as we move toward the twenty first century.

Richard Sosa believes that City government should be accountable to all citizens of our community. Richard is concerned about families and their future and would like to see them grow up in an economically strong, safe and healthy environment.

Richard believes that the necessary resources are in our community but a strong, responsive, and efficient government is needed to identify and coordinate these resources.

Wapato, like other rural communities, is faced with decreasing revenues, increasing demands for services and lack of affordable quality housing. Richard believes that long range planning is necessary to meet these challenges. By stepping forward to serve our community, Richard has committed himself to meet the challenge.



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WAPATO CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #4

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

JAMES W.
HANSON



ERNEST
BERGER

YAKIMA CITY COUNCIL - COUNCIL DISTRICT #1

COMMON SENSE LEADERSHIP

The decision to run for city council is based on my concern for the voter's having an ear and a voice in carrying out policy and administrative solutions relating to the affordable needs of our community.

Responsible decisions based on our ability to pay have fallen short and will create a fiscal downturn in meeting the real needs of our community. Police, fire, water, street, sewer, etc., should be the first to be funded with a long range plan to meet their future needs within our tax base.

As a Yakima native of 54 years who has worked and raised a family in Yakima I feel it is time for common sense leadership. We need to set real priorities you and I deem necessary so Yakima can move forward to its full potential.

TOGETHER WE CAN DO IT!



PAT
BERNDT

YAKIMA CITY COUNCIL - COUNCIL DISTRICT #1

* Local business owner * Married 26 years, two children * College graduate -
Mathematics Degree * History of community involvement * Initiator of July 4th
Celebration **PRIORITIES:** Continue to decrease drugs and crime; enhance Parks and
Recreation activities; promote economic development; support neighborhoods; encourage citizen
involvement; demand financial responsibility

As your mayor and a concerned citizen, I am proud to be the leader in the War Against
Drugs, clean up our neighborhoods, increase citizen involvement and City responsiveness. As
a former Parks Commissioner, I am committed to improve our Parks and Recreation programs.

As a Yakima business owner for 20 years, I understand customer service -- serving our
citizens -- and sound financial management. I will continue to build on my experiences,
enhancing our quality of life, economic development and your investment in City services.

Yakima is in a period of change. I will continue to provide leadership, commitment and
integrity.



CLARENCE
BARNETT

YAKIMA CITY COUNCIL - COUNCIL DISTRICT #2

I am seeking re-election to perform public service. It has always been my goal to analyze issues independently.

Present and long-term concerns relate to the gradual increases in city indebtedness and the ability to finance ongoing and new programs.

* Former Chairman and present member, Yakima District Board of Health. * Chairman, Yakima Valley Conference of Governments. * Economic Development Council, Greater Yakima Chamber of Commerce. * Mayor, 1984 - 1985. * Mayor Pro-Tem, 1982 - 1983; 1986 - 1987. * Member, Northwest Citizen's Forum on Defense Waste at Hanford, 1986. * Pioneer family since 1892. * Born and raised in Yakima. * Graduate University of Washington. * Lt. Colonel, U.S. Army (Retired). * Comptroller, Savings and Loan Association (10 years). * Appointed to Yakima City Council 1981. Elected 1982 - 1983 term; re-elected 1984 - 1987 term; re-elected 1988 - 1991 term.



CHUCK
MOORE

YAKIMA CITY COUNCIL - COUNCIL DISTRICT #2

I was taught that there are no free rides in life, even if we advertise that free ride. I do not understand taxes. We purchased a jail with our federal and county tax dollars. Now, we, the city, rent what we just purchased. I believe there is no ACCOUNTABILITY if the city investigates the county and the county investigates the city. Sounds like the TV show, Let's Make a Deal! I have been beaten and thrown in jail for what I believe in. I believe in putting ACCOUNTABILITY in our city government starting at the top. I also believe in an open door policy. My phone number is 457 - 8437. I need your vote. Let's put ACCOUNTABILITY in our city government.





LYNN
BUCHANAN

YAKIMA CITY COUNCIL - COUNCIL DISTRICT #3

I was born in Yakima and have lived and worked here all of my adult life. My business for 35 years has been not only in Yakima, but in District 3 of the City so I know the problems as well as the wonderful advantages of our city.

Yakima International Airport is an example of the way we have cut costs to the taxpayers, increased service to the citizens and started building towards an exciting source of new jobs and income for all of Yakima. I have been involved in the changes there since formation of the Airport Board.

Serving on the City Council lets me bring a businessman's viewpoint to the way our tax dollars are spent. I believe that a city's primary duty to its citizens is to use those tax dollars to efficiently provide basic services first. POLICE, FIRE, WATER, SEWER, STREETS.



PATTY F.
GONZALES

YAKIMA CITY COUNCIL - COUNCIL DISTRICT #3

As a 23 year resident of Southeast Yakima I'm aware of the needs of our community. My previous employment with Yakima Valley Council Action and my current employment with DSHS have continued to build my concern for people.

I'm a former board member of Planned Parenthood, Southeast Yakima CC and the YWCA. I currently serve on the United Way Committee, and the Perinatal Task Force at rVMT.

I'm concerned in maintaining the East side of town as a safe area for all people. I believe in the renovation not the demolition of our older homes. I'm interested in maintaining our irrigation system. Adopting a new system would add another cost to a population already financially stressed.

My contribution to the City Council would be an ethnically diverse and Socio point of view in building a better Yakima.





**BILL
BRADO**

YAKIMA CITY COUNCIL - COUNCIL DISTRICT #4 - 4 YR TERM S/F

MOTTO: "Your Voice In Yakima's Future"

Bill Brado believes it is time for a change in City Government. "Too many decisions are being made without regard to the good of the Public". Whether it is annexing West Valley, buying Tourist Trolleys for the Downtown or endorsing a new Utility tax, the City Council has to start listening to the People who elected them.

"Our City has several present and future challenges, and Bill can provide the strong leadership we need to make Yakima a safe, desirable place to live without undo pressure on our Taxpayers."

Bill is a longtime resident and business person, Army veteran, Husband, and Father of two children. Active Member of : *Yakima Affordable Housing Coalition *Yakima Urban Area Technical Advisory Committee *Yakima 2010 Growth Management Committee

Bill is experienced in State and local government and will bring responsible leadership to the City of Yakima.



**GEORGE H.
PECHTEL**

YAKIMA CITY COUNCIL - COUNCIL DISTRICT #4 - 4 YR TERM S/F

* 10 Year, Local, General Contractor * Married, one child * Graduate of Eisenhower High School * Yakima Valley Community College * University of Washington * Vietnam Veteran

I believe in a strong local economy, a growing Yakima, cost effective City services and attention to pressing problems.

We must have a strong intelligent team at the City Council. I am and will continue to be part of that team. From historic preservation to an attractive downtown, to better parks programs to keeping our neighborhoods clean, I've been and will be effective for you. Clean streets, neighborhoods, affordable housing, excellent parks and recreation programs, sound water and wastewater utilities, good public transportation and a city safe from drugs and crime are my promise.

I am proud of my accomplishments on City Council. From the \$3 million law and justice grant to our excellent Vision Yakima 2010 process, Yakima is Washington's "Best" neighborhood.

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ZILLAH CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #1

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

**ROBERT
CORY**



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ZILLAH CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #2

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

SHIRLEY
MUELKE



JOHN K.
PETTINGILL

ZILLAH CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #3

I am a lifelong resident of the area and a homeowner in the city of Zillah. I am married with two children. I was educated in local schools and am a college graduate with business management experience.

I will use sound business sense in helping to guide the council to the best decisions for our city. I'll work to improve local business and create more jobs through economic development; help beautify our city parks and cemetery; and work to continue the residential growth and property appreciation we are experiencing. I'll provide you a listening ear and an objective voice for the best interest of Zillah.

The future of Zillah influences all of our lives. I want us all to have the opportunity to raise our families and live in a community where a high standard of living, quality of life, and the importance of family are shared by everyone.

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ZILLAH CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #3

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KEZELE

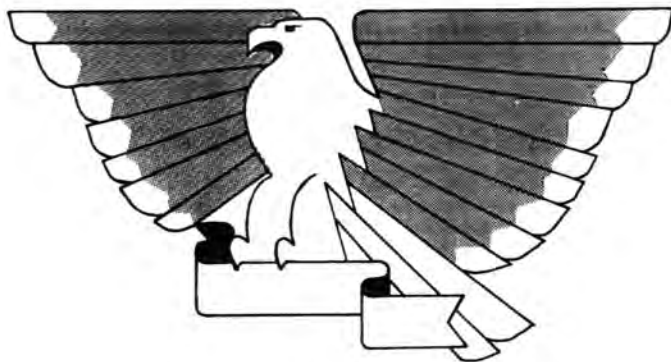


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ZILLAH CITY COUNCIL - POSITION #4 - 2 YR UNEXP TERM

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MARK S.
DRISCOLL



VOTE

To Protect The Bill Of Rights
Because It Protects
Your Right To Vote!



SCHOOL BOARD DIRECTORS:

Yakima County is divided into 16 separate school districts, each governed by a five-member board of directors. Their responsibilities focus on four areas: Quality of instruction, district planning, policy development and communications. Directors are local policy makers and serve as a link between the school system and the public.

Board members are elected in a non-partisan general election by all voters within that school district. They receive no salary or per diem pay. Board members are partners in a management team and share in a variety of management decisions from fiscal accounting, employment of teachers, educational materials, facilities to transportation services.

School directors are called upon to be leaders in the following areas:

- * Assessing and reflecting the educational needs and values of the community;
- * developing an educational philosophy;
- * establishing school district goals;
- * providing for program development activities;
- * reviewing the financial needs of the districts;
- * assuring systematic review and evaluation of all phases of the school program.

CANDIDATE STATEMENTS

SCHOOL BOARDS



TAMMY
HENNE

#2 UNION GAP SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #1

As a parent and a member of our community I strongly believe that the answers to the many problems that we face today lies within our children. I feel that it is our responsibility as a community, as parents and as teachers and school administrators to see that our children receive the best positive education available. I am more than willing to invest my time and energy into our children today for their success in the future.



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DAVINA
MARTIN

#2 UNION GAP SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #2

I am running for Position #2 on the Union Gap School Board because I want to be able to get involved in some of the decision making processes of our School District. I have lived in Union Gap with my husband, Jeff for the past sixteen years, we have two children in Union Gap School. I have been a volunteer in the classrooms of my children for the past three years and I feel that as a concerned member of our community and parent, I should become more familiar how our school system is operated. I would be able to serve the community, parents and teachers by becoming an element of the decision making process that the School Board accomplishes for us. I feel that parents should become involved in their children's lives. This would be a valued learning experience to me to be able to serve in this position.

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DONALD C.
SMITH

#2 UNION GAP SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #3

(Candidate did not submit a statement)





JIM
DWINELL

JT. # 3 NACHES VALLEY SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #1

The demands of the 21st century are upon us. Naches must provide complete, competitive instruction so that our kids can be adequately employed in this new global society. The old ways will soon be unacceptable. We must strive for proven, new, and innovative instruction to prepare our students. Better attention to the basics in education will prepare kids to learn more and faster, which is crucial in the years ahead.

I feel qualified to ask for your vote, not because of my experience on numerous boards and committees, and not because of my involvement in years of youth activities, but because I deeply care about Naches and our kids. In the final analysis, the school isn't for the community, the teachers, nor the administration. It's for the kids! Only a dedicated board involved with an informed community can prepare our students for their challenges ahead.



GEORGE
PICKARD

JT. #3 NACHES VALLEY SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #1

I am a retired teacher with 30+ years of experience. I hold an education degree with three years graduate study, and have instructed graduate level teacher workshops. I am familiar with the educational process.

I believe a board member should be involved, present, and visible in the schools rather than one who attends board meetings once a month. I intend to participate within the district to maintain a working knowledge of daily events and procedures. Thus, I can better assist with problems and impending changes.

As educational techniques of 25 years ago do not apply today, we need to move to the future with an awareness of the need for continuing improvements and adaptations. I would like to see a teamwork approach, involving the instructional staff more in planning and needs assessments.

I welcome the opportunity to further serve the students, staff and patrons of the Naches Valley School District.



PEGGY
EUTENEIER

JT. #3 NACHES VALLEY SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #4

Although I am without an opponent in this election, I can still be defeated in the next four years on the Naches Valley School Board. I can be defeated if school district patrons choose to be apathetic and uninvolved in issues affecting the district. I can be defeated if those working for the district — administration, teachers, and public school employees — do not refrain from partisanship and politics to keep in focus the needs and best interests of the district and its students. I can be defeated if we school board members are not responsive to our constituents when ideas, complaints and suggestions are expressed.

Take a real interest in the future of the district, for there are important issues before us in the next few years. Our school board should be a viable representation of constituent values and goals. It's our school board — let's make it work.



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JT. #3 NACHES VALLEY SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #5

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

JERRY
ROBBINS

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#116/200 GRANDVIEW SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #1

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

MARGARET
(MAGGIE)
PORTER





L. J.
EMERSON

**#116/200 GRANDVIEW SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #2 -
2 YR UNEXP TERM**

Schools are the central part of our community. Our school must provide quality education and opportunities for all children. Our school must establish an environment where students can develop constructive attitudes and ethics. As a current board member I am proud of what we have done to improve student opportunities and the district's strong financial position. More can be done educationally and financially through sound planning and direction and by increasing harmony among all district personnel. I will continue to work as your director to help make this happen. My background is in education, finance and agriculture. I am now an agricultural credit approval officer for U.S. Bank. I have taught and worked in administration and teacher supervision for schools and the State Superintendent's office. My wife and I live and grow fruit in south Grandview. Two of our three children attend Grandview schools with the third to start soon.



RICK
KIMBROUGH

**#116/200 GRANDVIEW SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #2 -
2 YR UNEXP TERM**

BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION: Age 43; Graduate of: Grandview High School (1966), Whitman College (1970), Northwestern School of Law, Lewis & Clark College (1973); life-long resident of Grandview; father of two school-age daughters, attending Grandview Schools; lawyer by profession. Civic positions include: Trustee Bleyhl Community Library, (past) Trustee Yakima County Law Library, (present) and Director Lower Valley Pathway, (past).

CONCERNS: Improving communications between school directors and patrons, parents and members of the community within the district; re-establishing our schools as a center-piece of our community; developing programs for the multi-faceted needs of our students; expanding guidance/options programs for students within the district; developing greater public accessibility to district facilities; and maintaining fiscal responsibility.

GOALS: To serve as an informed school district director, accessible to the public, and committed to the maintenance and improvement of our district educational programs and facilities.

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RALPH C.
OLER

#116/200 GRANDVIEW SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #3

(Candidate did not submit a statement.)



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GEORGE
GRAF

#116/200 GRANDVIEW SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #4

Dear Grandview Voters:

Due to personal reasons it is not possible for me to serve on the school board. The time I have been on the board has been rewarding. With this statement I cast my support to Jim Hansen, who I am sure will do a good job.

Sincerely yours,

George Graf



JIM
HANSEN

#116/200 GRANDVIEW SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #4

Grandview businessman and farmer, Jim Hansen is a candidate for the Grandview School Board. The former teacher and father of two Grandview students will work to revitalize the school district.

"I want to establish a parent-faculty-administrative team with a goal of producing responsible, critical thinking graduates able to succeed in a competitive world. This can only be achieved with strong leadership and the involvement of the entire community."

Jim Hansen is uniquely qualified by training and experience to serve as your school board representative.





THOMAS W.
REDTFELDT

#119 SELAH SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #3

I am Vice-President of the Selah DARE Board. I am running for the Selah School Board. I feel that the school board is an extension of the people who live and work in the school district. We owe it to the kids in the district to give them the best education that we can. They are the future of our country.



CAROLE
VALENTINE

#119 SELAH SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #3

I, Carole Valentine, have filed for re-election for Director District No. 3, Selah School District Board of Directors. My husband Dan and I attended Selah schools, elementary through high school. Our son Shane is a junior at Selah High School and Eric is in eighth grade at Selah Middle School.

During the past eight years, I am proud to have been involved in the construction of the new high school and the implementation of the preschool, latch-key program, and P.U.L.S.E. Alternative School.

Over the next four years, I would like to see more communication between the schools, teachers, children, and parents. By restructuring how we relate to each other, we can have a positive impact on how our students learn. This is true whether or not you have children/grandchildren in school. They are still our future. I believe in this very strongly - for my children and yours.





FRANK S.
ROWLEY

#119 SELAH SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #4

Attending schools and living in Selah for the past 37 years has given me a sense of pride and a feel for the pulse of our community. Sue and I have two children, Donovan 12, and Aleha 9, both attending Selah schools.

I believe my 18 years of experience as a successful business owner/operator that employees up to 20 people has given me knowledge and a perspective that is invaluable as a Board member, in the directing of the Selah School district.

When elected my goals are:

- * More parental involvement in their children's education
- * Increased class selections at the High School
- * Tracking of students "at risk" to keep them from falling through the cracks and leaving school
- * Improving the educational system through communication between administration, staff and parents

I am committed to representing the patrons of this District and delivering the quality of education our children deserve.



DAVID D.
HARRIS

#119 SELAH SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #4

This is my eighth year as one of your Selah School District Directors. In eight years I've spent approximately 500 hours representing you in District business meetings. In addition, I have spent over 60 days at training conferences and representing you and your children at the State School Directors Association. I served on the Resolutions Committee of the Washington State School Directors Association for six years and was Chairman of that committee for four years.

I'm dedicated to providing the innovative educational programs required for your children and my children to succeed in a world which is becoming more complex each day. I believe we must provide our children with the skills and decision making abilities required to achieve and maintain the high standard of living which we desire for them.

Thank you for allowing me to represent you for the past eight years.



LISA
IVERSON

#119 SELAH SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #5

For several years I have been an active volunteer in the Selah School District and community. I have served on PTA boards as well as scouting programs, levy, AIDS curriculum, and Visions 2000 committees. I believe that volunteers play a vital role in our community.

One of the most satisfying experiences was being the President of the Selah D.A.R.E. organization. This grassroots' effort was able to raise sufficient funds, and, I am pleased to say the program has been implemented in our schools.

After working closely with students, parents, teachers and administrators, I have a good understanding of the concerns in our district. District decisions must be made with each students' education being of foremost concern. I am confident I would be an asset as a school board director.



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#120 MABTON SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #1

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

**J. DONALD
BASER**



**DONNA L.
ROETTGER**

#120 MABTON SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #4

I Donna L. Roettger am vying for Director District Number Four.

Being a life-long citizen of Mabton, I have interest an concern in our City and our Schools. My children, grandchildren an I have all attended Mabton Schools.

Having been a charter-member of the Title I Board, served on City Council eight years I'm comfortable working with governing organizations and familiar with federal and state regulations

I would appreciate your vote.

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#120 MABTON SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #5

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

**BILL
HARRIS**



ROSITA
CASTILLO

#201 SUNNYSIDE SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #1

I am a resident of the city of Sunnyside and a proud parent of 2 daughters: Reyna Maria (8) and Krystal (3). My involvement with youth and parents in the Yakima Valley motivated me to run for a position on the School Board.

I wish to see the School Board, administration, parents, educators, community leaders, and the Students themselves work together as a team, to decrease school drop-out rates, prevent the use and abuse of alcohol and other drugs, and insist that our policy makers at the state and national level invest more in the development of human resources. With your support, I feel I can become an active and willing participant in the challenging task of ensuring excellence in education to all students.



MIKE
DIAZ

#201 SUNNYSIDE SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #1

Spouse: Barbara 2 children: Veronica Escobar and Michelle Gonzales 6 Grandchildren, all enrolled in Sunnyside School District

Employment: Local Program Coordinator with Office Of Aging And Long Term Care
Employer: Yakima County

Education: Business Administration - Yakima Valley College

Experience: 3 years on Sunnyside School Board, 23 years experience in management.

Will continue to work as part of a team with the other school board members, I support the recruiting and hiring of the most qualified teachers for the district. I support the continuous training for teachers and counselors for most effective teaching methods. I support the school working closely with parents on student progress and problems to assure students receive the best possible education for grades K-12 and preparation for colleges or vocational schools. I strongly support continued work with the DARE program and education on drugs.

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#201 SUNNYSIDE SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #4

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

FREDRICK
KILIAN



GERRY
LAMBERTE, JR.

#201 SUNNYSIDE SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #5

I and my wife Dorothy have lived in Sunnyside for the past 18 years. Our four children, Terry 17, Genlyn 14, Travis 12, and Troy 10, all attend Sunnyside schools.

I believe we are now entering a new era in education where we must emphasize curriculum.

School board members, parents, educators and local officials must get more involved and work as a team providing leadership and support to eradicate drugs, alcohol, and gang problems in our schools and our community.

I firmly believe that our children will benefit most by giving them the best education by hiring the best and maintaining well qualified teaching staff. With our resources in hand we will be able to achieve this goal.



KEITH E.
McDONALD

#201 SUNNYSIDE SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #5

The needs of students continue to be of major concern to me. My intention is to strive for an educational system that will benefit the broad spectrum of students that attend Sunnyside Schools. I am an advocate of programs for the exceptional student. Drugs, gangs, dropouts are problems we continue to battle.

During my tenure on the Sunnyside School Board, modernization projects on the Sunnyside High School, Washington, and Outlook have been completed. Work is continuing on Harrison Middle School and Lincoln. Thanks to the voters of Sunnyside, we now have a first class auditorium for use by the public as well as the schools.

The educational needs of our children are a cooperative effort among parents, educators and community members.

Board members should listen to their constituents and be fiscally responsible to them. If re-elected, I will continue to be accessible and responsible to the voters of Sunnyside.





**ROBERTO
ALVIZO**

#202 TOPPENISH SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #1

As a resident of Toppenish for many years, I have decided that it is time to become more involved in the community where I have chosen to raise my children.

We live in a diverse community that is going through many changes. Our schools are the backbone for developing responsible citizens for the future. If our children are not respected for the uniqueness of their culture, we will strip them of their pride and self worth. Perceptions of lack of opportunity and lack of self worth will only contribute to a high drop out rate which in turn will promote teen problems.

The way to fight the cycle of poverty is to confront it by providing quality education to all children. We need to have sensitive teachers and pay them quality salaries. We need to involve parents in the education of their children.



**GINNY
WELLS**

#202 TOPPENISH SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #1

As an eleven-year resident of Toppenish, I have witnessed many changes within this community. As a single, working parent of two boys, I have not always been in favor of recent educational trends.

In the interest of our children, I intend to do everything possible to improve the quality of education in Toppenish. I hope to expand communication among all persons involved in the educational process - teachers, administrators, children, parents. Balance must be achieved between studies and sports. Standards of excellence must replace mediocrity.

A college graduate, I hold a bachelor's degree in education, with a major in health and physical education. My employment has included two years as a legal secretary, six years in medical records at the local nursing home, and the past three years as a pharmacy assistant at Providence Hospital - Toppenish. As chairman of the hospital Employee Relations Committee, I coordinate hospital-community functions.

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**ELLS
JOHNSON**

#202 TOPPENISH SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #4

(Candidate did not submit a statement)



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#202 TOPPENISH SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #5

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

JOHN
BABICH



VIRGINIA
(GINI)
OBERT

#202 TOPPENISH SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #5

It is with great pride that I have served as a School Director for the Toppenish schools these past eight years. It has been my premise that education is a building block to the prosperity of our community and must be accessible to all students. Students **MUST** come **FIRST**. It is my firm belief that "ALL STUDENTS CAN LEARN" and that excellence and superior performance must be pursued.

Our school system has made strides to meet the needs of all its students. Our curriculum includes advanced placement courses in science and English, as well as support services for handicapped and at-risk students.

Education is a team effort among community, schools, and parents. I am proud to be a part of that team. Therefore, I am asking for your continued support and I would appreciate your vote on Tuesday, November 5th.

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#203 HIGHLAND SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #1

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

RON
ZIRKLE



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#203 HIGHLAND SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #4

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

RAY
KELLER

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#203 HIGHLAND SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #5

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

KEN L.
SUGARMAN

No photo
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#204 GRANGER SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #2

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

RON
LIEBERT



No photo
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#204 GRANGER SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #4

In life one knows you can not stand still - one either goes forward or you go backward. This is true of communities governments - societies in general where people are living. Progress is the word. We must look to the future in our planning and building because we shall grow whether we are ready or not.

With careful preparation and budgeting we can be ready to meet the future growth in population and the facilities to meet their needs.

My family has lived in the Granger area for eleven years. We have built a video business and enjoyed the community. Our children have done well in school. My wife and I have appreciated the efforts of the faculty.

I had one year of college before I entered the U.S.A.F. When coming to Granger I farmed with my wife's family and do custom work.

STEVEN R.
GINES

No photo
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#204 GRANGER SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #4

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

TAMARA N.
PARKER

No photo
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#207 WAPATO SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #3

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

HILDA L.
SKONE



No photo
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#207 WAPATO SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #4

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

ALAN
McMAHAN



MARGARET
TANGEE
HYDE

#207 WAPATO SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #5

As a candidate for Wapato School Board, I would serve on the board with high hopes of helping our children and young adults receive the most appropriate and quality education they need to succeed and survive in today's society.

My interest in the District's educational programs, are to assist in the need for promoting higher level thinking skills, self-esteem building, lowering the drop-out rate and poor attendance, along with developing support for the communities in the war against drug and alcohol abuse.

As part of the helping profession, I believe that to help someone on the road to healing is to care. "All it takes is one person to care", is my motto for the new Healing Generation's journey to the year 2000.

No photo
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#207 WAPATO SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #5

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

TIMOTHY J.
MACKIE



No photo
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#208 WEST VALLEY SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #1

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

DON
EYMAN

No photo
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#208 WEST VALLEY SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #2
2 YR UNEXP TERM

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

DARRELL K.
SMART

No photo
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#208 WEST VALLEY SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #4

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

IRENE
GLESSNER



No photo
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#208 WEST VALLEY SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #5

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

WAYNE L.
KALBFLEISCH

No photo
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#209 MT. ADAMS SCHOOL DIST. -DIRECTOR DISTRICT #1

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

JAMES
CURTIS
HARRIS

No photo
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#209 MT. ADAMS SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #1

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

KAY
RIEL



ESTHER
JARNECKE

#209 MT. ADAMS SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #2

Since teaching in Selah several years ago I have been very interested in education in our Yakima Valley. Being a school director of the Mt. Adams School District has been a very rewarding personal experience. I want to say thank you to the voters who have made it possible. I have seen our district grow educationally and in numbers because of the good things that have been happening. Many improvements have been made in facilities and educational programs. Our dedicated staff is determined to give the students all the support that they can, and this is done even when the needs are very special. Our district is a grand mixture of many cultures and ideas with people showing love and consideration for each other. I believe our students deserve the best educational opportunities we can provide. I will continue to work to achieve this goal.

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#203 BICKLETON SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #2

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

NANCY
SLATER

No photo
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#203 BICKLETON SCHOOL DIST. - DIRECTOR DISTRICT #3

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

NEAL E.
BROWN



FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICTS:

Yakima County is divided into 11 fire protection districts. Each district is managed by a three-member board of commissioners.

Fire protection districts are formed for the provision of fire prevention services; fire suppression, emergency medical services and for the protection of life and property in areas outside of cities (in the unincorporated areas of the county). Because fire districts are political subdivisions of the state and municipal corporations, the only authority for administrative operations are decisions made by the elected board of fire commissioners.

The board has authority to hire and appoint employees (e.g. chief, secretary, firefighters, emergency medical technicians, etc.) but has full responsibility and authority for all aspects of the district. The board is required to hold regular monthly meetings and must comply with the Open Public Meeting Act and the public records statutes.

The county treasurer serves as the financial agent for a district. The treasurer collects taxes and assessments that are levied under the authority of the fire commissioners. The district, being a special purpose district, levies regular property taxes to provide services to the public; additionally, with voter approval, the board may issue bonds and make excess levies for specific purposes.

The voters elect commissioners to staggered six-year terms. These commissioners are subject to and must comply with all laws pertaining to fire districts, public officials and other applicable Washington State and federal statutes.

CANDIDATE STATEMENTS

FIRE DISTRICTS



**TOM
GERBRACHT**

FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT #1 – COMMISSIONER

After the Korean War I joined the Seattle Fire Department, reaching the promotion list in three years. Resigning, I pursued a career in the finance business for some 22 years, as a branch manager, field auditor, and personnel supervisor with responsibility for 8 States, and 300 employees.

I have been a full time fruit grower for 15 years, farming the "old Dick Walker place" out of Cowiche, and the "Doc Rudd place" on Naches Heights.

My wife, Pam has worked for a Yakima dental clinic for 15 years, and our son Joshua is a senior at Highland.

My prior business experience would be an asset in administering the Fire District budgets, and as a local farmer for 10 years, and member of Tieton Planning Commission, I maintain a strong interest in our community.

I would appreciate your vote for Fire Commissioner.



ROGER
PETERSEN

FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT #3 - COMMISSIONER

In keeping with the tradition of Fire District #3's excellent record of service and training, I will strive to ensure that the volunteers are afforded the best possible equipment, and that funds are made available for training in the latest fire and EMT's techniques.

I will join the the challenge of finding a solution to fund our "out of district" fire and aid calls.

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FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT #4 - COMMISSIONER - 6 YEAR TERM

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

ART
AARON

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FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT #4 - COMMISSIONER - 6 YEAR TERM

* Married for 18 years to wife Karen * Currently employed by the Union Gap Police Department as a logistics officer * Member of the Terrace Heights Grange since 1976
* Life member VFW 379 since 1974 * Self employed 1978 to 1990 * President of the Yakima Horseless Carriage Club - 1991 * Member of the Yakima Trolley Association
* Former member - Terrace Heights Fire Dept. 1980 to 1987

As you can see by the above, I am a very active person. I enjoy working with the public doing whatever I can to better the community I live in. I strongly believe it is time for new ideas and a fresh approach for the fire commissioners position. My experience in private business and my work with various public endeavors will be a definite asset to the citizens of the Terrace Heights - Moxee Fire District.

RICHARD P.
(RICH)
ROWLAND



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FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT #4 - COMMISSIONER - 4 YR UNEXP TERM

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

ROYLANCE W.
HILL

No photo
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FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT #5 - COMMISSIONER

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

HENRY
VANDEN BRINK,
JR.

No photo
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FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT #7 - COMMISSIONER

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

TONY L.
MAINS



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G. KENNETH
MCALLISTER

FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT #11 - COMMISSIONER - 6 YR TERM S/F

Mr. McAllister has been a resident of the District for ten years and has served as a fire commissioner for the past six years. He is a fire planning consultant and was very instrumental in the District's recent reduction in fire insurance classification from a class 8 to a class 5.

He has a degree in Fire Sciences and has instructed fire service planning and management for the State of Washington, the National Fire Academy, and several other state fire organizations.

He promotes the concept of less government and to that end supports regionalization where cost savings from redundant overhead can occur. The fire district has embarked on new programs and made great strides in recent years and he would like to see those improvements through to completion.



AUBREY C.
REEVES, JR.

FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT #11 - COMMISSIONER - 6 YR TERM S/F

I am a small Business owner and family man. I have been raised and educated in this District.

I started my business in this district 23 years ago and have continued to operate it in this district.

I have lived in this district for 45 years and am very committed to it. I have been on the church board at Central Assembly of God for several years and served as church Treasurer.

The office of County Fire Commissioner District 11 is one of trust and responsibility. It requires dedication and commitment to serve the people of this district, sound financial responsibility and an ability to work effectively and in harmony with the other commissioners.

With my experience I feel that I am well prepared for this position. I will listen to peoples needs and concerns and will serve the people in this district to the best of my ability.





PORT DISTRICT COMMISSIONERS:

Port districts are authorized for the purposes of development, maintenance, operation and regulation within the district of harbor improvements, rail or motor vehicle, water or air terminal facilities or any combination of such.

There are two port districts within Yakima County, each governed by a three-member board of commissioners, each residing in a separate commissioner district. The port commissioners are designated, by law, as the legislative authority of the port. Port commissioners are elected in a non-partisan general election by all voters within that port district. The regular terms for port commissioners are six (6) years.

Port districts are municipal corporations that are regulated by state law with bonding authority and taxing powers. The commissioners are responsible for setting policy and making decisions for the district; these policies guide the development, growth and operation of all the port facilities and functions. Members of the commission are, themselves, accountable for their action under state laws.

Port districts provide the opportunity for programs of industrial and economic development, to promote employment and otherwise enhance the economy of the district, county and state.

CANDIDATE STATEMENTS PORT DISTRICTS



ST. CLAIR
WOODWORTH

PORT OF SUNNYSIDE - COMMISSIONER - DISTRICT #3 - 6 YR TERM S/F

My name is St. Clair Woodworth. I was born in Sunnyside and went through the Grandview school system graduating in 1948. I served my country during the Korean Conflict. When I returned home I began farming, developing a 800 acre diversified farming operation at Outlook where Woodworth Farms raises mint, corn, wheat, beans, asparagus, and asparagus nursery stock.

I have been married to my wife Maria for 25 years and have 5 sons.

I was president of the Washington Asparagus Growers for the years of 1986 through 1988. The purpose of the Port of Sunnyside is to benefit the lower Yakima Valley's economic base by implementing policies and procedures that will contribute to the industrial infrastructure of the area.

I support those policies wholeheartedly.



SEWER DISTRICTS:

Yakima County has two sewer districts, Cowiche and Terrace Heights. Each sewer district is governed by a three-member board of commissioners.

Sewer districts are established to acquire, construct, maintain, operate, develop, reorganize and regulate a system of sewers, including treatment and disposal plants.

A system of sewers means and includes: Sanitary sewage disposal, storm or surface water sewers, outfall for storm or sanitary sewage and facilities for sanitary sewage treatment and disposal.

CANDIDATE STATEMENTS SEWER DISTRICTS

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STEVEN L
ERMEY

COWICHE SEWER DISTRICT - COMMISSIONER - 6 YR TERM S/F

(Candidate did not submit a statement)



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COWICHE SEWER DISTRICT - COMMISSIONER - 2 YR UNEXP TERM

(Candidate did not submit a statement)

JON
HALL



***ONE VOTE
REALLY DOES
MAKE A DIFFERENCE!***



YAKIMA COUNTY POLLING PLACE LOCATIONS

PRECINCT (City of Yakima)	POLLING PLACE	ADDRESS
0101	Yakima Convention Center	10 N. 8th St.
0102	Yakima Convention Center	10 N. 8th St.
0103	Yakima Convention Center	10 N. 8th St.
0104	Barge-Lincoln School	219 E. T St.
0105	VOTE-BY-MAIL	
0109	School Admin. Building	104 N. 4th Av.
0110	School Admin. Building	104 N. 4th Av.
0111	Garfield School	612 N. 6th Av.
0112	Central Lutheran Church	1604 W. Yakima Av.
0113	Central Lutheran Church	1604 W. Yakima Av.
0114	Central Lutheran Church	1604 W. Yakima Av.
0115	Central Lutheran Church	1604 W. Yakima Av.
0116	McKinley School	621 S. 13th Av.
0117	McKinley School	621 S. 13th Av.
0118	McKinley School	621 S. 13th Av.
0119	VOTE-BY-MAIL	
0120	VOTE-BY-MAIL	
0121	Washington Middle School	501 S. 7th St.
0122	VOTE-BY-MAIL	
0123	Washington Middle School	501 S. 7th St.
0125	VOTE-BY-MAIL	
0126	S. E. Community Center	1211 S. 7th St.
0127	Bethlehem Lutheran Church	801 Tieton Dr.
0128	Bethlehem Lutheran Church	801 Tieton Dr.
0129	McKinley School	621 S. 13th Av.
0130	Central Lutheran Church	1604 W. Yakima Av.
0131	McClure School	1222 S. 22nd Av.
0132	McKinley School	621 S. 13th Av.
0133	Central Lutheran Church	1604 W. Yakima Av.
0134	Nob Hill School	801 S. 34th Av.
0135	McKinley School	621 S. 13th Av.
0136	Central Lutheran Church	1604 W. Yakima Av.
0137	Central Lutheran Church	1604 W. Yakima Av.
0138	Robertson School	2807 W. Lincoln Av.
0140	Hoover School	400 W. Viola Av.
0141	Nob Hill School	801 S. 34th Av.
0142	Hoover School	400 W. Viola Av.
0143	Garfield School	612 N. 6th Av.
0145	McClure School	1222 S. 22nd Av.
0146	Robertson School	2807 W. Lincoln Av.
0148	McClure School	1222 S. 22nd Av.
0149	Robertson School	2807 W. Lincoln Av.
0150	Robertson School	2807 W. Lincoln Av.
0151	Englewood Christian Church	511 N. 44th Av.
0152	McClure School	1222 S. 22nd Av.
0153	Eisenhower High School	702 S. 40th Av.
0154	Eisenhower High School	702 S. 40th Av.
0155	McClure School	1222 S. 22nd Av.
0156	Hoover School	400 W. Viola Av.
0157	Hoover School	400 W. Viola Av.
0158	Central Lutheran Church	1604 W. Yakima Av.
0159	Garfield School	612 N. 6th Av.
0160	Central Lutheran School	1604 W. Yakima Av.
0161	Hoover School	400 W. Viola Av.
0162	McClure School	1222 S. 22nd Av.
0163	Englewood Christian Church	511 N. 44th Av.
0164	Englewood Christian Church	511 N. 44th Av.
0165	Robertson School	2807 W. Lincoln Av.
0166	Robertson School	2807 W. Lincoln Av.
0167	Hoover School	400 W. Viola Av.
0168	Englewood Christian Church	511 N. 44th Av.
0169	Englewood Christian Church	511 N. 44th Av.

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YAKIMA COUNTY POLLING PLACE LOCATIONS

PRECINCT	POLLING PLACE	ADDRESS
(City of Yakima)		
0170	Nob Hill School	801 S. 34th Av.
0171	Nob Hill School	801 S. 34th Av.
0172	Eisenhower High School	702 S. 40th Av.
0173	Eisenhower High School	702 S. 40th Av.
0174	Englewood Christian Church	511 N. 44th Av.
0175	Englewood Christian Church	511 N. 44th Av.
0177	McClure School	1222 S. 22nd Av.
0178	Englewood Christian Church	511 N. 44th Av.
0179	Summitview Elementary School	6305 W. Chestnut Av.
0180	Summitview Elementary School	6305 W. Chestnut Av.
0181	Summitview Elementary School	6305 W. Chestnut Av.
0183	Englewood Christian Church	511 N. 44th Av.
0185	Whitney Elementary School	4411 W. Nob Hill Bv.
0186	Summitview Elementary School	6305 W. Chestnut Av.
0187	Whitney Elementary School	4411 W. Nob Hill Bv.
0188	Summitview Elementary School	6305 W. Chestnut Av.
0189	VOTE-BY-MAIL	
0190	Castlevalle Elementary School	2902 Castlevalle Bv.
(City of Grandview)		
0301	Arthur Smith School	205 Fir St.
0302, 0303	Grandview Police Station	City Hall
0304	McClure Elementary School	915 W. Second Av.
0305, 0306	McClure Elementary School	915 W. Second Av.
0307	McClure Elementary School	915 W. Second Av.
(Town of Granger)		
0501	Roosevelt Elementary School	
(Town of Harrah)		
0701	Harrah Grade School	
(Town of Mabton)		
0901	Mabton School Admin. Bldg.	306 N. Main St.
(City of Mossee)		
1101	Mossee Elementary School	
(Town of Naches)		
1301	Naches Middle School	Shafter Av.
(City of Selah)		
1501, 1502, 1503	Selah Civic Center	216 S. 1st St.
1504, 1505	Selah Civic Center	216 S. 1st St.
(City of Sunnyside)		
1701	Harrison Middle School	
1702, 1703, 1704	Lincoln School	1110 S. 6th St.
1705, 1706	Our Savior's Lutheran Church	
1707	Harrison Middle School	
1708	Sunnyside Christian School	811 North Av.
(Town of Tieton)		
1901	Tieton Middle School	
1902	VOTE-BY-MAIL	
(City of Toppenish)		
2101, 2102	Garfield School	505 Madison Av.
2103, 2104, 2105	Lincoln School	309 N. Alder St.
2106	Lincoln School	309 N. Alder St.
2107	Garfield School	505 Madison Av.

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YAKIMA COUNTY POLLING PLACE LOCATIONS

PRECINCT	POLLING PLACE	ADDRESS
(City of Union Gap) 2301, 2302, 2303 2304 2305	Union Gap School Library Martin Luther King, Jr. Elementary VOTE-BY-MAIL	2000 S. 18th St.
(City of Wapato) 2501, 2502 2503 2504	Wapato Police Station Wapato High School Wapato Police Station	202 E. 3rd St. 1103 S. Wasco 202 E. 3rd St.
(City of Zillah) 2701, 2702	Zillah Middle School Library	
(Rural Precincts) 3001 Airport 3002 Allalla 3003 Apple Valley 3101 Belma 3102 Bradshaw 3104 Buena 3105 Byron 3106 Butterfield 3201 Cascade 3202 Castlevale 3203 Chinook 3204 Clifford 3205 Cottonwood 3206 Country Club 3208 Cowiche Cyn. 3301 E. Ahlman 3303 E. Granger 3304 E. Mooser 3305 E. Naches 3306 E. Selah 3307 E. Summitview 3308 E. Tieton 3309 E. Toppenish 3310 E. Wapato 3311 E. Zillah 3312 Englewood 3313 Eschbach 3501 Fairgrounds 3502 Fairview 3503 Fullbright 3601 Glade 3602 Gleed 3605 Gromore 3701 Harrah Rural 3702 Harwood 3703 Hillside 3902 Liberty 3903 Lower Wenas 3904 Lower Naches 4001 McKinley 4002 Mabton Rural 4003 Mooser 4101 Naches Hgts. 4102 Nile 4104 N. Cowiche 4105 N. Grandview 4106 N. Holland	Ridgeview Elementary Staff Dev. Cntr. Allalla Grange Apple Valley School McClure Elementary School First Baptist Church Buena Grange VOTE-BY-MAIL Terrace Hgts. Elementary Berge-Lincoln School Castlevale School W. V. Nazarene Church VOTE-BY-MAIL Mountainview School Terrace Hgts. Elementary VOTE-BY-MAIL Perry Technical Institute Roosevelt Elementary Mooser Elementary School Naches Middle School State Hwy. Dept. Bldg. Robertson School Tieton Middle School VOTE-BY-MAIL Wapato High School Zillah High School Summitview Elementary Lower Naches Grange VOTE-BY-MAIL Martin Luther King, Jr. Elementary VOTE-BY-MAIL VOTE-BY-MAIL Lower Naches Grange Mountainview School Harrah Grade School West Valley High School Summitview Elementary Roosevelt Elementary Fire Station #4 VOTE-BY-MAIL Heritage College Gym Mabton School Admin Bldg. Mooser Elementary School Naches Hgts. Fire Station Nile Club House Highland High School McClure Elementary School E. Valley Admin. Bldg.	609 W. Washington Av. 7 N. 88th Av. 915 W. Second Av. W. Wapato Rd. Highland Dr. 4209 Terrace Hgts. Rd. 219 E. "T" St. 2902 Castlevale Bv. 72nd & Nob Hill Bv. 830 Stone Rd. 4209 Terrace Hgts. Rd. 2011 W. Washington Av. Stierlin Av. E. Selah Rd. 2807 W. Lincoln Av. 1103 S. Wasco Av. 2nd Av. 6305 W. Chestnut Av. 1800 Old Naches Hwy. 2000 S. 18th St. 1800 Old Naches Hwy. 830 Stone Rd. 9206 Zier Rd. 6305 W. Chestnut Av. Wenas Rd. McKinley Rd. 306 N. Main St. Nile Rd. 915 W. Second Av. 2002 Besucky Rd.

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YAKIMA COUNTY POLLING PLACE LOCATIONS

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(Rural Precincts)

4106 N. Selah Hgts.
4109 N. Sunnyside
4110 N. Toppenish
4111 N. Glend
4112 N. Selah
4113 N. Tieton
4114 N. Tappico
4115 N. Wenas
4301 Old Town
4303 Outlook
4401 Parker Hgts.
4402 Pomona
4502 Roza
4503 Rimrock
4601 Scenic
4602 Selah Central
4603 Selah Extension
4604 Selah Rural
4605 Sheller
4606 Slavin
4607 S. Airport
4608 S. Broadway
4609 S. Cowiche
4610 S. Grandview
4611 S. Holland
4612 S. Naches
4613 S. Nob Hill
4614 S. Selah Hgts.
4615 S. Sunnyside
4616 S. Toppenish
4618 Sunny Valley
4619 Sunset
4620 Stanton
4621 Sunnides
4622 S. Zillah
4623 S. Ahlman
4624 S. Hills
4625 S. Wenas
4626 Summitview
4801 Tappico
4802 Terrace Hgts.
4901 Upper Wenas
5001 Waneta
5002 Wendell Phillips
5003 W. Ahlman
5004 W. Fruitvale
5005 W. Naches
5006 W. Nob Hill
5007 W. Parker
5008 W. Tieton
5009 W. Wapato
5010 Westview
5011 Westwood
5012 White Swan
5013 Wide Hollow
5014 Wiley City
5016 W. Selah
5201 Zier

POLLING PLACE

Selah Hgts. Grange
Sunnyside Christian School
Toppenish High School
Lower Naches Grange
Selah Civic Center
Tieton Middle School
VOTE-BY-MAIL
VOTE-BY-MAIL
VOTE-BY-MAIL
Outlook School
Parker Hgts. School
State Hwy. Dept. Bldg.
Wilbur Dalm Residence
VOTE-BY-MAIL
Castlevale School
Selah Civic Center
Selah Civic Center
Selah Civic Center
Lincoln School
Terrace Hgts. Elementary
VOTE-BY-MAIL
Ridgeview Elementary Staff Dev. Cntr.
Highland High School
McClure Elementary School
E. Valley Admin. Bldg.
Naches Middle School
Wilson Middle School
Selah Hgts. Grange
Lincoln School
Mt. Adams Country Club
Harrison Middle School
Summitview Elementary
Ridgeview Elementary Staff Dev. Cntr.
Lower Naches Grange
Zillah High School
VOTE-BY-MAIL
Youth Activities Park
VOTE-BY-MAIL
VOTE-BY-MAIL
Weed Memorial Hall
Terrace Hgts. Elementary
VOTE-BY-MAIL
Waneta Grange Hall
Lincoln School
Area Agency on Aging Bldg.
Castlevale School
Naches Middle School
VOTE-BY-MAIL
Wapato High School
Tieton Middle School
Wapato High School
Apple Valley School
W. V. Nazarene Church
White Swan High School
W. V. Nazarene Church
Ahlman Grade School
Selah Civic Center
West Valley High School

ADDRESS

McConagie Rd.
811 North Av.
Ward Rd.
1800 Old Naches Hwy.
216 S. 1st St.

Van Belle Rd.
Parker Hgts. Loop Rd.
E. Selah Rd.
Maple Grove Rd.

2902 Castlevale Bv.
216 S. 1st St.
216 S. 1st St.
216 S. 1st St.
1110 S. 6th St., S'side
4209 Terrace Hgts. Rd.

609 W. Washington Av.

915 W. Second Av.
2002 Beauty Rd.
Shafter Av.
902 S. 44th Av.
McConagie Rd.
1110 S. 6th St., S'side
Goldendale Hwy.

6305 W. Chestnut Av.
609 W. Washington Av.
1800 Old Naches Hwy.
2nd Av.

1000 Ahlman Rd.

4209 Terrace Hgts. Rd.

1110 S. 6th St., S'side
2009 S. 6th Av.
2902 Castlevale Bv.
Shafter Av.

1103 S. Wasco Av.

1103 S. Wasco Av.
7 N. 88th Av.
72nd & Nob Hill Bv.

72nd & Nob Hill Bv.
3006 S. Wiley Rd.
216 S. 1st St.
9206 Zier Rd.

VOTING BY ABSENTEE BALLOT

INSTRUCTIONS: Any registered voter who will not be able to vote in person may apply for an absentee ballot. For your convenience, a request form is located on the following page. Include your printed name, address at time of registration, address to which the ballot is to be mailed, and your signature. The voter's signature must compare to the voter's permanent registration record. **Mail your request directly to your county auditor. See addresses below.** A request may be made either in person, by mail or messenger and must be received by the county auditor no later than the day before the election. **Exception:** A voter may apply for an absentee ballot up to and including the day of the election if the voter was admitted to the hospital no earlier than 5 days before the election and confined to the hospital on election day. Contact the hospital administrator or county elections department for such a ballot. **An absentee ballot must be voted and postmarked no later than the day of the election.** Make your request as soon as possible to allow sufficient time for an exchange of correspondence with the county elections department.

COUNTY	ADDRESS	CITY	ZIP	NUMBER
Adams	210 West Broadway	Ritzville	99169	659-0090*
Asotin	P.O. Box 129	Asotin	99402	243-4164*
Benton	P.O. Box 470	Prosser	99350	783-1310x618*
Chelan	P.O. Box 400	Wenatchee	98807	664-5432*
Clallam	223 East 4th St.	Port Angeles	98362	452-7831
Clark	P.O. Box 5000	Vancouver	98668	699-2345
Columbia	341 East Main St.	Dayton	99328	382-4541*
Cowlitz	207 North 4th	Kelso	98626	577-3002
Douglas	P.O. Box 456	Waterville	98858	745-8527*
Ferry	P.O. Box 498	Republic	99166	775-5200*
Franklin	1016 North 4th Ave.	Pasco	99301	545-3536*
Garfield	P.O. Box 278	Pomeroy	99347	843-1411*
Grant	P.O. Box 37	Ephrata	98823	754-2011x333*
Grays Harbor	P.O. Box 751	Montesano	98563	249-4232
Island	P.O. Box 5000	Coupeville	98239	679-7366
Jefferson	P.O. Box 563	Port Townsend	98368	385-9119
King	500 4th Avenue	Seattle	98104	296-8683
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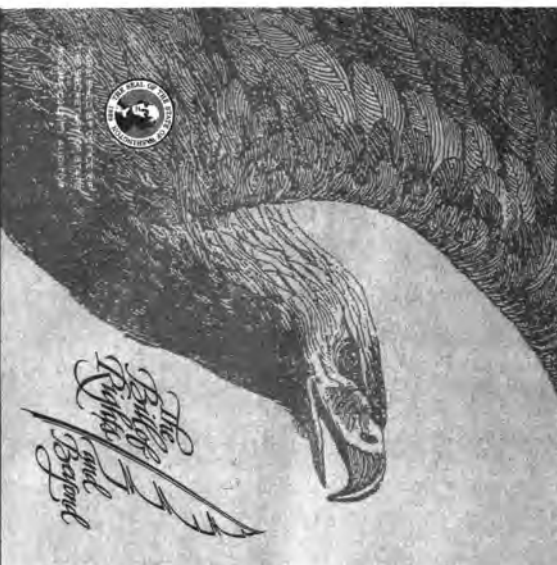
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