

November 7, 2017 General and Special Election

King County Official Local Voters' Pamphlet



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 Your ballot will arrive by October 23

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From the Director


Dear Friends,

We make choices every day, from what color shirt to wear to what kind of latte to drink. But when it comes to life's important choices, many of us let others do the choosing for us. I'm talking about the choices we make by voting. My job as an election administrator is to make democracy work – and democracy works best when everyone has an opportunity to make their voices heard. It's my job to facilitate that. But, I can't do it without you.

Not enough of us vote in local elections, which have the biggest impact on our quality of life. Turnout during the 2017 primary was just 34%. That means a third of the voting population decided on measures and determined which candidates would go on the General Election ballot. If you didn't vote, the choices were made for you.

We can do better this time around. Our local elections are when you get to make choices about city council and school board races, local initiatives and fire district levies, propositions to fund parks and school construction. Those are the important choices about our community and we have to do better. Use this voters' pamphlet as a starting point for information on all of the races that impact you.

Please remember to vote and return your ballot by November 7. Don't leave it to a few people to make the choice for you. It's your vote. It's your voice.


Julie Wise, Director

Reading the local voters' pamphlet



Why are there measures in the local voters' pamphlet that are not on my ballot?

The measures on your ballot reflect the districts in which you are registered to vote. The local voters' pamphlet may cover multiple districts and include measures outside of your districts.

What is the order of candidates in the local voters' pamphlet?

Candidates in the local voters' pamphlet appear in the order they will appear on the ballot.

Are candidate statements fact checked before they are published?

No. King County Elections is not responsible for the content or accuracy of the statements, and we print them exactly as they are received (including any potential errors). We ask candidates to use their statement to let voters know why they should vote for them and to avoid criticism of opponents.

Candidate statement word limits are based upon the number of registered voters within each district.

What is an explanatory statement?

A ballot measure explanatory statement is prepared by the district's attorney; it outlines the effect the ballot measure would have if passed into law.

How are committees in favor of or in opposition to a measure formed?

Districts choosing to participate in a local voters' pamphlet are responsible for appointing committee members who agree to write statements.

The statements are a way to persuade voters to vote for or against a measure. King County Elections is not responsible for the content or accuracy of the statements, and prints them exactly as they are received.

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You will receive two voters' pamphlets

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King County Elections is open Monday - Friday from 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Voter Registration Annex

King County Administration Building

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Seattle, WA 98104

The Voter Registration Annex is open Monday - Friday from 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

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Requirements

To register to vote in Washington, you must be:

- A citizen of the United States;
- A legal resident of Washington State;
- At least 18 years old by Election Day;
- Not disqualified from voting due to a court order; and
- Not under Department of Corrections supervision for a Washington State felony conviction.

How to register

- Register online with the Secretary of State, www.vote.wa.gov.
- Download a registration form from the King County Elections website.
- Register in person at the King County Elections office or at the Voter Registration Annex.

Registration deadlines

While you may register to vote at any time, there are registration deadlines before each election. The deadlines for the November 7, 2017 General Election are:

- **October 9** – Deadline for online and mail-in voter registration, address change and other updates.
- **October 30** – Deadline for people not currently registered in Washington State (in-person only).

Keep your voter registration current

Update your registration if you have moved or changed your name, or if your signature has changed. Simply update your information online or submit a new registration form.

Visit our Voter Registration Annex

King County Elections offers convenient, in-person service in downtown Seattle.

Services offered:

- Cancel a voter registration
- Get a replacement ballot
- Get a voter registration card
- Get help with address issues
- Return voted ballots
- Register to vote
- Resolve signature challenges
- Update your address or name
- Vote at an accessible voting center

Services not offered:

- Get maps or data files
- File to be a candidate

For these services contact King County Elections at 206-296-VOTE (8683).

Ballot drop boxes

Return your ballot without using a stamp or the U.S. Postal Service at a ballot drop box.

Auburn	Auburn Library, 1102 Auburn Way S, 98002 Muckleshoot Tribe - Philip Starr Building, 39015 172nd Ave SE, 98092
Bellevue	Bellevue Regional Library, 1111 110th Ave NE, 98004 Crossroads Shopping Center (south entrance), 15600 NE 8th St, 98008
Bothell	Bothell City Hall, 18415 101st Ave NE, 98011
Burien	Burien Town Square Park (corner of 5th Ave SW and SW 152nd St), 400 SW 152nd St, 98166
Covington	Covington Library, 27100 164th Ave SE, 98042
Des Moines	* Highline College (entrance across from 27th Ave S), 2400 S 240th St, 98198
Enumclaw	Enumclaw Library, 1700 1st St, 98022
Fall City	Fall City Library, 33415 SE 42nd Pl, 98024
Federal Way	Federal Way City Hall, 33325 8th Ave S, 98003
Issaquah	Issaquah City Hall, 130 E Sunset Way, 98027
Kenmore	Kenmore City Hall, 18120 68th Ave NE, 98028
Kent	Kentridge High School, 12430 SE 208th St, 98031 Regional Justice Center (near parking garage entrance), 401 4th Ave N, 98032
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Lake Forest Park	Lake Forest Park City Hall, 17425 Ballinger Way NE, 98155
Maple Valley	Hobart Food Market, 20250 276th Ave SE, 98038 * Tahoma School District Building, 25720 Maple Valley-Black Diamond Rd SE, 98038
Mercer Island	Mercer Island Community & Event Center, 8236 SE 24th St, 98040
Newcastle	Newcastle City Hall, 12835 Newcastle Way, 98056
Pacific	Algona-Pacific Library, 255 Ellingson Rd, 98047
Redmond	* Redmond City Hall, 15670 NE 85th St, 98052
Renton	Fairwood Library, 17009 140th Ave SE, 98058 * King County Elections, 919 SW Grady Way, 98057 * Renton Public Health Center, 3201 NE 7th St, 98056
Sammamish	Sammamish City Hall, 801 228th Ave SE, 98075
SeaTac	Valley View Library, 17850 Military Rd S, 98188
Shoreline	Shoreline Library, 345 NE 175th St, 98155
Snoqualmie	Snoqualmie Library, 7824 Center Boulevard SE, 98065
Tukwila	* Tukwila Community Center, 12424 42nd Ave S, 98168

Ballot drop boxes open 24 hours a day beginning October 19.
Ballot drop boxes close on election day, November 7, at 8 p.m.

Vashon Vashon Library, 17210 Vashon Highway SW, 98070

Woodinville Woodinville Library, 17105 Avondale Rd NE, 98072

Seattle drop boxes:

Ballard Branch Library, Corner of NW 57th St and 22nd Ave NW, 98107

Beacon Hill Library, 2821 Beacon Ave S, 98144

Boulevard Park Library, 12015 Roseberg Ave S, 98168

Broadview Library, 12755 Greenwood Ave N, 98133

Chinatown-International District, Uwajimaya, 619 6th Ave S, 98104

Garfield Community Center, 2323 E Cherry St, 98122

Green Lake Community Center, 7201 E Green Lake Dr N, 98115

High Point Library, 3411 SW Raymond St, 98126

King County Administration Building, 500 4th Ave, 98104

Lake City Library, 12501 28th Ave NE, 98125

* Magnolia Park, 1461 Magnolia Blvd W, 98199

NewHolly Neighborhood Campus, 7054 32nd Ave S, 98118

North Seattle College (south visitor lot access from N 95th St), 9600 College Way N, 98103

Rainier Beach Community Center, 8825 Rainier Ave S, 98118

Rainier Community Center, 4600 38th Ave S, 98118

Seattle Central College, Broadway-Edison Building (northeast corner), 1701 Broadway, 98122

Skyway Library, 12601 76th Ave S, 98178

South Park Library, 8604 8th Ave S, 98108

University of Washington Campus, Schmitz Hall (by north entrance on NE 41st St), 1400 NE Campus Parkway, 98105

White Center Library, 1409 SW 107th St, 98146

** Drive-up ballot drop boxes*

 **We will be adding more boxes!** Visit our website at kingcounty.gov/elections for more locations.

Mail your ballot

You can vote and return your ballot through the U.S. Postal Service as soon as you receive it.
Mailed ballots require a first class stamp and must be postmarked by November 7.

Voting by mail is a convenient option for most people. There are other options available.

Online Ballot Marking Program

- Any registered voter can use the online ballot marking program.
- Voters with disabilities can mark their choices on the ballot online. The online ballot marking program has been designed specifically to enable blind and vision-impaired voters to cast a private ballot.
- If a voter’s ballot is damaged or lost, voters may mark their ballot on a computer, print it out, and return it by fax, standard mail, or email before the 8 p.m. election day deadline.
- Overseas and service voters may request to permanently receive their ballot using this program.

Accessible Voting Centers

Accessible voting centers are available for voters who need assistance completing their ballot. Trained staff and specialized equipment are available to help voters with disabilities cast a private, independent ballot. Mail ballots can also be dropped off at any accessible voting center, when open.

Locations		Hours of operation
Bellevue	Bellevue Regional Library 1111 110th Ave NE, 98004	Tuesday, Oct. 31 3 p.m. – 7 p.m.
Renton	King County Elections Office 919 SW Grady Way, 98057	Weekdays, Oct. 18 – Nov. 6 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. Election Day, Nov. 7 8:30 a.m. – 8 p.m.
Seattle	Washington Talking Book & Braille Library 2021 9th Ave, 98121	Thursday, Nov. 2 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.
	Voter Registration Annex King County Administration Building 500 4th Ave, Room 440, 98104	Weekdays, Oct. 18 – Nov. 6 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. Election Day, Nov. 7 8:30 a.m. – 8 p.m.

Title	Duties	Term (years)	Salary (2017)
King County Executive (elected by voters in King County)	Responsible for the implementation of council/ commission policies and the day-to-day administration of county government functions and services.	4	\$225,871
King County Sheriff (elected by voters in King County)	Chief executive officer and conservator of the peace of the county. Oversees the law enforcement needs for unincorporated King County, twelve contract cities, the Muckleshoot Tribe, Metro Transit, and the King County International Airport and provides law enforcement helicopters and bomb disposal for all of King County.	4	\$189,054
Metropolitan King County Council (elected by voters in County Council District)	Sets policies and enacts laws, develops and adopts county budget and oversees county services.	4	\$147,660
Port of Seattle Commissioner (elected by voters in King County)	Operates, manages, equips, and maintains the port and establishes port policy.	4	\$46,839
City Mayor (elected by voters in the city)	Works with the city council to enact legislation. Runs the day-to-day business of the city government.	4	Varies by city (check with them directly)
City Council Position (elected by voters in the city)	Approves the city's budget, develops laws and policies and oversees public services.	4	Varies by city (check with them directly)
School District Director (elected by voters in the school district ¹)	Sets policies for schools, provides oversight for the operations of the school system and represents the interests of the community on public education issues.	4	No annual salary
Fire District Commissioner (elected by voters in the district)	Oversees fire services including fire response and protection, emergency medical aid and more.	6	No annual salary
Water District Commissioner (elected by voters in the district)	Oversees the water district to provide clean, safe drinking water.	6	No annual salary
Sewer/Wastewater District Commissioner (elected by voters in the district)	Oversees the sewer district to keep up facilities, meet water needs and meet environmental requirements.	6	No annual salary
Utility District Commissioner (elected by voters in the district)	Oversees the utility district to maintain properties, conserve energy and monitor use of many types of energy.	6	No annual salary
Public Hospital Commissioner (elected by voters in the district)	Oversees hospital operations and delivers services to promote health.	6	No annual salary
Airport Commissioner (elected by voters in the district)	Oversees county airports.	2	No annual salary
Cemetery Commissioner (elected by voters in the district)	Oversees the maintenance and operation of district cemeteries.	6	No annual salary
Park District Commissioner (elected by voters in the district)	Adopts the parks budget, and develops goals, policies and regulations for parks.	Varies	No annual salary

¹ Seattle School District No. 1 director districts are only voted on by voters within each director district for the primary election. In the general election, these districts are voted at-large (district wide) by all registered voters in Seattle School District No. 1.

Executive

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Education: University of Washington BA, MA Urban Planning, JD; West Seattle High School

Occupation: King County Executive; former Legislator; Attorney; Planner

Statement: Whether you just arrived here, or your family has lived here for generations, this is your place. You belong here. My work as Executive for our dynamic, growing region is dedicated to the idea that every one of us should be able to fulfill our potential and, in doing so, give back to the community that made it possible. Here, in King County, we have what it takes to make the American promise of equal opportunity and boundless possibility real for all people.

The voter-approved Best Starts for Kids helps young families through some of life's toughest challenges, nurturing the next generation and keeping kids on a path to success. Investing in prevention and alternatives, we reduced youth incarceration 75% over 20 years. Partnering with Planned Parenthood, we increased access to women's health, and reduced teen pregnancy countywide by 55% in just eight years.

Growth brings opportunity, but also challenges. To restore mobility I've led investments like rebuilding the South Park Bridge, expanding passenger ferry service, and extending Sound Transit light rail north, south, east and west. To protect the Northwest we love, I've held the line on sprawl, preserved farmlands and forests, set ambitious targets to save our remaining open space, and fight the threat of climate change.

We're tackling the homelessness and housing crises through immediate investments in affordable housing, emergency shelter with innovative services, and targeted tax relief for low-income seniors. An expanded Veterans, Seniors and Human Services levy reflects our belief that no one who served our country, and no one who built this region, should become homeless.

I love this place where I was raised, and where we're raising our little daughter. I'm determined to keep it prosperous, inclusive, and sustainable for generations to come, and would appreciate your vote.

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Statement: My candidacy is to attract attention to my blog <http://stopeastlinknow.blogspot.com> exposing Dow Constantine's Sound Transit Board plan to spend \$54B on "Prop 1 and Beyond" light rail extensions that will do absolutely nothing to ease area's congestion.

They made a monumental blunder when they chose to route the extensions through the DSTT, limiting capacity to 8880 riders per hour rather than a second tunnel. Whatever riders the extensions attract along I-5 will reduce current transit ridership. Their increased operating cost with no increase in capacity is a recipe for a financial "black hole" from fare-box revenue shortfall

They compounded that blunder by choosing to use half the capacity to confiscate the I-90 Bridge center roadway rather than an extension to West Seattle. They did so despite FHWA stipulation they maintain the center roadway for vehicles with R-8A lanes added to outer roadways, inevitably creating future gridlock.

They plan to spend \$3.6B, having closed P&R lots ending transit access for many, devastating the route into Bellevue and doing nothing to ease I-90 corridor congestion, for light rail with less capacity than 50 buses.

They could have eased congestion years ago attracting thousands more transit riders adding parking with access to BRT routes along limited access lanes on both corridors. On I-90 they could've added outer roadway lanes for non-transit HOV and BRT on center roadway. The 10,000 vehicles an additional 100 bus routes could've replaced on both corridors would only be the beginning.

They could've added thousands of parking stalls each year for access to BRT for a fraction of what they'll spend on light rail. It would've increased transit riders, they only way to reduce congestion.

My goal is to convince those with the power to "persuade" Sound Transit to do what could've happened do so.

Sheriff

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Education: UW, WWU; WA Criminal Justice Training Academy;
Trainings: Incident Command, Hostage Negotiations, Counterterrorism, Community Policing

Occupation: Major, King County Sheriff's Office (Southwest Precinct Commander)

Statement: In my 32 year career, I have served in every division, at every precinct, and at almost every rank within the King County Sheriff's Office. With nearly 20 years of managerial and command expertise, an unparalleled depth and breadth of experience, I will use every tax dollar to improve our service to you.

I am running for Sheriff, because law enforcement is at a crossroads. To earn the community's trust, we must reimagine our role in society. I want to do that with you. You deserve a leader who will listen, collaborate and deliver results – a professional, ethical leader worthy of your trust.

As your Sheriff, I am committed to recruiting and hiring a workforce reflective of the communities we serve. Those deputies will receive ongoing de-escalation and anti-bias training, and increased access to less-lethal policing tools. This is why I was the first law enforcement official to endorse I-940. I will create a Community Outreach unit whose job will be to listen to you, answer your questions and work with you to improve public safety for everyone.

I am running to restore integrity to the Sheriff's Office. We should not be spending our limited County budgets settling sexual harassment and discrimination lawsuits; we should be modeling positive work environments that value all people. I am committed to fairness and equity for our community at all times, not just when the media is watching.

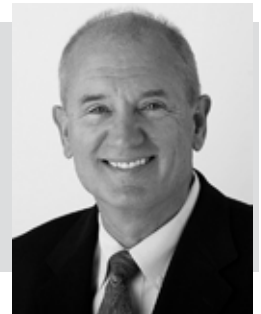
The Municipal League rated me "Outstanding" – the only top rating in this race. I have been endorsed by leaders from both political parties as well as the 31st, 43rd and 48th District Democrats, and the National Women's Political Caucus.

I am a leader worthy of your trust, and I would be grateful for your vote. Thank you!

John Urquhart

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Education: UW Business Degree; Graduate of three police academies; Graduate of the FBI National Executive Institute.

Occupation: King County Sheriff – 41-year veteran police officer

Statement: John Urquhart is honored to serve as your Sheriff. He has a passion for justice, integrity, and is fiercely dedicated to protecting our communities.

Democrats, Republicans, police officers, firefighters, unions and community leaders all agree: *John Urquhart should be re-elected!* He has a proven record as your sheriff since 2012.

Under his leadership, the Sheriff's Office has reduced the number of claims and lawsuits against King County by over 10% and the amount of payouts went down by over 66%.

With his business experience, John has carefully managed taxpayer money. The Sheriff's Office returned \$5 million to taxpayers during the first four years of his administration. Yet the number of life-saving defibrillators (AED's) in patrol cars rose from 53 in 2012 to 450 today, and many deputies are equipped with Narcan to reverse opioid overdoses, again saving lives. He reinstated the Domestic Violence Investigations Unit to make sure domestic violence gets the time and detail it needs for successful prosecution.

John's policies are literally changing the face of the Sheriff's Office to better reflect the community. He instituted preference points for second language skills and adjusted recruiting policies to ensure all applicants have an equal chance. More women and people of color are being hired than ever before.

Perhaps most importantly, he has brought transparency and accountability to the Sheriff's Office, to ensure that all residents of King County are treated with dignity and respect, while protecting their constitutional rights.

A Seattle Times editorial praised John's work to reform how force by deputies is investigated. Additionally, John has mandated de-escalation training for all deputies, as well as 40-hour classes on how to handle those in a mental crisis.

You've overwhelmingly elected John Urquhart as Sheriff twice before. Now he's asking for your support to continue the tremendous progress already made.

Council District No. 1

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Education: University of Washington Law School; Georgetown University, B.S. Business Administration; Renton Public Schools, K-12

Occupation: County Councilmember; Attorney, civil practice; Service as Special Deputy Prosecutor

Statement: Growing up in King County, I worked selling socks at the Midway Swap Meet every weekend with my Dad. This work taught me the values that I still hold – work hard, play by the rules, and help others move up the ladder of opportunity.

Putting those values to work as your Councilmember, I wrote the county's living wage and responsible contractor laws, and passed a nation-leading parental leave program. I led the development of our Youth Action Plan, which reformed county services for children and youth.

As Chair of the Transportation, Economy & Environment Committee, I led efforts to convert to zero-emission buses, protect open space, and clean up polluted waterways. Challenging the political establishment, I fought for customers and saved ten million annual Metro Transit rides.

Working with our Elections Department, we quadrupled county ballot drop boxes and added new languages.

As Chair of the Board of Health, I've worked to protect women's health, combat cancer and improve mental health.

I have never missed a vote. I ask for *your vote* to continue to represent you with tenacity and independence.

Endorsements: King County Democrats, Washington Conservation Voters, NARAL Pro-Choice Washington, Firefighters, Nurses, Laborers, Carpenters, Realtors, Affordable Housing Council.

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Elections does not
correct punctuation,
grammar, or fact
check candidate and
measure statements.

Council District No. 3

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Education: University of Washington Bachelors in Business Education, Teaching Certification; and Public Policy Training Courses

Occupation: County Councilmember, Former State Legislator and Teacher for 16 years

Statement: Kathy Lambert serves the people of King County with dedication and experience. As a result of her leadership, United Way recently recognized Kathy as King County's Elected Official of the Year.

On the Law and Justice Committee, Kathy helped establish the Court of the Future creating court efficiencies through use of technology. She was a leader on updating the county's emergency preparedness plans. Kathy helped bring Safe Place to King County to help youth in crisis, and is working on another pilot project for children impacted by adverse childhood experiences.

As Budget Vice-Chair, Kathy negotiated a balanced budget while maintaining the county's AAA rating which saves taxpayers money. She oversees flood prevention plans and habitat restoration projects on the Flood Control District Board.

Collaborations between cities and the county have increased sheriff's deputies, bus hours, and infrastructure investments. Kathy enjoys finding solutions to problems and has been endorsed by local Mayors Fred Butler, Issaquah; John Marchione, Redmond; Jim Berger, Carnation; Will Ibershof, Duvall; Tony Grider, Skykomish; Ken Hearing, North Bend; and Matt Larson, Snoqualmie.

There is more work to be done and we need Kathy on the council to make sure our voice is heard! Please Vote for Kathy Lambert.

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Education: J.D., Seattle University; B.S. and M.S., Central Washington University

Occupation: Attorney; Former Deputy Fire Chief, Eastside Fire and Rescue; PA

Statement: Rapid growth in the Eastside has created urgent issues that need to be addressed. We need to fix our crumbling infrastructure and reduce commutes. We need sensible development that expands access while preserving our environment. We need to work smarter with limited resources.

I'm running because people shouldn't have to choose between getting stuck in traffic and spending time with their families. It's unacceptable that our current councilmember proposed cutting almost \$10 million from the already-decimated roads budget, and now blames the budget gap on the state.

I devoted my career to public service, where I lived and breathed the importance of maintaining focus and delivering results.

As Deputy Fire Chief at Eastside Fire & Rescue, I worked with city planners to make the streets more accessible for emergency responders. As CEO of the National Traffic Safety Institute, I streamlined systems to ensure greater financial accountability.

As your councilmember, I'll fight for equitable funding of our roads and innovative solutions to mitigate traffic, and will reinstate the express bus. I'll champion the issues important to families, women, and seniors.

I'm asking for your vote because you deserve a councilmember who remains focused on delivering commonsense results.

Learn more at ElectJohnMurphy.com

Council District No. 5

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Occupation: King County Councilmember

Statement: Thanks for the opportunity to serve as your King County Councilmember. I take the job seriously and work hard to be a strong advocate for South King County-- a diverse community which is forward-thinking but squeezed economically. I've seen a broken political system first hand, and refuse to bow to the political establishment, big donors, or party elites—but instead try to fearlessly question assumptions and be a voice for real people in a part of the county often left behind. With the mess at the federal level, the best thing I can do is simply do my job: balance the county budget, respond to community needs, treat people with respect, demonstrate common sense, honor our civic institutions like a free press and independent courts, and strive to be authentic and responsive to the people I represent. I love serving our community and would be honored to have your vote.

Council District No. 9

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Education: University of Washington School of Law, Order of Barristers; Arizona State University, Magna Cum Laude

Occupation: County Councilman; Former Federal Prosecutor; National Coordinator, Project Safe Neighborhoods

Statement: It has been my privilege to be your advocate on the King County Council. I was raised right here in our district and my two children are the fourth generation of my family to live in it.

I am proud to have earned the endorsement of all nine nonpartisan mayors in the district, in addition to many prominent Republicans and Democrats. I have also been honored as Washington State's Outstanding Local Elected Official of the Year.

County government faces very significant challenges. I will work hard to give law enforcement the tools they need to reduce crime and I will fight to keep your property taxes low.

I am also committed to finding solutions to our regional homelessness problem and I will continue to help those who suffer from drug and alcohol addiction.

In short, I will use my knowledge of the district combined with years of private sector and government experience to help King County continue its path toward a more efficient and accountable government.

I work for you and I appreciate your vote.

Endorsed by: Renton, Maple Valley and Enumclaw firefighters, King County Police Officers Guild, over 30 elected City Councilmembers in District 9; and many others.

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Education: B.S. Business, University of Idaho; Accredited Asset Management Specialist; Sustainable Business Certificate, Presidio.

Occupation: Self-Employed, Independent Registered Investment Adviser and former Boeing Manager

Statement: King County is an incredible place live. As it continues to grow and our cost of living increases, I want to make sure that those who live here today can continue to live here tomorrow. We need to find balance when dealing with issues affecting unincorporated and incorporated populations.

As your Councilmember I will work to make this a better place for all, by: *understanding your issues, so you are well represented; finding creative solutions to traffic issues; exploring ways to be more efficient with tax payer dollars; aiding business owners and helping find the root cause of crime and addiction, so we can find effective solutions to these growing problems.*

I am an elected Precinct Committee Officer and have over 37 years of combined experience in the local corporate, small business and financial worlds. I am a natural leader, life-long problem solver and love to find win/win solutions to complex problems.

Together, we can create a community where everyone thrives. I would be honored to represent you and would appreciate your vote!

It's time for new vision and energy!

Endorsed by US Congressman Adam Smith, National Women's Political Caucus of Washington, King County Democrats and many locally elected officials.

Commissioner Position No. 1

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Education: Interlake High School, Bellevue; BA and MA, International Relations, Johns Hopkins University; JD, Columbia University

Occupation: Business Attorney, Seattle Port Commissioner

Statement: Effective Leadership, Real Reform

As your port commissioner, I have brought the business and environmental communities together to expand prosperity for all King County residents and working families.

I have worked with my fellow commissioners to grow the Port's economic impact while significantly reducing air and water pollution at the airport and seaport. We have cleaned up contaminated industrial properties and put them back into productive use while restoring fish and wildlife habitat. We have electrified airport vehicles and are working to reduce the impact of growth on local communities.

I have championed reforms improving oversight of taxpayer funds, including implementation of a Commission Audit Committee, an independent internal audit program that has saved taxpayers over \$6 million, better controls and procedures on capital projects, and increased transparency such as posting Commission expenses online.

I led the development of the Port's Century Agenda, which sets out a 25-year plan to grow 100,000 new port-related jobs for our region.

In 2015, we launched the Northwest Seaport Alliance, our cooperative agreement with the Port of Tacoma, strengthening the competitive position of Puget Sound container ports and growing cargo and jobs. We have strongly supported the growth of the cruise business and modernization of the fishing fleet in Seattle, which generates over 20,000 middle class jobs.

I will ensure that our Port continues to be a regional economic driver and provides strong environmental leadership, while being accountable for your tax dollars.

I am honored to have the support of Democrats, Republicans, Independents, business leaders, labor unions, environmentalists and transportation advocates.

I am proudly endorsed by: Washington Conservation Voters, King County Democrats, King County Labor Council, Eastside Business Alliance, Attorney General Bob Ferguson, Lieutenant Governor Cyrus Habib, Former US EPA Director Bill Ruckelshaus, Mayors Nancy Backus, Suzette Cooke and Leeanne Guier and many more.

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Education: M.A. International Relations, Yale University; B.A., Willamette University

Occupation: Small business owner; Nonprofit professional serving women and minority-owned businesses

Statement: With our vote, Ryan will work for transparency and ethics, environmental sustainability, and equitable economic growth that supports strong communities. Raised in the area by a public school teacher and a small business owner, Ryan brings a needed combination of integrity, work ethic, and progressive values to the Port of Seattle.

With over a decade of experience leading an importing and manufacturing business, Ryan worked directly with shipping operations at the Port. Under his leadership, they were named one of Seattle's Greenest Businesses by Seattle City Light, serving as a model for sustainable practices across the country.

A public school dad, civic leader, and former international human rights worker, Ryan will stand up for the rights of immigrants and refugees who pass through our airport. A champion for the environment, he will modernize port equipment to reduce emissions that harm air quality and contribute to climate change.

Ryan worked his way through school. As a business owner, he supported raising the minimum wage and efforts to expand paid leave. He will preserve and expand family wage jobs, create opportunities for women and minority-owned small businesses, and protect the rights of Port workers.

In light of recent scandals, Ryan believes that the next Port Executive must be committed above all else to the ethical and transparent management of this important public enterprise. Taxpayers deserve to know how their resources are being invested, and need those investments to improve our economy, environment, and quality of life.

Ryan has earned the endorsement of the 5th, 31st, 32nd, 33rd, 34th, 36th, 37th, 41st, 43rd, 45th, and 46th District Democrats; Sierra Club; the Stranger; and over 100 elected Democratic officials, business, labor, and environmental leaders across our county including State Senator Rebecca Saldaña and State Reps. Mia Gregerson and Nicole Macri.

Commissioner Position No. 3

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Education: Seattle University, M.B.A., Executive Leadership; University of Idaho, Bachelor of Science; American Marshall Fellowship

Occupation: Executive Director, Washington ABC, statewide non-profit helping economically-disadvantaged families

Statement: The Port of Seattle is an engine of our economy and a critical West Coast transportation hub. The jobs and infrastructure of our Port serve people across the globe, and must always be good partners with taxpayers, workers, and communities throughout our region.

I've earned the support of environmental advocates, labor unions, and businesses small and large throughout King County because I've made it my goal to position our Port for economic success, environmental stewardship, and leadership in social equity. In order to protect and grow middle class jobs, I led the creation of the historic partnership with the Port of Tacoma. Together we now collaborate, rather than compete, to keep cargo and jobs in Washington, rather than Canada or Los Angeles.

I've championed living wages, job-training and apprenticeship programs so Port workers can advance their careers. I've worked to ensure the future of the Alaska fishing fleet, so the next generation of fishing vessels is built in Washington. I've focused on Port sustainability, working to bring aviation bio-fuels to Sea-Tac Airport, cleaning up stormwater, and fighting for oil train safety. I spearheaded the creation of an internship program providing disadvantaged youth across King County with experience and exposure to potential careers.

Sea-Tac Airport is a regional asset that must be managed efficiently and sustainably alongside our airport communities, ensuring it remains a global port of entry, supporting our local businesses and open to people from all over the world.

I would be honored to have your support to continue this work.

Sole Endorsements: Washington Conservation Voters; Women's Political Caucus; Port Firefighters; King Countywide District Democrats; King County Labor Council; Aerospace Machinists; Longshoreman's and Sailors Union of the Pacific; and dozens of local mayors and leaders including Lt. Governor Cyrus Habib, King County Executive Dow Constantine and Governor Gregoire.

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Education: Seattle Central College

Occupation: Outreach Manager, Fair Work Center

Statement: Living here in King County with my wife and children, I am passionate about protecting working people's rights and our environment. As a refugee from violence and civil war in Somalia, I would lay awake at night in a Kenyan refugee camp believing that anyone who comes here and works hard can achieve the American Dream.

Now, as a proud citizen of this country who has gone from working in a chicken processing factory to college, I'm running for Port Commissioner because it's clear that the Port and many current commissioners are blocking the road to the American Dream for many others.

Port Commissioners fought against providing paid sick leave, job protections and a \$15 minimum wage for thousands of airport workers. They voted to let the Shell Oil drilling platform into our beautiful Puget Sound. They don't think twice about replacing family wage union jobs with interns or looking the other way when Port staff and the CEO don't follow the rules.

These are not King County's or America's values. I believe that people who work hard deserve a fair wage, that we all have a right to clean water and clean air, and that everyone- especially public officials - should play by the rules. I will fight hard to represent the voices of working people and the communities directly impacted by the Port's pollution. And I will hold our public Port of Seattle accountable to the public.

I am proud to be endorsed by leaders like Congresswoman Pramilla Jayapal, State Senator Rebecca Saldana, State Senator Bob Hasegawa, and former Mayor Mike McGinn, The King County Democrats, King County Young Democrats, 32nd, 36th, 45th, and 46th LD Democrats, and unions like SEIU 6, SEIU 775 and Teamsters 117. Community Service: Seattle Housing Authority Board Commissioner; Somali Community Services

Commissioner Position No. 4

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Education: Master's, Finance & Marketing; Bachelor's, Business Administration; Bachelor's, Economics; Graduate Degree, International Trade

Occupation: Deputy Public Affairs Administrator, City of Renton

Statement: *I am a leader with vision, skills and commitment to bring people together to find solutions and make our Port work for all of us. I have worked in public service for 25 years and I will ensure that the Port serves the best interests of all in King County.*

Integrity – No more headlines questioning the propriety of Port decisions. I will make sure decisions are open and transparent. I will personally respond to every inquiry from you. I will be accountable. I will bring strong existing relationships with the cities, businesses, and community organizations in King County – built on a solid foundation of trust and respect.

Inclusion – I will promote economic inclusion, supporting opportunities for small businesses. And I will work so that everyone benefits from growth at the airport and seaport. I will represent our region in the national immigration debate so that federal policies support our community values. I will listen to all sides to inform my decisions.

Innovation – I helped introduce Seattle's Climate Protection Initiative, and its conservation and recycling programs. I will work to make our airport the first in the nation to provide biofuel so we can protect our planet and our airport communities even as we grow. I will work to minimize the environmental impacts of growth at Sea-Tac Airport.

I will sustain and create living-wage jobs in our community, building career pathways for young people so they can get good-paying jobs and support their families.

I would be honored to serve you. I ask for your vote.

Endorsements: *The Stranger, The Urbanist, The National Women's Political Caucus of Washington, 33rd District Democrats, 11th District Democrats; the mayors of Redmond, Renton, Kent, Auburn, Covington, and North Bend; Leaders from the Indian, Somali, Latino, Filipino, and African-American communities.*

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Statement: The Port's core mission is economic development. My goals: good jobs, good governance, and greening the port. The Port's shipping facilities and iconic Pacific fishing fleet at Fisherman's Terminal provide over 70,000 stable living-wage jobs. Cruise ships draw nearly a million passengers yearly and employ more than 3,700 people locally. For our state's largest port to remain globally competitive, public policy and investment must align, and we must have greater confidence in its governance.

The Port must extend its reach into underserved communities and provide more job training and employment opportunities-- particularly for women, minorities, and youth. I want to add 200 new high school internships to give young people greater opportunity.

I will work hard to increase the Port's commitment to environmental protections for reducing noise, air pollution, improving water quality, and impacts to surrounding communities. SeaTac Airport is one of the fastest growing airports nationwide, but it's environmental impacts are growing fast too. It's time to begin studies for another regional airport, promote quieter jets and cleaner jet fuels. The Port must lead on climate!

I will open wide the Port's doors to transparency, insist on strictest ethics and full accountability. No more illegal pay raises and hiring blunders! I will bring my business savvy and experienced, ethical leadership to the job. I'll prioritize improving relations with neighboring communities, small businesses, and local governments--I will listen!

Endorsed by King County Democrats, 31st, 32nd, 41st, 45th Democrats, Metropolitan Democratic Club, Attorney General Bob Ferguson, Lt. Governor Cyrus Habib, King County Sheriff John Urquhart, Sen. Reuven Carlyle, Reps. Judy Clibborn (Mercer Island), Joan McBride (Kirkland), Tina Orwall (Des Moines), Gerry Pollet (Seattle); Hon. Conrad Lee (Bellevue), Hon. Pete Von Reichbauer (Federal Way), Hon. Larry Gossett (Seattle), business leader Tomio Moriguchi, environmental leader Denis Hayes, gillnetter Pete Knutson... and many more!

Council Position No. 2

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Occupation: Boeing Engineer; Seattle Solid Waste Utility Manager; Small Business Owner

Statement: You have consistently elected me to be your voice. I am privileged to represent you as the most trustworthy vote on the City Council for *lowering taxes, cutting wasteful spending, and creating jobs.*

Bellevue has come out of the financial downturn with flying colors. *Sound financial management* has allowed us to make essential investments in *transportation, parks, open spaces, public safety, community services, and neighborhoods.* Consequently, Bellevue is vibrant with global talents, businesses, and quality of life second to none. Our public schools are ranked the best. We embrace and celebrate our multicultural diversity. Our future is bright!

I remain the voice of the voiceless. I support lower taxes, public safety, neighborhood quality of life, investments in transportation alternatives and technologies. As we face new opportunities as well as challenges, I am ready to tackle them on behalf of the people of Bellevue with collaborative and innovative solutions befitting Bellevue residents I represent.

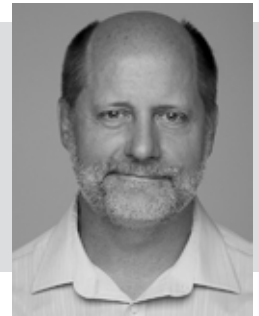
I am *accessible, accountable, and transparent.* As an immigrant, I am proud to be an *"American by Choice"* fighting for what too many take for granted—"Freedom, Liberty, and Justice for all!"

There is more to do. I ask for your *vote* and your continuing *trust.*

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Statement: Bellevue and the entire Eastside is again experiencing tremendous growth. Managed correctly growth will raise wages, increase security and provide stability. We can set aside for the future and still fill the needs of today. Unfortunately the downside of growth - increased traffic, unaffordable housing, displaced families and outright homelessness are also with us. Adult children are unable to afford to move out and stay in town, businesses struggle to find workers. Many fear the loss of neighborhoods if row after row of high rise apartments replace open spaces.

As a lifelong Washingtonian I have observed areas that get growth right, and others that are struggling to keep a livable city. As a Bellevue resident of 30 years I share your hopes for the future and present pains. As a Council member I will listen and work for you, my neighbors. People come first, always.

We can get this right but only if we work together. Business and labor together. Developers and residents. Young, old, students, professionals and retired residents. Vote for me in November and let's work to keep Bellevue a beautiful place to live.

Endorsed by:

48th LD Dems

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Council Position No. 4

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Education: Graduate Studies, Brown University; B.A., University of Wisconsin-Madison; Bellevue Essentials Program, City of Bellevue

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Statement: Bellevue deserves a leader to represent our neighborhoods. My priority is the "*Bellevue Way*" - *transparency, compassion, citizen involvement, and professionalism* - to work for consensus on decisions that ensure a high quality of life.

Homelessness and drug addiction are crucial issues for Bellevue. I'll strongly oppose any effort to place a heroin injection site in Bellevue. These sites are bad for residents, businesses, and those struggling with addiction. We need compassionate ways to help those struggling with addiction, not enablement.

I'll also work on a homeless shelter plan that balances the interests of residents. As a boardmember of two nonprofits helping homeless families reach self-sufficiency, I gained a sobering, inspiring perspective. I'll use that experience and seek *responsible* solutions to homelessness.

Traffic and safety on our streets are enduring concerns. As a Parks & Community Services Board Member, and as Public Policy Committee Chair of the Bellevue Chamber of Commerce, I've seen good things being done within growing areas, but traffic congestion in Bellevue must be addressed. I'll work for new infrastructure and technology improvements without reducing existing lanes.

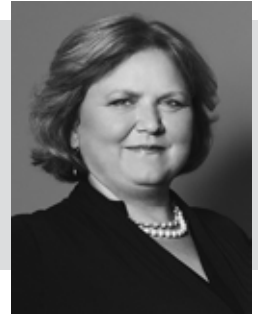
Join me in putting Bellevue neighborhoods first!

Endorsed: Bellevue City Councilmembers Conrad Lee, Jennifer Robertson, Ernie Simas, and Kevin Wallace.

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Statement: Bellevue is more vibrant, prosperous, and diverse than ever. We must preserve our thriving economy and quality of life while ensuring that our city provides opportunities for those struggling to make ends meet. We need smart, compassionate solutions for the issues facing Bellevue.

As a Democratic leader for many years, I share our city's progressive values. If we work together, we can enhance the things that make Bellevue such an amazing place to live—great jobs, strong schools, an entrepreneurial spirit, natural beauty, and a generous heart.

As a single mother and business owner, I understand the need for fiscal responsibility. I have helped families and businesses create their American Dreams as an immigration attorney. An Eastgate resident for more than 15 years, I want to serve on the City Council and shape the future of Bellevue.

Endorsed by King County Democrats, Bellevue Mayor John Stokes & Councilmember Lynne Robinson, BSD Board Director My-Linh Thai, US Congress Members Adam Smith & Pramila Jayapal; State Senators Lisa Wellman & Patty Kuderer, State Representatives Tana Senn, Judy Clibborn, Vandana Slatter, & Joan McBride; King County Councilmember Claudia Balducci, SEIU #6, National Women's Political Caucus of Washington, and many more!

Council Position No. 5

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Occupation: Public Works Construction Management, Port of Seattle; former Transportation Commissioner

Statement: As a 23-year Bellevue resident, PTA/Girl Scout mom, and community volunteer, Bellevue is home. I am passionate about working together to ensure strong communities and economic vitality. I will use my extensive public agency expertise to build partnerships, find common ground, and deliver data-driven, fiscally-responsible, and sustainable results.

As Bellevue Transportation Commission Chair, I listened to residents and businesses and recommended innovative solutions to improve safety and mobility. Having managed over \$2 billion in construction projects, I am uniquely qualified to address our housing affordability crisis so seniors, families, and hardworking people can afford to stay here. As a first-generation immigrant, I will make decisions that honor Bellevue's motto, "our diversity is our strength." Lastly, I will challenge our council to engage, listen, and represent our unique neighborhoods, businesses large and small, and our environment.

I would be honored to serve you; with integrity, inclusion and innovation.

Endorsed: Bellevue Firefighters; WA Conservation Voters; National Women's Political Caucus; King Co. Realtors; Democrats; Rental Housing Association of WA; Congressman Adam Smith; Lt. Governor Cyrus Habib; every legislator representing Bellevue; County Councilmember Claudia Balducci; Mayors of Bellevue, Issaquah and Redmond; Councilmembers Chelminiak, Robinson, and Simas; over 50 Bellevue community leaders; and many more!

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Education: Bachelor's Business Degree University of Washington, Executive MBA Georgetown University

Occupation: Small Business Owner, Former Journalist

Statement: Bellevue is a beautiful, vibrant city for parents, children, and seniors. I'm committed to be a strong voice for our great neighborhoods and residents. I'll help keep Bellevue clean, economically strong, and work to minimize crime. We deserve a City Council that prioritizes our values above special interests and political agendas. As a business owner and former journalist, I am driven to gather the facts, learn the truth, and find fair solutions. City council members work for you, not the other way around.

To ensure Bellevue residents and businesses are able to succeed, we must maintain our high standards for the safety of our neighborhoods, schools, and our children. Safety is my primary concern regarding the proposed homeless shelter, which needs to be far away from homes, schools, and parks. I'll fight to keep heroin injection sites out of Bellevue.

I will work tirelessly to deliver solutions to the important issues. I'll investigate our increasing water rates to ensure you save money and create transportation solutions without eliminating existing lanes.

I'm asking for your vote as a candidate, who loves Bellevue, and wants positive change. Join me in preserving the character and prosperity of our wonderful community for future generations.

Council Position No. 6

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Occupation: Small business owner; Bellevue City Councilmember

Statement: I've served Bellevue on the Parks Board, Network on Aging, as a school volunteer, small business owner, and now on our City Council.

Representing you, I put my experience and focus on non-partisan collaboration to work helping Bellevue reach our potential as a regional job center and thriving community with great schools, parks and quality of life.

I am proud of what we have accomplished, adapting to the growth transforming our diverse, dynamic city. Together, we've invested in transportation and public safety, planned for light rail service, improved our parks, and renewed our commitment to seniors and vulnerable populations.

As we grow and change, it's more important than ever that our city government stay transparent, accountable and focused on results. I'm proud of my approach and service, and always welcome your feedback on how we can build a better Bellevue—for all of us.

Proudly Endorsed: 41st & 48th District Democrats; Bellevue Firefighters; National Women's Political Caucus; WA Conservation Voters; Bellevue Mayor John Stokes, Councilmembers John Chelminiak, Jennifer Robertson, Ernie Simas; Congressman Adam Smith; Lt. Governor Cyrus Habib; County Councilmembers Claudia Balducci, Reagan Dunn; every legislator representing Bellevue; and over 100 community leaders!

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Education: JD (Seattle University); MS (University of Washington); BS Aerospace Engineering (University of Minnesota)

Occupation: Assistant General Counsel at Microsoft Corporation

Statement: Bellevue is at a critical point – we need a City Council representative who will demand full transparency and public involvement in decisions impacting residents and neighborhoods. As your Council member, I will seek your input on every question the Council may consider.

I'm a public-school parent who has run the girls' lacrosse program for Bellevue Schools for 8 years. I'm an intellectual property attorney in the high-tech sector who has served as the volunteer lawyer for domestic violence victims and children in our courts.

I will preserve our quality of life and unique neighborhoods, while embracing prosperity and growth that benefits us all.

I share the frustration of many about how the Council moved forward without adequate neighborhood involvement on a proposal to locate a homeless shelter in Eastgate. I will work with residents to find an acceptable alternative site further from homes, parks, and schools.

I strongly oppose bringing heroin injection sites to Bellevue, and I oppose tolls and lane reductions on Bellevue roads.

Bellevue is a beautiful, diverse and world-class community. I'm honored to have the opportunity to humbly ask for your vote.

Council Position No. 1

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Statement: We can work harder staying true to Bothell. Let's protect our communities with improved police and fire, streets, neighborhoods, zoning and green spaces.

We can pursue balanced finances with thoughtful cautious expenditures and making our tax dollars work here in Bothell.

Bothell needs a variety of housing for a thriving and mixed community. Seniors and young families deserve affordability. Our burgeoning gathering areas need to thrive in our parks, neighborhoods, campuses and business districts.

We loved Bothell so much 30 years ago that we chose to raise our family here. With four sons and a daughter we were quite busy with all their activities, as well as publicly advocating for Bothell concerns such as education, parking and streams. Let me be your eyes and ears to pending changes. I am a proven listener and will speak up for you. Together, we can make Bothell better, one day at a time.

Council Position No. 3

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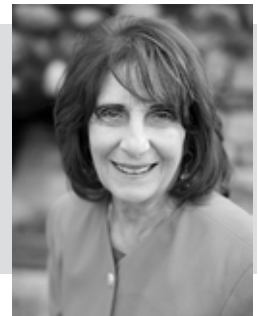
Statement: Vicki and her husband Jack have lived and raised their family in the Shelton View neighborhood for 27 years. She has been active in Bothell government, Boy Scouts, and their church.

As a member of the Landmark Preservation Board, Vicki helped initiate and support programs and policies to encourage preservation of historic resources. Her hard work helped create the Red Brick Road Park and insured the preservation of the North Creek School. She also worked with the community to save the Anderson School, which is now McMenamins. Vicki understands that we need to balance our growth commitments with our community values. As a council member, she will be committed to delivering budgets that align with community priorities and are responsible to our citizens. She will work for smart growth and transportation, environmental concerns, seek recreational opportunities community wide, and encourage affordable housing, while maintaining our Bothell identity.

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Education: Seattle University, Bachelor of Science, Nursing

Occupation: Small Business Owner - Hollywood Schoolhouse

Statement: It has been an honor to serve you in the Wa. State Senate for 24 years. Together we have made a difference in the lives of our families, schools and communities. I am excited to run for Bothell City Council and am committed to assuring all voices are heard and valued.

I am a small business owner and I know the challenges small businesses face. I will work to attract and retain businesses being mindful of preserving historic main street, the culture of our communities, preserving parks and open spaces, across King and Snohomish County. I will work to improve transportation; access for pedestrians, cars, bikes and transit.

My husband Jim and I have called Bothell home the past 55 years. We raised six children in this community that was a safe place to live, work and play. I want to preserve that same environment for all future families.

Council Position No. 5

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Occupation: Transportation Engineer

Statement: The Council needs to work to make sure our taxes are used efficiently, and used as matching funds for grants to extend our tax dollars, to alleviate congestion, parking shortages, and purchasing or preserving open space for parks, playfields and pathways.

I'm a licensed transportation engineer and will use my expertise to insure transportation projects meet the needs of our community.

The current council has done a great job listening to the public, as well as reaching out to be involved in the region, to participate in committees. I will continue on this path, increasing Bothell's presence in the Puget Sound Region for state and federal funds for our local projects, with a focus on smart growth while still keeping Bothell's character.

Endorsed by: Mayor Rheume, Deputy Mayor Duerr, Councilmember McNeal, Councilmember Samberg, King County Councilmember Dembowski

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Occupation: Roadway and Pedestrian Lighting & Controls

Statement: I am proud to call beautiful and charming Bothell my home. Under the current state of leadership I am worried about the loss of Bothell's identity and livability. Urban construction and density continues, taxes are on the rise, and traffic will get worse. Bothell needs thoughtful planning to grow sustainably, to maintain the great place we all want to live and raise family.

I will leverage my education and experience in civics and transportation engineering to work with the City to address the many development and traffic issues we face. I am running for Bothell City Council self-funded, unencumbered by any campaign contributions or donor influences.

I want to lead Bothell with you in mind, that best suits all our residents by maintaining the character and charm we value. I am engaged and prepared to serve you and the City of Bothell and very much appreciate your vote.

Council Position No. 7

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Education: University of Washington School of Medicine (Paramedic Certification)

Occupation: Currently Bothell City Council prior to that retired firefighter/paramedic

Statement: Tom and his wife moved to Bothell in 1982. Like the sign said "For a Day or a Lifetime."

Tom has been a public servant most of his life. Initially in the military he was a medic on a helicopter in Viet-Nam. After the service he joined the Medic One program. He later lateraled to Shoreline in 1987 and finished his career in 2005.

During 8 years on Council he has been a true nonpartisan, doing what is good for the citizens of Bothell. He has supported Safe Streets and Sidewalks, North Creek Forest, McMenamins, Shelton View Forest, the Fitzgerald zoning, supported One Bothell, he has been an advocate for affordable housing.

If he is re-elected he will continue to be an advocate for Public Safety, Fiscal Stability, Infrastructure improvement, bringing in a Boys and Girls club, and our environment. He will bring a common-sense approach to our city management.

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Education: Studied Business Management at Bellevue College

Occupation: Senior Engineering Manager at Microsoft Office 365

Statement: I am running for City Council because I truly care about our community. I will work for you, striving for common sense solutions and thoughtful planning of our community's future.

We need to protect the unique characteristics of our neighborhoods and preserve the natural beauty while applying smart growth principles. We need to support our seniors by increasing aging-in-place services. Our city needs to have a voice in regional discussions, working to secure funding to improve transportation, acquire open spaces, support public safety and create more affordable housing options.

As Chair of Bothell's Safe School Walk Routes Taskforce, I worked with community members, school district representatives, and PTAs to identify safe walkways and develop a list of prioritized projects.

I would appreciate your vote.

Endorsements: Deputy Mayor Duerr; Councilmember Samberg; Senator Palumbo; Representative Kloba; many former Bothell Councilmembers; King County Democrats; Snohomish County Democrats; 1st & 45th LD's Democrats

Council Position No. 1

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Education: Bachelor of Science in Nursing (Seattle University) Master of Nursing (University of Washington)

Occupation: Administrative Director Accreditation, Safety, Injury Management & Clinical Quality Investigations

Statement: It has been my honor serving Clyde Hill these past four years. Prior to that, I served on the Board of Adjustments and on the Citizens' Advisory Council for Clyde Hill.

I am committed to our community, ensuring we live in the safest and highest quality of neighborhoods. I supported revisions to our view ordinance to better define a collaborate process to preserve views; volunteered on a task force to identify and implement strategies to slow down speeders and reduce cut-through traffic; served during community days to promote home emergency management preparedness; and offered tips for our Chief of Police to promote for personal and property safety.

I also represent Clyde Hill on the King County Emergency Management Advisory Council so that our voice and special needs are heard.

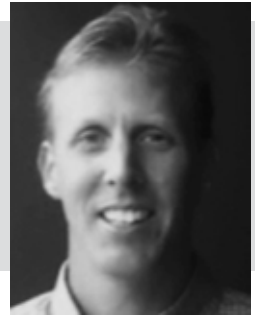
I am a dedicated leader and sincerely appreciate your vote to continue the important work for Clyde Hill!

Thank you!

Council Position No. 3

Chris Baker

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Education: Master of Business Administration

Occupation: Technology business management

Statement: I am seeking a fourth term to serve on the Clyde Hill city council. Prior to joining the council, I served five years on the citizen's budget committee and two years on the planning commission. Professionally, I've worked for over 15 years in various product and business management positions within the technology industry.

My top priorities are fiscal stewardship, public safety, and transportation. Our city has received national recognition for our budgeting process and results. It's critical even in these robust economic times to continue our fiscally conservative approach. In addition, I will be a champion for continuous improvement in the type and quality of services delivered such as housing development and winter storm coverage.

Council Position No. 5

Bruce J. Dodds

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Education: B.S. and M.S., Civil Engineering, University of Washington

Occupation: Land development engineering and land surveying small business owner

Statement: For 30 years I have been a resident of Clyde Hill and am proud to be a council member of this city rated one of the best small cities in the nation. This honor is attributable to Clyde Hill's professional staff, its dedicated police force, superb financial management, and the efforts of its mayor and city council to assure these high standards are maintained. In the coming four years, my goal is to continue to provide the city, its staff and council with the benefits of my engineering knowledge and business experience.

Mayor

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Education: Bachelor of Applied Science in Civil Engineering, University of Waterloo

Occupation: Deputy President Issaquah City Council, Management and Engineering Consultant

Statement: Issaquah is an incredible place to live, work and play. As Mayor, I will ensure it stays that way.

You say traffic needs to be better managed, the cost of living is soaring and growth needs to fit the community vision of a charming city nestled in green hills. I agree!

As your Councilmember, I have already stepped up to those challenges.

I proposed the current building moratorium to force resetting the course of development. I proposed banning trucks from downtown when they overwhelmed streets, and initiated funding to slow vehicles cutting through your neighborhoods. I also opposed all requests to add development beyond what is currently zoned.

As Mayor, I commit to growing only in ways that provides community benefits, creates new jobs, and respects the environment and our vibrant small business community.

Together, we can preserve the quality of life in Issaquah and plan for its future.

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Education: Bachelor of Science in Computer and Information Science, The Ohio State University -1984

Occupation: 33 years in software and related services; Issaquah City Council

Statement: Issaquah is a thriving community undergoing rapid change. But our future is threatened by development happening faster than anticipated, and worsening traffic, requiring focused leadership and coordination with the State, County, and nearby cities. As a City Councilmember and 33-year resident, I have the record and commitment to address this challenge. I've passed balanced budgets, bolstered public safety and invested in essential services. I helped save Issaquah's Senior Center, sponsored our pedestrian and bicyclist, and healthy community plans. I've worked with regional leaders to address growth, transportation, and housing needs.

As your Mayor, I'll protect our unique character – great parks and open spaces, incredible small businesses, and affordability for families and seniors living on fixed incomes.

I am proud to have the endorsements of Mayor Fred Butler and former Mayors Ava Frisinger and Rowan Hinds, and the 5th District Democrats. It would be an honor to earn your vote.

Council Position No. 1

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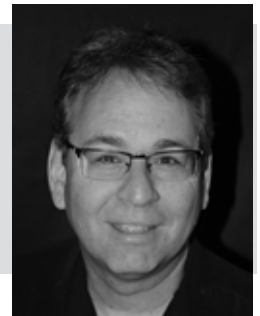
Occupation: Management Consultant working with State and Local Governments

Statement: Issaquah is at a critical crossroad and the decisions that we make today will have a profound impact on our future and our quality of life. We must address our worsening traffic problems and find a sensible approach to development. I have lived in this community for more than 25 years, and I am committed to preserving the qualities that make Issaquah a great place to live. It is time for a City Council that will advocate for the citizens of Issaquah and has the vision, skills, and experience to solve the hard problems we face today and will in the future. As a business owner and management consultant, I have worked with governments across the country to help them tackle their most challenging problems. I'd be honored to be your representative on the City Council so I can give back to this community that has given me so much.

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Education: University of Southern California, BS Business Administration, 1984

Occupation: Software Development Engineer, Microsoft, CPA (retired), Issaquah High volunteer teacher

Statement: Like you, I want a City Council that listens and works hard to make Issaquah a better place, without losing what brought us all here in the process.

Many of you know me well from my activity in local government since 2003. Issaquah was my choice for raising my family 17 years ago because of the great schools, quality of life, and beautiful natural surroundings.

As a former CPA, I will be fiscally responsible and hold the city accountable to you, the taxpayer.

More importantly, we should all feel safe in our neighborhoods not worrying about speeding cars, cut through traffic, or crime. Future growth must be in the right place and pay its own way. It must respect the environment plus provide appropriate infrastructure and parks.

As your City Councilor, I will emphasize community and your needs. Together we can improve our lives and preserve the best of Issaquah!

Council Position No. 2

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Education: BA, Political Science, University of California at Los Angeles, (UCLA)

Occupation: Television Program Director and Media Consultant

Statement: There's something very special about Issaquah. It shows in the way we live, work and care for our families here.

My family moved to Talus a decade ago. My kids attended Issaquah High, and my wife works at Pottery Barn.

I worked at KING 5 as Program Director where I led a team of 50 talented professionals. That experience taught me to listen well, ask hard questions and hold people accountable. We need these qualities at City Council.

With a strong economy bringing thousands of jobs – our future looks bright. These families need communities like Issaquah to call home. But we can't afford mistakes like the landslide in Talus or the recent land giveaway in the Highlands. Let's listen well, and then ask hard questions to manage growth, traffic and spending. Yes, together, we can make Issaquah better than ever!

I ask for your vote. Thank you.

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Occupation: Issaquah City Council Member, Small Business Owner -Strategic Consulting

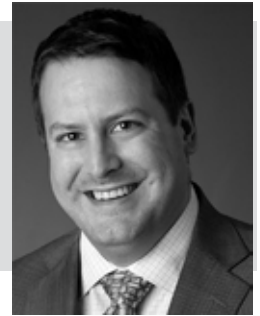
Statement: Issaquah is home. I've raised my family, passionately volunteered and run a small business here, for the last 17 years. While serving on Council, the Land and Shore Committee and several regional Economic, Human Services, Public Issues and Conservation Boards, I have developed a deep understanding of the important issues impacting our community and region. Strategic planning and partnership development focused on city traffic solutions, infrastructure and balancing growth, while protecting our small town charm, established neighborhoods and beautiful environment, needs to be prioritized. Now more than ever, Issaquah needs experienced, solution oriented leaders, to work with regional partners on these pressing issues. I have worked to improve city policies surrounding housing, city zoning, pace of growth, traffic, transportation, economic vitality and open spaces, but much more work needs to be accomplished. I would be honored to receive your vote, so I can continue to advocate for our home.

Council Position No. 3

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Education: Law Degree (Juris Doctor) from Seattle University School of Law (2008)

Occupation: Partner at Issaquah Law Group (civil litigation and business law).

Statement: I am a lifelong resident of Western Washington and the founding attorney for Issaquah Law Group. My long history of public service includes chairing the King County Civil Rights Commission, our City's Planning Policy Commission, and as a volunteer Firefighter with Eastside Fire and Rescue.

Issaquah is growing. Unfortunately, our infrastructure has not kept up. Any growth needs to be supported by infrastructure, protect our incredible natural resources, and protect the character and culture that makes Issaquah great. We need to reduce outside traffic through Issaquah, and build partnerships to ensure strong regional collaboration on our traffic.

I am proud to be endorsed by M. Lorena González (Seattle City Councilwoman); Paul Graves (5th Legislative District Representative); Tana Senn (41st Legislative District Representative); Judy Clibborn (41st Legislative District Representative); 5th Legislative District Democrats; 41st Legislative District Democrats; King County Young Democrats; Washington Conservation Voters; and the Affordable Housing Council.

Council Position No. 5

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Education: University of Oregon School of Law; University of Washington (Bachelor's in Communications)

Occupation: Attorney, Carson & Noel, PLLC

Statement: Issaquah needs leaders who listen to you, believe you, and take action for you.

As your Councilmember, I have asked the questions you want answered, proposed the current development moratorium (not soon enough), initiated action that banned truck traffic on downtown streets, forced changed management at the Senior Center, and committed to transparent decision-making.

My priority always is to work with you to address the issues you tell me about most often: the pace and quality of development, traffic congestion, parking, affordable housing, preservation of trees and green hillsides, space for schools, and maintaining our sought-after quality of life.

With the right leaders in place, we can thoughtfully and inclusively address your priorities to create a future for Issaquah we are all excited about. I want you to feel welcome at City Hall, trust your leaders, and believe in our plans for Issaquah.

I look forward to four more years!

Council Position No. 7

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Education: Bachelor of Science, Mechanical Engineering (University of Minnesota / Twin Cities)

Occupation: Engineering Management, Intellectual Ventures Lab (Bellevue, WA)

Statement: Workforce housing and living wage jobs.

That's what I said my focus was going to be eight years ago when I first ran for the Issaquah City Council, and that's been my focus ever since. The people who live in Issaquah can't find jobs in Issaquah, and the people who work in Issaquah can't afford to live here. That's a city out of balance. And it's been getting worse, as skyrocketing housing prices push even two-income professional families out of the city.

We need to work even harder to find creative housing solutions that keep working families in Issaquah. Police, teachers, and fire fighters deserve to live in the communities where they serve. We also need to keep pushing for commercial and corporate development that will provide real jobs strong enough to sustain families, rather than just minimum wage retail and food sector jobs. We already have enough of those.

Council Position No. 2

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Education: MS English WWU; BS Data Processing Griffin College; BA Education/English UW

Occupation: Former educator & business owner. Currently IT Director for AT&T

Statement: *Proven Leader, Innovator, Successful Business Woman*

I am excited by Kenmore's transformation and am running to lend my leadership experience and skills to this positive momentum. My goal is to enhance waterfront access, build sidewalks and improve transportation safety. *I want to help create a safe, healthy environment for our families.*

Kenmore attracts new, and promotes existing businesses which serve local residents and grow our economy. I support a vibrant, walkable downtown that welcomes new businesses while retaining our 'hometown' feel. *As a former business owner, I will focus on affordability and sustainable budgets.*

Kenmore's unique location can leverage innovative opportunities for long term smart growth. Whether you envision connecting with nature, working at a lakeside high tech hub, or living in affordable eco-friendly housing, *I will work to ensure your voice is heard. Together we can build the future we imagine.*

Thank you for your support and your vote!

Joe Marshall

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Education: Inglemoor '87; B.A. U.W. '91; M.F.A. Cornell '95; J.D. U.W. '99.

Occupation: Attorney, 17 years, municipal and real estate law; criminal defense.

Statement: Joe will stand up for Kenmore – together we can *grow smart and grow with heart.* Joe grew up here, is raising his family here and as your councilmember, he'll work with all perspectives to help disadvantaged residents and create jobs.

Community roots: former President of Northshore Rotary, former Board Member of Cascadia Community College Foundation, longtime parks advocate. An attorney, Joe has represented Northshore Fire District and Utility District. Joe will:

Support public safety, work to reduce traffic and build more sidewalks to safeguard lives, change infrastructure to relieve congestion,

Safeguard parks, open space and woods; keep Kenmore green and active, protect shorelines, and enhance recreation including a public pool for all our children,

Promote public input and improve accountability, promote transparency and equity for all.

Proudly endorsed by Kenmore Councilmember Nigel Herbig; State Rep. Gerry Pollet, former State Rep. Jessyn Farrell; Richard Ramsey, Rebecca Hirt; 46th District Democrats.

Council Position No. 4

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Education: B.A. University of Washington - Comparative Religion, Political Science

Occupation: Washington State House of Representatives - Legislative Assistant

Statement: Four years ago I ran on three main issues – sidewalks, a more transparent city government, and increased access to the water.

Since I've joined the Council we have *built more than 3 miles of sidewalk* with another 3 miles in the pipeline, *added a camera to Council chambers* so that anyone can watch our meetings live, and *passed our first ever city bond measure which will increase water access at our parks.*

I've delivered on my campaign promises, and promise to continue working on expanding our bike/ped network, ensuring that the City is listening to you, and that the Walkways and Waterways projects are delivered on time and on budget.

Serving the people of Kenmore has been one of my greatest honors. I humbly ask for your support and vote again this year.

Endorsed by: Dow Constantine, 46th District Democrats, Washington Conservation Voters, Sierra Club, Washington Bikes.

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Education: Lake Washington High School/ Bachelor's in Alternative Energy/ Environmental Science from W.W.U.

Occupation: Real Estate Broker / HVAC/ Solar Energy Advocate

Statement: I've lived in Kenmore-Finn Hill over 50 years. I'll bring needed accountability to Council and Staff while focusing on spending.

A third lane on the Sammamish Bridge (currently ignored) will boost economic development and eliminate backups on 68th and Simonds Road. \$5 Million for a field at Saint Ed's is profoundly wasteful! Instead, improve our school fields and locate new fields at the proposed Lake Pointe Park.

The Council has a reputation for wasting millions developing Kenmore Village. The \$19 million bond measure never disclosed the \$7 Million already being spent on two parks. I'll stand for environmental best practices like never before.

I'll bring a diverse perspective to the Council, with a publicly open approach to developing Downtown, Lake Pointe, and Saint Edwards Park with parking. Small business owners have my support.

If you share these concerns and goals, I ask for your vote and for you to vote!

Council Position No. 6

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Education: Inglemoor High School graduate; University of Washington, B.S. Psychology; University of Vermont, Ph.D. Psychology

Occupation: Program Manager, King County Department of Community and Human Services

Statement: I am running for City Council to serve the Kenmore community. I have heard residents' goals and hopes for a city that manages growth and traffic, improves our waterfront, and develops a vibrant, walkable downtown, while remaining safe, welcoming, affordable, and fiscally responsible. With my experience in management, planning, teamwork, and budgeting, I have the skills to help achieve those goals and get things done.

After growing up in Kenmore, I returned to raise a family. These deep community roots have motivated me to serve as a Planning Commissioner, founding member of the Friends of Saint Edwards State Park and the Kenmore Waterfront Activities Center, co-chair of Kenmore's Walkways and Waterways bond measure, and co-creator of the Kenmore Rowing Club and Waterfront Fair.

If elected, I will continue to listen to you and work tirelessly to turn your vision for Kenmore's future into reality! I ask for your vote.

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Education: BA, Northwest University, Kirkland, WA. Major: Organizational Management, Minor: Microsoft Systems Engineer

Occupation: Organizational Consultant

Statement: As a 30-year resident, I'll work to keep Kenmore the city you'll be proud to call home. As a current Planning Commissioner, I understand the issues facing our city, and I'm listening to your concerns.

On the Council, I'll advocate for the affordable, family-friendly, vibrant city we all desire. I'll promote responsive, transparent government. I'll support accountable spending as we seek to ease traffic congestion, ensure pedestrian safety, and enhance parks. Like you, I want a walkable downtown that is business friendly, with restaurants and accessible waterfront greenspace.

I believe Kenmore has a bright future! As your City Councilmember, I'll bring strategic planning paired with business analytics and a balanced team approach to serve you as, together, we move Kenmore forward!

Endorsed by Mayor David Baker

I respectfully ask for your vote.

Council Position No. 1

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Education: B.S. in Computer Science, Certificate of Municipal Leadership

Occupation: Kirkland Deputy Mayor, freelance web developer and IT consultant

Statement: I'm honored to serve you and our welcoming, inclusive city. At gatherings like *For the Love of Kirkland*, neighborhood meetings, and community events, your involvement makes Kirkland better. During the last four years, I've listened, brought people together, and found creative solutions.

Mary Beth and I are raising three daughters who attend Lake Washington schools. To maintain what we love about Kirkland, I've worked to add new parks, strengthen neighborhoods, focus density in Totem Lake, and build the *Cross Kirkland Corridor*. I've championed climate and sustainability issues.

Kirkland is gaining more places to work, play, and meet our daily needs without leaving the city. If re-elected, I will pursue speeding up planned transportation projects, adding police and firefighters, and making housing more affordable.

I ask for your vote. Together we can keep Kirkland moving forward!

Endorsements: *Washington Conservation Voters, Washington Bikes, state legislators, former Kirkland mayors, councilmembers, and neighborhood leaders.*

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Education: US Navy, ranked top in my class continued on to receive several medals and accommodations.

Occupation: Local Contractor/Business owner, including services for Seniors and Veterans

Statement: *A Fresh Eye, A New Voice for Our Community ...*

Kirkland citizens need a representative who will listen to their concerns and visions for the city. I will be your voice on the city council. A resident of Kirkland for over 40 years, working in and for the community is important to me. I am active in my neighborhood association, a current reelected board member and a contributor to the neighborhood comprehensive plans.

Having persevered through city issues as a private citizen, I am committed to open, transparent government and restoring integrity in *our* city officials. An ideal quality of life should be expected by all where citizens are respected, neighborhood character is preserved, and businesses succeed. I believe common sense and fiscal responsibility are also imperative for a healthy community.

It would be an honor to be your fair and just representative on Kirkland's city council ... Let's talk!

Council Position No. 2

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Education: Bachelor's in Economics, University of Washington; M.B.A, University of Virginia Darden School of Business

Occupation: Entrepreneur and community volunteer

Statement: Thoughtful and caring citizens have created the vibrant and attractive Kirkland we live in today. This attractiveness brings an ongoing challenge - growth. Growth lies at the core of many of our issues: congestion, affordability, environmental sustainability, public health, livability, security and fiscal balance. I look forward to addressing each of these.

Recently served 8 years as Kirkland Transportation Commissioner - two as Chairman. Currently serve on the Kirkland Parks Foundation and Tilth Alliance boards.

I'm proud to be endorsed by Washington Conservation Voters, Sierra Club, Representative Joan McBride, former mayors Dave Russell, Mary-Alice Burleigh, Bill Woods, Bob Neir, former councilmember Nona Ganz, former city manager Dave Ramsay, Councilman Toby Nixon, former parks directors Lynn Stokesbary and Jennifer Schroder, Finn Hill President Scott Morris, and many others.

I would appreciate your vote.

Council Position No. 3

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Education: Most recently, 2008, Leadership Eastside, 2013 Leadership Eastside Executive Training

Occupation: Retired Health Care Administrator

Statement: Serving on Kirkland's city council is a great honor. My 30+ years commitment to Kirkland will continue as our city faces challenges of growth, transportation, housing and infrastructure. We must assure a community of healthy, diverse and vibrant neighborhoods. Continuing to deal with these challenges will determine Kirkland's quality of life for decades to come.

I welcome the challenge. I have always listened to Kirkland residents and have made decisions based on your input. Our priorities must include strong fiscal policies, effective regional cooperation, and a strong relationship with the State of Washington.

I will continue working regionally on water supply, emergency management and solid waste and locally on public safety and economic development.

It takes hard work and collaboration to make a good city great! I look forward to building even stronger relationships with the people of Kirkland.

You would honor me with your vote. Thank You.

Penny Sweet

Council Position No. 5

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Education: I hold degrees in Political Science and Law

Occupation: Controller, Ford & Hyundai of Kirkland

Statement: Our region is experiencing unprecedented growth in good jobs, and the families are following, wanting to share in our incredible quality of life.

The challenge is to preserve the unique qualities of our neighborhoods and our small town feel, while allowing for development of homes and jobs downtown and in Totem Lake, and to have our business districts allow us to buy everything we need, here in our city.

Public safety is the primary responsibility of government and we should ensure that our first responders have everything they need to keep us safe. We must remain a welcoming city where every person feels secure.

Conservative fiscal policies have enabled us to establish savings accounts for future needs, and in a good position to invest in walking and biking trails, sidewalks, open spaces and parks.

It has been a privilege to serve, and I would be honored to earn your vote.

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Education: University of Washington Bachelors of Science: Astronomy, Biochemistry, Chemistry, and Physics

Occupation: President, Co-Founder, and Head Coach, Suplex City Wrestling

Statement: My Kirkland work ethic proved to be critical in overcoming obstacles presented by my learning disabilities while earning four majors at the University of Washington, stocking retail shelves at night while coaching by day, and establishing a small business. From these experiences, I learned to resolve conflicts with honesty, integrity and perseverance while understanding most disputes are rooted from frustration and miscommunication rather than malicious intent. My leadership experience taught me to not to base decisions to be re-elected, but rather by listening to those I serve. I hope to bring these values to public service.

As your Kirkland City Council Member, I will prioritize supporting our brave police officers and firefighters, defending property owner rights, and emboldening youth. I also seek to update Kirkland's water mains and transition the replacement for the Houghton Transfer Station.

As a citizen born and raised in Kirkland, I humbly ask for your vote.

Council Position No. 7

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Education: M.S. in Engineering and B.S. in Forestry, University of Washington
Occupation: Transportation Engineer; Small Business Owner in Kirkland; Kirkland City Councilmember

Statement: Serving as your councilmember is an honor. I will continue working with you for common sense solutions that enhance Kirkland's charm and livability, while responsibly managing growth.

My priorities: implement transportation improvements that allow us to get around faster and more reliably; make smart investments in police and fire services to keep us safe; preserve our remaining open spaces for future generations.

Over sixteen years I have volunteered in many roles including Transportation and Planning Commissioner, co-founder of Finn Hill Neighborhood Alliance, Co-Chair Kirkland Alliance of Neighborhoods, Little League coach, and LWSD facility task force member. I have made our streets safer for walking and biking, worked to build more school classrooms, and pushed for responsible land use regulations.

Kirkland is a wonderful community and that's why I raise my family here. Let's work together to keep it special.

Endorsements: Kirkland Firefighters; Sierra Club; Representatives McBride, Goodman; many other leaders.

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Education: BA Psychology, University of Washington + Montessori Teacher, International Certification

Occupation: Educator, Founder of Montessori School

Statement: I want to ensure our community grows in a more balanced, sustainable way. We need more affordable housing, more parks, improved senior centers, better transit, and an economy that works for all families and people who work here. As a small-business owner, I want to bring fiscal responsibility and transparency to City government.

As a teacher, I know the importance of a good education, and support our public schools.

My affiliations with Kirkland Downtown Rotary Club and Eastshore Unitarian Universalists enable me to promote causes concerning social justice. I am an activist who advocates progressive values. I'm endorsed by the LD 48th Democrats, Congresswoman Pramilla Jayapal, and Planned Parenthood.

If elected, I would be the only immigrant woman of color on the Kirkland City Council. I believe in collaborating to bring a synergistic energy to our community.

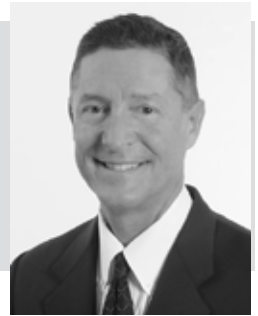
I would be honored by your vote. Please visit www.UzmaforKirkland.com for more information.

Municipal Court Judge

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Education: Seattle University - BA; Gonzaga School of Law - JD

Occupation: Kirkland Municipal Court Judge

Statement: I have been privileged to serve as Kirkland Municipal Court Judge since 2006.

For 21 years prior to becoming Kirkland's Presiding Judge, I tried hundreds of cases as both prosecutor and defense lawyer. Cases ranged from theft and DUI to rape, kidnapping and murder.

I live in the Kirkland vicinity and have strong connections to the community. My two adult daughters also live nearby.

Most people first encounter the judicial system in municipal court. I think it is important that judges serving community courts have the kind of deep experience and professionalism I bring to the bench.

I have worked many years to improve access to justice and court efficiency at Kirkland. I have served continuously on the board with the District and Municipal Court Judge's Association, as well as co-chairing the State's Board of Judicial Administration.

I would be honored to serve as Kirkland's Judge another four years.

Council Position No. 1

Jessica L. Rossman

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Education: J.D., Stanford Law School; B.A., Biology & Society, Cornell University

Occupation: Attorney, community volunteer, and parent

Statement: I believe in Medina’s unique charm, and I believe in public service. After graduating from Stanford, I began my law career at Seattle’s biggest firm. I left to go into public service at the U.S. Attorney’s Office, and then, when my son needed extra care, I became a full-time parent. I’ve been involved in our community as co-chair of Medina Days in 2015 and 2016, and I currently serve as a Planning Commissioner and Medina Elementary PTA board member.

As your representative, I will serve with dedication, transparency and civility. Government exists for the benefit of the people, and I will use my professional background to make our city processes more user-friendly. I will advocate for citizen interests including public and pedestrian safety, livability, fiscal responsibility and the family-friendly amenities that I enjoy with my husband and two young sons.

I look forward to discussing Medina’s future with you.

Council Position No. 3

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Education: BA, Political Science, Hofstra University

Occupation: Privacy Strategist, Microsoft

Statement: My goal is to continue the progress that our city has made in the last four years. A big priority is public safety — that’s a must. My hope is that we can continue to encourage citizens to be involved and engaged. Another is maintaining the unique, diverse character of the community. It’s why so many of us chose Medina as our home for our families. I look forward to collaborating on a council that works tirelessly in a professional manner to reflect the views of the citizens of our city.

Background: Medina Planning Commission; Board Member, National Charity League, Emerald City; Community volunteer

Council Position No. 5

Roger Frey

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Education: MBA, Santa Clara University; BA, University of Washington

Occupation: VP, local technology company

Statement: I'm excited to run for Medina City Council so that I can make a positive and lasting contribution to our wonderful community.

As a resident, I've advocated for the preservation of Medina's parks and open spaces and for the equitable, transparent and clear application of its regulations and codes. There are common-sense ways to balance residents' property rights while preserving our community's essential character.

Medina faces numerous challenges: increased traffic congestion, SR520 noise, and ensuring public safety. I'll work to develop and implement workable solutions to these and other challenges. And, I'll do everything I can to ensure that Medina provides a fun, healthy and safe environment for Medina families.

By working collaboratively and collegially with fellow Council members and our neighboring communities, we'll meet these challenges and ensure the continued enjoyment of Medina for all. It will be my privilege to serve Medina residents. Thank you for your support!

Council Position No. 7

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Education: Computer Systems Engineer SUPELEC (France), BS Mathematics/Physics

Occupation: Former Microsoft Executive, Real Estate Developer, Mayor of Medina

Statement: I had the privilege of serving on the Medina City Council since 2014, including my current term as Mayor. During the last decade, as a resident of Medina, member of the Planning Commission and the City Council, I met incredible neighbors who are true leaders with diverse talents dedicated to their city and community.

Like many cities on the Eastside, Medina faces common challenges related to increased cut-through traffic of rush-hour commuters converging into the new SR 520 floating bridge over lake Washington. As King County attracts more talent and residents, traffic is increasing and it became critical to work hand in hand with neighboring cities, county officials, WSDOT and state officials to find solutions for commuters, public transportation and related park and ride, while maintaining the sylvan nature of Medina and the Eastside.

I look forward to dedicating my experience and energy to the service of our city.

Council Position No. 2

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Education: B.A. Seattle University; Mercer Island School System (Elementary, Middle, and Senior High)

Occupation: Managing Partner, CTMI, LLC; Mercer Island City Council (Appointed 2017)

Statement: As a second-generation Islander, I appreciate the uniqueness of our community and understand why so many families want to call Mercer Island home. As a business leader, I analyze data, solve complex problems and work collaboratively with some of the largest companies in the world. Those skills apply to some of the financial and planning challenges we face today. As a parent and a graduate of the MI school system, I am attuned to some of the issues and hurdles faced by our schools and our families. I have looked for ways to serve the community—the Council provides an opportunity for me to use my skill set to help the City drive sound financial decisions, transportation solutions, preserve our quality-of-life and work to protect the environment. It would be an honor to serve our community in this way.

Endorsed by current/former Councilmembers Dan Grausz, David Wisenteiner, Mike Cero, Jeff Sanderson

Council Position No. 4

Tom Acker

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Education: MBA/CU; Bachelor English Seattle University, Minor Philosophy; Configuration Management certification

Occupation: Boeing Company, HR 737 China Strategy and Integration Senior Leader

Statement: Mercer Island is a unique and special community. Tom Acker values this environment, both growing up on Mercer Island and now with his wife, Anne, as they raise their three boys. Tom is an involved parent, leader and supporter at the Northwood Elementary PTA & Legislative Advocacy, Mercer Island Schools Foundation, Mercer Island Youth and Family Services, and a champion for the arts, parks and schools.

Tom recognizes the importance of fiscal management and brings key business experience to effectively manage our city. Professionally, Tom has worked for multiple international companies, specializing in structured performance improvement plans, leading successful inter-agency partnerships and negotiating complex international transactions.

Acker believes the community should have a voice in decisions, and Tom will represent the people of Mercer Island. Electing Tom ensures transparent communication, focus on improved I-90 commuting, balanced town and residential developmental standards, and sustainable fiscal budgeting.

Thank you for your vote.

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Education: MA Political Management, George Washington University; BA Philosophy Cornell University

Occupation: Government Affairs Professional

Statement: Transparency and citizen engagement are the lifeblood of a thriving community. Transportation impacts, residential codes, public safety and budget deficits require community based solutions from forward-looking leaders committed to bringing together disparate voices.

My experience in government affairs - finding common sense solutions among government, business and private interests - has earned me a no-nonsense, get it done reputation. I am excited for the opportunity to bring my experience and skills to City Council.

Since moving here to raise my family I have dedicated myself to public service. I have chaired MI Arts Council, served on CMIPS, MIPA and Wester Mercer Elementary boards, MI District PTA Advocacy Council and been a member at large for the MIFC Soccer Association.

I ask for your vote.

Endorsed by: Former Mayor Fred Jarrett, Mayor Bruce Bassett Councilmember Debbie Bertlin Rep. Tana Senn, Former Chamber Exec Terry Moreman and many more.

Council Position No. 6

Benson D. Wong

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Education: BA in Political Science from Yale University, JD from University of Pennsylvania Law School

Occupation: Business attorney at the Keller Rohrback L.L.P. law firm

Statement: I am a 33-year Mercer Island resident, and for the past four years I have worked to make Mercer Island as great as its residents. My commitment, compassion and experience will help guide us through an exceptional period. Among my priorities are to retain our character and values given the region's growth and to ensure that we are prepared for emergencies that might arise. As your Councilmember, I have persevered to address challenging community issues, including transportation, water quality, the Town Center and residential development. I will continue to listen to your concerns so that we work together to prioritize our needs. I will balance long range planning with responsible governance to ensure we make wise future investments within fiscal constraints.

I am proud to be endorsed by many current and former elected officials, community leaders and hundreds more.

I look forward to partnering with you to build our community.

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Education: Bachelor's in English, Psychology Minor, UCLA; Master's Social Work, Child Mental Health Specialist, UW

Occupation: Mental Health Counselor, Founder of Attachment and Trauma Specialists

Statement: Mercer Island needs a new voice on your City Council who will help usher in an era of greater transparency and citizen input, provide mobility solutions that alleviate traffic stress and safety concerns, be able to streamline our operations without overtaxing residents and start addressing our aging infrastructure so we can avoid compromising our safety.

In my seventeen fortunate years here, I've been a strong advocate for our schools, parks and neighborhood character, and sat on the board of Youth and Family Services. I foresee a shuttle service to mitigate transportation issues, a more vibrant Town Center, a financially stronger City and a forward thinking Council that reflects the needs and will of our citizens. We must make decisive changes towards these goals.

I'm asking for your vote to be an architect for Mercer Island's future to protect what we love in the face of increasing regional pressures. Thank you.

Council Position No. 5

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Education: Bachelor's in Mechanical Engineering from Villanova University; Masters in Business Administration from City University
Occupation: Retired Boeing Executive; Two term Newcastle Council; Two term Mayor

Statement: I am proud to serve the residents of one of the top 20 small cities in the United States. We have high quality roads, wonderful trails and parks, low crime, and an efficient storm water system. This has been accomplished without any new revenue sources being required during my tenure.

We were able to acquire City Hall using funds dedicated to capital purchases, lowering our expenses by \$40K the first year. We maintain a \$4M operating reserve.

I was instrumental in procuring more than \$800K from King County to alleviate flooding on Lake Boren and to build a new swimming dock. I serve as the Newcastle Historian, attend many neighborhood homeowner meetings, and represent Newcastle at Sound Cities and King County meetings.

I am a vocal critic of the financial burdens of the Sound Transit 3 Program, and will fight for resident safety regarding the proposed Energize Eastside project.

Dave Mitchell

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Education: Highline Community College
Occupation: Retired Commercial Construction Superintendent: budget, schedule, safety, accountability. HOA President

Statement: Newcastle is a wonderful city. I'm glad I live here. I want to keep Newcastle viable. Unfortunately, the State Auditor warned about a financial cliff and recommended a long-term financial plan. A vote for me is a vote for financial responsibility.

A \$7.2 million city hall purchase ballooned the city's debt by \$4 million, and decimated the city's \$1.5 million emergency fund to \$10,000.

Proposed future improvements for Lake Boren and Downtown estimate spending another \$24 million; money we don't have. Mistakes in zoning resulted in too many apartments and worsening traffic.

My opponent led the overspending, historic debt, and failed to provide a long-term financial plan.

The city must live within its means and keep our total tax burden low. Spending priorities should be maintaining infrastructure: roads, parks, trails. Restore the disaster/emergency fund to \$1.5 million.

Endorsements: Councilmember John Drescher, former Councilmember Bill Erxleben, Tapatio Mexican Grill, Newcastle Watchdog.

Council Position No. 6

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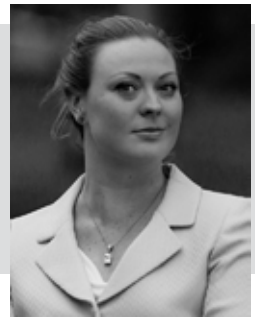
Statement: We have lived in Newcastle's Olympus Neighborhood for 29 years. I love Newcastle and want it to continue to thrive. Citizen voices and priorities are key to our city's success and direction. It is vital that we 1) retain our identity as a safe, affordable, livable community, 2) live within our means and spend our revenue wisely, and 3) avoid the dangers and property devaluation of expanded electrical towers. I support the CENSE solutions for safe, reliable, sustainable electricity.

As a Sr. Management Executive at PACCAR, I managed and creatively leveraged multi-million dollar department and project budgets, establishing a successful track record of achieving goals on time and under budget. I believe with wise fiscal management, Newcastle can keep our tax burden reasonable. As your councilmember, I will use my experience and skills to keep our city vibrant and affordable. I respectfully request your vote. See endorsements on my website.

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Education: B.A. English Literature and Composition, Western Washington University; J.D. University of Washington School of Law.

Occupation: Immigration Attorney, World One Law Group.

Statement: Newcastle is a beautiful, green, friendly, and a convenient commute to businesses all over the Eastside and Seattle area. Because of this our city is experiencing unprecedented growth, which is only projected to increase.

I have lived in Newcastle for twenty years, attending school here and returning after both university and my time at the UW School of Law. I have been active in progressive politics for many years, and as a practicing immigration attorney work to keep families together to ensure everyone has a chance to experience the American dream.

I hope to bring my education and experience to our city, respecting responsible, green development. Newcastle is a growing city, and I hope to facilitate its growth in a way that respects the natural character of the city and reflects the values of our residents. We have an opportunity to plan for the future – let's use it.

Council Position No. 7

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Education: BS in Engineering, University of Washington

Occupation: Retail Business Executive (Retired)

Statement: My message is simple. We are a small city seeking to remain fiscally strong to control our own destiny. I'm your voice for the long-term view that believes we can manage growth and attract desired businesses to our downtown core, while providing for public safety and infrastructure to support the well-being of our community.

As current Planning Commission Chair and your volunteer Commissioner for the past seven years, I've worked diligently to deliver solid recommendations to City Council. Now is the right time for me to join the Council and serve you with proactive thinking and sound decision making.

My engineering background and years of senior business management have prepared me to focus on challenging financial and policy issues. My international business experience (eight years in Mexico) reinforces my ability to engage others with respect and an open mind seeking common ground.

More at FB: Tom Magers for Newcastle

Council Position No. 2

Steve Fields

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Education: BS, Accounting, Graduate studies in Finance, Certified Lean Six Sigma/ Government Management and Contract Negotiations
Occupation: Government and Corporate Finance and Performance Manager; Redmond Business Owner.
Statement: Redmond is experiencing tremendous growth and challenges. We need a fresh perspective and a clear vision to direct smart city growth. We need to build community not just buildings. Redmond residents should not subsidize growth while developers get tax and environmental exemptions. We need to ensure that they build what we as a city want, not what is easy to do. My experience at King County and City of Seattle and professional skills in budgeting makes me uniquely qualified to drive Redmond City Council forward. I will be the elected leader who connects with the community before big decisions are made. I will listen to your ideas and concerns, and ask the tough questions. My commitment is to serve the City with responsible oversight and ensure high standards of excellence.
Vote Steve Fields for a better Redmond future!
Endorsements: 48 District Democrats, former Mayor Rosemarie Ives, many of your neighbors.

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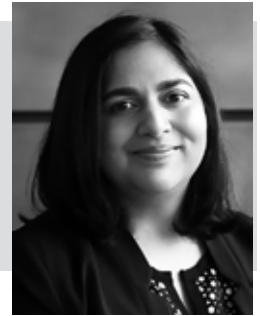
Education: BA - Univ. of Colorado
Occupation: City Councilmember; retired manufacturing small business founder-owner
Statement: Re-elect Byron, an experienced and compassionate councilmember. Byron collaborates with regional leaders to provide opportunities for all Redmond families, with a focus on housing choices and human services that meet the needs of all ages and income levels. Byron understands the complexities of traffic congestion, and works a variety of strategies toward solutions, including alternate transportation, transit, and land use planning. He works to ensure Redmond continues to provide exceptionally high value for our tax dollars. Local and regional leaders endorse Byron, including the Redmond Mayor, Council leadership, five former Council Presidents, neighboring city mayors and the 45th/48th legislators. He serves on the boards of Hopelink, Together Center, Schools Foundation and more. For a complete list of specific endorsements and extensive civic leadership, go to ShutzForCouncil.com. Byron's and Susan's civic service since moving to their Idylwood home in 1994 have strengthened Redmond's vitality and community inclusiveness. Please vote for Byron!

Council Position No. 4

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Education: Juris doctorate, Northeastern University and Bachelor of Science, Texas A&M University
Occupation: City council member
Statement: Tanika brings a fresh perspective and a new voice to the council. She wants Redmond to be a vibrant community, where we can all live, work, play and worship. Tanika is already working hard for you, but there's more to accomplish. Redmond is growing, which brings challenges and opportunities. She will continue to support affordable housing options, find ways to ease traffic congestion, and revitalize our aging community centers. It takes patience, experience and a willingness to talk to all stakeholders to achieve results. Tanika has lived and raised her family in Redmond for 13 years, and values community engagement. As your councilwoman, she will continue to encourage your involvement in the decision-making process. Please vote for Tanika so that we can preserve Redmond's hometown charm, natural beauty, and prepare for the future.
Endorsed by Senator Kuderer, Representatives McBride, Slatter and Goodman, fellow council members, Eastside Democrats, and many others.

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Education: Bachelor of Science, Chemistry and Computer Science
Occupation: Engineering Manager
Statement: Like you, I love where I live and have been actively involved in our community. I am a husband, father of two, and longtime Redmond resident. As our city changes, we all want to retain our great quality of life for young and old. This will be my focus and I will remain accountable to you, not to special interests. I will engage with the community and developers to direct Redmond's growth according to the residents' priorities. I will ensure that the traffic is flowing - in Downtown, and in all our neighborhoods. Our budget should provide for parks and community centers for us and our children, and I believe we can achieve that without levies and extra taxes. I treasure our diverse and welcoming city and as a non-partisan candidate, I represent all Redmond residents. I look forward to serving you and being your voice on Redmond City Council!

Council Position No. 6

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Education: Ph.D. Civil Engineering, University of Washington; B.S. Civil Engineering California Polytechnic State University SLO

Occupation: President/CEO, Greenroads Foundation

Statement: As an experienced non-profit executive, civil engineer, and startup founder, I have dedicated my career to public service and sustainable development.

I am committed to creating policies and making decisions that promote a safe, prosperous, and resilient Redmond for residents, families, businesses, and future generations.

I am a passionate advocate for healthy, equitable communities, and environmental conservation. I will be a voice on the Council representing Redmond's diverse businesses, startup culture, women's issues, and STEM education.

I will apply my problem-solving skills and engineering creativity to future-proof Redmond's infrastructure projects. I will make sure your tax dollars are invested in projects that enhance quality of life and do right by the environment. Together, we will make Redmond's streets smarter, safer, and better connected for pedestrians, bicycles, transit, and for all ages and abilities.

I would be honored to serve as your Councilwoman. Thank you for your vote.

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Education: B.S., Computer Engineering, University of California at San Diego

Occupation: Engineering Manager, Microsoft

Statement: As a parent of two young children and a 20+ year Redmond resident – I will reestablish our Redmond Values in City Council.

I will support *smart and sustainable growth* that prioritizes our families and environment first – not developers. Uncontrolled growth leads to overcrowded and underfunded schools, skyrocketing rent and housing prices, traffic congestion on every corridor and erosion of our parks and trails.

I will maintain a *tight-knit and diverse community* where residents, businesses and families alike can succeed – with well-supported LWSD schools and responsible infrastructure that keeps up with our growth.

I will put your voice back into the decision-making process.

As an experienced Microsoft engineering manager, I have decades of professional experience building consensus and making the right tradeoffs that will ensure the best results for you and your tax dollar.

Redmond deserves a champion working hard for you. I ask for your vote.

Council Position No. 1

Randy Corman

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Education: Bachelor of Science, Mechanical Engineering, University of California at Davis

Occupation: Renton City Councilmember (24 years), Boeing Engineer/Manager (33 years)

Statement: Randy Corman has proven to be a voice of reason and a champion for community outreach as a Renton City Councilmember. He's an optimistic and upbeat public servant who intensely studies issues, finds common ground during controversies, and always leads the city forward. He's served as Council President for five years and served as chair of all council committees. Randy is known for *listening to the people* of Renton and responding to their concerns. He's been instrumental in the Landing, Piazza, Farmers Market, Southport, 405/167 improvements, the Neighborhood Program, and new parks and libraries. He's represented Renton in many regional forums including the I-405 Executive Committee and Salmon Habitat Recovery. He's currently collaborating on downtown and highlands revitalization projects, creating a Benson Hill Community Center, building a more inclusive city, adding new police officers, and working to reduce traffic congestion, while minimizing costs to homeowner's by expanding Renton's retail base.

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Education: Penn State: Certificate in Fire Protection

Occupation: Property management

Statement: I love my City. I moved here 5 years ago and got involved with the community right away. Became President of South Renton Neighborhood where we got the zoning law changed to restrict the height of new construction. We moved to North Renton where I became the President of the North Renton Neighborhood. I led the first Mayors Town Hall where we learned how to better communicate and work with the city to solve problems.

I am an Renton Municipal Arts Commissioner and have worked to bring art to the city. I host music events throughout the city with the Downtown Summerfest last July as an example.

I want to do for all of Renton what we have done in our neighborhood, having a sense of community, engage with the city and police in a positive way and solving problems together.

Council Position No. 2

Armondo Pavone

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Education: Renton High School Graduate, Shoreline Community College

Occupation: Renton City Council President and Local Business Owner

Statement: A lifelong resident of Renton, Armondo Pavone is a proven leader in the city and throughout the region. For the past 32 years, he has owned Armondo's Cafe Italiano and Melrose Grill. Armondo and his wife, Angela, live on Renton Hill with their two sons. As a passionate public servant and business owner, Armondo will continue to listen and represent our diverse community.

Armondo's priorities will focus on achieving long-term public safety goals to reduce criminal activity and provide safe neighborhoods; continue building an inclusive city with opportunities for all; and promoting economic vitality throughout the city.

Community Service: Renton Foundation Board, Communities In Schools of Renton, Renton Fire Authority Board, Renton Rotary.

Endorsements: Renton Firefighters IAFF 864, Renton Police Guild; Mayor Denis Law; City Councilmembers Don Persson, Ed Prince, Randy Corman, Ryan McIrvine, and Carol Ann Witschi; State Representative Steve Bergquist; former State Representative Marcie Maxwell; and many more!

Diane Dobson

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Education: Renton High School, Liberty High School, Highline Community College, Seattle University

Occupation: Wyman K. Dobson, P.S (f/k/a Dobson Houser Dobson) - Paralegal

Statement: Diane Dobson comes from a historical Renton pioneer family. Having lived and worked in Renton her entire life, Diane knows our community inside and out: the neighborhoods and the people in them. She promotes Renton's achievements and recognizes opportunities for improvement. As a genuine and approachable leader, Diane understands local issues and stands for what is right. She holds people accountable and isn't afraid to ask questions.

Diane fosters partnerships between businesses and the community. She was Renton's 2003 "Citizen of the Year", a founding member of the Downtown Partnership, 20 year member of Renton Lions Club and works with over 15 Renton-based committees and organizations, including the Mayor's CCCP Advisory Board.

Diane will work to improve the safety and integrity of Renton's neighborhoods, promote community involvement and bring accountability and transparency to our municipal government.

Diane Dobson will bring a voice to the table for the citizens of Renton.

Council Position No. 6

Ruth Perez

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Education: Master's Degree in Business Administration, Bachelor's of Arts in Communication Science.

Occupation: Renton City Councilmember and Senior Vice President Checkerboard Consulting Services.

Statement: Two years ago, I was honored to be elected as your Councilmember. With over 30 years of business experience working with major corporations, local and state government, and as a community leader, I was ready to get to work to make the city we love an even better place to live. Now, my commitment remains unchanged.

Public Safety: Provide resources for police to keep our neighborhoods safe. **Reduce Traffic:** Continue fighting to secure funding from regional partners. Transportation is critical to our economy. **Education:** Promote stronger partnership with our educational institutions. **Economic Development:** Support smart growth while protecting the character of our neighborhoods. **Budget:** Ensure fiscal responsibility and accountability. **Seniors:** Promote quality services to our vulnerable populations.

Endorsed by Attorney General Bob Ferguson, Senator Bob Hasegawa, Representative Steve Bergquist, Councilmembers Don Persson and Marcie Palmer (former), Governor Gary Locke, Norma McQuiller, Renton Firefighters and more!
I appreciate your vote.

Jami Smith

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Education: Bachelor's in Computer Science, Tennessee State University, and Master of Business Administration, Vanderbilt University

Occupation: Senior Manager of Corporate Services, Allen Institute

Statement: Jami is a collaborative problem-solver. Jami owns a small business that specializes in increasing efficiency and gaining better outcomes for companies of all sizes. Jami will prepare Renton to take advantage of new opportunities to bring new industries and jobs to the City.

Jami will partner with schools, colleges, apprenticeships, and businesses to build the new Renton economy. She'll work for affordable housing choices. She wants to ensure that your tax dollars are used efficiently. Jami serves on the Mayor's Inclusion Task Force and on Renton's Planning Commission. Jami is the best candidate for Renton families and communities. She is the leader we believe in.

Jami is proudly endorsed by Renton Mayor Denis Law, Council-members Ed Prince, Armondo Pavone, and Carol Ann Witschi, State Senator Lisa Wellman, King County Executive Dow Constantine, and Marcie Maxwell. She received sole endorsements from the 5th, 37th, 11th, and 41st District Democrats.

Municipal Court Judge

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No information submitted.

Council Position No. 1

Jason Ritchie

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Education: Bachelor's degree in History, University of Michigan; Master's degree in History, Eastern Michigan University

Occupation: Small Business Owner, Disability Advocate

Statement: I am a husband, father and small business owner who is fortunate enough to call Sammamish home. It would be a privilege to serve on the City Council. The citizens of Sammamish want accountable and responsive leadership. I want to help make that happen.

I am committed to balancing residential and commercial growth while maintaining the unique character of our neighborhoods; creating better infrastructure including working with regional partners to alleviate traffic; protecting our environment; and ensuring fiscal accountability and transparency that maintains a solvent City budget.

I was appointed to the Washington State Independent Living Council by Governor Jay Inslee and to the King County Civil Rights Commission by County Councilmember Kathy Lambert.

My endorsements include the Washington State Conservation Voters, Sheriff John Urquhart, State Senators Mark Mullet and Lisa Wellman, State Representatives Tana Senn and Judy Clibborn, and many others.

I would be honored to earn your vote.

Mark Baughman

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Education: Bachelor of Science in Civil and Construction Engineering, Iowa State University

Occupation: Construction Executive, Mortenson Construction

Statement: Since 1997 my wife and I have been fortunate to raise our family in Sammamish. Our desirable community drives growth which creates numerous challenges. We need strong leadership to develop financially responsible strategies balancing development, traffic, affordability, trees, parks, the Town Center and our environment, yet constrain the pace of growth to preserve our city's character.

As a 27-year leader in commercial construction, I'm uniquely qualified to champion fiscally disciplined, environmentally sensitive solutions in city government. During six years on the Pine Lake Covenant Church Leadership Team, I also learned the value of a calm, steady, level-headed approach to resolving contentious and emotional issues.

I bring common sense, technical skills as an engineer, and leadership skills from managing large teams to these complex challenges; all with an eye toward our looming budget crossover point.

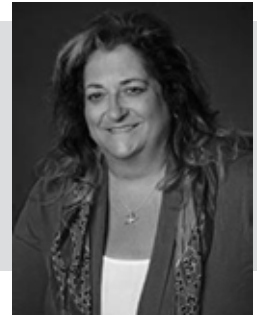
Vote Mark Baughman for a fresh approach and strong leadership on the Sammamish City Council.

Council Position No. 3

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Education: Bachelor's in Accounting - Griffin, Associates in Nursing-UW

Occupation: Business Owner, President & Commissioner Sammamish Plateau Water & Sewer

Statement: Our Safe neighborhoods, green spaces, schools and access to high tech jobs make Sammamish a National "Best" place to live. We must maintain the Sammamish that brought us all here. *I want to by your advocate.* I will fight City Hall to improve roads, the environment and our lakes and streams. It is mandatory that city staff follows our own ordinances, policies and direction from council. My long service to Sammamish and the Water District, give me deep insight about our aquifers, ordinances, overlays, parks and open spaces that will enable me to challenge staff and ask questions that need to be asked.

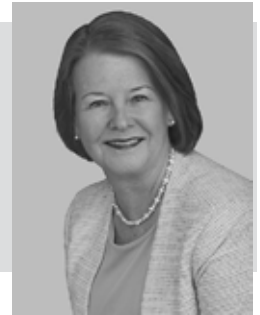
"The #1 "special interest" in Sammamish that matters, are our citizens."

Endorsed by: City Council Members Ramero Valderama & Tom Hornish, Former City Council Member Nancy Whitten, Water Commissioners Lloyd Warren & Tom Harmon, Environmentalist Wally Peryea, Parks Board Member Doug Eglington, KC Council Member Kathy Lambert...

Karen N. Howe

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Education: Bachelors of Arts, Whitman College

Occupation: Marketing and Business Development Consultant

Statement: For 25 years, I've watched as Sammamish's natural beauty, our parks and many other amenities, and our access to vibrant high-tech companies, attracted people to our community. But growth now threatens what we hold dear.

I am passionate about our community and will fight to ensure that growth is sustainable, to create a more livable community and preserve our neighborhoods. I understand how to maintain a strong culture with tight financial controls and will apply my 20 years of business and fiscal management and community volunteer experience to improve how we manage growth and traffic from day one.

It's time to bring pragmatic, resident-prioritized actionable solutions forward. I look forward to listening and working with Sammamish families and businesses as we shape our shared future together.

Elect me for focused, common sense initiatives to ensure Sammamish stays a great livable city.

Endorsed: Washington Conservation Voters and many more.

Council Position No. 5

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Education: Bachelor's in Business, Washington State University; Master of Business Administration, Seattle University; Stanford Executive Program

Occupation: Senior Financial Analyst, The Boeing Company

Statement: We need a leader that truly represents the residents of Sammamish. My civic leadership with the Sammamish Kiwanis, a city human services commission, and homeowners' associations have taught me to balance community priorities. I will constantly reach out for citizen input from our diverse population to actively work what matters and reinforce a strong sense of community.

Sammamish is challenged by their growing traffic problem with infrastructure falling behind growth. This rapid development going unchecked is eroding our natural environment. Additionally, Sammamish is facing looming deficits for the first time in its history. It is becoming increasingly important that future growth pay for itself.

We vitally need a councilmember with a vision that emphasizes long term planning and forecasting. I will leverage over 30 years of professional financial experience, education, and community involvement to ensure the city meets these challenges while avoiding unnecessary tax burdens due to poor planning.

Rituja Indapure

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Education: BA, LL B, University of Pune; LL M , University of Nottingham

Occupation: Senior Analyst Costco;

Statement: I am a PTSA mom, tech industry professional and community volunteer who will ensure open, transparent government for all Sammamish residents. As an experienced leader I will be good steward of our land, protect the character of our neighborhoods, our trees and environment. I am committed to prioritizing projects by listening to our residents, creating policies and making decisions for all residents, businesses, and future generations.

My priorities are protecting our natural habitats; promoting environmental sustainability; developing smart solutions for transportation that serves our city; and ensuring reliable police and fire and support services for everyone.

A leader who listens and ensures all voices are heard, I will bring a nonpartisan, fiscally responsible and solutions-oriented approach to the Sammamish City Council.

Endorsements: Washington Conservation Voters, King County Democrats, 45th, 41st and 5th LD Democrats, Sen. Lisa Wellman, Rep. Tana Senn, Rep. Roger Goodman, and many Sammamish residents.

Council Position No. 7

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Education: BS in Mechanical Engineering with a concentration in Economics, University of Maryland

Occupation: Senior Program Manager in Customer and Partner Advocacy, Microsoft

Statement: Sammamish is an extraordinary place to live. As we grow and develop, we must work to maintain what makes our community unique.

On the Sammamish City Council, I will ensure stewardship and inclusion guide our city planning while developing sustainable growth strategies. I will advance transportation solutions to alleviate congestion, attract and retain businesses enabling us to work and play where we live, and protect the incredible, natural environment surrounding us.

I believe elected officials must *reflect* us to *represent* us.

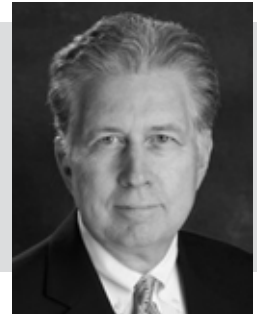
I reflect deep community commitment as a 15-year resident with 25 years in the technology sector, including customer advocacy. I teach and train in martial arts as a black belt. I've served as PTA president, basketball coach, and little league board member. I will represent Sammamish with passion, energy, and pragmatism while enhancing our community's quality of life.

Endorsed by King County Democrats, Representative Tana Senn, Senator Lisa Wellman.

John Robinson

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Education: Bachelor's in Biology, California State University

Occupation: Retired

Statement: I have been blessed to raise our family in Sammamish, rich in its natural environment, outstanding schools and recreational opportunities. As a long-term resident I am concerned with the dynamic growth of our community to a more urban city. My 35 years of experience in the healthcare industry as a director, manager, and entrepreneur has prepared me for the opportunity to give back to our city as a City Council Member. I will bring to City Council my diverse business leadership experience and management skills to help solve our complex issues of traffic congestion, development balance, business growth and protection of our environment while maintaining conservative fiscal policies.

I pledge to all the citizens of Sammamish my full-time commitment, focus and dedication to making our city government transparent and accountable.

Join me in helping to make our City Council responsible to our citizens, our city and our environment.

Council Position No. 1

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Education: Class of 2018: Leadership Eastside. Bachelor of Liberal (interdisciplinary) Studies - UW-Bothell.

Occupation: City Councilmember.

Statement: My goal if re-elected to City Council is to realize the vision of our downtown described in the City's recently updated Comprehensive Plan. That means protecting and enhancing our neighborhoods while promoting a downtown that is walkable, bike-able, leafy, green, environmentally sustainable, culturally enriching, and architecturally exemplary, where interesting and smart people want to live with their families, where Woodinville's empty-nesters can downsize, and where people who work here can also live. It's time to make this idea *real*.

I am a former Woodinville Planning Commissioner, elected chair 3 times; formerly active in parent-involved preschools; a former PACE parent; member of 21 Acres and the Sierra Club. I have served 4 years as City Council representative to regional transportation, solid waste, and salmon recovery boards and committees, and to the Woodinville Chamber of Commerce.

Council Position No. 3

James Evans

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Education: B.S. Economics, University of Washington

Occupation: Manager, Government & Healthcare, Microsoft

Statement: I grew up in Woodinville as a child near Cottage Lake, earning my Eagle Scout award in Boy Scout Troop 573. It was my family and involvement in these local activities that initially taught me the idea of "service above self". My parents instilled the concept that teams of individuals working together are crucial to success, a value that I have carried into adulthood. After studying economics and mathematics at the University of Washington, I remained in Woodinville with my wife and our two young sons because I loved the character of my community. I now work in public policy and strategy for a variety of clients, including my current role in Microsoft's World-Wide Public Sector. I'm excited about the opportunity to continue serving on the Woodinville City Council, because in the next four years we will be challenged to balance our city's opportunities with the preservation of its character.

Council Position No. 5

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Education: B.S. Geology, B.A. Economics, Hope College; M.S. Geology, Caltech
Occupation: Technical writer and program manager

Statement: It's been an honor to serve on the Woodinville City Council for the past eight years.

During the recession, we used the downtime to plan for our next thirty years as a city. By focusing Woodinville's population growth and infrastructure investment downtown we've accommodated our share of the region's growth projections without upzoning neighborhoods. We've also made progress on downtown architectural standards, rehabilitation of the Old Woodinville Schoolhouse, and congestion reduction.

But there's more to do! Woodinville must press hard to avoid a garbage transfer station inside city limits. Proposed King County zoning changes threaten farming in the Sammamish Valley. Locally, there are congestion and pedestrian projects that could languish without support from the City Council.

I'm endorsed by Attorney General Bob Ferguson, State Representative Roger Goodman, King County Sheriff John Urquhart, and King County Councilmembers Rod Dembowski and Claudia Balducci. I'd appreciate your vote!

Gary Harris

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Education: Bachelor of Science in Pharmacy and Bachelor of Arts in Psychology, University of Washington

Occupation: pharmacist and bed and breakfast innkeeper

Statement: Woodinville is a dynamic city that still has a wonderful sense of community for everyone. I believe that the council should work with our local business community to better manage our resources for the benefit of both our residents and visitors.

My wife and I have lived all our lives in the Woodinville area. Our daughter attended Northshore schools.

I am a former PTA president, a Golden Acorn recipient, and I have served on my church council. Professionally, I was one of the first pharmacist diabetes educators in Washington State, and I have served on the Washington State Pharmacy Quality Assurance Commission for eleven years, two years as chair, overseeing about 36,000 licensees. I am currently co-chair of the UW fundraising campaign.

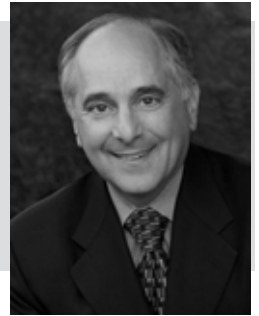
I take pride in being well-prepared, an active listener, and a doer. I will work diligently to make Woodinville the place where we all want to live.

Council Position No. 7

Bernie Talmas

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Education: Fordham Law School, Doctor of Law; Lehigh University, B.S. in Business Administration (Accounting)

Occupation: Councilmember (Mayor); Attorney (Washington, New York, California, U.S. Supreme Court)

Statement: Since taking office eight years ago I'm proud of the progress we've made. Under my leadership we have restored Woodinville's financial stability and established professionalism and respect at Council meetings. City processes have been streamlined, reducing costs and providing funds for roads, paving, flood control and the purchase of open space and the rail corridor for parks. We've preserved existing residential zoning while approving development and new roads downtown. We saved the Carol Edwards Center, enlisting the YMCA for operations, increasing programming and saving over \$1,000,000 annually. I'll continue supporting our wine and tourist industries, opposing the development of Sammamish Valley farmland. I have served Woodinville regionally: Chair, Eastside Transportation Partnership; Chair, Sound Cities Public Issues Committee; PSRC Growth Management Policy Board; King County Regional Policy Committee.

Endorsements: 45th District Democrats, Congresswoman Suzan DelBene, King County Executive Dow Constantine, Representative Larry Springer, Representative Roger Goodman. **Experience:** Mayor-Councilmember-Attorney-Prosecutor-U.S. Army Officer

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Occupation: Commercial Sales

Statement: My wife and I teach our two young sons that respect and caring for others are the core values that make a good person. These values are also make Woodinville a great, small town, and why I am running for city council.

We as a community, can create a livable, walkable and sustainable downtown, emphasizing artisan businesses and tourism in balance with the precious valley landscape and Woodinville's humble northwest character.

We need a council that works together to make educated decisions. I am not a politician and share the concern of many that council politics are preventing solutions as traffic congestion grows and our community changes without a sense of direction.

With a successful background in business development, I offer Woodinville my experience, my passion for our community and the values I have taught my children.

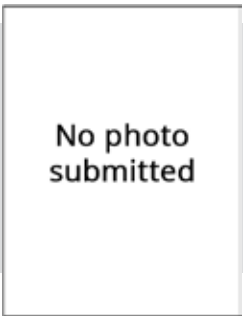
I hope I can earn your vote.

Mayor

John Gillem

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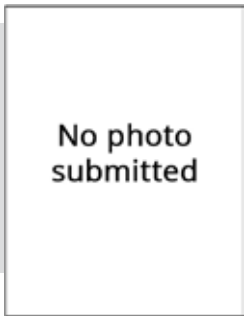
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Council Position No. 1

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submitted**



No information submitted.

Council Position No. 3

Tom Stowe

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No photo
submitted

No information submitted.

Council Position No. 5

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Education: B.S., University of North Carolina; MBA, Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania

Occupation: Affordable Housing Developer

Statement: As a Town Planning Commissioner and four year resident, I have come to appreciate what makes Beaux Arts unique. It's not just the bald eagles that nest in our old growth trees, or our narrow lanes, or our varied architecture. It's that we're a *community*. We know each other, we help each other, and we gather together for various events throughout the year. As a town that depends upon resident involvement to function, I would be happy to serve on our City Council.

Mayor

Joseph D. Sabey

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Education: BA from University of Notre Dame

Occupation: Commercial Real Estate

Statement: It has been a pleasure serving you as Mayor over the last four years. Hunts Point is a very special place. I grew up here and I am now raising my family here. I am running for re-election because I want to make sure Hunts Point continues to be a great home for families for generations to come. Having served on the planning commission from 2010-2013, and as mayor since 2014, I have learned that good government is transparent and listens to its citizens. I promise to continue that transparency in my next term, maintain a balanced budget, and make sure our spending priorities match the needs of our residents. Tax dollars will be dedicated to delivering high quality public safety and support services.

I look forward to continuing our work together and would be grateful for your support.

Council Position No. 1

Ken Fisher

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Education: University of Washington, BA Psychology

Occupation: KCF Investments, Real Estate

Statement: Thank you for allowing me to help steward the Town's interests over the last 6 years on the Town Council as well as my prior service on the Planning Commission. I would like the opportunity to continue to work with you for another term in helping to protect the sylvan nature of our community, keep taxes low and expenses down. We should work within our budget and not raise taxes to make ends meet. I support maintaining our infrastructure and Town beautification improvements where it makes sense for a reasonable price. We will maintain our essential life safety services such as police, fire and marine contracts for a good value. We need to continue to work together and with our neighboring communities to lessen the physical and financial impacts of the SR 520 expansion on our community.

I would be honored to receive your vote.

Council Position No. 3

Ted Frantz

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Education: BS Mechanical/Aerospace Engineering – Syracuse University, MBA - University of Washington

Occupation: Investment Manager

Statement: During the past four years, as your council member, I have worked with the council and mayor to continue the traditions of Hunts Point and maintain its small town character. The 520 project completion and an update to the Shoreline Master Plan were major milestones for the town. In addition to representing our town on the regional Salmon Recovery Council, I have assisted our town administrator in monitoring the town's finances.

I value your concerns and will work with the mayor and council to respond to those issues. Important future issues will be completing the beautification committee project within a reasonable budget, continuing to monitor the town's financial condition, public safety, and town maintenance. I look forward to representing the residents of Hunts Point.

Please vote for Ted Frantz, Council Position No. 3.

Council Position No. 5

Ernest Norehad

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Hunts Point, WA 98004



Education: University of Chicago Medical School, Urology Residency- University Oregon

Occupation: Physician and Surgeon(Urology)

Statement: Hunts Point was incorporated for the purpose of preserving and protecting the citizens property rights. Over the years these rights have been transferred to a hearing examiner and a town planner, who decide issues of waterfront and property development. I will work to restore these decisions to the citizens, represented by the town council.

An expensive, extensive and elaborate plan to embellish the towns entrance has been proposed. I believe the town residents value privacy, security and the understated nature of the town. I will work to preserve these attributes.

Thank you.

Dan Temkin

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Education: Bachelor of Arts, University of Washington, Cum Laude

Occupation: Real Estate Investor

Statement: Thank you for the confidence you've placed in me over the past six years I've served as your council member. I am seeking re-election so that I can continue the work I set out to do when I first ran for office in 2011: namely, to preserve the exceptional quality of life we all enjoy in Hunts Point. The Shoreline Master Program updating process concluded approximately two years ago with a favorable outcome for the Town, principally owing to the excellent work of the committee I helped form in 2010. My main focus now is on mitigating the environmental damage caused by the SR 520 corridor project, and implementing other beautification measures throughout the Town. I am fully committed to delivering on the plan developed by the Hunts Point Beautification Committee and overwhelmingly supported by the Town's residents. I respectfully ask for your vote on November 7th.

Mayor

Dicker Cahill

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Education: MBA UW

Occupation: Real Estate

Statement: I have lived on Yarrow Point since 1986. While raising a family of four children, participating in the annual 4th of July celebration, serving on the Park Board, Planning Commission and currently as Mayor for the last 4 years, I have a strong appreciation of the culture and community spirit within Yarrow Point. As Mayor, my goals and objectives are quite simple, maintain what has been created and embrace the changes that are taking place. Yarrow Point is not just an address, it is a community of involved neighbors and volunteers doing all the little things that make this such a great town.

Council Position No. 1

David Young

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Education: B.A. English, University of Minnesota. Conditional Law School, Drake University

Occupation: Commercial Real Estate Advisor, CBRE, Inc. 32 years experience.

Statement: Yarrow Point resident for 14 years. Married to Barbara for 37 years. We have three grown children and four grandchildren. I embrace a mindset of respecting our Yarrow Point heritage while thoughtfully incorporating change where justified as our region experiences unprecedented growth. I trust my many years of commercial real estate negotiations and sales experience will allow me to listen to and foster new ideas in tune with the good job the current council and mayor have achieved. I would be honored to serve for the betterment of our community as a councilman for the Town of Yarrow Point and would appreciate your vote.

Stephan Lagerholm

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Education: Master of Computer Science, Uppsala University, Uppsala, Sweden (1999)

Occupation: Manager Network Architecture, T-Mobile USA

Statement: The town of Yarrow Point is a wonderful community. I'm very blessed to have been a part of it since my family and I moved here 3 years ago. I'm at a place in my life where I would like to contribute more to the success of our community. I'm ready to become a council member in the town.

We should support our local police department and make sure they have everything they need to keep our town's low crime rate. I want to minimize the effect our lives have on the lake. We should improve and preserve the beauty of our parks and recreational areas, including the 520 lid.

I'm a father, husband, son, brother, friend, boss, Internet geek, world explorer, go getter, hockey fan, BBQ and wine lover. Hopelessly optimistic and hopeful to get your vote.

Council Position No. 3

Mary G. Elmore

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No photo
submitted

Education: Bachelor of Science in Nursing--University of Michigan;
Masters of Nursing--University of Washington

Occupation: Psychiatric Nurse Therapist; Owner--retreat center and holiday gift shop

Statement: As a returning member of the Council I will continue to promote an atmosphere of civility and respectful problem solving. I will work to ensure the quality of our infrastructure and maintenance of our excellent park and trail system.

I have been a resident of Yarrow Point since 1972. I have been a member of the Town Council for the past four years, and I served on the Park Board for more than 16 years.

Under grounding of utilities on 92nd Ave. and expansion of the walking path are significant accomplishments of the past four years. The Council is now in the process of creating a playground for children that will be a welcome amenity of our community.

My husband Christian and I consider it a privilege to live here, and it will be an honor to continue to serve on our Town Council.

Council Position No. 5

Steve Bush

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Education: Bachelor's in Values, Technology, Science and Society from Stanford University, 1990

Occupation: Entrepreneur and Public Servant

Statement: My name is Steve Bush and I am a resident of Yarrow Point. After the successful sale of Pure Networks, a technology startup I co-founded, our family moved to Yarrow Point in May, 2010. I live with my wife Christine Chang, two daughters, and pet Golden Retriever at the intersection of Yarrow Point, Clyde Hill and Kirkland town boundaries. In 2013, I decided to leave the work force and dedicate my time, energy and resources to family and community impacting projects.

I wish to serve the town of Yarrow Point as a member of the Town Council, position #5. As a member of the Council, I will seek to preserve the character and quality of life in Yarrow Point while improving the infrastructure and services offered by the town. I have served on the Yarrow Point town council since 2014.

I humbly ask for your vote.

Director District No. 3

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Education: BA Neuroscience, Claremont Mckenna College; PhD Pharmacology, University of Washington

Occupation: Research Scientist - Neuropathology, University of Washington

Statement: The Bellevue school district has long been a model of high quality education, in particular in regards to high education preparation. But with the changing landscape in both Olympia and Washington, D.C., we need to be prepared to ask the questions and plan ahead to ensure that *all* our students are prepared for the world they will enter as adults following their education. As a scientist, I am trained to address problems methodically and with as unbiased an approach as is possible. Additionally, I believe that children are naturally curious and inquisitive, and nurturing that sense of discovery is instrumental in developing a child's love of learning and the overall success of their education. The STEM and career readiness initiatives implemented in the last several years are a good start, and now we need to ensure that we are achieving our stated goals.

As a parent to three young children, I am personally invested in the long term success of the Bellevue school district. I have been blessed to call Bellevue home since I attended UW for my graduate degree 12 years ago, and I look forward to further serving this vibrant community in the years to come.

Director District No. 5

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Education: Bachelor of Science in Pharmacy, University of Washington

Occupation: Elected Official - Bellevue School District Board Director

Statement: Four years ago, the Bellevue School District (BSD) community gave me the opportunity to serve as School Board Director and to listen and learn from parents and students, from educators and leaders who are committed and passionate about Public Education. Together, we worked to support our students and schools from early learning opportunities to capital projects.

During my first term, I have: Actively engaged with our community, most recently through the process of hiring BSD's new Superintendent. Worked with my fellow elected Board Directors to create healthy learning conditions that lead to student and staff success. Held the district accountable on providing an equitable education for each and every student. Worked collaboratively with Board Directors from neighboring school districts to advocate more effectively at the state level.

Looking forward, I will continue to: Advocate for ample state funding to Public schools. Support Academic Success through Social, Emotional, and Behavioral learning. Work with partners and stakeholders to secure funding for innovative and proven programs aimed at closing the opportunity gap. Focus on effective Governance through Policy and Advocacy. Build strong School-Family-Community connections.

I am grateful for your confidence in me. I ask for your *Vote* to be your voice. #mylinh4education

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Education: University of Oregon '89

Occupation: Sales Management, Training

Statement: The origins of my values began in the Bellevue community. My values of family and community were shaped by my own teachers, mentors and family who raised and shaped me right here in the Bellevue School District. Today, I have two children in BSD. Additionally, I worked at Jubilee REACH for two years and have been mentoring kids for over 28 years. Through this, I have experienced firsthand a growing divide between student's learning/ development needs and the current BSD strategy.

A vote for me in district 5 will ensure a return to policies that support the whole child and give back the voice to the community that is no longer heard. I will emphatically and consistently engage with every person on the board and in the community to integrate all ideas. I will serve as a direct and consistent line between our many diverse groups and help ensure that the full strength of this powerful community works in service of each individual student. I will hold monthly town halls for the public to hear and address any concerns that you may have for our district. I will stand for the whole student allowing their strengths to shine.

Director District No. 2

Marnie Maraldo

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Education: B.S. Applied Mathematics, Liberty University

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Statement: Thank you for allowing me to serve on the Issaquah School Board since 2009. I am committed to work to provide an education that meets their individual needs of each and every student, considering their special aptitudes and providing ample opportunity to explore their interests and pursue a fulfilling career. Our whole community is better when our students are prepared to contribute to its success.

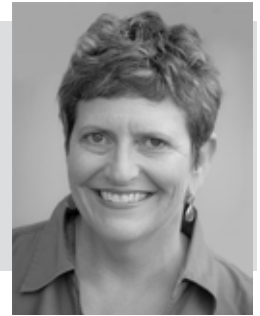
“All” means ‘all’ and that’s all ‘all’ means.” This was a statement I heard several times as a child. And, I’ve repeated it countless times with regards to the Issaquah School District. A key focus for our district is to ensure *all* students can access educational opportunities regardless of outside factors, such as socio-economic status or family background. I have frequently requested data, provided by district staff, to identify areas where students may encounter unintended barriers that will keep them from reaching their full potential. Whether it is in special individualized education, our rigorous honors classes or anywhere in between, our students need the opportunities to grow academically while receiving the support they need to be successful. I look forward to working the next four years to continue to improve our high-performing schools.

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Education: Mathematics and Science, B.S., Northern Arizona University; ESL teaching certification, Seattle Pacific University

Occupation: Issaquah School Board; Software Program Manager; Airplane Simulation Software Development

Statement: Our schools are where children learn who they are and what they want to be. The role of our schools is to inspire every child to grow into their fullest potential, embrace their individuality, determine their passion, and ready a plan for beyond high school. I want to work with our district to provide the means to do just that.

As the current President of the Issaquah School Board, I know much work lies ahead to ensure the District stays strong through its tremendous growth, transitions to a different state funding model; remains fiscally responsible and accountable to taxpayers; provides teachers with the tools they need; and provides relevant, equitable education in every classroom. I believe bringing all voices to the table: student, teacher, staff, parent, community member, city, county, and state is imperative to make the best choices and find the best solutions needed to meet the needs of all stakeholders and prepare all our youth for their best future. I will work locally, regionally, and at state and national levels to lead the charge to make our great schools even better, connected to our community, ensuring every child matters. With the highest regard, I ask for your vote.

Director District No. 3

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Education: Degree in Early Childhood Education, Certificate in Montessori Studies

Occupation: 15+ year Family Adviser: Children's Hospital, 20+ Year Volunteer: LWSD

Statement: *Experience Matters.*

22 consecutive years as a parent and PTA leader in LWSD, (and a background in education), give me the experience needed to be an effective member of our school board. In addition, two of my four children have special needs. Kids are *unique* and have different learning styles. The district needs to partner with parents so each student obtains their *personal*, best path forward, building *upon* their strengths and *up* from their challenges.

Our students need more opportunities (and *equal access* to) vocational education, inclusion of special education students, social-emotional learning, STEM programs and assistance with college preparation. We have award winning educators. Teaching children and raising children are demanding responsibilities. When schools collaborate with families, student outcomes improve.

The class of 2019 now needs 24 credits to graduate. I will strengthen the home to school partnership using my background in education and decades of experience as a PTA leader and volunteer.

I have been honored to receive four PTA Golden Acorn Awards. I am just as honored to have the endorsement of a wide variety of public servants, including retiring LWSD board member, Nancy Bernard, and former board member, Jackie Pendergrass.

Please vote *Sage for Schools*.

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Education: Doctorate in Romance Languages and Literatures, University of Chicago; MAT-Secondary Education, National-Louis University

Occupation: High School Spanish Teacher, Bellevue School District

Statement: I want to serve on the School Board because public education is my calling and my passion. I have thirteen years of experience working with students from middle up to graduate school in three states, in both urban and suburban districts. I believe all students should graduate prepared for whatever path they choose to pursue next: further education, technical training, or entering the workforce. To achieve this, we must continue investing in STEM education and, among other things, make a stronger commitment to world languages. Research shows that learning a second language results in improved cognitive function, higher academic achievement, and higher salaries. For this reason, I would work to create an early world language education program to provide our students with the skills they need to succeed in our diverse communities, local and nationwide. To graduate well-rounded, empowered students who are ready to compete in a shrinking world, we must provide them with an education that balances the humanities with STEM. My experience as a professional, a student, and a parent would add a fresh perspective that would lead to practical improvements for our students. I would be honored to receive your vote.

Endorsed by: 45th LD Democrats

Director District No. 4

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Education: BA - Journalism (Public Relations) - University of Oklahoma

Occupation: Public Relations Consultant

Statement: For four years, I have served the interests of Lake Washington School District students and their parents. I would like to thank them for their support and confidence in the work I have done for them.

My desire has been to bring a different set of experiences and skills that would benefit LWSD. For 30+ years, I have worked with the local, national and international media as well as elected and non-elected government officials and their staffs vital to the well-being of our nation. I have collaborated with non-governmental organizations as well as community groups and businesses for the greater good.

I have applied the lessons I have learned over the years to work with LWSD's local community groups, labor unions and Washington's elected officials. For the past year, I have served as the Board's legislative representative working with folks from both sides of the aisle. To me, a commitment to LWSD's students supercedes political interest.

Thank you to the 45th and 48th Legislative District Democrats for their endorsements as well as the endorsement of the Lake Washington Educational Association.

Director Position No. 2

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Education: University of Wyoming, Fine Arts and Education

Occupation: Community Volunteer

Statement: As an elementary school parent, I respect our district's rich history and seek to work collaboratively to enrich and ensure opportunities for all students. Striving for equity in our classrooms and community, I will champion world-class learning for every child, seek input from all stakeholders, and support best practices and smart budgets for our district.

My professional background is in theater arts, child advocacy and education. Facilitating workshops, performing, and volunteering in Washington schools has given me the opportunity to recognize and value the strengths of the Mercer Island School District. Serving as a PTSA leader and community volunteer has shown me the importance of public engagement and the power of policy to create *Equity For All Learners*.

Endorsements: Representative Tana Senn, former legislator Marcie Maxwell, former MISD school board directors Pat Braman, Leslie Ferrell, Janet Frohnmayer and Carrie George

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Education: Bachelor of Science in Physics

Occupation: Homemaker

Statement: Our community needs someone who understands and prioritizes the developmental needs of our children. With 11 years of teaching experience as a middle school physics teacher, I have the knowledge and experience of working with our children to create new initiatives to help them sustain more enriching lives. At home, I continue my understanding of child development by identifying and tackling daily challenges with my own kids. As a board member of Mercer Island Chinese Association (MICA), I have a unique understanding of Chinese family education and am excited to share that with our school district. Furthermore, my three years of volunteer experience has provided me the opportunity to work with adult learners on overcoming language barriers. I hope to serve in this role by providing new perspective and helping support our community in creative ways.

Director Position No. 4

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Education: JD, American University. BA, Business Administration, Franklin and Marshall College. MIHS Class of 1990.

Occupation: Attorney, King County Department of Public Defense

Statement: Mercer Island School District is at a time of great change: a superintendent transition, looming budget concerns, and teacher contract negotiations. We need leaders who are committed to our vision to serve all students, to hear and balance many voices, and to make the right decisions.

I'm running for school board to put my qualifications and values to work for the wonderful community in which I grew up and where my husband and I have chosen to raise our own daughter.

I have spent 17 years advocating for children and families in the legal system. I listen carefully, know every child has unique needs, consider all viewpoints, solve challenging problems with few resources and don't shy away from making critical, life-changing decisions.

The Mercer Island community, our families, and our kids expect and deserve the best outcomes, and I am committed to building on our very successful history.

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Education: BS Electrical Engineering, University of Maryland; PhD Neuroscience, Case Western Reserve University; Fellowship, Salk Institute

Occupation: Neuroscientist, Alliance and Project Manager, Volunteer and Advocate, Science Tutor

Statement: With a new superintendent, our district has a unique opportunity for growth. I envision a student-first culture that celebrates equity and diversity. All children are unique and should be given an environment to grow to their best selves. With the best teachers in the region, we need to ensure they have the resources and tools to be successful. As a parent, advocate and volunteer on Mercer Island for over a decade, I have demonstrated success in making positive change for our community. As a professional, I have been a national leader, mentor, and educator within a global company.

A vote for Dr. Lein is a vote for a student first culture, differentiated learning for each child, and supporting our teachers. Through the adoption of evidence-based teaching methods in our classrooms, we can support all our children. Learn more about *Growing Mercer Island One Mind at a Time* at dlein4schools.org.

Director District No. 1

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Education: AAS-T Emergency Management | Edmonds Community College | ATA – Business Management | Edmonds Community College

Occupation: 20+ years in customer service, 9+ years in hotel/hospitality industry.

Statement: Education is more than just teaching scientific facts, and information; Schools are where the foundations of a child’s character are laid, and must be the place in which the seeds of good citizenship and future civil order are planted. I support the creation Home Economics and ‘good neighbor/good citizen’ classes in which children regardless of gender, are taught everyday life skills such as cooking, food safety, and maintaining a home are taught at age appropriate stages.

Good citizenship classes will focus on teaching children good manners, common courtesy, social graces, the value of honesty, pride in quality workmanship, hard work, respect for their elders and civil authorities, and patriotism.

I support greater teacher freedom by calling for the elimination of (TPEP) the Teacher/Principal Evaluation Program as well as significant administrative paperwork reduction for our already overworked teachers, and greater freedom in planning lessons and lesson content control.

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Education: BS; Biology, Chemistry; Univ. of Puget Sound. MS/PhD; Biochemistry/Cell/Molecular Biology, Northwestern Univ.

Occupation: Current; Scientific Consultant Previously: Biotechnology Industry Director, Analytical/Formulation Development

Statement: I am a 25-year resident of the Northshore School District and I am passionate about public education. My own public school teachers gave me the drive to succeed and to open doors for others, particularly for young women and underserved students in STEM and the Arts, to ensure equal opportunity for all. My experience as a scientist and manager in the biotech industry gives me the management, budget, team-building, and troubleshooting skills to tackle the District’s present and future challenges.

All NSD students deserve the best education possible to achieve their maximum potential. I pledge to support our teachers, parents, and schools to equip them to inspire every student. I will be a strong, experienced advocate for equal access to the quality education our communities deserve.

I respectfully request your vote.

Endorsements include: NEA (Northshore teachers, paraeducators, school nurses); 1st, 45thLD Democrats; Senator Palumbo; Representatives Kloba, Stanford

Director District No. 2

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Education: Bachelor of Arts, Political Science, University of Washington.

Occupation: Commercial Real Estate Broker, Business Owner

Statement: Population growth is putting pressure on class sizes, school capacity, and our ability to provide quality and equitable instruction for our diverse student body. Broad experience and skillful leadership is vital to our future.

I am running because I care deeply about this community. My three children are/were students of Northshore schools, my wife teaches at Northshore Middle School, and I have volunteered for over 30 years as a coach, church leader, and parent helper in our schools.

27 years of private and public sector experience with multi-million dollar budgets and transactions has given me the financial, analytical, and listening skills that will help me to be a skillful, objective, and thoughtful member of the school board.

Endorsements: NSEA (Northshore teachers, paraeducators, nurses), King County Democrats, 1stDistrict Democrats, 46thDistrict Democrats, 45thDistrict Democrats, former Sen. Rosemary McAuliffe, Rep. Derek Stanford, Kenmore Councilperson Brent Smith, Past Northshore Education Foundation President Rob Pickering.

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Education: BA Political Science and BA International Studies, University of Washington

Occupation: Volunteer Education Advocate and Office Manager, CS&L

Statement: Every child deserves an equitable world-class education to prepare them for lifetime success. That’s why I want to serve as a director on the Northshore School Board. As a mother of three, my family’s educational experiences go beyond general education to include both highly capable and special education programs. I became an advocate for all students while helping my own children.

I have served as a volunteer with several child advocacy organizations over the past decade. My work with Northshore Schools Foundation and PTA at the local, state, and national levels focused on improving the education our students receive. My experience includes working alongside parents, teachers, administrators, and legislators on policy committees to effect change. Education policies must both define and fund basic education while ensuring success for students.

I am ready to serve Northshore Schools to ensure students continue receiving a world-class education. I would appreciate your vote.

Director District No. 4

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Occupation: Heart Justice - co-owner

Statement: Education is my passion. I am a proud graduate of Washington public schools, including my time as an undergraduate and law student at the University of Washington. All three of my children have attended Northshore schools, two are now graduates, and it has been a privilege to serve as a Northshore school director for the last eight years. I have loved getting to know the students, teachers, parents and administrators, who through their hard work, have helped to make our district great. We have big changes ahead of us but with change comes opportunity and the ability to grow from great to amazing. It would be an honor to be a part of that. I ask for your vote to continue to work for you.

Director District No. 5

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Education: Bachelor of Science, Management, Binghamton University, Binghamton, New York

Occupation: Owner, Bombastic Web Design and Marketing

Statement: As a resident of Northshore for over 20 years, the success of our schools is very important to me. I have been honored to serve as School Board Director for the past four years, and remain focused on providing our students with the highest quality education.

Over the past four years, my service on the board has focused on five areas: *educational excellence for every student; adaptability to growth; responsiveness to educators and community; improving transparency; and building civility.*

I worked over the last four years on: new STEM programs, opening North Creek High School on budget, directing a strategic planning process, improving the district's OSPI Financial Health rating each year, successful contract negotiations with teachers, strengthening equity policies, and coordinating a nationwide superintendent search. I was elected to board leadership positions every year, including president for two years.

I look forward to continuing to work together for Northshore's future.

Rob Taft, Jr.

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Education: MBA, Seattle University-IP; BS Civil Engineering, Seattle University-IP; BS Nuclear Engineering, TESU; Navy-Nuclear Power Program

Occupation: Manager of Engineering, PSE

Statement: Selfless dedication to community and education have always been my passions. As a Navy veteran, and continuing student of higher education, I will bring those passions with me as school board director. As a father, my full investment will be made into seeing to the success of this school district. I will bring my professional experiences in three unique STEM fields, demand stewardship of district resources, establish an environment in which all children unequivocally receive the highest quality education, and fully support our district staff.

My priorities include: Increased support of teachers, administrators and staff across our district, ensuring they're provided the right resources to address their unique circumstances; modern continuing evaluation of our curriculum and programs to meet the demands of our childrens needs; financial health and transparency to assure long term success and sustainability, and bottom-up stakeholder involvement.

I am honored to receive your vote!

Director District No. 2

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Education: B.S. Biology, Duke University; M.S. Biochemistry & Molecular Biology, OHSU; M.D., University of Louisville

Occupation: Child Psychiatrist at Eating Recovery Center and Seattle Children’s Hospital

Statement: As a proud Renton School District graduate and parent, I was honored to be appointed as your District 2 Renton School Board Director. I am committed to serving our public schools for our children, educators, citizens, and community. I was born and raised in Renton, attended Highlands and Kennydale Elementary, McKnight Middle, and graduated from Hazen High School. The Renton School District provided me with strong preparation to go on to graduate from Duke University, then complete a master’s degree and a doctorate of medicine. I also completed a Psychiatry residency and a Child and Adolescent Psychiatry fellowship at the UW, then went on to serve on faculty at the UW. I now work as a child psychiatrist at Eating Recovery Center and Seattle Children’s Hospital. In the Renton School District community, I serve on the boards of Friends of Renton Schools and Renton Area Youth and Family Services. I am also active in my professional organizations, where I advocate for children locally and nationally. I will be a dedicated champion for every student in the Renton School District and work hard to help them achieve success in our public schools. I would sincerely appreciate your support!

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Occupation: Renton School Board Director

Statement: Thank you for the privilege of being your Renton School board Director. Over the past 8 1/2 years I have worked hard advocating for a quality education for the 15,000+ students in the Renton School District. I promise to continue to work hard, making sure that all students have access to a quality education that prepares them for college and career pathways.

I believe that parent, teacher and community involvement is critical to the success of our students. Partnering with our community leaders and being present in our school buildings has kept me aware of the issues impacting our students. In addition to my school board actives, I am involved with the Renton Chamber of Commerce and am the chair the Renton School Foundation. Thank you for your past support and thank you for your vote!

Director District No. 1

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Education: Bachelor of Science in Business Administration, Major in Finance

Occupation: Hi-Tech Product Management professional

Statement: My name is Stuart Lisk and I am running for a Riverview School District board member. My three kids are graduates of the district.

I will bring a fresh perspective to help us meet the needs of our growing and changing community.

The population growth of Duvall and Carnation has resulted in a more diverse community with high expectations for quality education and personal development. As a board member, I will focus on ensuring our students are prepared for life after high school whether it is going to college or entering the work force. As a past Carnation council member, I understand what it takes to partner with our local municipalities.

If you are looking for someone that has constantly thought of the best interest of the community and will ensure all our students are included, then I ask for your vote for the Riverview School district board member.

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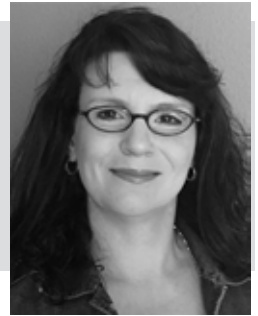
Statement: It is an honor to serve our community on the Riverview School Board. In my 11 years as a board member, our primary focus is student learning and academic success. In service of this mission we hired the best staff and leadership, including superintendent Dr. Smith. We delivered a balanced budget year after year, despite statewide cuts. We prioritized safe facilities for students to learn, share opinions, and grow. I am proud of our accomplishments. International recognition for science programs; national recognition for AP programs and TSA competitions, State recognition for Schools of Distinction and School Improvement, and the 2016 State School Board of the Year! As a Board member, I will continue to champion our students by increasing community engagement; focusing on student voice and student learning; open and transparent communications; and bringing the classroom of the future to fruition in our district. Re-Elect Lori Maudlin Oviatt

Director District No. 5

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Statement: It has been an honor to serve on the Riverview School District Board of Directors since 2015, and I ask your support as I seek re-election to that position. Our students need to be prepared for a changing future, and our schools play an integral role in preparing them for that future. I am honored to be a member of the RSD Board of Directors that was selected as the 2016 Washington State School Directors Association (WSSDA) Board of the Year, and proud to be a part of a Board that so strongly advocates for ALL students.

I have two students currently in Riverview Schools, and one who recently graduated. I have lived in Duvall since 2002. I am excited to help lead the Riverview School District as they strive to achieve their vision of becoming a national model of educational excellence.

Director District No. 1

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Education: Bachelor of Science-Dbl-Major Zoology/EnvScience, University of Washington; Master's in Business Administration, Seattle University

Occupation: Business Development, Weyerhaeuser

Statement: Along with many in our community, I believe our school district has a great opportunity to more comprehensively prepare our students for their post-graduation successes. Snoqualmie Valley students deserve the same educational options, choices and access as students in nearby school districts. The ability to take key classes earlier with less restrictions, can both *inspire and allow students to realize their true capabilities*, ultimately expanding their opportunities no matter what path they choose. I do not see my opponent successfully leading in this area, and with my business experience and passion, I truly believe I will make a significant impact for our children while serving on the school board. I will work alongside parents, teachers and businesses in developing a district that opens-up opportunities and creates wide-ranging options.

Together we can expand opportunities for all our students!

Endorsements: *WA State Representatives-Graves,Rodne, City of Snoqualmie Mayor-Matt Larson, City Council Members-Jeans,Toft*

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Education: Master of Business Administration, Cornell University; Bachelor of Arts, University of Puget Sound

Occupation: Finance Director, T-Mobile | Current Vice President of School Board

Statement: Our community has exploded with growth and our school district is thriving. *I am dedicated to maintaining this momentum for our kids.*

As Vice President of the Board, I'm proud of our success: A new elementary school and a new Mt. Si High School that will provide excellent learning environments while keeping class sizes down; Boosted graduation rate to 92% from 77%; Improved math and language arts performance in elementary and middle schools through strong professional development for teachers.

If re-elected, I will keep pushing for: better state funding, improved college and career preparation, strong oversight of projects (on time / on budget), and improved district communication that's clear, consistent, and caring.

I have the experience and a vision for our kids' success. Please vote for MacLean.

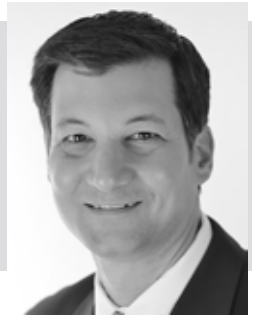
Endorsements: Snoqualmie Valley Educators (SVEA); New North Bend Council Members Brenden Elwood & Trevor Kostanich; Fall City Community Association President Ashley Glennon

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Education: Somerville High School; College of the Canyons; Bellevue College Project Management Certificate

Occupation: Past Program Manager Microsoft; Policy and Procedures Manager MILA, Inc.

Statement: As a parent in this beautiful community, I care about the quality of education our kids receive and the status quo is not good enough. As your school board director, I will work collaboratively with my fellow directors to bring a world class education to each student, so they are inspired to reach their full potential for future education and employment. I will be your voice and your advocate because these are your schools. I am known for *advocacy, analysis, leadership, transparency, and results*. Applying these strengths, my areas of focus are to *listen to parents, ensure a safe and supportive learning environment, keep pace with community growth, and support teachers and staff*. Vote for me to provide our students the high quality education they deserve.

Endorsed by: State Representative Paul Graves, Snoqualmie's Mayor Matt Larson and City Council member Kathi Prewitt, former State Representative, Marcie Maxwell and more.

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Statement: "I am running again for school board director because I believe I have a unique and important voice to contribute to our school board. Recently, I realized that I have been volunteering and working to support and improve education in the Snoqualmie Valley for half my life. I am honored to have served on the Snoqualmie Valley School Board of Directors for 12 years.

I believe every student in our district deserves an education that supports and honors their special talents and skills so they can succeed in their own way and pursue their dreams. It has been a privilege to collaborate with our administration, staff and many community members to initiate new programs and bring continual improvement in our schools. There is exciting work going on in our district right now to which I can lend my experience and insight.

I would appreciate your support and vote in November."

Director District No. 1

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Statement: I am honored to serve as a Tahoma School Director. I am proud of our district and the accomplishments that have been achieved in partnership with our families and community. Our most recent accomplishment has produced two new schools and eliminated overcrowding, but much more remains to do. Students face many challenges in our changing society, including evolving academic requirements and global job competition. I am committed to provide opportunities to our young people that prepare them to be future ready for further education, careers and to be responsible, contributing members of society. Balancing rigorous curriculum with programs to explore their talents and interests will help students succeed. Working together, we can ensure that the Tahoma School District will continue to educate our students with an excellent curriculum, a safe and healthy social environment and offer opportunities to assist them to meet their educational goals.

Thank you for your support.

Director District No. 5

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Education: Bachelor's Business Administration – Economics, Boise State University; Credentialed Actuary, Society of Actuaries and IRS

Occupation: Consulting Actuary (since 1993); Financial Advisor (2017)

Statement: I've been proud to serve as a member of the Tahoma School District (TSD) Bond Levy Oversight Committee (2014-present) representing taxpayers' investment in expanding school capacity. Heroic taxpayer support of TSD education also spawned a curriculum that boosts the blueprint of our *Future Ready* vision and mission.

However, TSD is at another inflection point.

Now is the time to ensure our facilities and programs produce the best results and truly inspire our students to engage in lifelong learning. This requires: ongoing diligence, smart spending and collaborative oversight; openness to change with the community; listening to our students and educators; partnering with our district and state leadership.

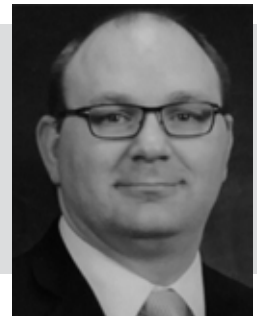
My demonstrated successes in fiscal management, visionary Board service, effective change management, inspirational community activism, and lifelong school and youth program volunteerism are indicative of the skills and passion required to serve TSD successfully.

I would be honored to have your vote. Thank you!

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Education: BA in Economics and Business, EWU; JD from Seattle University

Occupation: Director of Contracts, Europe Region, The Boeing Company

Statement: I am running to serve on the Tahoma School Board to ensure that our children receive the best education in the most efficient way possible.

My family moved to Maple Valley primarily because of the quality education provided by Tahoma schools, and I intend to continue the tradition of an excellent education.

As a father of six (ages 3 to 14), I will be personally vested in Tahoma schools for many years. Unfortunately, the Board lacks adequate representation of families with younger children. With children at the high school, middle school, and elementary school levels, I am uniquely qualified to provide that representation.

Moreover, as the sole provider for a large family, I understand the economic challenges facing families. I will utilize my education and business experience to pursue efficiencies, looking to return unnecessary costs back to the taxpayer.

I look forward to the opportunity to serve Tahoma families.

Commissioner Position No. 1

Pam Martin

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Education: BA Home Economics, Secondary Ed California State University at Los Angeles

Occupation: Environmental & Engineering Consultant, Retired. Commissioner CCUD

Statement: Please re-elect me as a Commissioner for CCUD. I have been a homeowner within CCUD's boundaries since 1977. I have worked hard for CCUD for the past 23 years and have gained a wealth of knowledge & experience as to how a water & sewer district works at a local, regional, & state level. Every \$ that comes in from our ratepayers goes out for the benefit of the water & sewer utilities that we run. CCUD is a local government that works without taxes.

I have served on the Board of Directors for the Washington Association of Sewer & Water Districts for 13 years. I also serve on the Seattle Public Utilities Operating Board. Previously I served as Treasurer for the East King County Regional Water Association for 6 years & Chair of the Contract & Legal, Rates & Finance Subcommittee of the Seattle Water Purveyor Committee.

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Education: BA English - University of Washington

Occupation: Retired 911 Supervisor - Bellevue Police/Eastside Regional 911 Communications Center

Statement: "Vote for a Newcastle resident!"

It's been well over a decade since a Newcastle resident has served on this Commission. I would be honored to be that person! Newcastle is the largest city served by CCUD.

Locally born and raised and residing for over 43 years in the CCUD area; I am profoundly interested in representing the CCUD rate payers relating to sewer, water and street lighting services which are critical elements of our infrastructure.

Working closely with Emergency Management and public safety departments for over 30 years, reiterated how important an efficient, dependable and pure water supply is to first responders and the public. I welcome the fiscal responsibility of keeping our rates low while still meeting environmental needs. I am committed to the wise management, maintenance and protection of these resources for today and for our future generations.

I appreciate your vote and the opportunity to serve you!

Council Position No. 1

William Capron

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Education: Sammamish High School, continuing Business education.

Occupation: Self employed, owner Lake Hills Chevron since 1984

Statement: As a member of the East Bellevue Community Council for six years and Chairman for the last four I believe I bring stability and focus.

My goal for my next four year term is to concentrate on the issues that our most concerning to our constituents.

I look forward to returning to serve you. Thank you for your vote.

Steve Kasner

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Education: Masters in Teaching, SPU; JD, Seattle University, BA Business, University of Washington; Graduate, Bellevue Essentials

Occupation: Teacher Kelly Educational Services, Vice Chair East Bellevue Community Council

Statement:

I have a history of getting results in Bellevue. As East Bellevue Community Council Chair, I worked to revitalize the Lake Hills and Kelsey Creek shopping centers. In addition I worked to improve traffic flow on 140th and 148th Avenues by advocating for capital investments. Also as a community advisory member, I helped site a multi-generational recreational facility for South Bellevue. As Vice President of the Lake Hills Neighborhood Association I have facilitated programing for our neighbors to learn about local issues.

Looking forward I will collaborate with our residents, businesses and the city to update our Lake Hills neighborhood plan, thus ensuring responsible development which conforms to our vision for this beautiful natural area. I ask for your vote.

Endorsed by State Senators Patty Kuderer and Lisa Wellman, King County Councilmember Claudia Balducci, Bellevue City Council member Ernie Simas, Bellevue School Board Member My Linh Thai

Council Position No. 2

Betsi Hummer

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Education: Bellevue High; BA Seattle University; MBA University of Puget Sound
Occupation: Customer Service

Statement: I look forward to serving East Bellevue residents on the East Bellevue Community Council for my second term in Position 2.

This last term I gained experience visiting various Boards and Commissions, as well as City Council meetings, to let other community leaders and staff understand East Bellevue residents' concerns.

I took constituents' concerns about closed restrooms at Larsen Lake to the Planning Commission, Parks Board and City Council. As a result of my presentations, year round restrooms are back in the budget at Larsen Lake, and 9 other parks throughout the City.

I am concerned about Parks use, the Affordable Housing Strategy, and PSE construction.

I will continue to ensure East Bellevue concerns are understood throughout Bellevue's government.

I trust that you will vote for continuance of the East Bellevue Community Council and I ask for your vote to Position 2 on the East Bellevue Community Council.

Council Position No. 3

Gerald M. Hughes

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Education: BA (physics) MA (mathematics) MBA (finance) CFP

Occupation: retired financial advisor

Statement: Gerry was CEO of a personal financial advisory in Bellevue for 25 years. He has served on the East Bellevue Community Council (EBCC) since January 2012. He and his wife Sandra have lived in Lake Hills since 1981. His civic involvement includes Past President of Rotary First Harvest and the Lake Washington Technical College Foundation, and he is currently a leader for Recovery International, a self help group serving those suffering from anxiety and depression. Last year he served on the Bellevue City Council salary commission. He is Treasurer of the Lake Hills Neighborhood Association. Formerly, Gerry worked as a developer and economist at Boeing, Shell Oil and Weyerhaeuser. Gerry addresses issues from the perspective of a social progressive and fiscal conservative.

Council Position No. 4

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Education: University of Puget Sound-BA in Finance; Seattle University-Accounting Emphasis

Occupation: Healthcare Accounting and Finance

Statement: East Bellevue has been my home for nearly thirty years. From our parks to our shopping centers, our schools to our neighborhoods; we are a welcoming, vibrant and inclusive community.

As Bellevue grows, it is important that East Bellevue Community Council members stay informed on City, County and regional plans by being civically engaged. Shaping East Bellevue's place in the City is essential as we navigate toward the future while celebrating our past.

I currently serve as Chair of the Bellevue Planning Commission, Vice President of the Lake Hills Neighborhood Association and regularly attend City Council meetings. I enjoy collaborative relationships with City Council and Staff. These started when I initiated the Spiritwood Neighbors' action to protect single family neighborhoods from problems caused by individual room rentals.

I will bring my land use knowledge, communication skills, integrity and vision to East Bellevue Community Council to serve you.

Thank you

Council Position No. 5

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Education: Bachelors Science, US Air Force Academy, Masters in Business Administration, Wright State University

Occupation: Financial Planner and Wealth Manager

Statement: Hello neighbors! I consider myself very fortunate to live and raise my family in Bellevue, for 20+ years, amidst the beauty of it's parks, trails, plentiful recreation, and friendly people. The careful planning that's helped provide this quality of life has been something I've witnessed and been proud to contribute to over my 10 years serving on the EBCC. Like many of you, I am very concerned about keeping our city on the right path, with measured, prudent growth. Lately, developments in Bellevue looks to be challenging those limits, and our traffic congestion is surely the most obvious symptom. Our East Bellevue Community Council has been a steady voice in efforts to keep Bellevue's small-town feel and quality of life. And as a council member I will continue to be dedicated to that cause. I appreciate your consideration of these points, and also thank you for your vote.

Commissioner Position No. 3

Charles H. Kellogg

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Education: Bachelor of Arts, Colorado College; Aquaculture program, University of Washington School of Fisheries.

Occupation: Building and real estate development; owner, Musgrave Shellfish Company.

Statement: Our parks are natural jewels of our community and our region. They provide important opportunities for our residents and, increasingly, for guests from outside the local area to enjoy the outdoors and the rural beauty of the Snoqualmie Valley. These opportunities depend on our ability to develop, maintain and improve our parks to meet current and future needs in a fiscally responsible way.

I've been a resident of King County almost all my life and of Fall City for fourteen years. As a local business person and former Vice President of the Fall City Community Association I'm familiar with the issues that affect our community. As your Fall City Metropolitan Parks District Commissioner, I will work creatively and efficiently to provide you with the best possible parks system.

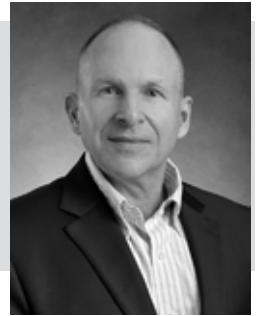
Thank you for your vote.

Council Position No. 1

Bill Goggins

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Education: Seattle University, MBA; University of Southern California, MS; Polytechnic Institute of New York, BS Engineering

Occupation: Program Manager

Statement: In 2016, the Kirkland City Council changed the zoning regulations to allow retail marijuana shops to be located within 100 feet of child care centers (it had been 1,000 feet). During the hearing process, the Houghton Community Council (HCC) made it clear that we disagreed with this change, that it was not in the best public/children's interest and that we would veto such a change for Houghton. As a result, the City Council excluded Houghton from this egregious zoning change. Now in Kirkland, marijuana shops can be located within 100 feet of child care centers, except for Houghton where the 1,000 feet boundary still applies by code. HCC's veto power provides a check on unfortunate City land use decisions being implemented in Houghton. Your *Yes* vote to *Continue* your Houghton Community Council will allow the HCC to continue protecting the character of our neighborhood. Oh, and please vote for me!

Council Position No. 2

Betsy Pringle

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Education: Bachelor's in English and Journalism, University of Kansas

Occupation: Senior Editor, becker&mayer! books and SmartLab Toys

Statement: Land-use affects many areas of our lives. As Kirkland continues to grow and change, the Community Council's review of comprehensive plan and zoning code changes provides an additional forum for citizens to be involved in these important decisions.

When residents feel their voices are heard, they're more inclined to trust in local government. I'm encouraged by the thoughtful and constructive comments we receive at public meetings and through emails, and I believe this robust level of public analysis and debate makes for better land-use policies.

It's been an honor to serve on the Houghton Community Council, and I'm proud of the Council's contributions to Houghton and the City of Kirkland.

Council Position No. 3

Rick Whitney

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Education: B A Business Administration

Occupation: Retired

Statement: The Houghton Community Council was formed as a condition for the citizens of the City of Houghton to approve a merger with the City of Kirkland in 1968. Our Council enables the residents of Houghton to retain some influence over the character of our community, by having authority to disapprove land use decisions within our boundaries. This was the critical inducement for our city to abandon its autonomy.

We have worked effectively with the Kirkland City Council, Planning Commission, and staff for almost fifty years. Our involvement in the land use decision process is efficient and timely. The Houghton Community Council has originated innovative solutions to land use challenges within our boundaries that have been utilized elsewhere in Kirkland.

We believe that the minimal costs associated with our Council are far outweighed by the service and benefits provided by our volunteer efforts. Please vote to continue our existence.

Council Position No. 4

Kelli Curtis

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Education: University of Washington, B.A., Communication and Media Studies

Occupation: Community Volunteer and Small Business Owner

Statement: I place tremendous importance on the wonderful neighborhood we live in and feel we are fortunate to have the zoning oversight provided by the Houghton Community Council.

I've lived in Kirkland for 25 years, where I have raised our two children (now college students) and run a small business. I've been actively involved in community and school volunteering, am a member of the Kirkland Park Board, and serve on the Houghton Community Council. My job is to listen to my neighbors, work to protect the qualities you want for our community, and to be the residents' voice to the Kirkland Planning Department and City Council.

Our city is on the cusp of incredible growth and we need to meet that growth in a thoughtful, proactive way. Your Houghton Community Council insures that your voice is heard. I hope you'll allow me to continue to make a contribution to our community.

Council Position No. 5

John Kappler

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Education: Bachelor of Arts Degree from The College of Architecture at Kansas State University

Occupation: Architectural Firm Owner Specializing in Housing and Community Design

Statement: I am a practicing architect and a business owner. Over the past 30 years, I have been involved in the creation of many neighborhoods and homes in the Pacific Northwest. I have a professional understanding of the built environment as well as the building and zoning codes that regulate them. During my tenure of serving on the Houghton Community Council, I have had the opportunity to participate in the review of the Kirkland Zoning Codes that affect the Houghton Community. I believe I have made a difference in balancing the regulations with the protection of property rights and the preservation of the community's visual fabric that all of us enjoy. I would appreciate your vote so that I may continue serving my community.

Council Position No. 6

Neal Black

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Education: BS in Civil Engineering from Stanford University; JD from Georgetown University Law Center

Occupation: Technology Transactions Attorney; Partner at Adkins Black LLP

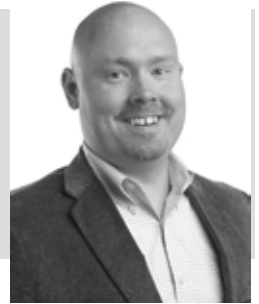
Statement: I will work with you to preserve Houghton's current assets, including those aspects of its natural and built environment that make it a unique community in an already unique city – *vibrant, attractive, and livable*. I will help us plan for future growth and economic enhancement that recognizes the value of a healthy balance between Houghton's residential neighborhoods, boutique retail and other small businesses, light industry, global enterprises, and educational institutions – those within Houghton's boundaries and those that we enjoy nearby. I will prioritize multi-modal transportation solutions that provide us and our neighbors with options for getting around more safely and efficiently and preserve Houghton's unique quality of being close to *everything*. And, I will always advocate for an inclusive community that provides a diverse and meaningful range of housing solutions, welcomes everyone, and serves everyone equitably. My wife and I have been proud residents of Houghton since 2003.

Council Position No. 7

Brian D. Gawthrop

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Education: West Virginia University BSBA (Marketing)

Occupation: Certified Financial Planner™ Practitioner

Statement: The Houghton Community Council (HCC) is a tremendous asset to the Kirkland residents who live within the boundaries of the former City of Houghton (Lakeview, Central Houghton, and part of Bridle Trails). In exchange for annexing into Kirkland, Houghtonites retained the right to have an elected Community Council, which has veto power on land use and zoning changes within Houghton.

As a father of three young boys and a dog owner, it is important to me that Houghton maintain its walkability, bikeability, and overall small town feel within the larger city of Kirkland. I live (Central Houghton) and work (Carillon Point) within the jurisdiction of the HCC, and often walk or bike to work.

Commissioner Position No. 1

Gloria Hatcher-Mays

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Education: BA, University of Washington, Communication, Project Management Certification, University of Denver.

Occupation: Program and Project Manager; Owner Gloria Hatcher-Mays Photography.

Statement: My husband and I have lived in the Renton Highlands for the last ten years and love this community. As a member of the Fire District 10 Commissioners, I will faithfully honor my responsibility to provide oversight and management of the fire district with my fellow board members. I am passionate about community support for first responders, and am equally passionate that our community protectors should be good partners in our neighborhoods. I have successfully managed organizational budgets and human resource matters as an Executive Director for two non-profits in the Puget Sound region, and have been a leader in both business and government over the course of my career. I am a 'systems thinker' which means I look at overall operations when planning for change or celebrating successes.

I am pleased to have endorsements from the King County Democrats, the 5th Legislative District, and many community and civic leaders.

Commissioner Position No. 2

Donald Smith

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submitted

Education: MS, Human Resource Management -- BS, Fire Administration

Occupation: Fire Chief, Retired

Statement: It has been my privilege to serve as Fire Commissioner in District 10 for the past 6 years. I look forward to continue working with the dedicated staff and elected officials that have produced the finest fire protection agency in the state. Eastside Fire and Rescue requires elected officials willing to work together for the greater good of all five member agencies. Thank you for your support.

Commissioner Position No. 4

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Education: B.S. Industrial and Management Engineering, Montana State University; M.B.A., University of Puget Sound

Occupation: Manufacturing and I.T. Management – Retired

Statement: District 10 commissioners play an important role in ensuring highly effective fire protection and emergency medical services for our community. As neighboring cities continue to annex portions of District 10 it will be challenged to maintain service levels with a declining tax revenue base. Commissioners will need to work closely with the district's partners and bring creative solutions to bear on the increasingly difficult problem of providing highly responsive, quality services at affordable cost.

A resident of District 10 for more than thirty years, my knowledge of the community and private-sector management experience provide a platform to make a strong contribution as your commissioner. The safety and protection of our families, homes, and businesses is paramount, but I will be an aggressive advocate for the district's taxpayers and the efficient delivery of services. Thank you for your vote.

Commissioner Position No. 1

John Buller

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Education: BA, Business Administration, Concentration in Accounting, Foster School of Business, University of Washington

Occupation: Partner in Financial Advisory Firm. Previously, Shareholder in CPA Firm

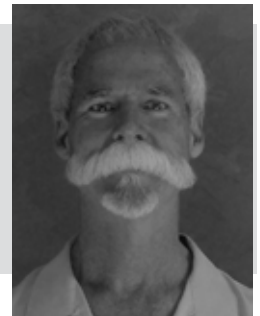
Statement: Having raised a family in Kenmore the last 23 years, I have taken pride witnessing the transformation of Kenmore. Of course, this comes with challenges, some that your Fire Commissioners will have to address. Traffic congestion and higher population density, are just examples. However, by re-distributing fire department assets, continuing the exploration of combining resources with other fire agencies and instituting a proactive hiring policy, we can help mitigate these challenges. Additionally, encouraging community involvement through emergency preparedness training (CERT) will be increasingly important as we all move forward.

As a CPA I believe that fiscal management and focused planning are critical to the success of any organization. As a Past President of the Northshore Rotary Club and participating on boards of numerous other organizations, I believe that searching for common ground is critical to providing effective leadership. These are the traits I will bring as your Fire Commissioner.

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Education: Associate in Applied Science, Pre-Professional Engineering Degree, Associate in Fire Science

Occupation: Seattle Fire Department Battalion Chief (retired), Consultant -Testing Public Safety

Statement: I have dedicated my life to the Fire Service, serving 30 years with the Seattle Fire Department, 14 years as a Battalion and Safety Chief.

Managing major programs, serving on numerous national committees, and serving as union President and Executive Board member for 10 years, representing Firefighters in negotiating directly with the City of Seattle.

I understand our District's working relationship: the Commissioners representing citizens, working together with the Fire Department Administration and Firefighters. Our goals to ensure adequate funding to make critical investments in our Fire District, provide the best and most efficient emergency medical, fire suppression, and fire prevention services to Kenmore and Lake Forest Park, and assuring services and quality are maintained as our area grows.

My background, knowledge, and experience provide me the skills to be an effective Fire Commissioner.

Please join other Firefighters, community leaders and neighbors in supporting my election. Thank you

Commissioner Position No. 1

Marcus Morrell

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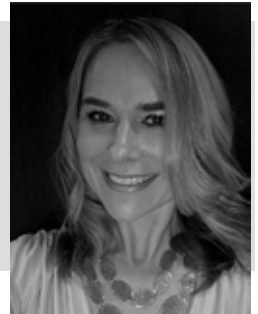
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Commissioner Position No. 1

Lilly Hansen

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Education: High School Graduate

Occupation: Small Local Business Owner

Statement: I am a mother, wife and local business owner and have lived in Fall City for the last 14 years. During my last term in office I have enjoyed the opportunity to give back to our community as your fire commissioner. I was appointment to Board Chairperson as of 2017.

Now I am asking for the chance to keep helping our community by managing your fire district. My goals are to provide the best service with career firefighters as well as our volunteer firefighters, updating our equipment & technology when necessary to industry standards while maintaining quality fire and medical services while operating within a budget.

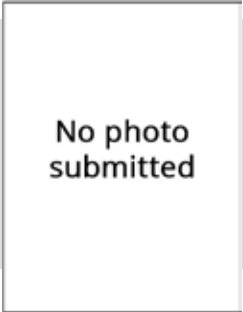
I appreciate your vote and will continue to work towards the fire department providing excellent emergency services for our community.

Commissioner Position No. 1

Peter Lucarelli

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Education: Bachelor's Business Administration with Distinction, University of Redlands

Occupation: Fire Protection (retired)

Statement: As a candidate for reelection to the position of Fire Commissioner, I bring over 40 years of fire protection and management experience, beginning as a firefighter with the City of Los Angeles where I achieved the rank of Assistant Chief. I then served the City of Bellevue as Fire Chief for over 13 years, and most recently serving the Fire District as a Fire Commissioner for the past 11 years. I bring to the position, knowledge and understanding of what is needed in the daily operations of a fire protection district, as well as the needs associated with sound management and leadership practices. My focus with continue to be the provision of clear policy for excellent public safety services, while maintaining strong stewardship and oversight of taxpayers dollars.

Commissioner Position No. 3

Joe Pylant

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Education: Bachelor Degree with Honors, Aeronautical Engineering, Texas A&M University

Occupation: Retired from Senior Vice President, Olin Aerospace Company

Statement: Joe Pylant was appointed in August, 2016 to fill a vacancy. Commissioner Pylant retired from his position as Sr. Vice President of Rocket Research/Olin Aerospace after 31 years of service. Joe has lived in Redmond for 36 years and is married to Vicky. They remain focused on the lives of their six grown children and eleven grandchildren. Joe loves to play golf and also volunteers in the nursery of his community church. Joe is proud to be associated with the firefighters of KCFD 34 and looks forward to another 6 years of service. Email Vice-Chair Commissioner Pylant

Commissioner Position No. 1

John Herbert

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Education: No information submitted.

Occupation: Retired

Statement: I am currently a commissioner having been appointed to fill a vacancy in 2015.

I bring a wealth of experience to the position having been a first responder since 1972 serving as a firefighter, paramedic, Fire Chief and Chief of King County Medic One.

The Fire Department has served its citizens very well with limited budgets for quite some time. The growth in the City and the unincorporated areas has created an increased demand for services. As your representative, I will continue to work on a stable funding source so we can continue to provide Fire and Emergency Medical Services to the citizens of our Fire District. I appreciate your vote and look forward to representing and working for the community in which my family and I resided for over 34 years

Commissioner Position No. 2

Chris Bodlovic

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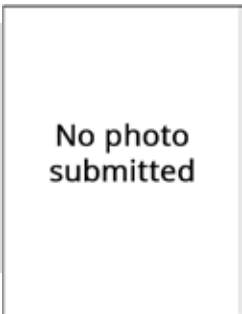
Education: No information submitted.

Occupation: No information submitted.

Statement: Chris Bodlovic and his family have lived in the Maple Valley area since 1996. He served in the community as his two boys grew as Chairman for both Renton Christian Schools and Renton Little League. He brings practical business experience having worked in the high tech industry for over 25 years and co-founded a green energy recruiting/consulting company in 1999. Chris had a passion to get involved with the Maple Valley FD a few years ago by participating in the Citizen Emergency Response Team (CERT) program. He has also volunteered with his wife Carol for many charitable organizations, including the Salvation Army and the Genesis Project.

Commissioner Position No. 4

Ben Hayman
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Education: AA degree in Fire Science

Occupation: Fire Department Captain

Statement: I am honored to currently serve as Fire Commissioner in King County Fire Protection District #43. I love the fire service and I am truly grateful for the opportunity to work with the men and women of Maple Valley Fire and Life Safety. I have worked in the fire service for 16 years and have lived in Maple Valley since 2009. This is a great community and I would like to continue to serve as your Fire Commissioner.

Commissioner Position No. 5

Craig Hooper
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Education: Bachelor of Arts - Business Administration, Washington State University, AA- Fire Service Administration, BCC

Occupation: Fire Service Professional

Statement: I am running for King County Fire Protection District 43, Position 5, after serving an appointment to the position in February 2017.

As a fire service professional with over 26 years experience in various capacities, I bring a knowledgeable perspective to this position. I believe that the fire district needs to provide effective and efficient fire and emergency medical services to all those served by Fire District 43. Also, I feel it is imperative to be good stewards of the public contributions to run the fire department. I will continue to make sure that all of the citizens receive exceptional service in this capacity.

Fire District 43 has experienced tremendous growth and increased demand for services. I will support the dedicated and professional service providers of our fire District while making sure the citizens receive the service they deserve.

Commissioner Position No. 1

Michelle Orndorf

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Education: No information submitted.

Occupation: No information submitted.

Statement: As our community grows, we need leadership that understands the unique needs of our residents and can help lead responsible growth of our fire and emergency medical services. I am here to help guide this growth not just for the next 6 years of my term, but over the long term. We need leadership that is prepared for our future!

As a Duvall resident for over 25 years, I bring a deep connection to our community. My past experience working at Microsoft, current experience as a water district commissioner and as the comptroller with a large private company gives me a solid foundation to help our fire department grow in a fiscally responsible way to match the pace of our community's needs. My goal is to ensure we will continue to deliver the highest quality service to our residents.

I look forward to serving you as a fire district commissioner!

Harry Oestreich

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Education: Seattle University, Graduate Studies in Finance; UW, BA in Accounting and Computer Science.

Occupation: Retired; former Finance Director for Cities of Snoqualmie and Duvall.

Statement: I am honored to serve as your Fire Commissioner and thank you for that privilege.

Experience: 3 terms Fire Commissioner, 20 years as volunteer firefighter/EMT, 2 terms on Riverview School Board, Finance Director, and a founder of the Riverview Education Foundation. This experience allows me to bring broad resources, ideas and knowledge to the District.

I have the *integrity* to make sure the District maintains open communications and accountability that our new direction demands.

Fire District 45 is entering an exciting era. Building our second manned fire station, serving the eastern half of the district, will result in reduced response times and fire insurance rates.

Please help keep District 45 thriving by supporting proven, experienced leadership. Now is not the time for change! Your vote counts!

Endorsed by Duvall Mayor Will Ibershof, Councilmember Amy Ockerlander, District 45 Commissioners Jerry Smith and John Frazier.

Commissioner Position No. 3

Charles H. Porter

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Education: BA Mathematics Gonzaga University; MBA University of Michigan

Occupation: Semi-retired

Statement: It is my honor to serve as one of your three King County Water District #1 Commissioners and I would appreciate your continued support.

Commissioner Position No. 1

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Education: Finance, University of Colorado Juris Doctor (Law degree), University of Illinois Fellow, Society of Actuaries

Occupation: No information submitted.

Statement: It has been a privilege to be your commissioner at the Water District since 1998, and I ask for your vote again this year. Our water is safer than ever, and will remain so. The District is stronger than ever financially and operationally. And we provide excellent service to you, our customers and owners of the District. Over the last several years I have helped lead the process of reaching out to the community to improve our relationships with our customers. I am excited about the future of the District and my part in making it the best water district around. Thank you for your vote and support.

Commissioner Position No. 1

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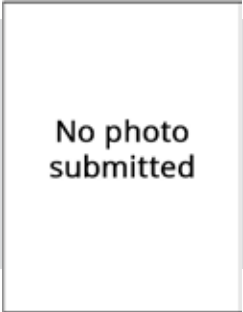
No information submitted.

Commissioner Position No. 1

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Commissioner Position No. 1

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Education: Bachelor's Science in Constructon Engineering, University of Nebraska

Occupation: Vice President, Hermanson Company, LLP

Statement: As a resident of the NE Sammamish Water District, my primary role as one of your commissioners is to oversee the safety of our water, maintain the integrity of our infrastructure and ensure that our district is operated with the fiscal responsibility that we all deserve.

Commissioner Position No. 2

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Education: Masters in Business Administration

Occupation: Registered Investment Advisor

Statement: I am honored to serve as your water district commissioner . It is my first priority to provide safe, reliable drinking water. Our independent water district has been providing pure, award-winning water since 1969 at one of the lowest costs in Western Washington . The water district pumps water from underground aquifers to serve 10,500 people on the north end of Sammamish. This pure water flows from 5 wells, untouched by chemicals, to you. It is my goal to protect and preserve this great resource for our users. Thanks for your vote.

Commissioner Position No. 1

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Education: Bachelor of Science Environmental Health, University of Washington; MBA, University of Puget Sound

Occupation: Retired (Environmental Health Specialist, Public Health Seattle & King County)

Statement: You should expect safe and reliable drinking water and sewage disposal provided in an efficient, skilled and cost-effective way. Protecting the public health and meeting the growing needs of this area are challenges for the District.

I am proud to have been able to help ensure these goals since 1996. My professional expertise helps guide the District in areas such as: Emergency Preparedness; Fats/Oils/Grease program; Community Outreach; Performance and Evaluation; Comprehensive Plans; fair wages and rate setting.

I also represent NUD on regional committees: Seattle Public Utilities Water System Operating Board; Wastewater Utility committee (MWPAAC); and Public Health – Seattle & King County On-site Sewage Plan and Program update committee.

I will use my knowledge in public health and management to help NUD meet the demands of this growing community, while ensuring that you have safe drinking water and a reliable sewage system.

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Education: BS Microbiology, University of Washington; Master of Biology, Illinois Institute of Technology; Project Management Professional

Occupation: Sr. Project Manager, Infectious Disease Research Institute

Statement: Chris has lived with his family in the area and worked in the local Life Sciences industry for over two decades. His background in microbiology fuels his passion for safe, clean, affordable water and responsible stewardship of natural and ratepayer resources. Chris has previously served as president of the Sno-King Water District Coalition advocating for local utility issues in Olympia. He was also active with the Washington Association of Sewer and Water Districts.

Chris believes that here in Western Washington we have the best water and natural resources in the country. We can only maintain these resources by active and responsible stewardship of the environment and our ratepayers money. It is more important than ever that we invest in long-term infrastructure to ensure that future generations are able to enjoy safe, clean, and affordable drinking water. Thank you for your vote.

Commissioner Position No. 3

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Education: BA International Studies University of Washington, Cum Laude

Occupation: Telecommunications Engineer

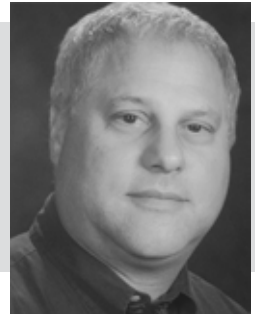
Statement: Experience matters. The responsibilities of NUD Commissioners are to oversee the District budget, insure sustainability and to verify supplier and construction contracts benefit the District rate payers. I have over thirty years' experience in budgeting and operating large utilities. As your NUD Commissioner, I will use my experience to insure our District resources are efficiently directed, our infrastructure is protected and our rates are reasonable.

I am a retired telecom utility chief engineer. I will dedicate my full time efforts to the responsibilities of your NUD Commissioner. I am a veteran of the USAF, a graduate of the University of Washington and a resident of the District for almost 40 years. I am very familiar with the operation and processes of the District. My commitment is that will work hard to insure our rates remain low and district resources are sustainable. I humbly ask for your vote.

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Education: BA, Western Washington University; Teachers Certification, Seattle Pacific University; Masters in Administration, Western Washington University.

Occupation: Teacher, Lake Washington School District.

Statement: I would like to thank you for allowing me to represent you on the Northshore Utility Districts (NUD) Board of Commissioners. I have learned a lot and look forward to continuing our work to assure our customers quality utility services.

The NUD is one of the best run utility districts in the state. Our rates are among the lowest and our highly trained employees work with state-of-the-art-equipment to provide the best service possible.

An area that I am focusing on is creating a policy for low and fixed income customers. Currently, the NUD does not have a policy that takes into account a customer's financial status. By creating a customer assistance program, this will allow us to provide the same great service to all people we serve.

I am committed to ensuring that you will receive high quality water and sewer services at low cost.

Please vote Matt Breyse

Commissioner Position No. 4

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Education: BA, UW; Juris Doctorate, UPS/Seattle U.; Studies in Emergency Planning, Crisis Management, Security

Occupation: Attorney, Commissioner Northshore Utility District, Instructor in Boater Education

Statement: Northshore Utility District has five excellent commissioners who work well together to bring you safe, low-cost water. Keeping your water and sewer rates as some of the lowest in King County, we are working efficiently to maintain the utility facilities in excellent condition while having an exceptionally low employee to connections ratio. Having completed a survey of the entire district, we are on track in a comprehensive program to replace the older parts of the system to insure continuing safe and trouble-free service. With prudent financial management, we have maintained an outstanding AAA rating from Standard and Poor's.

We have made a multi-million-dollar investment to strengthen our facilities and reservoirs from earthquakes. We exercise a leading role among the north Lake Washington municipal agencies in emergency preparedness, to which I bring a 30-year military background in security.

I appreciate your continued support in me by returning me as a Commissioner.

Commissioner District No. 1

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Education: Graduate, Kentridge High School; Highline College; Bachelor of Science in Nursing, Seattle Pacific University

Occupation: Kent Schools PTA Mom, Concerned Citizen and Community Volunteer Leader

Statement: I would like to represent you as *Your Hospital Commissioner!*

Control of Valley Medical Center was taken away from our *elected Commissioners* and given to *appointed Trustees* controlled by UW Medicine who can *raise your property taxes!*

The UW Medicine-Valley Medical Center Alliance devised by CEO Rich Roodman gave control of Valley to Trustees appointed by UW Medicine who are *completely unaccountable to us voters!* His yearly compensation ballooned to \$1.6 million plus \$1.7 million in additional "special" retirement benefits, which a *2009 State Auditor's report found to be without explanation or public benefit, well beyond any competitive salary.* In fact, it was more than CEO's of UWMC and Harborview were earning combined!

I support asking legislators to return control of our hospital district to voters who support Valley with our tax dollars!

I have deep roots in this district for generations and attended Kent Schools. I'm married to Casey for 21 years; we have two children in Kent Schools. Our daughter was born at Valley and our doctors are Valley physicians. I'm active with Seattle Walk for Autism Speaks, in PTA and a CERT volunteer. *I am the Only candidate in this race who has ever worked in the healthcare industry.*

I served King County Council on *King County Women's Advisory Board* and helped create recommendations for *paid family leave policy* for its public employees. I've served on our neighborhood association and as a PTA legislative advocate to support improved funding for students.

Valley is an important community asset and we need to assure it benefits our community which supports Valley with our tax dollars!

Our Commissioners should be responsible for ensuring Valley provides affordable, high-quality healthcare while remaining financially viable. I promise to support our patients and staff of Valley!

I'd be honored by your vote! Thank you!

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Education: University Washington..Business Management, Northeastern University, University Penn/Wharton College, University Southern CA..Transit Management

Occupation: Manager Base Operations/Metro Transit/King County

Statement: Born in Rotterdam, Holland (Netherlands). Grew up in Salt Lake City, UT. Joined U.S. Army 1961-69. Returned from Vietnam 1968. Stationed Ft. Lewis 1968-69. Worked for Metro Transit / King County 1969-2004. I have lived in the great City of Renton, WA, since 1972. I volunteered at Valley Medical Hospital for approximately three years at the surgery information desk.

I am running for Commissioner as a citizen concerned about the drastic budget short fall and reduction in hospital staffing at Valley Medical Center and the impact this will have on our local community. I have supported the hospital over the past years by voting "yes" on every levy to improve and help the hospital to be the best for our community. As a past volunteer and longtime patient of Valley Medical doctors, I support the men and women who give their time to make the hospital and patient care a better and friendlier place. I am a strong proponent for maintaining local control of our hospital and will hold the current administration and CEO's feet to the fire regarding proper use of our tax dollars, including executive compensation and benefits. I will take my role as a community representative and advocate very seriously with patient safety and quality my number one priority.

If I am elected, I look forward to working with the current commissioners and management staff. It is time for an objective view point from a citizen who can bring a fresh perspective to the board, who has been associated with the hospital as a volunteer and a patient, for a long period of time.

I hope I can count on your vote.

Commissioner District No. 3

Tim McLaughlin

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Education: BS Business Administration, Wake Forest University; MBA NW Missouri State University

Occupation: Finance executive; Recently retired CFO of SightLife

Statement: For more than 45 years Evergreen Health has served to enrich the quality of life of the residents of the Eastside. During this period, Evergreen has grown along with the community to become recognized as an exceptional, comprehensive and trusted health care system. Through the community's ongoing support and with the dedicated efforts of its medical and administrative professionals, Evergreen has physically expanded its access to care, greatly increased medical specialties, enhanced community programs and has frequently been recognized among the top national hospitals for clinical excellence.

I have been honored to serve and contribute to the Evergreen Board of Commissioners since November of last year and to also be a part of Evergreen's audit finance committee, the Evergreen Healthcare Foundation and chair of the digital health advisory committee. Previously I was a member of the Evergreen Community Advisors for nine years.

My professional career has spanned nearly forty years in various finance positions within both for-profit and non-profit organizations, and in a variety of industries including healthcare, retail, manufacturing and technology. This diverse background has enabled me to offer fresh perspectives and insights regarding the challenges facing healthcare organizations such as Evergreen.

In a period of rapid change and uncertainty Evergreen has maintained its focused purpose to "enrich the health and well-being of every life we touch." Following through with this commitment in a thoughtful, compassionate and fiscally responsible manner is at the heart of my candidacy to serve as your Redmond/Sammamish representative for the King County Public Hospital District No. 2.

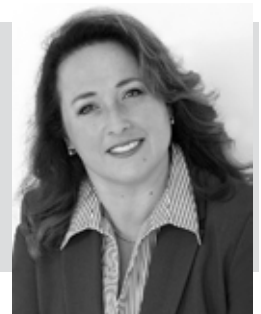
Thank you for your support.

Commissioner Position No. 6

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Education: MBA, Stanford University Graduate School of Business; Bachelor's in Accountancy, Northern Arizona University

Occupation: Business Advisor

Statement: EvergreenHealth is a *financially strong* healthcare system supported by the residents of the communities it serves. For over three decades, the Board has *wisely stewarded* hospital financial resources – prudently growing to ensure that over 850,000 residents in the hospital district have access to *high quality healthcare on the Eastside*.

EvergreenHealth is facing a challenging environment, getting paid less every year from government and commercial insurers–yet its *mission remains steadfast—to advance the health of communities it serves through dedication to high quality, safe, compassionate, and cost-effective healthcare*.

I am a *current* Board Commissioner looking forward to continuing to ensure that EvergreenHealth remains *financially strong and strategically positioned* to meet the needs of our growing Eastside communities. *I bring 25+ years of accounting, audit, finance and investments experience. I lead the Audit and Finance Committee and serve on the Board Quality and Governance committees. As an EvergreenHealth Community Advisor for six years, I gained a solid understanding of the depth and breadth of hospital's medical specialties, staff and facilities, and extensive partnerships and affiliations. My board governance training will help ensure the Board continues its work with openness and transparency.*

I look forward to continuing in my position as Board Commissioner.

Commissioner Position No. 7

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Education: BS Mechanical Engineering, Utah State University; MBA, City University; Advance Bellevue graduate

Occupation: Process and Tools Engineer

Statement: I am honored to have served you for 18 years as a Community Advisor. In September 2016, I was appointed as a Commissioner for EvergreenHealth (King County Public Hospital District 2). I am committed to serving our hospital district for the residents of Kenmore, Bothell, Woodinville, Duvall, Kirkland, Redmond and Sammamish.

Healthcare reform brings new challenges to our constantly changing environment. I am dedicated to ensuring EvergreenHealth continues to enrich the health and well-being of every life we touch. I will continue to improve the quality of patient care and press for the continued financial health of the hospital and our public tax dollars. I will support activities that improve the efficiency of hospital operations to reduce cost, promote partners/alliances that best serve our community's healthcare needs, and seek out and listen to your community hospital needs.

EvergreenHealth has an amazing working together culture between medical staff, employees, and administration. It is inspiring to see the dedication and passion for patient care. This shows as EvergreenHealth regularly ranks as one of the country's top hospitals for clinical excellence.

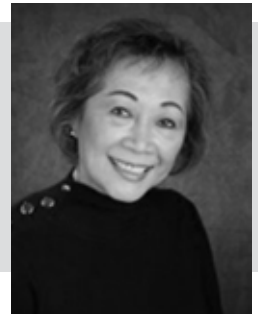
I would appreciate your support to retain me as your EvergreenHealth Hospital Commissioner (King County Public Hospital District 2, Position #7).

Commissioner Position No. 3

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Education: University of Washington, History Major, City University, Health Administration

Occupation: Retired and serving as Public Hospital 4, District 3 Commissioner

Statement: Change is the only constant in life and to resist it, is futile. Public Hospital District #4 King County is embarking on a new future for Snoqualmie Valley Hospital through its affiliation strategy. In the coming months, our community will have the opportunity to hear more, learn more, and understand more about the goals and options of affiliation as we move forward with a health system that will help us realize our vision to be the healthiest community in the nation.

As the newest Board Commissioner of Public Hospital District #4 King County, my goals are to ensure that we remain *fiscally accountable and responsible, promote a safe and healthy environment* so we can become the *most vibrant and livable community in the state*.

I am dedicated to representing the people in the district and meeting their health care needs.

Commissioner Position No. 1

Tom Harman

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Education: Bachelor of Science Construction Management

Occupation: Medicare Insurance Agent

Statement: Tom Harman and his wife Jeanne have lived on the Sammamish Plateau for over 30 years. Tom has been active in community affairs as a past board member of the Sammamish Chamber, Beaver Lake Community Club and Klahanie HOA. Tom's Business Consulting and experience as a Certified Waterworks Operator provides the leadership needed as Commissioner. *Tom has been active* with the Washington Association of Sewer and Water Districts and Evergreen Rural Water. Tom is *committed* to preserving the integrity of a well-run district while maintaining his accessibility to the community. Tom has made a *full commitment* to develop a close working relationship between the district and its customers. Tom Harman has been committed to his community and will bring that energy, professional experience and fiscal responsibility to keep the district moving in the right direction. It is important that we re-elect Tom to another six years as your Water Commissioner.

Commissioner Position No. 4

Lloyd Warren

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Education: Bachelors (Summa Cum Laude) and Masters in Civil Engineering, University of Washington

Occupation: Utilites Director (Retired)

Statement: It has been an honor serving as your Commissioner for the past 16 years. I will continue to focus on a clean, reliable, and affordable source of water supply and utility services for District customers. As a graduate degreed Civil Engineer with over thirty years of municipal utility experience, and previously the Utilities Director for the City of Bellevue, I believe I have the experience and leadership skills to guide the District. Issues on which I will focus my energies include protecting our ground water aquifers, assuring exceptional drinking water quality, implementing sound business and financial management practices, assuring that our water and sewer systems are well maintained into the future, and working closely with the Cities of Sammamish and Issaquah to assure coordinated services. As a forty year resident of Sammamish and Issaquah I look forward to continuing my service to our community.

Commissioner Position No. 1**Derek van Veen**

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submitted

Education: BA History, Whitman College, MA International Political Economy, Claremont Graduate School

Occupation: DevOps Manager: Microsoft Cloud-Platform Marketing, Owner: A&L Property

Statement: I have lived in the Woodinville area with my wife and children for 15 years, and have volunteered with Hollywood Hill, Sunrise, and Leota schools over the last 6 years. The empty position on the Woodinville Fire & Rescue Commission has given me the opportunity to give back more to the community and I am happy to volunteer for this role. My private-sector experience at Microsoft and as a small-business owner gives me insights on collaboration, negotiation, and budget management, which are well suited to this role. As of August 1, I have taken Position 1 in an interim role, and I hope to continue this role in 2018 as the duly elected Commissioner. I will take all issues that come before the Woodinville Fire & Rescue Commission seriously and give them the responsible, non-partisan consideration they deserve.

Commissioner Position No. 1

Karen Steeb

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Education: Bachelors of Landscape Architecture with honors, Michigan State University

Occupation: Landscape Designer, owner KKS Landscape Design

Statement: Water is essential to life. Management of this valuable resource requires dedicated and experienced people who can provide the kind of outstanding services and delivery at a reasonable cost you can count on. This means seamless representation, and uninterrupted, transparent, reliable and quality operations with integrity and appreciation for both customer and product.

I have been committed to enhancing the excellent services, management, and financial stability of our special purpose district for the past 12 years as a member of the board of commissioners. We have been validated and commended for over thirteen years of clean Washington State audits, a AAA bond rating, open board meetings, and accurate meeting minutes. The industry recognizes Woodinville Water District as one of the most progressive districts in Washington.

I look forward to continuing to provide leadership which guards and advances the resource the board is charged to provide and protect for you.

Greg Fazzio

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Education: Bachelor of Arts (DLA) St. Mary's College of Moraga, CA

Occupation: Commercial and multifamily property manager/owner experienced with development, utility services

Statement: Although we have safe and stable water sources, we can do better. I am committed to superior water quality, reliable distribution systems, fiscal accountability and complete transparency. You are entitled to know how your water district conducts business. *Unlike my opponent*, I will move to video record and post all board meetings to the district website. And, *unlike my opponent*, I will vote to eliminate wasteful and unnecessary benefit "opt-out" payments to commissioners.

Customers on septic systems deserve proper representation. You have the right and responsibility to maintain your system. I do not support forced sewer connections where septic functions properly.

Currently serving on the City of Woodinville Visioning Committee, I am a former Planning Commissioner and Chair of the Parks and Recreation Commission. My experience, honesty and integrity have earned me the respect of community leaders and neighbors.

I respectfully ask for your vote. Thank you.

Please visit: gregfazzioforwoodinvillewater.com

Commissioner Position No. 5

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Education: Seattle Pacific University, Bellevue College

Occupation: Realtor

Statement: I am a lifelong resident of Woodinville having grown up in the area and now living with my family on Lake Leota. I am dedicated to giving back to my community through volunteering and community service.

I believe I will provide a fresh perspective to the Woodinville Water District utilizing my experience as a long time resident and property owner in Woodinville. I am dedicated to preserving and protecting Woodinville's environment and resources.

With my background in real estate, I am experienced with the process of utility services of single family residential properties.

I believe in implementing open communication and full transparency within the district to ensure we are administering rate payers with full accountability.

My priorities will be providing the district with clean, reliable water and dependable sewer service, ensuring that every customer receives the highest quality service at the best rates.

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Education: Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering, Oregon State University

Occupation: Licensed Professional Engineer, Licensed Professional Land Surveyor

Statement: As your Commissioner, I will promote actions to reduce the cost of water and sewer services, support environmental responsibility, and provide the cleanest water possible by removal of asbestos materials from the water system, removing the chemical additive fluoride, and improving water treatment methods.

Over the past 37 years, I have resided in the Woodinville community. As a consulting civil engineer, I have designed water systems and sewage disposal systems. I understand the needs and expectations you have for water and sewer service for your family, and I understand the environmental challenges, governmental processes and public safety requirements necessary for sewage disposal and safe clean water.

My pledge to you is to act with integrity in an independent, fair and objective manner while making the Water District more efficient, and I will support removal of unnecessary chemical additives and hazardous byproducts from arriving at your home in our water supply.

Proposition No. 1 Levy Lid Lift for Veterans, Seniors and Vulnerable Populations

The King County Council passed Ordinance 18555 concerning funding for veterans, seniors and vulnerable populations. If approved, this proposition would replace an expiring levy and fund capital facilities and regional health and human services for veterans and military servicemembers and their families, seniors and their caregivers, and vulnerable populations. It would authorize an additional property tax for six years beginning with a 2017 rate of \$0.10 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation for collection in 2018. The first year levy amount would be the base for computing annual increases up to 3.5% for collection in 2019 through 2023, as provided in Ordinance 18555. Should this proposition be?

Approved

Rejected

The complete text of this measure is available beginning on page 96.

Statement in favor

Since 2005, the levy has built over 2,000 permanent and affordable units for veterans and vulnerable families, provided emergency shelter to thousands more, expanded mental health and addiction services, and improved self-sufficiency and job training for returning service members. This replacement measure will help meet the needs of the growing senior population, address acute challenges facing veterans, and tackle homelessness with \$24 million in housing investments.

An independent citizen commission will continue ensuring efficient service delivery.

Your *Yes* vote will:

Expand our commitment to veterans and their families, creating additional veteran coordination centers; continue job training and placement; expand housing, shelter, and supportive services.

Renew King County's commitment to our most vulnerable, increasing legal and housing resources for survivors of domestic violence and sexual assault; provide mobile medical vans for people experiencing homelessness or isolation, and support individuals with disabilities and their caregivers.

Support low-income seniors with housing programs and tax relief, expand food programs like Meals on Wheels, and enhance programs that promote physical and emotional health.

This replacement levy will cost the typical household an additional \$28/year. It is endorsed by veterans advocates, homelessness and domestic violence service providers, labor unions, senior organizations, Council Republicans and Democrats; more!

Submitted by: Dow Constantine,
Pramila Jayapal, Suzette Cooke
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Explanatory statement

As provided in Ordinance 18555, this proposition would authorize King County to levy an additional regular property tax for six years beginning with a 2017 rate of ten cents (\$0.10) per one thousand dollars (\$1,000) of assessed valuation for collection in 2018. The dollar amount of the levy collected in 2018 would be the base for computing annual increases of up to 3.5% in 2019 through 2023.

The levy would fund regional health and human services and capital facilities for veterans and military servicemembers and their families, seniors and their caregivers, and vulnerable populations. Vulnerable populations are defined in the ordinance as persons or communities that are susceptible to reduced health, housing, financial or social stability outcomes because of current experience or historical exposure to trauma, violence, poverty, isolation, bias, racism, stigma, discrimination, disability or chronic illness. Examples of vulnerable populations are listed in the ordinance.

Funded services would promote health and human services related to healthy living, housing stability, financial stability, social engagement, service system improvement and access, criminal justice system diversion, education and work force development, and civil legal aid to vulnerable populations. Proceeds would also be used to provide small organizations that offer such services with technical assistance and capacity building, such as legal, accounting, human resources, and leadership development and services support.

Proceeds may be used to mitigate the levy's impact on metropolitan park districts and fire districts if their levies are reduced through prorationing under RCW 84.52.010. Any levy proceeds received by these districts must be used to provide the same types of services funded by the levy.

For questions about this measure, contact: Leo Flor, Veterans, Seniors and Human Services Levy Manager
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Statement in opposition

No statement submitted.

Statements in favor of and in opposition to a ballot measure are submitted by committees appointed by the jurisdiction. No persons came forward to serve on the committee and to write a statement in opposition. If you would like to be involved with a committee in the future please contact the jurisdiction.

Proposition No. 1 Continuation of Community Municipal Corporation

The community council of East Bellevue Community Municipal Corporation adopted Resolution No. 561 concerning this proposition to continue the community municipal corporation. Pursuant to RCW 35.14.060, this proposition would continue the existence of the community municipal corporation for an additional four years. Should the East Bellevue Community Municipal Corporation remain in existence until the first Monday of January, 2022?

For continuation of the community municipal corporation

Against continuation of the community municipal corporation

The complete text of this measure is available at the Elections Office or online at www.kingcounty.gov/elections.

Statement in favor

A vote *Yes* to continue the East Bellevue Community Municipal Corporation allows the East Bellevue Community Council (EBCC) to continue to work on our behalf. Local level decisions make a difference!

The EBCC is a unique form of local government, ensuring a continued dialogue between the neighborhoods and City of Bellevue leadership. The neighborhoods are key to Bellevue's growth and livability - and should always have a 'voice'.

The EBCC provides an effective means to address issues directly impacting homeowners and their property, including land use codes and zoning. The EBCC reviews and supports mitigation of pass-through traffic on our neighborhood streets and proper maintenance of parks and public areas throughout our East Bellevue community.

The EBCC helps residents become engaged, thus making good decisions involving community improvements. The EBCC leadership is elected by you!

Through your participation and input at monthly meetings, the EBCC will continue to make informed decisions, reflecting our goals for our neighborhoods. The strength of neighborhood involvement has been shown time and again to be essential to many key decisions made by the City of Bellevue, continuing to shape the attributes of calling Bellevue 'home'.

Support your community! Vote *Yes* on Proposition No. 1.

Submitted by: Jeanne Elliott, Steven Paul Fricke, Nydia White
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Explanatory statement

In 1969 the East Bellevue annexation to the City of Bellevue was approved by the voters residing within the annexation boundaries. The voters also approved the creation of a community municipal corporation for the annexed area, which has a five member governing body elected by the voters, called the "community council". The community council has authority to approve or disapprove ordinances and resolutions of the city council affecting land, buildings and structures within the community council municipal corporation with respect to the following: 1) comprehensive plan; 2) zoning ordinances; 3) conditional use permits; 4) subdivision ordinances; 5) subdivision plats; and, 6) planned unit developments.

The community council may also advise, consult and cooperate with the city council on local matters directly or indirectly affecting the service area. Under state law, the community municipal corporation may continue in existence for four year periods with the approval of the voters within its jurisdictional boundaries. On February 7, 2017 the East Bellevue Community Council adopted Resolution No. 561 requesting that a proposal for continuation be placed on the ballot.

If a majority of votes is cast for continuation, the East Bellevue Community Council shall continue in existence for a four-year period. If a majority of votes is not cast for continuation, it shall cease to exist and cannot be reestablished.

For questions about this measure, contact:
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Statement in opposition

No statement submitted.

Statements in favor of and in opposition to a ballot measure are submitted by committees appointed by the jurisdiction. No persons came forward to serve on the committee and to write a statement in opposition. If you would like to be involved with a committee in the future please contact the jurisdiction.

**Proposition No. 1
Continuation of Community Municipal Corporation**

The community council of Houghton Community Municipal Corporation has adopted Resolution No. 2017-4 concerning this proposition to continue the community municipal corporation. Pursuant to RCW 35.14.060, this proposition would continue the existence of the community municipal corporation for an additional four years. Should the Houghton Community Municipal Corporation remain in existence until December 31, 2021?

For continuation of the community municipal corporation

Against continuation of the community municipal corporation

The complete text of this measure is available at the Elections Office or online at www.kingcounty.gov/elections.

Explanatory statement

In 1968 the Cities of Houghton and Kirkland were consolidated. The voters in Houghton also voted to establish within the former City of Houghton a community municipal corporation. Its governing body is the Houghton Community Council, composed of seven members elected for four year terms by the voters within Houghton. The Houghton Community Municipal Corporation also has a term of four years and then expires unless continued for an additional four years by majority vote of the electors within Houghton. The current four year term expires December 31, 2017, unless extended at the general election to be held November 7, 2017.

Under the Community Municipal Corporations law (RCW Ch. 35.14) the adoption, amendment, authorization or other approval by the Kirkland City Council of any ordinance or resolution applying to land, buildings or structures within the Houghton Community Municipal Corporation becomes effective within Houghton only on approval of the Community Council or by failure of the Community Council to disapprove the ordinance or resolution within 60 days of its final enactment by the Kirkland City Council as to the following: comprehensive plan; zoning ordinance; conditional use permit, special exception or variance; subdivision ordinance; subdivision plat; or planned unit development. In addition to its disapproval jurisdiction, the Houghton Community Council also has authority to make recommendations to the Kirkland City Council and City Manager on any issues which may directly or indirectly affect the area within the Houghton Community Municipal Corporation.

For questions about this measure, contact:
Kevin Raymond, City Attorney
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Statement in favor

The Houghton Community Council ("HCC") was established in 1968 when the citizens of Houghton agreed to merge with the City of Kirkland. When this occurred, Houghton citizens recognized the importance of keeping control over land use within its boundaries to ensure the unique qualities of Houghton would be maintained. A key condition of the merger was that Houghton would retain an independent council with veto authority over land use regulations in the area comprising the former city. Continuously since 1968, unpaid elected members of Houghton have served on the HCC to represent our community. The HCC works directly with City staff, Planning Commission and City Council to blend input from Houghton businesses and residents with the overall planning goals and policies of the City of Kirkland.

Submitted by: Marie "Molly" Working
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Every four years the citizens of Houghton must vote whether to retain the HCC. With today's constant pressure for development, it is vital the citizens of Houghton vote to maintain this valuable body to protect against competing visions drowning out the concerns and priorities of our community. We urge you to once again renew the unique provision of the HCC by voting "Yes" to keep this privilege another four years.

Rebuttal of statement against

The best government is local government. The Houghton Community Council has consistently provided Houghton residents an important voice in land use decisions that directly impact our community. Rather than impede decisions; the HCC has contributed to better decisions. It is a rare privilege we cannot afford to lose. If not affirmatively retained, this respected entity will be gone forever.

Vote Yes to retain the Houghton Community Council.

Statement in opposition

The Houghton Community Council is an unproductive layer of bureaucracy. After almost 50 years, the transitional arrangement of a Community Council for the former City of Houghton has served its time and should end.

Submitted by: Dan Ryan
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Houghton is fully integrated with the city of Kirkland and needs special protection. Kirkland has many outlets for citizen involvement, and many ways for Houghton residents to participate in the governance of the city. The Houghton Community Council confers no useful benefits for residents. It's just one more group of people to say no.

Only one other Community Council remains in the entire state. No recent annexation, whether in Kirkland or any other city, has created a community council. Other councils have been voted away by their residents. Dozens of other places have made the decision that Houghton should make: that a Community Council is not a constructive part of their future in the city.

The city of Houghton existed barely twenty years. The transitional arrangement to integrate with Kirkland is approaching fifty. Let's move on.

Vote No to end the Houghton Community Council.

Rebuttal of statement in favor

Kirkland has many fine neighborhoods without the busywork bureaucracy of the Houghton Community Council.

It's not necessary. It's a costly privilege that doesn't even benefit Houghton, and prevents needed improvements.

Vote no. End this arrangement that was never intended to be more than transitional. Houghton doesn't need "protection" from Kirkland.

**Proposition No. 1
Authorizing Restoration of Previous Property Tax Levy Rate of \$1.50 per \$1,000 of Assessed Valuation for a Six Year Period (2018-2023)**

The Board of Fire Commissioners of Maple Valley Fire and Life Safety (also known as King County Fire Protection District No. 43) passed Resolution R-2017-005 concerning the District’s property tax levy rate. If approved, this proposition would allow the District to restore its previously voter-approved tax levy rate of \$1.50 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation in 2017 for collection in 2018. The 2018 levy amount would be the base upon which annual increases of up to 6% (but not to exceed a rate of \$1.50) would be computed for the succeeding five years (2019 – 2023). The 2023 levy amount would be used for computing the limitations for subsequent levies as allowed by Chapter 84.55 RCW and as provided in Resolution R-2017-005. Should this proposition be approved?

- Approved
- Rejected

The complete text of this measure is available at the Elections Office or online at www.kingcounty.gov/elections.

Statement in favor

Submitted by: John Herbert, Chris Bodlovic, Sean P. Kelly
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Maple Valley Fire and Life Safety, serving the citizens of the greater Maple Valley area, is requesting a multi-year lid lift. This proposition will authorize the property tax levy rate to be restored to \$1.50 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation for 2018 and the 5 subsequent years.

This request is to ensure that we can provide minimum critical fire and emergency medical services.

The six year levy lift is also a cost effective way to have a voter approved budget without incurring costly annual levy requests.

A home valued at \$400,000 would cost the taxpayer approximately an additional \$96.00 a year or \$8.00 per month in 2018.

This is *Not* a new tax; this is a reauthorization of the state limited fire levy of \$1.50 per 1,000 AV.

Please *Vote Yes*; it’s a small price to pay for this critical funding measure.

Explanatory statement

Due to the failure of the Fire Benefit Charge in August, Maple Valley Fire & Life Safety, serving the citizens of the Greater

For questions about this measure, contact:
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Maple Valley area, is placing a multi-year lid lift proposition on the November 7, 2017 ballot. If approved, this proposition would authorize the property tax levy rate to remain at \$1.50 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation for 2018, coupled with maintaining the rate of \$1.50 per \$1000 of assessed valuation over the five subsequent years. The proposition is presented to allow voters to override the limitations imposed by Initiative 747, which would otherwise limit total property tax revenue to 1% over the previous year’s revenue, regardless of the authorized dollar rate limitation of \$1.50, which the voters approved in 2001.

State law now allows fire districts to propose multi-year lid lifts to voters. This proposition meets the requirements of Initiative 747, that any revenue increase greater than 1%, over the previous year, be approved by the voters. *This is a reauthorization of the district’s lawful funding level of \$1.50. The dollar amount of the levy in 2023 would be used to calculate future year’s levy amounts.*

Approval of this proposition would allow the District to maintain the current level of services. Rejection of this proposition would lead to the annual loss of at least 18% or \$1,672,623.66 of revenue. This loss of revenue would require significant cutbacks in critical services, closing station(s) and potential elimination of special services such as rescue teams.

Statement in opposition

No statement submitted.

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AN ORDINANCE providing for the submission to the qualified electors of King County at a special election to be held in King County on November 7, 2017, a proposition authorizing a property tax levy in excess of the levy limitations contained in chapter 84.55 RCW for a consecutive six-year period at a rate of not more than ten cents per one thousand dollars of assessed valuation in the first year, and limiting annual levy increases to three and one-half percent in the five succeeding years, all for the purpose of supporting veterans and military servicemembers and their respective families; seniors and their caregivers; and vulnerable populations in King County by funding capital facilities and regional health and human services to promote housing stability, healthy living, financial stability, social engagement and health and human services system improvements and system access; providing for limited mitigation of prorating of metropolitan park districts and fire districts levies to the extent the prorating was caused by this levy; directing proposal of a transition plan and an implementation plan for the veterans, seniors and human services levy; and directing proposal of an ordinance to create an oversight board or boards, contingent upon voter approval of the levy.

STATEMENT OF FACTS:

1. In 2005, the metropolitan King County council passed Ordinance 15279, placing a six-year veterans and human services levy on the ballot for a special election. King County residents voted for the veterans and human services levy with a nearly fifty-eight percent approval to fund services for veterans and their families, military personnel and their families and other individuals and families in need across King County. In 2011, the metropolitan King County council passed Ordinance 17072, placing a renewal of the veterans and human services levy on the ballot for a special election. King County residents voted for the renewal with a nearly sixty-nine percent approval rate.

2. Since the veterans and human services levy's 2011 renewal, the current veterans and human services levy has served more than one hundred and eighty-three thousand clients, more than thirty thousand of whom have been veterans, military personnel or their families.

3. The current veterans and human service levy's accomplishments in pursuit of its goal to reduce homelessness include: awarding levy proceeds to go towards building eight hundred fifty-seven units of affordable housing; gaining or maintaining housing for more than three thousand two hundred persons; reaching more than seven thousand one hundred clients through outreach and mobile services and then connecting them to housing, medical or behavioral health services; and convening a network of partners to house more than eight hundred fifty homeless veterans during a focused housing initiative in 2015.

4. The current veterans and human services levy's accomplishments in pursuit of its goal to reduce emergency medical and criminal justice system involvement include engaging more than three thousand eight hundred incarcerated or formerly incarcerated veterans, parents, or persons at high risk of recidivism with reentry case planning, supportive services or connections to housing or health care. A levy funded database and housing placement program for high utilizers of public services calculated that since 2012, supportive housing placements achieved estimated cost offsets of seven million dollars that otherwise would have been incurred to incarcerate or hospitalize the high utilizers who received housing.

5. The current veterans and human services levy's accomplishments in its goal to increase self-sufficiency for veterans, military personnel, their families and other individuals and families in need include the King County veterans program serving more than twelve thousand veterans and family members; screening more than twelve thousand seven hundred mothers for behavioral health conditions at integrated community health centers; providing civil legal case assessments for more than one thousand one hundred veterans, more than three hundred of which resulted in successful resolution and more than five hundred of which resulted in referrals to outside counsel and provision of more than fifteen thousand four hundred hours of posttraumatic stress disorder counseling to more than one thousand two hundred veterans or their spouses and children.

6. The current veterans and human services levy will expire at the end of 2017. In light of this levy's accomplishments for King County's residents and acknowledging the veterans and human services levy's importance to maintaining basic health and human services for veterans and vulnerable populations, the current levy's regional health and human services for King County's veterans and vulnerable populations merit continuation.

7. The veterans and human services levy has provided an increasingly large share of King County's funding for essential basic human services as the general fund's structural deficit reduces the portion of the general fund available to support human services.

8. Recognizing the changing landscape of regional veterans and human services needs and funding since the 2011 renewal of the veterans and human services levy, the metropolitan King County council directed the executive to produce two reports to inform deliberations about renewal of the current veterans and human services levy. Executive staff combined the findings of staff research and community input from thirty-four in-person engagement meetings and two online surveys, totaling seven hundred and forty-two responses in seven languages, to compose and present the reports. The metropolitan King County council approved the first report in Motion 14822 and accepted and approved the second report in Motion 14823. The reports provided information, analysis and recommendations to inform deliberations about a potentially renewed or replaced veterans and human services levy.

9. In addition to confirming the ongoing need to support the veterans and vulnerable populations eligible to receive support within the current veterans and human services levy, the report approved by the council in Motion 14822 provides evidence that some populations and issues not supported within the current veterans and human services levy now merit consideration for support from the replacement levy proposed in this ordinance. Those populations and issues include supporting seniors and their caregivers and healthy aging; supporting survivors of traumatic experiences that include sexual assault, domestic violence, human trafficking, including labor trafficking and sex trafficking, and commercial sexual exploitation as well as services to prevent those types of trauma; support for refugees and immigrants; support for low-income residents of rural communities and improved health and human services delivery in rural communities; support for civil legal services for persons with low income; and support for persons with disabilities and their caregivers.

10. From 2010 to 2015, the number of King County veterans living below the federal poverty level increased by forty-three percent to a total of eight thousand two hundred ninety-nine, even as the overall population of veterans in King County has fallen to an estimated 2015 level of one hundred twelve thousand eight hundred veterans.

11. Nationally, an average of twenty veterans commit suicide every day. On average, only six of the twenty veterans committing suicide every day are enrolled in U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs services. The remaining majority are not receiving federal veterans services.

12. As of January 2017, an estimated two thousand one hundred two veterans were homeless in King County. Despite a strong partnership with the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs, the Washington Department of Veterans Affairs and a network of local housing and service providers who together house an average of forty homeless veterans in King County per month, the number of homeless veterans increases by a net average monthly inflow of sixty-six newly homeless veterans. If sustained for a year, this monthly rate of growth would generate seven hundred and twenty newly homeless veterans per year.

13. Eight percent of King County residents live in rural communities. King County's rural residents consistently report difficulty in accessing the network of federal, state, county and philanthropically funded health and human services. Travelling to urban centers to seek services is difficult or impractical for many persons from rural communities who require health and human services.

14. At least fourteen thousand persons experience domestic violence each year in King County. Survivors of domestic violence experience disproportionately high rates of homelessness and experience an average

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of more than nineteen civil legal problems, more than twice the average experienced by the general low-income population.

15. Approximately three to five hundred youth are sexually exploited within King County each year. Commercial sexual exploitation of children remains a poorly understood yet urgent challenge for King County residents to confront.

16. More than one hundred thousand persons with physical, intellectual or developmental disabilities live in Washington. More than seventy percent of persons with a disability live with a family caregiver, and twenty-three percent of those family caregivers are aged sixty or older with an additional thirty-five percent aged forty-one or older.

17. Eighteen percent of King County residents are aged sixty or older, a number that will increase to twenty-five percent of the county population by 2040. As seniors make up an increasing percentage of King County's population, funding for senior services is not keeping pace. Funding through the federal Older Americans Act, as well as state and county funding for seniors, is falling. Philanthropic funding for seniors is also waning. The result is a trend toward reduced senior funding just as King County's population of seniors is increasing.

18. Seventy-eight percent of persons sixty or older have one or more chronic health conditions. Thirty-five percent are women living alone. Nine percent are living in poverty. Racial, ethnic and place-based disproportionalities unevenly distribute these conditions and risk factors across King County.

19. Elder abuse is a growing challenge. The King County prosecuting attorney's office reported more than seven thousand allegations of abuse and neglect of seniors in King County in 2015.

20. The responsibility to care for vulnerable seniors impacts all generations. One-third of today's King County residents who are sixty-five or older will need some form of long-term care service or support in the future. That work will in many cases require assistance from unpaid caregivers, including spouses, adult children and acquaintances.

21. Seniors, many of whose incomes are fixed, find it increasingly difficult to afford to live in the King County communities they helped nurture and build as housing costs increase dramatically.

22. Lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and queer seniors in King County are at extreme risk of the health-harming effects of social isolation and poverty, with nearly one quarter of lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and queer seniors in King County living below two hundred percent of the federal poverty level, forty-five percent living alone and sixty-eight percent reporting having experienced three or more incidents of victimization or discrimination.

23. Adults aged sixty-five and older comprised eighty percent of the more than two thousand people who were hospitalized for falls in King County between 2008 and 2012. The rate of death of seniors hospitalized for falls is more than seven times the county average. In 2015, more than fifteen percent of King County emergency medical services' call responses were for seniors who had fallen.

24. Actual and perceived social isolation are both associated with increased risk for premature death. The influence of social isolation on the risk of death is comparable with risk factors for mortality such as smoking. Social isolation's influence on risk of premature death exceeds that of physical inactivity and obesity. Adults seventy-five and older who are lonely, socially isolated and inactive have a mortality rate of fifty-three percent compared to a mortality rate of thirty percent among their age peers who are not lonely, inactive, or socially isolated.

25. Since its inception in 2006 and through its renewal in 2011, the veterans and human services levy has served hundreds of thousands of veterans, military personnel, their families and other individuals and families in need. In addition to the veterans and human services levy's achievements, changed conditions and newly emerging needs present additional opportunities to set the conditions for persons in King County to fulfill their potential. Given the levy's track record of success and the additional need within the community, it is appropriate to ask the voters to replace the current veterans and human services levy with the veterans,

seniors and human services levy provided for in this ordinance.

26. In 2010, the county adopted Ordinance 16857, establishing the King County Strategic Plan. In 2015, the county council passed Motion 14317 updating and revising King County's vision, mission, guiding principles and goals. Included within the county's goals are improving the health and well-being of all people in King County, increasing access to quality housing that is affordable to all, implementing alternatives to divert people from the criminal justice system and ensuring that county government operates efficiently and effectively and is accountable to the public. The county's guiding principles command that pursuit of the county goals should address the root causes of inequities to provide equal access for all; engage with partners, stakeholders and public and private organizations to achieve goals; align funding, policy and operational goals of King County government; and provide effective, efficient local governance and services to unincorporated areas.

27. In 2016, the council adopted implementation plans for the best starts for kids levy and the mental illness and drug dependency sales tax renewal. Both plans expressed the council's and the executive's intent to design, implement and evaluate strategies that are outcomes-oriented. It is the county's intent that the veterans, seniors and human services levy provided for in this ordinance, if approved by voters, shall have an outcomes orientation that appropriately aligns with the plans for the best starts for kids levy and the mental illness and drug dependency sales tax.

28. King County actively engages in equity and social justice efforts to eliminate racially and ethnically disparate health and human services outcomes in King County, and this priority shall guide the council and the executive in the process of designing, administering, and evaluating the policies and programs related to the veterans, seniors and human services levy, if approved by voters.

29. It is the intent of the county that over the course of the six-year levy the majority of levy proceeds expended to build capital facilities under authority of this ordinance shall be for very low-income households of which the total income is no higher than thirty percent of the median income level for the county as defined by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development or its successor agency. Specific very low-income threshold levels vary according to household size.

30. It is the intent of the county that the transition plan required in section 7.A. of this ordinance provide a mechanism to continue, without interruption, currently funded regional health and human services to veterans and military servicemembers and their respective families, and other persons in King County; to provide substantial investments in housing stability early in the levy term; and to engage in planning activities until the new implementation plan is adopted in accordance with section 7.B. of this ordinance.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

SECTION 1. Definitions. The definitions in this section apply throughout this ordinance unless the context clearly requires otherwise.

A. "Caregiver" means a person who, without pay, cares for or supervises another person who requires such care or supervision due to disability, chronic illness or, in the case of a senior, age-related decline. Government-provided benefits or financial assistance provided directly to a person for being a caregiver are not considered pay within this definition.

B. "Levy" means the levy of regular property taxes for the specific purposes and term provided in this ordinance and authorized by the electorate in accordance with state law.

C. "Levy proceeds" means the principal amount of moneys raised by the levy and any interest earnings on the moneys.

D. "Limit factor" for purposes of calculating the levy limitations in RCW 84.55.010, means one hundred three and one-half percent.

E. "Military servicemember" means a person who is serving as either an active duty or a reservist member of the U.S. Army, Navy, Marines, Air Force or Coast Guard, or in the National Guard.

F. "Regional health and human services" means a wide range of

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those services, programs, operations and capital facilities that promote outcomes relating to healthy living, housing stability, financial stability, social engagement, service system improvement and service system access to meet basic human needs and promote healthy living and communities including, but not limited to:

1. Those services, programs, operations and capital facilities that promote housing stability or that contribute to making homelessness rare, brief and one-time by creating housing, preserving or modifying existing housing or supporting persons in gaining or maintaining housing, including an assistance program to support persons who qualify for a property tax exemption under RCW 84.36.381;

2. Those health care and health promotion services, programs and operations that encourage healthy lifestyles and wellness, promote healthy aging, support recovery, improve physical and behavioral health for individuals and families, promote suicide prevention efforts, reduce unintentional injury and support survivors of domestic violence;

3. Those services, programs, operations and capital facilities that promote social engagement and community building such as senior centers for individuals and groups in culturally, geographically, economically or linguistically isolated communities and for others such as seniors experiencing or at risk of social isolation and its health-harming effects;

4. Those services and programs that promote financial stability or financial mobility, including access to, preparation for and assistance in gaining or maintaining employment, income, education and financial literacy, including an assistance program to support persons who qualify for a property tax exemption under RCW 84.36.381;

5. Those services and programs that promote equitable and affordable access to child care in King County, including but not limited to services and programs that promote equitable and affordable access to child care for families of veterans and military servicemembers;

6. Those services, programs, operations and capital facilities that promote and support diversion away from the criminal justice system, and services and programs that promote and support criminal justice system-linked services or other services that assist individuals, including children, youth and young adults, and their families, in preventing, mitigating or recovering from the effects of their involvement with the criminal justice system, including services that promote restorative justice or reentry to society after incarceration or detention, such as services aimed at supporting justice system-involved individuals to attain or retain housing;

7. Those services, programs, operations and capital facilities that improve or expand the delivery of health and human services, improve health and human services system access and navigability, reduce or prevent the disparate or traumatic effects of systems upon vulnerable populations, build the capacity and support the operations of health and human services providers to serve their clients and communities, including strategies to promote retention, recruitment and pay of high quality service providers and build the capacity of communities to partner with King County;

8. Those services, programs, operations and capital facilities that improve or expand the delivery of civil legal aid to vulnerable populations;

9. Those services and programs that promote, encourage and support employment opportunities for veterans and military servicemembers, including employment opportunities in King County government such as the veterans internship program, a version of which has also been known as the Vets 4 HIRE program, established by Ordinance 17450;

10. Those services and programs for incarcerated veterans and military servicemembers, including assessment and referral for substance abuse treatment, mental health counseling, transitional housing assistance and job referral and placement services such as those provided through the incarcerated veterans pilot program established under Motion 14632 and Motion 14766;

11. Those services, programs, operations and capital facilities that further a goal of allowing seniors to age in place and enjoy a high quality of life in their own homes;

12. Those services, programs, operations and capital facilities that improve and expand services for youth in crisis; and

13. Those services, programs, operations and capital facilities that provide education and work force development and training for vulnerable populations.

G. "Senior" means a person who is at least fifty-five years old.

H. "Technical assistance and capacity building" means assisting small organizations, partnerships and groups to enable such entities to provide regional health and human services and capital facilities funded by the levy proceeds. Assistance may include, but is not limited to, providing or funding legal, accounting, human resources and leadership development services and support.

I. "Veteran" means a person who has served as either an active duty or a reservist member of the U.S. Army, Navy, Marines, Air Force or Coast Guard, or in the National Guard.

J. "Vulnerable population" means persons or communities that are susceptible to reduced health, housing, financial or social stability outcomes because of current experience of or historical exposure to trauma, violence, poverty, isolation, bias, racism, stigma, discrimination, disability or chronic illness. Examples of vulnerable populations include, but are not limited to survivors of domestic violence; survivors of sexual assault; survivors of human trafficking, including labor trafficking and sex trafficking; survivors of commercial sexual exploitation; persons who identify as lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer or intersex; persons with a disability; African Americans and other persons of color who have been disproportionately impacted by policies and practices resulting in housing instability or housing insecurity; family caregivers for persons with a disability; immigrants and refugees; low-income residents of rural communities; persons living in poverty; persons at risk of or experiencing homelessness; youth involved in the child welfare system, including youth in the foster care system, and young adult alumni of the child welfare system; minors who have been separated from both parents and other relatives and are not being cared for by an adult who, by law or custom, is responsible for doing so; persons reentering society from criminal justice system involvement; and persons at risk of criminal justice system involvement due to disproportionate practices of enforcement, mental illness or substance use disorders.

SECTION 2. Levy submittal to the voters. To provide necessary moneys for the provision of regional health and human services to King County's veterans and military servicemembers and their respective families, seniors and their caregivers and vulnerable populations, technical assistance and capacity building, and for limiting the impact of this levy on metropolitan park districts and fire districts due to prorationing mandated under RCW 84.52.010, the county council shall submit to the qualified electors of the county a proposition to replace an expiring levy and authorize a regular property tax levy in excess of the levy limitation contained in chapter 84.55 RCW for six consecutive years, at a rate not to exceed ten cents per one thousand dollars of assessed value in the first year, 2017, and collections commencing in 2018, with annual increases in years two through six of the levy (2018 through 2022) limited by the limit factor.

SECTION 3. Deposit of levy proceeds. The levy proceeds shall be deposited in a special revenue fund, which fund shall be created by ordinance.

SECTION 4. Eligible expenditures.

A. If approved by the qualified electors of the county, at least one percent of each year's levy proceeds must be used to fund technical assistance and capacity building.

B. From the remaining levy proceeds after the amount required in subsection A. of this section, except for three hundred thousand dollars of each year's levy proceeds reserved for the purposes set forth in subsection C. of this section, all levy proceeds shall be divided into three

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equal parts and used for the following purposes:

1. One third of those levy proceeds shall be used to plan, provide, administer and evaluate a wide range of regional health and human services and capital facilities for veterans and military servicemembers and their respective families. In this levy's first year, at least fifty percent of the levy proceeds described in this subsection shall be used to fund those capital facilities and regional health and human services that promote housing stability for veterans and military servicemembers and their respective families. In subsequent years, at least twenty-five percent of the levy proceeds described in this subsection shall be used to fund those capital facilities and regional health and human services that promote housing stability for veterans and military servicemembers and their respective families. No more than five percent of the levy proceeds described in this subsection shall be used to fund the planning and administration of the wide range of regional health and human services and capital facilities to be provided under this subsection;

2. One third of those levy proceeds shall be used to plan, provide, administer and evaluate a wide range of regional health and human services and capital facilities for seniors and their caregivers and to promote healthy aging in King County. Until either (a) seventy-five percent of the number of those seniors, who are also veterans or military servicemembers in King County and who as of the enactment date of this ordinance are homeless, obtain housing or (b) a total of twenty-four million dollars from the levy proceeds, except those levy proceeds described in subsection B.1. of this section, or from other funds administered by King County or both are spent to house seniors who are also veterans or military servicemembers in King County, whichever comes first, at least fifty percent of the levy proceeds described in this subsection shall be used to fund capital facilities and regional health and human services for seniors who are also veterans or military servicemembers and their respective caregivers and families. In this levy's first year, at least fifty percent of the levy proceeds described in this subsection shall be used to fund those capital facilities and regional health and human services that promote housing stability for seniors. In subsequent years, at least twenty-five percent of the levy proceeds described in this subsection shall be used to fund those capital facilities and regional health and human services that promote housing stability for seniors. No more than five percent of the levy proceeds described in this subsection shall be used to fund the planning and administration of the wide range of regional health and human services and capital facilities to be provided under this subsection; and

3. One third of those levy proceeds shall be used to plan, provide, administer and evaluate a wide range of regional health and human services and capital facilities for vulnerable populations. In this levy's first year, at least fifty percent of the levy proceeds described in this subsection shall be used to fund those capital facilities and regional health and human services that promote housing stability for vulnerable populations. In subsequent years, at least twenty-five percent of the levy proceeds described in this subsection shall be used to fund those capital facilities and regional health and human services that promote housing stability for vulnerable populations. No more than five percent of the levy proceeds described in this subsection shall be used to fund the planning and administration of the wide range of regional health and human services and capital facilities to be provided under this subsection.

C.1. Of the levy proceeds annually reserved in subsection B. of this section, the council may by ordinance authorize the expenditure of those levy proceeds to mitigate the levy's impact on metropolitan park districts and fire districts to the extent their levies may be prorated as mandated by RCW 84.52.010 and to the extent the prorating was caused by this levy. Metropolitan park districts and fire districts shall use any moneys received under authority of this subsection C. to fund, within their districts, regional health and human services for veterans and military servicemembers and their respective families, seniors and their caregivers and vulnerable populations.

2. Unless the council by ordinance otherwise directs, reserved levy proceeds not expended as authorized in subsection C.1. of this

section shall be, no earlier than June 1, 2023, divided in thirds and one third expended for each of the purposes set forth in subsection B.1. through 3. of this section.

SECTION 5. Call for special election. In accordance with RCW 29A.04.321, the King County council hereby calls for a special election to be held in conjunction with the general election on November 7, 2017, to consider a proposition authorizing a regular property tax levy for the purposes described in this ordinance. The King County director of elections shall cause notice to be given of this ordinance in accordance with the state constitution and general law and to submit to the qualified electors of the county, at the said special county election, the proposition hereinafter set forth. The clerk of the council shall certify that proposition to the director of elections in substantially the following form, with such additions, deletions or modifications as may be required for the proposition listed below by the prosecuting attorney:

PROPOSITION___; The King County Council has passed Ordinance _____ concerning funding for veterans, seniors and vulnerable populations. If approved, this proposition would replace an expiring levy and fund capital facilities and regional health and human services for veterans and military servicemembers and their respective families, seniors and their caregivers, and vulnerable populations, including domestic violence survivors and persons with disabilities. It would authorize King County to levy an additional property tax for six years, beginning in 2017, and collections commencing in 2018, with annual increases in years two through six of the levy (2018 through 2022) of up to 3.5%.

Should this proposition be:

Approved? _____

Rejected? _____

SECTION 6. Governance.

A. No later than August 23, 2017, the executive shall develop and transmit a plan for council review and adoption by ordinance to create and prescribe the composition and duties of a board or boards to provide oversight of the expenditure of the levy proceeds described in section 4.A. and B. of this ordinance. The creation of the board or boards shall be contingent upon voter approval of the ballot proposition described in section 5 of this ordinance.

B. The board or boards shall be charged to oversee the distribution of levy proceeds consistent with section 4.A. and B. of this ordinance and to report annually to the executive and council on the fiscal and performance management of the levy. The plan may describe additional matters on which the board or boards are empowered to provide advice to the executive and county council.

SECTION 7. Implementation planning.

A. No later than September 29, 2017, the executive shall transmit for council review and adoption by ordinance a proposed transition plan for the veterans, seniors and human services levy. Contingent upon voter approval of the ballot proposition described in section 5 of this ordinance, a transition plan, for spending of levy proceeds in 2018 or later years as authorized under this ordinance, should address the following elements:

1. A recommended course of action that would minimize service discontinuity for veterans and military servicemembers and their respective families and other individuals and families in need during the transition between the veterans and human services levy and the veterans, seniors and human services levy;

2. Any proposed new staffing and planning activities required to plan for and administer the veterans, seniors and human services levy during the transition period, and prior to the adoption of the implementation plan required in subsection B. of this section;

3. A plan for the portion of veterans, seniors and human services first-year levy proceeds required in section 4.B.1. through 3. of this ordinance to fund those capital facilities and regional and human services that promote housing stability for veterans, seniors and vulnerable populations. The executive shall develop and include a definition of housing stability that shall address but not be limited to: the

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appropriate percentage that housing costs should represent of a person's income as compared to costs of other necessities, such as food, clothing, transportation and medical care; risk factors for housing instability or housing insecurity; and housing safety and quality. The transition plan shall include and utilize criteria that address geographic differences and trends in housing stability, including housing costs, to assess the need for and to allocate housing stability investments. The transition plan shall include a process to streamline the review and approval of capital facilities designed to promote housing stability for veterans, servicemembers and their respective families, seniors and vulnerable populations so that resources are made available in an expeditious and responsible manner while also reducing administrative costs;

4. A methodology to determine the number of seniors who are also veterans or military servicemembers and who are homeless as of the date of the enactment of this ordinance and to track the number of veterans and military servicemembers who obtain housing over the term of this levy and the plan to implement that methodology and tracking; and

5. Definitions of planning and administration as those terms are used in section 4.B.1., 2. and 3. of this ordinance and the percentage of levy proceeds by each of the three equal parts as described in section 4.B. of this ordinance that will be used to perform these activities.

B. Contingent upon voter approval of the ballot proposition described in section 5 of this ordinance and no later than March 16, 2018, the executive shall transmit an implementation plan for the veterans, seniors and human services levy for council review and adoption by ordinance. The implementation plan shall describe the expenditure of levy proceeds to achieve outcomes related to healthy living, housing stability, financial stability, social engagement, service system improvement and service system access for veterans and military servicemembers and their respective families, seniors and their caregivers and vulnerable populations, consistent with the eligible expenditures described in section 4 of this ordinance. This plan shall include definitions of planning and administration as those terms are used in section 4.B.1., 2. and 3. of this ordinance and the percentage of levy proceeds by each of the three equal parts as described in section 4.B. of this ordinance that will be used to perform these activities. The definitions and percentages may be refined from the definitions and percentages included in the transition plan required in subsection A. of this section. This plan shall include a definition of housing stability for the purposes of expenditures of levy proceeds that shall address but not be limited to: the appropriate percentage that housing costs should represent of a person's income as compared to costs of other necessities, such as food, clothing, transportation and medical care; risk factors for housing instability or housing insecurity; and housing safety and quality. The definition may be refined from the definition included in the transition plan required in subsection A. of this section. The implementation plan shall include and utilize criteria that address geographic differences and trends in housing stability, including housing costs, to assess the need for and to allocate housing stability investments. The plan shall include identification of services, programs, operations and capital facilities that build the capacity and support the operations of health and human services providers to serve their clients and communities, including strategies to promote retention, recruitment and pay of high quality service providers. The plan shall also identify and describe: accountability measures, including measurable outcomes or results expected for each of the three populations, which are veterans, seniors and vulnerable populations, across each of the five outcome areas, which are healthy living, housing stability, financial stability, social engagement, service system improvement and service system access, due to the expenditure of levy proceeds; a regular performance monitoring program that will assess and report on how well the veterans, seniors and human services levy is achieving those outcomes; and how this veterans, seniors and human services levy program-specific performance monitoring and reporting will be coordinated with performance monitoring and reporting on other dedicated human service funds, such as the best starts for kids fund and the mental illness and drug dependency fund. Among the accountability

measures shall be the goal of housing seventy-five percent of the number of those seniors, who are also veterans or military servicemembers in King County and who as of the date this ordinance is enacted are homeless, obtain housing. The plan shall also include the methodology of how the number of seniors, who are also veterans or military servicemembers and who were homeless as of the date of the enactment of this ordinance was determined and the methodology to track the number of veterans and military servicemembers who obtain housing over the term of this levy. The plan shall also provide for the implementation of the tracking. The methodology and plan may be refined from those included in the transition plan required in subsection A. of this section. The plan should describe how performance monitoring and reporting will focus on results and not simply on numbers served.

C. Until the council adopts by ordinance the transition plan referenced in subsection A. of this section, subject to appropriation, levy proceeds may only be expended to continue services provided in 2017 at 2017 service levels and such expenditures shall be governed by the Service Improvement Plan 2012-2017 - Veterans and Human Services Levy adopted by Ordinance 17236. No levy proceeds may be expended for new regional health and human services or capital facilities until the council adopts by ordinance the transition plan referenced in subsection A. of this section. Until the council adopts by ordinance the implementation plan referenced in subsection B. of this section, the transition plan, adopted under subsection A. of this section, shall govern the expenditure of levy proceeds. After adoption of the implementation plan, it shall govern the expenditure of levy proceeds and the transition plan shall no longer have force or effect.

SECTION 8. The additional regular property taxes authorized by this ordinance shall be included in any real property tax exemption authorized by RCW 84.36.381, including any amendment that is adopted by the state legislature during the term of this levy.

SECTION 9. Ratification. Certification of the proposition by the clerk of the county council to the director of elections in accordance with law before the general election on November 7, 2017, and any other act consistent with the authority and before the effective date of this ordinance are hereby ratified and confirmed.

SECTION 10. The plans specified in sections 6 and 7 of this ordinance are countywide plans included in the work plan of the regional policy committee and as part of the council review shall be referred to the regional policy committee in accordance with Section 270.30 of the King County Charter and K.C.C. 1.24.065.D.2.

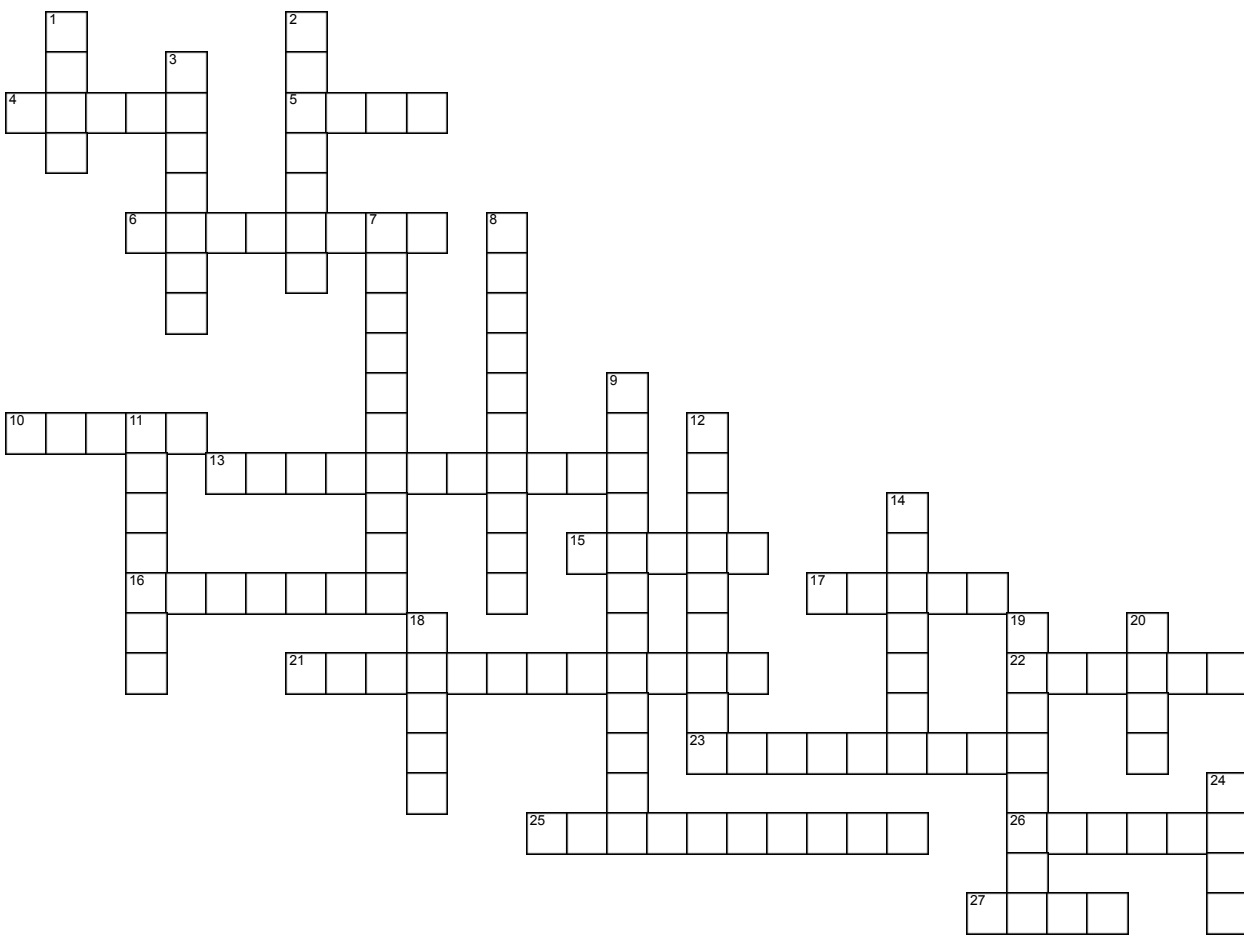
SECTION 11. Severability. If any provision of this ordinance or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of the ordinance or the application of the provision to other persons or circumstances is not affected.

Ordinance 18555 was introduced on 5/22/2017 and passed by the Metropolitan King County Council on 7/20/2017, by the following vote:

Yes: 9 - Mr. von Reichbauer, Mr. Gossett, Ms. Lambert, Mr. Dunn, Mr. McDermott, Mr. Dembowski, Mr. Upthegrove, Ms. Kohl-Welles and Ms. Balducci

No: 0

Excused: 0



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4. You must use a first class _____ to mail back your ballot.
5. You must _____ your return envelope before returning your ballot.
6. Voters in the _____ and voters living in other countries have their ballots mailed to them earlier than other voters.
10. Works with the city council to enact legislation and runs the day-to-day business of the city government.
13. Stay connected with King County Elections with Instagram, Facebook, Twitter, Snapchat and our blog at www._____.com.
15. You can _____ the progress of your ballot on the King County Elections website.
16. If you receive a call, email or letter from King County Elections, make sure to respond quickly so that your ballot can be _____.
17. You can register to vote at our Voter Registration _____ in downtown Seattle.
21. You should update this whenever you move, change your name or your signature has changed.
22. Overseas and service voters can access their ballot _____.
23. King County Elections staff look at the _____ on every ballot to make sure it was voted by the voter.
25. Ballots returned through the U.S. Postal Service must be _____ by Election Day.

26. Your _____ should arrive by October 23rd.
27. Ballot _____ boxes for this election are open 24 hours beginning on October 19th and close at 8 p.m. on Election Day.

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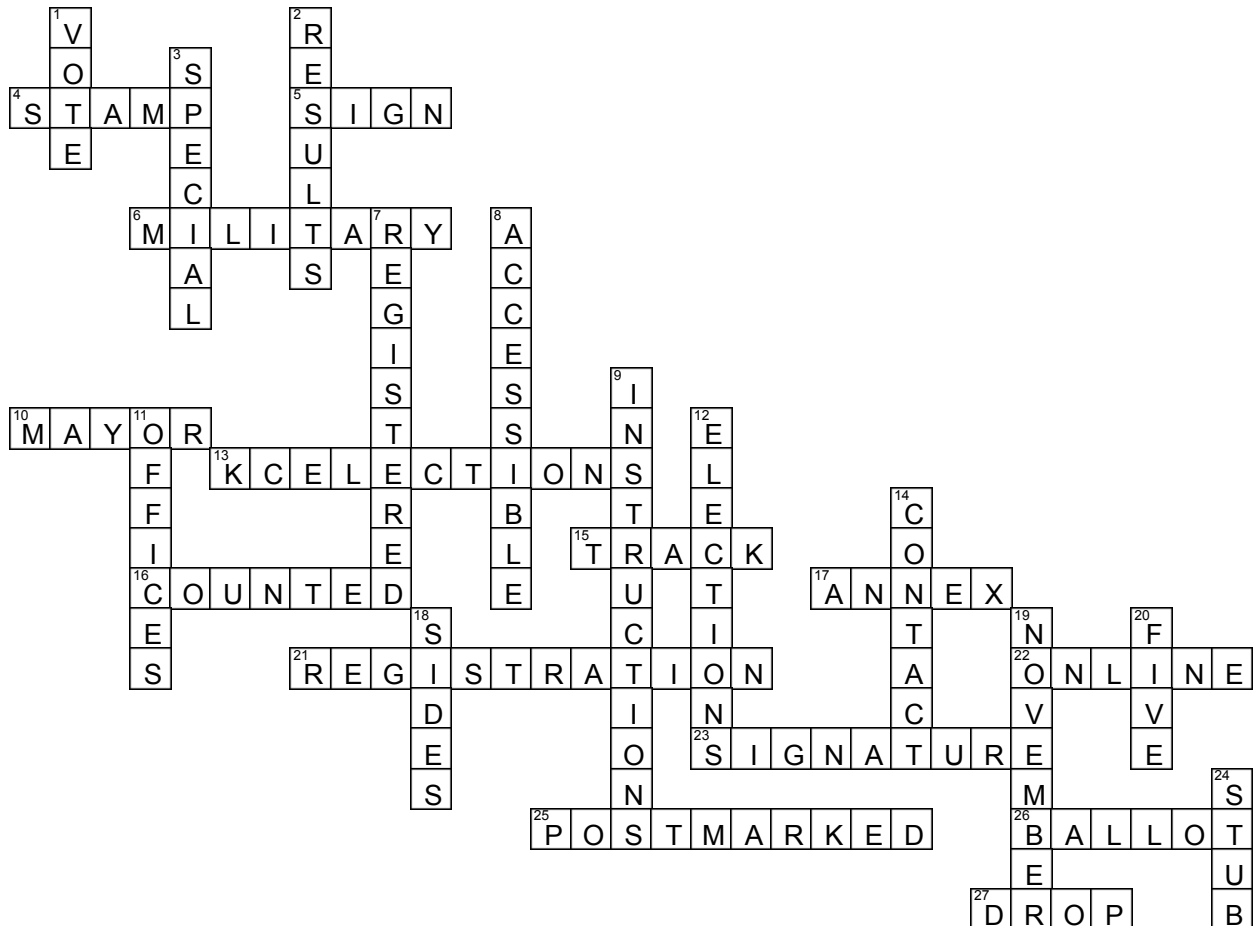
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2. _____ are posted at 8:15 p.m. on Election Day and updated daily until the election is certified.
3. A fire district is a _____ purpose district.
7. King County has over 1.24 million _____ voters.
8. Voters who may need assistance completing their ballot can vote at one of the _____ voting centers.
9. You should always read these before marking your ballot.
11. There were 334 _____ up for election this year.
12. You can find the closest ballot drop box to you online at kingcounty.gov/_____.
14. If you do not receive your ballot, you can _____ King County Elections to request a new one.
18. Remember to vote both _____ of your ballot.
19. Election Day is _____ 7th.
20. King County Elections provides voting materials in _____ different languages.
24. Remove the _____ at the top of the ballot and keep the "I voted!" portion or recycle it.

Results will be posted by 8:15 p.m. on election night, November 7 on our website:

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Test your elections knowledge answers



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