

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

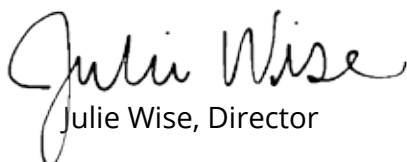
Dear Friends,

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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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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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
Kirkland	Kingsgate Library, 12315 NE 143rd St, 98034 Kirkland City Hall, 123 5th Ave, 98033
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.

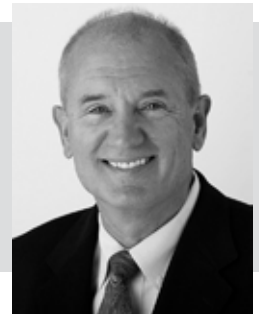
The Municipal League rated me "Outstanding" – the only top rating in this race. I have been endorsed by leaders from both political parties as well as the 31st, 43rd and 48th District Democrats, and the National Women's Political Caucus.

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. 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.

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grammar, or fact
check candidate and
measure statements.

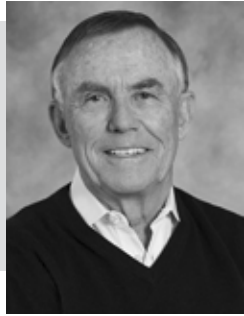


Council District No. 7

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Education: No information submitted.

Occupation: No information submitted.

Statement: Ser-vice

As a child growing up in the Puget Sound area Pete learned about "giving back" from his parents.

When Pete returned to the Pacific Northwest after college and serving our country in the U.S. Army, he immediately got involved in our community.

Pete is a founding board member of St. Francis Hospital and the Auburn/Federal Way Boys and Girls Club. He is also past president of the Federal Way Kiwanis Club. In 2015 Pete received the "Public Official of the Year" award from the Municipal League of King County.

Service to others runs deep in Pete's life, and he understands the importance of being there when times are tough for his friends and neighbors.

Pete has a long history of bringing service to South King County. As a King County Councilmember, Pete has promoted housing and support services for groups which help transitional families achieve self-sufficiency. He's helped obtain vans to assist senior citizens, delivered special grants for sports teams in our community, and promoted job growth and job retention in South King County.

Pete has been there for us.

Pete understands that service begins in the community!

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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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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Education: Loeb Fellow, Harvard University; MA, Architecture, University of Washington; BA, Government, Bowdoin College

Occupation: Steinbrueck Urban Strategies; Architect, Community Planner, former Seattle City Councilmember

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!

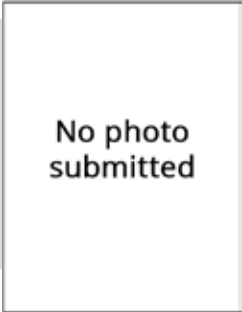
I will open wide the Port's doors to transparency, insist on strictest ethics and full accountability. No more illegal pay raises and hiring blunders! I will bring my business savvy and experienced, ethical leadership to the job. I'll prioritize improving relations with neighboring communities, small 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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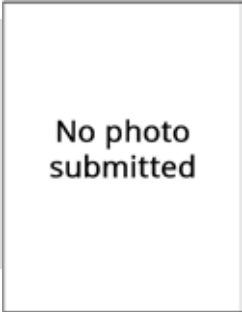
Statement: My name is Lynda L. Osborn, I have lived in Algona for 50 plus years and at one time was City Treasurer, and now am serving on the City Council for the last 12 years. Also as Council member I serve on the Valley Regional Fire Authority and am Chairman of the Finance Committee.

I would appreciate your vote in November.

Council Position No. 4

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Occupation: No information submitted.

Statement: My family and I have enjoyed living in the city of Algona since 2000. I am seeking reelection so I can serve the residents and continue to drive legislation that matters. I have been involved in local city government since 2006; first as a Planning Commissioner and now as a City Council member. I have also been involved in King County programs such as the Domestic Violence initiative task force, and the King County Flood Control District. In the community I am a board member for the Auburn YMCA and I support Nexus youths and families which is an organization to help at risk and homeless youths. The council approved a new community center and I see a bright future for our youths in Algona. I will use my experience and my position as a City Council member to promote positive change and help the city to become stronger.

Mayor

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Education: Graduate, Auburn High School; A.A. Business, Green River College; and B.S. Accounting, City University

Occupation: Mayor, City of Auburn

Statement: Proudly endorsed by: Valley Professional Firefighters; MLKC Labor Council, Master Builders Association; IAM #751; Teamsters #117, Seattle/KC Realtors; Washington Conservation Voters; 47th District Democrats; UA Plumbers & Pipefitters #32, your local Police Officers; Community leaders and business owners.

As your mayor, I've championed living-wage job creation and partnered with Auburn businesses helping them thrive, meaning hundreds of new businesses. Two of our largest employers have expanded: Boeing and MultiCare – that's more jobs for Auburn!

As a *strong, experienced leader*, I'll continue working for you - *protecting* taxpayer dollars & improving Auburn's quality of life - investments in public safety, transportation and neighborhoods. During my term, we'll have hired 14 additional police officers. I've secured grant funding - reducing congestion and improving our roadways. I'll continue enriching our neighborhoods, improving our parks and increasing opportunities for families.

I'm asking for your vote because together we'll continue Auburn's progress and success!

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Education: BA, WSU-Education; MA, UPS-Administration; Doctorate, SU-Business and Leadership; Post Doctoral, Columbia University

Occupation: Deputy Mayor of the City of Auburn

Statement:

I have walked Auburn's neighborhoods since April and have heard your concerns. I have heard you talk about taxes and my opponent's vote on ST3 that raised your property taxes, license tab fees, sales taxes and gas taxes. I question my opponent's decision to add a \$20 car tab fee and \$400,000 contribution for a Tacoma Hospital. It is my responsibility to make sure you are advocated for, not just taxed.

You have said your neighborhoods, parks and our public library are not safe. We are in crisis with homelessness, mental health and crime. My pledge to you is to help those "in need," not those who want a free ride.

We need a new vision of moving Auburn forward and with the endorsement of 5 of our 7 Council Members we can get the job done.

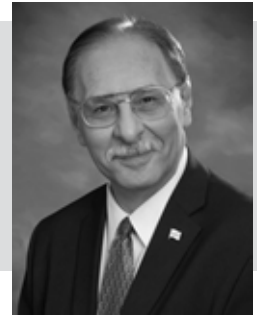
I am asking for your vote, for Mayor of Auburn.

Council Position No. 2

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Occupation: Former Director of Construction (Retired) King County Housing Authority

Statement: My focus for Auburn: *Homelessness* – We need greater attention on the impact to our community. We can and will work together to address this issue. *Public Safety*- I will work to continue to improve our neighborhoods. *Roads and Infrastructure* – We can put more dollars in our streets without raising taxes. We can adjust the city budget to allow more projects to be completed within the limits of staff capacity. *Economic Development* – I will continue to encourage a dynamic economic development approach to support our existing businesses and to bring new businesses to Auburn. We will fill the vacant storefronts.

Thank you for allowing me to be your Servant Leader these past four years. I will continue to put *Auburn First* as your councilmember.

Your Servant Leader - I Work for You!

The Time is Now to Plan For Tomorrow!

I greatly appreciate and ask for your vote.

Council Position No. 4

Yolanda C. Trout

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Education: Walla Walla College with an Early Learning Degree

Occupation: Previously a small business owner/ now Auburn City Council

Statement: My vision for Auburn is to ensure that all citizens have an equal opportunity to be heard and served. I share the same concerns; economic development, family wage jobs, homelessness, safe neighborhoods and parks, education, crime and improved our roads. I want to make our city the best it can be, not just talk about it. I have a history of getting things done locally and statewide. I have a reputation as a hard worker, a relentless advocate for education, safer neighborhoods. These are my strongest attribute I can offer as a city council member. Serving on several committees and Chair of the Human Service I've learned the importance of transparency, a compassionate listener, positive decision maker and independent leader with a positive vision for the City of Auburn. I pledge that I will work diligently to meet these goals and be a responsible steward of our city budget.

Council Position No. 6

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Education: Bachelor of Arts at the National Labor College

Occupation: Legislative Director, Aerospace Machinists Union 751

Statement: I'm running for City Council to create jobs. I've done it. I was a leader in the decade long battle to win the right to build the US Air Force air refueling tanker, providing hundreds of jobs right here in Auburn. If we can build the finest airplanes in the world there is no reason why we can't build a better Auburn.

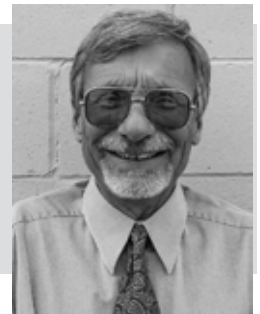
After serving in the Navy, my wife Donna and I moved to Auburn. We've lived here for nearly 40 years and raised our children and grandchildren here. I've served on the Green River College board, Communities in Schools of Auburn, Governors Unemployment Task Force and the Boeing Air Field Advisory Board.

Endorsed by: Senator Maria Cantwell, Congressman Adam Smith, King County Executive Dow Constantine, King County Sheriff John Urquhart, Auburn Mayor Nancy Backus, former Mayor Pete Lewis, King County Labor Council, King County Democrats, UFCW Local 21.

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Education: AAS Park Management AAS Water Quality Business Management and Supervision Certificate at Green River College

Occupation: Director of Retail Services with Auburn Valley Humane Society

Statement: I am a member of this community, the great city of Auburn. I feel that is important to only receive endorsements and backing for my campaign locally, I do not wish to be obligated to anyone but the people of Auburn. I will focus all of my time and energy to bettering the comfort and financial stability of my neighbors and the local businesses who fund our city. I refuse to be tethered to the whims of an out of area special interest political group.

Mayor

Carol Benson

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Education: University of Washington, Bellevue College

Occupation: Retired Chief Financial Officer in the Development Industry

Statement: Mayor Carol Benson has been a resident of the Black Diamond Community for 38 years and has also served on the Black Diamond City Council. She has worked hard to stabilize the city's finances and operate within the constraints of a responsible, balanced budget. It is important to make sure that city residents and future generations will feel safe in our special and historic rural community. Mayor Benson is working hard to make sure that developers are accountable for their commitments, and that any future growth in Black Diamond will not harm our natural environment or be a financial burden to current residents.

Special interest groups from outside our community have brought unnecessary conflict to our City and City Council meetings in the last year. Mayor Benson will continue to stay the course and always put the needs and wishes of Black Diamond citizens first.

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Education: AAA Degree in Medical Office Administration, Green River College.

Occupation: Former Nuclear Power Plant Fire Watch Inspector; Electronic Manufacturing Technician.

Statement: The choice for Black Diamond is clear: elect a positive new Mayor who will restore respect for our city, or, continue an Administration that reigns over a chaotic city hall.

As your new Mayor, I will direct city staff to work collaboratively with the Council and all of the public. Obstruction of the Council must stop as we restore respect for the Council's authority.

Together, we will truly reform city hall. We will stop wasteful contracts and overspending so that we can reduce taxes and fees. We will confront our challenges, not pretend that they don't exist.

We will support sensible growth. Small builders and businesses will be welcome. Large developers will be held accountable for their obligations to pay their own way and protect our environment.

The future of Black Diamond is bright. A new Mayor and a new Council will put our city back on the right path.

Council Position No. 2

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Education: Tahoma High School, Green River Community College

Occupation: 12 Years Orthodontic Assistance

Statement: I was born and raised in Maple Valley. My husband and I along with our three children moved to this fantastic community in 2006. I've had the pleasure of volunteering in our community, while learning of the rich history of Black Diamond along the way.

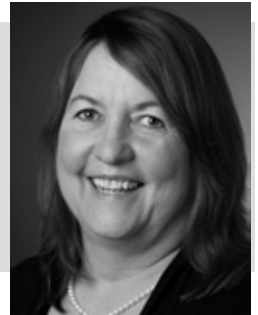
It is crucial for Black Diamond to obtain a trusting and professional relationship between our citizens and their elected officials. I will preserve and protect our historical values and build a responsible governance that our residents can count on and be proud of. I will strive to be informed and involved in our future growth. This community deserves *respectful representation*.

I promise to do my best, while working hard to bring back and uphold the values our community deserves and I would be honored to represent you as your next city council member!

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Education: Lifelong continuing coursework in computer programming, math and music. Dean's List Pierce College.

Occupation: Former Software Engineer, Publisher, Electronics Manufacturing. Currently Real Estate Broker.

Statement: We must restore respect for our City Council.

As your representative, I will step up to a Councilmember's duty to develop and adopt laws and policies. Our Council is our city's governing body, not a rubber stamp for bureaucracies or special interests.

We need to manage and control growth better. My experience in the west coast real estate industry tells me that Black Diamond is at risk of making the same mistakes that brought traffic gridlock and fiscal problems to other communities.

The massive Yarrow Bay/Crown Development projects will require dozens of permits and renewals over the coming years. The developers will likely request variances and revisions. We must ensure that we don't make a very challenging development even more problematic.

A good Councilmember combines wisdom and strength with courtesy and a sense of humor. Let's bring our community together, not by stifling dissent, but with listening and positive engagement.

Council Position No. 4

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Statement: Corporate development interests are challenging our quality of life in Black Diamond and pitting neighbor against neighbor.

Most residents know that a large fast growing Black Diamond is not positive change. Black Diamond is a unique and historic town, surrounded by a beautiful landscape. Growth needs to be managed to ensure there are no negative effects on current residents, families and businesses. Our environmental standards must be strong and fairly enforced.

Spending and contracting need to be brought under control. Balancing the budget on the backs of taxpayers and ratepayers is not acceptable. Developers should not be subsidized by taxpayers.

We need new leadership that respects the role of the City Council. Our system of checks and balances needs to be restored. Our family is committed to our Rural Town's quality of life. I would be honored to represent you on the Council and appreciate your vote. Thank you.

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Education: Renton Technical College, Practical Nurse Program

Occupation: Licensed Practical Nurse (Retired), Community and Church Volunteer

Statement: This is a challenging time for Black Diamond citizens. Having visited with hundreds of residents during my campaign, I learned that folks want effective city government and have concerns about development, as do I.

I am studying the issues, will meet with city staff, and work collaboratively with the mayor and council members to get the work of the city done. We can pull together to address our current and future issues, fulfill our obligations, and ensure public safety.

I will bring *civility, cooperation, and calm* to our City Council. I will keep my community interactions positive.

I'm deeply connected to Black Diamond because of my grandmother's roots here. My husband of 38 years, James, and I have raised our children here since 1994. We are proud grandparents, retired nurses, and active church members. James is a U.S. Coast Guard Veteran and our son is a U.S. Marine Corps Veteran.

Council Position No. 2

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Occupation: Senior Project Manager at Pacific Biomarkers for 15 years

Statement: Jennifer has been a resident of Covington since 2004. She lives here with her husband and children, who attend public schools in Kent School District. Jennifer is a seasoned community volunteer and has served in many leadership positions on the boards of local PTAs and other non-profits, has served on the Citizen's Budget Review Committee and Family Engagement Task Force for Kent School District, has served as Chair of the City's Parks & Recreation Priority Advisory Committee and serves on the City of Covington's Arts Commission. In addition, Jennifer enjoys volunteering her time and skills to support her children's sport groups, church activities, and various community organizations and causes.

Jennifer is passionate about community engagement and is excited to bring her integrity and critical thinking skills to the Council.

Endorsed by State Senator Joe Fain and State Representative Pat Sullivan

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Education: Kent-Meridian High School, GRCC, University of Washington, Bachelor's Degree in Economics

Occupation: Semi-Retired Entrepreneur, Fleet Service Manager, Property Manager, Writer

Statement: Both former Teamster and employer, neither partisan or ideologue, my diverse background will bring balance and pragmatism to the Council. Tax revenues are up 43% since 2009, and our Council is raising taxes, binge spending and obligating uncertain future revenues. As in 2010, payments won't stop when revenues fall, and your taxes will be targeted again. I don't want to break the budget, just tap the brakes. My opponent voted to scrub the word *tax* from tax proposals, supported the botched \$3000 no-bid skate park mural, \$18,000 art tax expenditure, 15% artist kickback, and is endorsed by the Council that taxed your license tabs after voters rejected a sales tax increase for the Transportation Benefit District. I won't. I'll propose a smaller 5 seat City Council elected in *even* years when up to 80% vote, spending caps, larger budget reserves, no RTA, no B&O tax, and *I won't seek reelection.*

Council Position No. 4

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Education: AA from Highline College

Occupation: Warehouse Associate

Statement: I am seeking reelection to the City Council to continue the work you sent me there to do four years ago. I'll continue to push for new parks, better roads, safer neighborhoods and continued assistance for our police officers.

It has been a pleasure to serve you on the council these last four years. During that time we have had our credit score raised, added police officers, begun the process to expand 272nd, approved the plans for the Lakepointe development, and seen a hospital built in our downtown. Covington is a robust and growing community, and I look forward to ensuring this growth continues. I am proud to announce I have received the endorsements of Covington Mayor Jeff Wagner, Maple Valley Mayor Sean Kelly, Sen. Joe Fain 47thLD, and former Covington Councilmembers Jim Scott and Wayne Snoey. To see a full list of my endorsements please visit facebook.com/cimaomo4covingtoncitycouncil.

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Education: No information submitted.

Occupation: Information Technology, Small Business Owner

Statement: My belief is that common sense is not too common. Covington is a growing community with new and old issues including traffic, road repair, the need for more police officers. Additionally the need for more programs for parks and recreation for our kids and grown ups.

In the future we have development coming including the Lake Pointe Urban Village, the Maple Hills 242 lot subdivision, Rainier Vista 145 lot subdivision, Multicare's new hospital, and the future Town Center.

I currently serve on 2 Kent School District advisory committees (12 years) and am a former member of the Covington Economic Development Council of which I was a co-chair 2 times. Additionally have served on the Puget Sound Regional Economic Development Council. I served as a board member of the Covington Chamber of Commerce.

I look forward to serving on the Covington City Council and would really appreciate your vote! Thank You!

Council Position No. 6

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Education: Masters in Human Resources Management, Chapman University, Masters in Nursing, Pacific Lutheran University

Occupation: Nurse Practitioner, Retired Military, Small Business Owner

Statement: My careers in public health, military medicine and business have given me insight into the needs of people as well as the communities in which they reside. As an involved citizen, I served on the Covington Human Services Commission for 8 years-Chairman 3 years, am a Kiwanis member and represent the city on the South King Multicare Board. Since my appointment to City Council, I have gained a greater understanding of the need for improved transportation infrastructure, controlled growth and expansion and public safety. I represent Covington on the Sound Cities Association Public Issues Committee and previously on the South County Area Transportation Board. My desire to promote the city's needs by progressive, yet judicious, decision-making goes hand in hand with our goal "Growing Toward Greatness." I ask for your support to continue serving the residents of Covington.

Council Position No. 1

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Education: Bachelor of Science in Business Administration / Finance from Central Washington University.

Occupation: Information Technology Consultant, CISSP, CEH

Statement: As a nearly life-long resident of Des Moines, I have a history of bringing community and government together to solve challenging issues. Twice you have honored me with your vote to put those skills to good use.

As your City Council member and Mayor, I have helped lead the way to prioritizing key government services, particularly ensuring community safety. Under my leadership, we have worked hard to provide long-term financial stability to the City.

My focus remains on the city's revitalization. When re-elected, I will continue to partner with citizens, community groups and businesses to understand and listen to concerns, providing your input during the decision making process. We must continue to move forward together, improving the city's business climate, while being sensitive to the needs and desires of its citizens.

I again ask for the honor of your vote, so we can continue to revitalize our wonderful waterfront city.

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Education: Mt. Rainier High School, Highline Community College, The Evergreen State College (studied Environmental Science)

Occupation: Writer

Statement: Des Moines is a great city that I've been a proud resident of since I was 11. That being said, I believe strongly that with a fresh set of ideas and a forward-thinking approach, we can become even greater. This is why I'm running for city council; to help revitalize and improve our city.

As a father, I consider myself lucky to live in Des Moines, and to be able to raise my kids in such a wonderful community. However, we can do more to improve the lives of residents, making it both a safer and more enjoyable place to live: This includes increasing police funding, establishing a community center, expanding Parks, Recreations and Senior Services, enhancing the business climate, making Marina parking free for those who live in Des Moines, and raising the minimum wage.

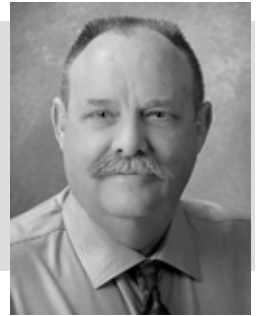
I'm endorsed by the King County Labor Council, King County Democrats, and many others.

Council Position No. 3

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Education: Escuela Preparatoria Mt. Rainier / Colegio Universitario Highline / Colegio Técnico Bates / Columbia Southern University

Occupation: Assistant Fire Chief; 43 years serving; Des Moines/Normandy Park/Federal Way

Statement: When I ran for City Council in 2013, I talked with many of you about our community. You told *me* you wanted: a safer community; financially solvent city; expanded and quality economic opportunities; road paving; enhanced quality of life; and to keep our small town feel. And I told *you* that I would make the hard decisions.

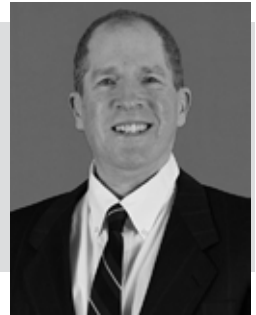
As Deputy Mayor, and part of your leadership team, we stopped the downward spiral of the City. Today, our City is solvent and our outlook is healthy.

I'm not here to build a political resume so I can move on to a higher office. I'm running to continue the vitally important work of maintaining Des Moines' sustainable and long-term health. We build now so that future councils, city leaders and citizens will not be in the same difficult situation. I hope that I've earned your trust, and humbly ask again for your vote.

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Education: BA Music Wayne State University, MS Computer Science University of Michigan

Occupation: Musician, Web Designer

Statement: If elected I will work to create a more transparent government; one which listens to the concerns of *all* neighborhoods. I believe we can do a much better job of informing residents what your government is doing and then give *you* the opportunity to weigh in.

We need to develop a serious long-term economic vision that takes into account the entire city. Let's start by creating a downtown that is a destination for visitors, an opportunity for local business and a gathering place for the community.

We also need better support for parks and recreation and stronger code enforcement. We need to make sure that Des Moines is the safest, cleanest and most attractive option possible for the next generation to raise their families.

Finally, we need to actively start pushing back against the further expansion of air traffic over our city. This is a challenge we must address *now*.

Council Position No. 5

Traci Buxton

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Education: Northwest University, BA Behavioral Science, Magna Cum Laude
Occupation: Licensed, Bonded Contractor, Real Estate Investor, former Mental Health Professional

Statement: Des Moines needs experienced, knowledgeable leadership while we create a sustainable, vibrant business community, safe and diverse neighborhoods, and a thriving waterfront destination.

Traci is that leader!

A successful real estate investor, contractor, and property manager; Traci has guided dozens of properties out of foreclosure or disrepair into prosperity - even through the recession! Des Moines needs this expertise.

As a former Mental Health professional who has worked with youth, families, and the recovery community, Traci understands the need for compassion while inspiring our diverse neighborhoods to collaborate in creating a safe city.

Traci has lived in Des Moines for 35 years; raising her family, volunteering in schools and the community, planting over 1,000 trees, and supporting hundreds of young people!

Endorsed by two current Councilmembers, Des Moines Police Guild, King County Realtors, and local businesses, Traci is the voice of integrity we need. Elect Traci Buxton on November 7!

Harry Steinmetz

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Education: J.D. from Santa Clara University School of Law; B.A. from San Diego State University

Occupation: J&S Law Group attorney; Former Senior Health Care Advocate

Statement: Des Moines has many assets. I'm running for City Council to be your advocate and to expand and enrich those assets.

We have a spectacular marina that can become a focal point in our community. Bringing in new restaurants, shops, and additional parking can make the marina a destination for everyone while bringing in new revenue and jobs to our city. Development of the city needs to focus on creating sustainable, broad based revenue streams and the city needs to budget accordingly to support parks and police.

As a lawyer in private sector and the public sector, I have the experience, skills, and understanding to represent everyone on the council. I'm committed to transparency and making sure everyone has a seat at the table. You can reach me on my cell phone at 206-387-1333.

Endorsed by: IAFF 2024 (Your local firefighters), MLK County Labor Council, 33 and 30 LD Democrats.

Council Position No. 7

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Education: B.A. Politics and Government, University of Puget Sound

Occupation: Legal Administration, Schwabe Williamson & Wyatt

Statement: After leading the Highline School Bond campaign, serving as a Highline Schools Foundation Trustee, and serving on the Des Moines Human Services Commission, I'm excited to continue my public service in this great community. Our city has so much unmet potential, and we can do better as city.

We have work to do to ensure our city government runs smoothly and efficiently. We need to make Des Moines a business-friendly city again, ensure all citizens have a voice in our city process, and respond effectively to the increase in crime in our community. First, we need to elect councilmembers who can deliver results. I'm hoping my record of results and support from law enforcement can help make that happen. I humbly ask for your vote.

Endorsed: Congressman Adam Smith, County Executive Dow Constantine, Sheriff John Urquardt, King County Labor Council, 33rd District Democrats, Reps. Tina Orwall, Mia Gregerson, and more.

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Education: University of Maryland AA, WSU

Occupation: Nordstrom Merchant

Statement: Des Moines needs a healthier business environment, revitalized downtown, improved public safety and an enhanced waterfront. Mature leaders who listen, weigh options, and make wise, informed decisions for a sustainable future will get us there. I am that leader, and would be honored to have your vote.

As a U.S. Army veteran, former Fire Commissioner, Des Moines Citizen's Advisory Committee member and volunteer, I know what it means to serve. I have the life experiences required to serve our residents with honor and integrity.

I am a husband, father and grandfather dedicated to family, neighbors and friends. I am a successful businessman, motivator, and communicator who listens, connects, and brings people together. I'm passionate about this city!

Endorsed by six current Des Moines City Councilmembers, DM Police Guild, SKC Firefighters, and a large contingent of residents, I will listen, learn, and be accountable. Please vote Matt Mahoney for City Council.

Mayor

Amy Ockerlander

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Education: Bachelors of Interdisciplinary Studies, Eastern Washington University; Leadership Eastside '13; Advanced Municipal Leadership Certificate

Occupation: Mayor Pro Tem/Councilmember, City of Duvall.; Legislative Policy Analyst (former)

Statement: An experienced councilmember elected Mayor Pro Tem by her peers twice, Amy is a balanced leader who listens to our community. She worked hard to get sidewalks on Main Street, supported the expansion of Big Rock Ball Fields, proposed policies to increase government transparency and helped create the Police Department community outreach program.

Amy believes developers should pay their fair share for the impact of new development and will propose aligning impact fees to the construction price index. *She spearheaded the development moratorium – slowing the pace of residential growth while key codes are updated.*

Well respected regionally, as Mayor, Amy will lobby for changes to regional transportation planning policy to reduce our congestion, support our first responders, propose policies that retain our “small-town feel”, reform our budget to ensure sustainability and most importantly, listen to our community. *Elect Amy Ockerlander Mayor – The Balanced, Effective Leadership Our City Needs.*

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Education: Executive Master of Public Administration, UW; BS Landscape Architecture/Planning, ASU; Certified Advanced Municipal Leader, AWC

Occupation: Planning Manager – Pertee Engineering, and small business owner

Statement: I have little admiration for politics, but love working for Duvall residents and with city staff and police, businesses, volunteers, and community organizations who have made Duvall one of the most livable and safe cities in Washington.

On City Council, and as former Mayor Pro-Tem and Planning Commission Chair, it's been humbling and eye-opening to be a part of each challenge and change we've faced for 9+ years.

As Mayor, I will put our community first with government that is accountable, legitimate, accessible, responsive, financially solvent, and committed to thrive with affordable city services. As a knowledgeable manager of people, budgets, and projects, and a land-use planner with 25+ years of experience, I will ensure Duvall works for the public interest, and with community-guided growth.

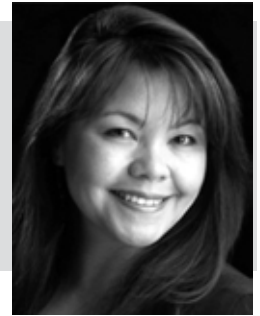
With your vote, we will protect our rural character, build exceptional parks, champion our remarkable downtown, and leave a lasting legacy to be proud of.

Council Position No. 1

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Education: Bachelor's of Arts, University of Oklahoma; Associate in Applied Science, Fashion Institute of Technology, NYC

Occupation: Founder, School of Art & Innovation

Statement: I'm honored to have served my fellow citizens and am running for re-election because I believe Duvall must remain a safe, family-oriented and fiscally-responsible city with a vision of becoming an even better community as it grows. I pledge that the best interests of all residents will drive my decisions. Public safety has been and will continue to be my top priority.

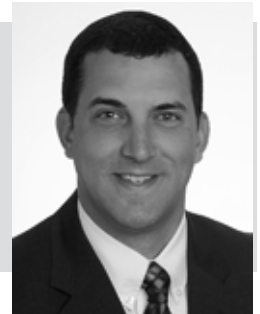
Before voting to approve any new residential neighborhoods in Duvall, I've relentlessly advocated for developers to invest in our community through appropriate infrastructure fees and provide the necessary enhancements--green belt buffers, parks and open spaces--to retain its appealing environment. I'm proud to have earned a reputation on Council as a 'watchdog' on spending and strong supporter of sustainable annual city budgeting.

Preserving Duvall's best qualities into the future will require experienced leadership, balanced vision and disciplined focus. I respectfully ask for your vote.

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Education: Associates Quality Control, Spartan School of Aeronautics; Bachelor's Business Administration, Bellevue University, (Bellevue, NE)

Occupation: Engineering and Operations Manager; emphasis on infrastructure installation and repair.

Statement: Greetings Duvall, I want to introduce myself and ask for your support in this year's election. I was born and raised in a small town much like Duvall. When looking to purchase a home over 2 years ago, our family was drawn to Duvall and instantly felt at home. My wife and I have been married for 16 years and together we have 3 wonderful children. We love the rural charm of the downtown corridor and being surrounded by nature at our residence.

I've never had political aspirations, rather the opposite. I'm running for city council out of a sense of moral obligation. I'm frustrated with our City's leadership and the current direction of unchecked growth. If elected, I will always vote for the interests of Duvall's citizens, not developers. I believe in the value of facts and details when making decisions. I'm running to give you a voice!

Council Position No. 2

Matthew Eyer

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Education: Bachelor's of Science in Horticulture, Washington State University

Occupation: Surface Water Administrator, City of Marysville

Statement: My primary goal as a City of Duvall Council member will be to work with the Council, the Mayor and City of Duvall employees to ensure responsible management of City policies and efficient use of resources on behalf of the residents of Duvall. The Northwest region, including Duvall, is experiencing a time of growth and prosperity; both are encouraging and concerning. I see the benefits to our growing community of the addition of great people, good regional jobs and increased revenues. I can also appreciate the concern of increased traffic and the anxiety of the fast pace of change. I will do my best to represent the residents of Duvall by listening and making informed decisions to help manage this growth with the goal of maintaining Duvall's identity as a small town.

Council Position No. 3

Amy McHenry

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Education: Bachelor of Science in Biology; Minor in Humanities, Western Washington University

Occupation: Duvall Business Owner, BaeBae Cakes LLC

Statement: I am a committed community volunteer serving on my son's nonprofit preschool board, the Art Docent Program and Talent Show at Stillwater Elementary and the City of Duvall's Tree and Sensitive Area Advisory Group, working to update codes that reflect best available science and the community's vision for Duvall.

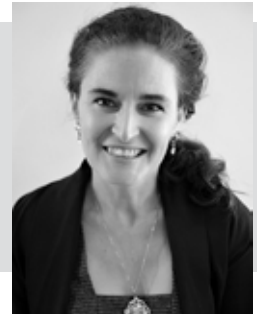
I founded Citizens For Duvall, a grassroots group, to organize candid meetings between citizens and city officials, provide video recordings of city meetings to the public, and deliver pertinent city information directly to citizens. In listening to our community and hearing frequent concerns regarding legitimacy, accountability and transparency, I made the decision to run for City Council.

I humbly ask for your vote so I can work to increase transparency by improving the ease of access to city information and invigorate public participation. I will work toward a more responsive government, not just in communication, but results and outcomes.

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Education: Master's in Counseling Psychology, Pacifica Graduate Institute; BFA, Rhode Island School of Design

Occupation: Licensed Mental Health Counselor, small business owner, citizen advocate, parent

Statement: As the daughter of a 48-year law enforcement veteran, I grew up having public service modeled as a way of life. For over 20 years, I have worked as a counselor at community and county levels, and within the private sector. As Councilmember, I will bring skills and experience in complex problem solving, conflict resolution, negotiation, advocacy and relationship building.

My priorities for Council are to increase our city government's capacity to engage citizens in decision-making; to empower and address the needs of Duvall's young people; to strengthen Duvall's 'welcoming city' identity through celebrating and protecting diversity; and to balance development opportunities with a long-term vision that includes all our community interests. My bottom line is a *quadruple bottom line* - policy must make sense and work for the economy, the environment, the social fabric and our future generations.

Let's work together for Duvall. *Trabajemos juntos para Duvall.*

Council Position No. 5

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Education: Interlake High School, Bainbridge Island High School, Bellevue College, Western Washington University

Occupation: Duvall City Councilmember; Real Estate Broker for 33 years

Statement: Michelle has enjoyed serving the community on the Duvall City Council since her appointment in April of 2017. Prior to this she was a Duvall Planning Commissioner. Currently she is an Advisory Committee Member of the Sensitive Area and Tree Protection Committee.

Duvall's small town feeling is what drew her family to move here in 2012. Having grown up in a small town herself, she instantly felt at home.

Michelle spent 15 years in Northshore PTSA leadership roles at the local, regional, and state level. She enjoyed listening to the community and advocating for children.

Her goals on the Duvall City Council are to listen to the community, have respectful discussions amongst the council, and make thoughtful policy decisions. Michelle would love to preserve Duvall's small city charm.

Thank you for your vote.

Council Position No. 6

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Education: Bachelor of Science in Mathematics, Seattle Pacific University

Occupation: Member Duvall Code Update Committee, Former Actuarial Analyst, Senior Programmer

Statement: Duvall has been our family home for 17 years. I am running for City Council because our small rural town is threatened by rapid growth, reduced livability and loss of natural beauty. I believe Duvall can grow, but growth must be financially responsible and humane. City leadership must be committed to these values.

City surveys in 2014 and 2017, document top citizen issues: rural character decline, unsatisfactory development, inadequate roads, limited neighborhood park space for our growing population. Current leadership responds by promoting dense insensitive development, unnecessary annexations, loss of trees, and vague financial answers.

Duvall deserves responsive elected officials that listen to valid citizens' concerns. *Citizen input must be central in shaping Duvall's future.*

I will provide experienced forward thinking leadership to City Council. My firm understanding of Duvall history, community involvement, passion for details, strong analytical skills and commitment to transparent government can energize our small town legacy.

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Education: BA in Communications, Puget Sound; MPA, University of Washington

Occupation: Public Sector Manager

Statement: It has been my privilege to serve Duvall's citizens for the last 16 years. During that time Duvall has grown while still maintaining its small town charm. Our residents have benefited from improvements to our downtown, our parks and enhanced community events.

It's important for Duvall to have a Council member with experience and strong connections to county and state government. I'm committed to maintaining our conservative fiscal policies while making infrastructure improvements through regional collaboration. I will work hard to keep Duvall moving forward to ensure our community thrives.

My priorities as a Council member will be: 1) Supporting public safety, 2) Keeping city spending in line with revenue, 3) Enhancing the local business environment and 4) Protecting Duvall's family-friendly character for future generations.

My experience in local government and track record of serving our community can continue with your vote. Thank you for your support.

Mayor

Kimberly Lauk

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Education: Enumclaw Senior High School and Green River Community College

Occupation: Community volunteer, mother of three young children, and city councilmember.

Statement: Kimberly and her husband Brandon are proud to raise their three children in Kim's hometown of Enumclaw. Since her election to the Enumclaw City Council, she has stayed true to her belief that government needs accountability and proper planning to be efficient. We need properly planned infrastructure and public safety for families and small businesses to thrive.

Enumclaw has a rich history as a logging and farming community. As towns build up around us, Enumclaw should not be swallowed up by big box stores and poorly planned development. We should not lose Enumclaw's unique identity chasing after quick dollars for real estate speculators and developers at the expense of the people who call this town home.

During her time on council, Kim has heard your concerns and is working with other local leaders to address traffic and over-development issues. We must have infrastructure in place before additional development.

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Education: Master of Business Administration, Pepperdine University; Bachelor of Science in Business Management, University of Minnesota

Occupation: 35 years in Operations Management in multiple fields

Statement: I'm currently serving on the Enumclaw City Council and spent four years prior on the Civil Service Commission. As the son of two teachers—and the spouse of a current teacher—I am a strong supporter of educational opportunities. Our family has lived in Enumclaw for over 22 years, and all of my children graduated from the Enumclaw School District. 35 years of work experience allows me to be ready to efficiently manage the city's budget of over \$50 million.

My vision is to encourage smart growth to maintain our small-town feel, while fostering a thriving business environment. Other top priorities are public safety, improving our city's streets and parks, and supporting our seniors and youth.

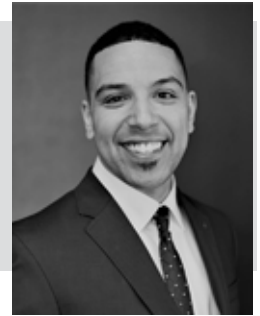
In asking for your vote, I look forward to serving as your mayor and continuing to make our city a desirable place to work and live while *Keeping the Heart in Enumclaw*.

Council Position No. 1

Tony Binion

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Education: Studied International Business at Pierce College

Occupation: Small Business Owner; Coffee Vault, and Tony Binion Real Estate

Statement: Being an Enumclaw business owner, I understand that small businesses are the backbone of our local community. We can protect our small town local feeling by helping small businesses thrive in Enumclaw through supporting our business owners and encouraging collaboration.

For most of my adolescent years, my grandparents lived in Enumclaw. I have always loved the wide-open spaces of what was once just a logging and farming community. We must preserve what is left of that history and feel for our kids and grandkids.

My vision for Enumclaw is to maintain our small town feeling while taking the necessary steps toward responsible growth and making sure proper infrastructure is in place before development happens. I want to continue to live in a town that holds true to our rural roots and keeps our citizens safe and proud to call this our home.

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Education: BA Economics, Boston College; MBA classes Seattle University Albers School of Business

Occupation: Former Owner Alta Crystal Resort, Finance and Tourism Professional

Statement: For 20 years now, I have put every energy I have to being a leader in our community. For the past 11 years I have served on the Enumclaw Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors, and now I have been chosen, just this past March, over four other applicants, to serve on the Enumclaw City Council. I have worked hard addressing constituent needs, finding ways to form a Stormwater Utility that is both fair to taxpayers and actually solves our drainage issues. I was chosen as the Council Liaison to our new Tourism Advisory Board, which I had proposed. We are working hard to complete the visions of an attractive downtown and functional traffic, parking and roads. I am an advocate for upgraded parks with services such as better playgrounds and our first dog parks.

I really am just getting started, but now I need your vote in order to continue!

Council Position No. 3

Kael Johnson

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Education: Studied Business & History at Silicon Valley's Business School: Menlo College, Associates in Arts FRC

Occupation: Sales Manager -Northwest Safe Company of Enumclaw

Statement: Enumclaw has been home to my family for more than a hundred years. My great grandmother was a business owner here and my great grandfather built the first logging roads in these foothills. I have been engrained in this community working for local businesses for the past decade listening to the voices of the public. As your city council member, I will represent these voices with clarity and sound judgment.

Enumclaw is a unique city that is treasured by its inhabitants and travelers alike. As your representative I will focus on supporting measures that value the residents of this historic city, while driving economic prosperity to the plateau. I will work closely with our local police and fire departments to ensure that those who protect us are properly equipped.

When elected, I will bring a revitalized energy to the council that will benefit our great community.

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Education: Bachelor's of Applied Science in Energy Management, Bismarck State College, North Dakota

Occupation: Implementation Senior Associate, Equinix

Statement: I am a husband, father and military veteran currently serving as a newly appointed Enumclaw City Council member. I am here to serve as your voice in our local government, to represent the people and to stand up for those who cannot stand up for themselves.

The call to public service for my country while serving 12 years in the US Navy was an important part of my life. Continuing to serve you will be my Highest Honor.

We will work as a team that prides itself on open effective communication, transparency and leadership.

We will ensure proper planning for responsible growth, infrastructure and services. Doing everything we can to empower and promote our local economy.

Even though our community faces change, our ideals and heart as a community will remain forever.

I will continue to work hard to earn your vote and honestly represent you.

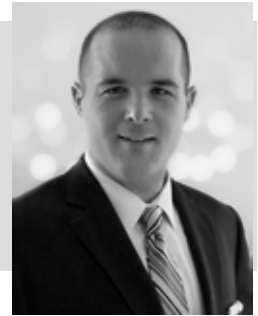
Always Community First

Council Position No. 5

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Education: Bachelors in Organizational Leadership, Penn State University; Associates in Business Management, Everest University

Occupation: EMT- Private Ambulance, Volunteer Firefighter - Enumclaw Fire Department.

Statement: As a resident, father and volunteer firefighter, I have a vested interest in Enumclaw and a vision for our future.

Development in Enumclaw has occurred far more quickly than our infrastructure can support and at the expenses of the citizens. We need infrastructure and roads before any further development takes place. We cannot change what has already been done, but we can ensure that the Enumclaw we know and love is not lost to poorly planned development.

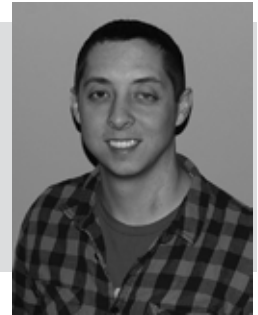
As a firefighter, public safety is important to me. I see first hand the problems that develop when youth and our rising senior population do not have access to the resources they need. The city should establish partnership programs for youth and seniors as an investment against crime, drugs and social decline.

I have two sons who should grow up in a safe community they can be proud to call their home.

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Education: Associates of Science, BYU-I; Journeyman, Local 66

Occupation: Business owner and sheet metal worker

Statement: Like many of you, I am a hard-working, tax-paying, lifelong resident of Enumclaw. Over the last 20 years I've invested many hours of dedicated to service to this community, and now, with a family of my own, I'm proud to still call it 'home.'

I am not a career politician, though I've always followed and participated in political events. My past has provided opportunities to lead groups of people, in both business and volunteer settings. I have been able worked for others in the corporate world as well as started and successfully ran a business of my own.

I feel strongly that over the last several years too many projects that are good for our town are slipping through the cracks and not getting done. From infrastructure like bridges and roads to the events that make us a community, I'm dedicated to doing the right thing for all of us.

Council Position No. 7

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Education: University of Washington Paramedic-----Attended Green River Community College – Business-----

Occupation: Chief of Operations King County Medic One (37 years) Retired

Statement: I have served the citizens of Enumclaw, on council, for the last four years and have fulfilled my campaign promises: Our streets are being repaired, Expo is adding economic vitality, I proposed our new Economic Development Committee, was instrumental in getting our tourism website launched and have worked to fill empty downtown storefronts.

My Priorities: 1.Law enforcement (drugs/crime) 2.Create a vibrant downtown 3. Parks/trails

I will remain against annexing Osceola; annexations create more subdivisions and traffic. I will work to maintain our small-town charm while improving the quality of life for families and seniors.

My children attended Enumclaw K-12 and I have served on multiple Enumclaw organizations. I'm a fiscal conservative who uses common sense and have budget and leadership skills.

Join me in adding fiscal responsibility and increased public safety by electing: Jan Molinaro (Mayor), Steve Cadematori (Council).

We live in an outstanding community. Let's continue our progress! Thank you

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Education: Bachelor's in Business Management, Western Governors University

Occupation: Small Business Owner

Statement: As a third generation resident I have deep roots in Enumclaw. My grandfather was a local farmer and board member of the Enumclaw Creamery. My dad was a real estate broker most fondly remembered for growing tomatoes. They both instilled a strong sense of value in protecting our rural areas from unsustainable growth and development. With more people relocating for the open spaces and charm Enumclaw offers it's important to maintain our small town character. Instead of trying to reverse the Farmland Preservation Program of the 80's we should focus on helping our local farmers bring more Agri-Tourism to Enumclaw.

While Enumclaw will never be the small rural town I grew up in, I'd like to work to protect what we have left and make sure our kids and grandkids get to see and experience the farms, forest, rivers and lakes I got to enjoy in my childhood.

Mayor

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Education: University of Washington - Bachelor of Arts; Gonzaga University - Law Degree

Occupation: Mayor of Federal Way

Statement: Federal Way is a community on the rise and I am proud of the progress we have made together!

As your Mayor, I will continue to put public safety first. My administration has added police officers, confronted gang violence, and opened our first downtown police substation.

We are transforming our city center with Town Square Park, the Performing Arts & Event Center, and a new American Flag on Veterans Way, while signing a historic agreement with the University of Washington to bring a campus to Federal Way.

We have recruited new businesses and created hundreds of new jobs for our residents.

We have endeavored to solve the crisis of homelessness through our city's first Homeless Women and Children's Initiative and Encampment cleanup efforts.

I ask for your vote!

Supported by 6 out of 7 City Councilmembers; Federal Way Police and Firefighters Guilds; King County Executive and Sheriff. Together, We Can!

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Education: Tacoma General Hospital School of Nursing, Certificate in Municipal Leadership from Associated Washington Cities.

Occupation: Retired Registered Nurse, Community Volunteer, City Councilmember.

Statement: Federal Way has been a great place to work, raise a family and enjoy life. Unfortunately, rising crime, loss of jobs and a poorly run city government are threatening our quality of life. We need a new mayor to address these mounting problems before it's too late.

I'm Susan Honda, your city council member and voted the "Best City Leader" for 3 years. I've earned a reputation for bi-partisanship and for keeping an eye on the city budget. I believe the city should focus on the basics: more police, more jobs and serving the people. This is why I'm running for mayor.

The decisions we make today about economic development, parks, housing, and how best to expand Sound Transit will decide if Federal Way remains a livable city with a vibrant economy.

I am endorsed by 3 City Council members and many elected officials. Leadership you can trust. Vote Honda!

Council Position No. 2

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Education: Federal Way High School Graduate. B.A., Political Science and Masters of Education, University of Washington.

Occupation: Human Resources Strategic Partner, Family Engagement Specialist, Highline Public Schools.

Statement: As a lifelong Federal Way resident and homeowner, I've witnessed our city change incredibly. From public safety and economic development to housing and schools, our city faces real challenges but also many opportunities.

I will work to better manage growth with the infrastructure to support it. Future development must be mindful of impacts to schools, businesses, traffic patterns, and neighborhoods.

Priorities include developing a strong local economy with living-wage jobs and support for small business; preserving family-friendly, inclusive neighborhoods; improving public safety and reducing crime; strengthening City/School District relations and increasing access to job training programs.

We need leaders that bring new energy, accountability and renewed dedication to the community from the city. Once elected, my work will focus on ensuring that families, youth and businesses are successful and thriving here in Federal Way.

Endorsements: Congressman Adam Smith, Our Local Firefighters, Representative Kristine Reeves, King County Labor Council, and more.

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Education: Graduate, Federal Way HS, U.S. Military Academy (West Point), MS Operations Research; Registered Professional Engineer

Occupation: Business owner; corporate executive; budget analyst; City Councilman

Statement: As a proud 45-year Federal Way resident, veteran, youth coach, charity fundraiser, and volunteer, I understand our growing community and am honored to serve on the council.

Public Safety – My wife and I raised three sons in Federal Way. I know the importance of a safe community for families to enjoy and safe schools for our children.

Economic Development – I will work hard for a thriving, walkable downtown with great entertainment and restaurant options, more living wage jobs and upscale housing.

Improving Traffic - As Chair of the Land Use & Transportation Committee, I understand the complexity of our traffic challenges and am dedicated to continuous improvement.

Compassion – I am an innovative thinker committed to city partnership with community organizations to advance the situation for the homeless.

I humbly ask for your vote this November so I can continue to serve the city that I love.

Council Position No. 4

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Education: B.A in Psychology, University of Washington; Juris Doctor student, Northwestern California University School of Law

Occupation: Administrator, Economic Services Administration, Community Service Office (CSO)

Statement: At the age of 18, I fled Vietnam to avoid religious and political persecution. I became an American citizen in 1985. I worked multiple jobs to support myself through school and earn a college degree. As an Administrator, I spent 26 years providing a hand up and path to employment to our city's vulnerable.

My priorities are to ensure *public safety* by fully funding the police department, reducing gang violence, strengthen the partnership between police and community; *economic development* by attracting and retaining businesses; develop comprehensive plans to reduce *homelessness*; and ensure *fiscal accountability* in city government.

As your next council member, I will bring my experience managing a 30 million dollar budget to efficiently and thoughtfully safeguard your tax dollars.

I'm a husband, father, and public servant committed to listening and working with you to make Federal Way the best place for everyone.

I respectfully ask for your vote.

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Education: Business Administration, Banking, Real Estate Law and Finance

Occupation: Retired, Co-Owner Small Business

Statement: Federal Way is changing before our eyes. I am concerned that the reasons why we live here will slip away. Insuring Federal Way's bright future and quality of life is a genuine concern of mine. I want safe neighborhoods and schools, a vibrant business climate that will bring family-wage jobs to Federal Way. I want to attract Fortune 500 companies to the former Weyerhaeuser property, not fish processors or warehouses. What will the financial impact on our city's budget by the Performing Arts and Event Center be? I want to hire more police to make Federal Way a safer community. I am against safe injection sites. The homeless problem in our city needs a solid solution that addresses addiction, mental health, financial issues. Citizens are concerned about rampant multi-family development. As a citizen-focused individual, I want to see transparency and accessibility within our city government. I would appreciate your vote.

Council Position No. 6

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Education: Graduated from Decatur High School in Federal Way; earned B.A. at Saint Martin's University

Occupation: Councilmember; school Development Director; ARC of King County disability advocate

Statement: As a Bulgarian orphan, I remember wondering what kind of future I'd have. Happily, I was adopted at age 8 and brought home to Federal Way, where I received a family, an education, a beautiful wife, and a future I couldn't have imagined.

As *Your* Councilmember, I'm proud to work with *You*. Our partnership has added a police substation and more officers, weathered the recession, and advocated for *Everyone* in our diverse community.

Now, let's attack the root causes of crime with more jobs, skills training, and pre-K mentorship programs. Let's lower hurdles for new business. And let's take bold stands against drugs, discrimination, and anything seeking to divide us.

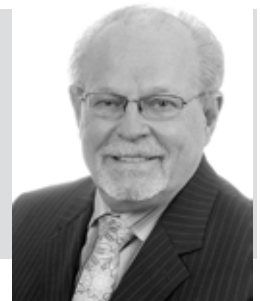
I'm committed to giving back to the city that gave me everything, and I humbly ask for your vote. For Federal Way, let's continue finding solutions. *Together*.

Proudly endorsed by Democrats, Republicans, Independents, and labor, business, and environmental groups.

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Education: Degrees in Business & Court Reporting

Occupation: Small business owner & CEO, legal services, 30 years

Statement: I am a Vietnam Veteran and VFW Post 1741 Service & JAG Officer helping vets with medical/legal issues, a member of the FW Kiwanis, the FW Chamber of Commerce, the Association of Washington Business, and a volunteer student mentor at Todd Beamer High School. We raised our family in FW where I coached youth sports. I worked to pass House Bill 2005 in 2017 to simplify doing business in Washington.

I will be a voice of reason on issues affecting our community and help to find local and regional solutions for making our neighborhoods safe, controlling the number of apartments being built, homelessness, attracting new businesses providing family wage jobs, creating sustainable downtown development, and responsible use of city resources and monies.

I have walked our neighborhoods and listened to your concerns. I will be your voice while bringing strong leadership to the FW City Council.

Municipal Court Judge Position No. 1

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Education: Bachelor of Arts, University of Washington 1996; Juris Doctor, Seattle University School of Law 2000

Occupation: Judge, Federal Way Municipal Court

Statement: I have been honored to serve as a Judge in Federal Way for almost eight years. During that time myself, Judge David Larson, and the entire court staff have strived to make Federal Way Municipal Court one of the best in the state. Helping to improve public safety, protecting individual rights and liberties, and making the community a better place are the best parts of this job.

During my time as one of your judges, I have also served on the District and Municipal Court Judges' Association Board and am currently President-Elect. I am Chair of the Trial Court Security Committee, and was a member of the District and Municipal Court Judges' Association Rules Committee and the Taskforce on Public Defender Standards. These organizations seek to improve the justice system locally and state wide.

I hope to continue this important work. Thank you for your vote.

Municipal Court Judge Position No. 2

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Education: Juris Doctor, Seattle University Law School (1984); Bachelor of Arts, University of Puget Sound (1980)

Occupation: Judge, Federal Way Municipal Court

Statement: It continues to be my honor to serve you as a judge in the community that has been my home for 50 years. I am grateful for the opportunity and I take my role as a steward of your justice system very seriously. I look forward to continuing to serve you as a judge in one of the best municipal courts in the state.

I have also had the joy of being involved in the community in Kiwanis, Advancing Leadership Board of Directors, and the founder of the Aktion Club of Federal Way (service club for people with developmental disabilities), South King County YMCA High School Mock Trial Competition, and the Municipal Court Art Contest. I also teach civics at Todd Beamer High School and was the recipient of the 2014 Judge William Nevins Award for my long-term commitment to youth education.

Thank you for your vote and your confidence.

Mayor

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Education: High school graduate and two years at Orange Coast College
Occupation: Kent City Councilmember; Owner, Golden Steer Steak & Rib House
Statement: I'm a public servant, not a politician.

As your councilmember, I've earned a reputation as a watchdog and strong advocate for the people. I'll continue working to keep our Neighborhoods Safe and ensure everyone in our diverse city has an opportunity to succeed. When others proposed a budget that raised taxes and cut road improvements, I successfully worked to use city funds more efficiently to prevent tax increases, maintain funding for roads, and provide critical funds for parks. Integrity and ethics matter. My voting record matches my promises. That won't change. I treat everyone with respect. That's reflected in the way I treat family, employees, and constituents. This community helped me succeed. I spend time volunteering so that others can, too. For the last 3-years, I've been named "Best Community Volunteer" and "Public Official of the Year" by Kent Reporter. I'd be honored to receive your vote.

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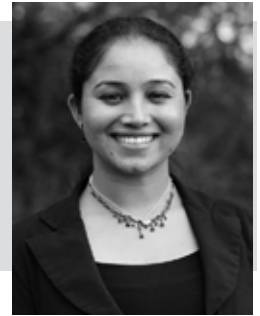
Education: Kent-Meridian H.S., Bachelor's-Business Management, Master's-Management and Leadership
Occupation: Owner - Advance Billing Systems, Kent City Councilmember
Statement: Kent is a large, diverse city needing bold, innovative leadership. As your Mayor, I'll put Kent families and businesses first, prioritize spending, and bring our tax dollars back home. *I will make Kent safer and cleaner, and improve roads and parks.* I'll build on my Council record of keeping taxes low and bringing in good employers. My commitment to responsible growth is solid. I voted against the golf course sale because it was possible to keep it as public open space, and I voted against paying off the developer of the Pine Tree Park project. Through strategic leadership and data-driven decision making, I will improve quality of life for us all. I'm the only candidate endorsed by Kent Fire Fighters(Local 1747), Kent Police Officers(KPOA) and Kent Teachers(KEA) as well as local leaders and businesses. *Now I ask for your vote, the most important support of all.*

Council Position No. 2

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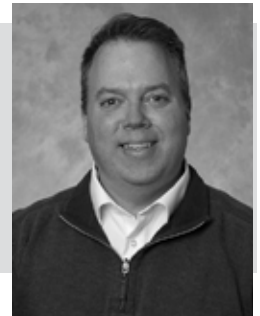


Education: MBA, University of Washington; BA in Business Administration/Supply Chain, Central Washington; Kentridge Graduate
Occupation: Director of Information Technology/Operations management, Private IT Company
Statement: You may have seen me pulling blackberries, planting, and cleaning up our parks; volunteering at NW Harvest, KentHOPE, Sunrise PTA or Kent food bank. I am passionate about Kent, where I grew up and now raising my 12 year old. I'm running so Kent continues to be a great place to raise family. *I will prioritize economic development; safeguard our neighborhoods; maintain our parks; and ensure fiscal accountability.* My service includes: Chair, Kent Cultural Communities Board; Kent International Festival; Living Well Kent; Greater Kent Historical Society; Kent Rotary. Experience: 2 years for Kent City Council, and 10 years Senior Management with Fortune100 company including Director of Information Technology overseeing 200+ employees with multi-million dollar budgets. I will bring passion, commitment, accountability, and mostly importantly your voice. I humbly ask for your vote. Endorsed: Kent Firefighter, Mayor Suzette Cooke, Councilmember Dave Upthegrove, Councilmembers Dennis Higgins, Brenda Fincher, Bill Boyce, Tina Budell.

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Education: BBA Management, GA State University; Crimestoppers Certified
Occupation: Sr. Business Analyst - Finance, Alaska Airlines
Statement: As your representative I'll work to make Kent a safe, prosperous and welcoming community. My 28 years of experience in Finance and Project Management at Delta and Alaska Airlines enables me to be a good steward of Kent funds. The same passion for helping others that motivates my extensive community and charitable involvement also inspires me to serve you on the City Council, because *the only legitimate end of politics is people.* Minimizing taxes, eliminating waste, leveraging technology, developing innovative funding mechanisms, facilitating job growth and business development, and prioritizing public safety are focus areas for me. As an Army veteran I understand the importance of public service and dedication to duty. As the CEO of an international humanitarian non-profit I understand the importance of compassionate support for others. I have the *experience, integrity* and dedication to *service* necessary to do what's best for Kent. *Let's make progress, together.*

Council Position No. 4

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Education: Bachelor of Arts from Western Washington University

Occupation: Small business owner, Market Research Analyst

Statement: As your councilwoman, I will work to keep our city a great place to raise families by promoting healthy communities, *maintaining our parks, ensuring public safety, and improving our roads and sidewalks*. I am committed to working with you to make Kent prosper.

I will implement tighter budget controls and ensure we are living within our means. My connections with work, Kent city government, local PTAs and faith communities, have given me experience in *building partnerships* and working with diverse groups in our community.

My volunteer service at the Severe Weather Shelter, on the Kent Drug Free Coalition, Kent Downtown Partnership Board, Civil Service Commission, and PTAs has taught me about balancing budgets and working together with colleagues to reach a common goal: continue making Kent a wonderful place to live. I am endorsed by Kent Fire Fighters, police officers, unions, council members, and community members.

I appreciate your vote!

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Education: Human Service /Business Credits and Home Care Aide Certified, Domestic Violence Certificate

Occupation: Small business owner, Non-Profit director, Community Advocate

Statement: The politics of politics simply isn't working for our community. We need a community-driven government where everyone has a seat at the table and a voice in our city's decisions.

As our community grows, we need to make sure everyone can afford to live and work here and make a living wage. For those experiencing homelessness, we need to have shelter and services available. Our seniors deserve to feel safe in the homes and neighborhoods they've built and lived in for decades. Economic growth in our city by supporting local small businesses.

In addition, I will work to empower our youth and provide opportunities to transition from our high school system to quality jobs, apprenticeship programs, and colleges.

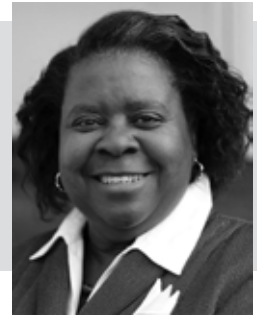
Endorsements: Mayor Cooke, Councilmembers Budell and Fincher, King County Councilmember Gossett, Congressman Adam Smith, State Rep Gregerson, MLKCC Union, SEIU, Teamsters 117, former interim Police Chief Bailey, National Woman Political Caucus, more.

Council Position No. 6

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Education: Associate of Arts Degree, Riverside Community College; Scripture and Leadership Training Certificate, Seattle University

Occupation: Kent City Council Member; Parish Administrator, Holy Spirit Parish

Statement: I'm working to make sure every Kent resident feels safe and has the opportunity to thrive.

Keeping Kent affordable is a priority. I voted against raising your taxes and funded parks by using our money more efficiently. I've worked to proactively manage growth to keep rents from skyrocketing like we've seen in other cities.

I'm the only candidate in this race who has consistently shown up for votes and voters. I'm accessible and accountable to everyone. You've seen me in our neighborhoods, events and meetings almost every day - and not just in election years.

Diversity - in all forms - strengthens us. Every Kent resident should feel welcome and respected.

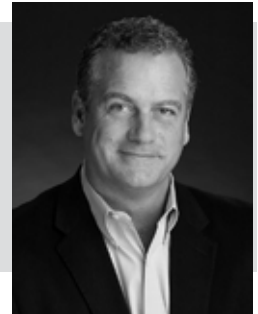
I unite people and get results. I'm supported by leaders in both parties, our mayor, fellow councilmembers, business owners, neighborhood leaders, police officers, firefighters and our sheriff.

It's an honor to serve you. I ask for your vote.

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Education: Bachelor of Science, Walla Walla College Master of Health Administration, University of Washington

Occupation: Executive Director, Elder Services, Puyallup Tribe of Indians

Statement: Frankly, I'm not really sure I want this job. The pay is crummy, it takes time away from my family, and it's pretty thankless a lot of the time.

However, my lack of enthusiasm does not diminish my competence or honesty.

I'm writing this statement on August 4 and I'm right in the middle of starting a business. If the business takes off like it's supposed to, between now and November, I sincerely doubt I'll have enough time to be an effective representative for your concerns.

I honestly don't know what else to say. This is the reality I'm facing today.

Municipal Court Judge Position No. 1

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Education: University of Washington – BA and JD; Seattle University – Masters Degree in Public Administration

Occupation: Kent Municipal Court Judge

Statement: Judge Karli Jorgensen has served as a Kent Municipal Court Judge since 2011 after 18 years as a Judge Pro Tem in the courts of King County. She has spent her entire legal career in public service. Prior to her judicial career, Judge Jorgensen was a prosecutor with expertise in domestic violence. Her proven courtroom experience is an important asset to a community court.

Judge Jorgensen continues to advance innovative approaches to the legal and social challenges facing those involved in the justice system and is proud to serve the citizens of Kent.

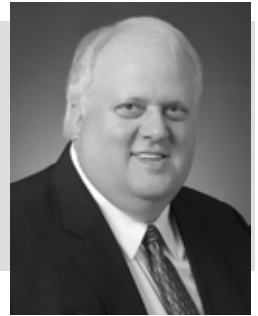
Endorsed by: Kent Police Officers Association, Kent Mayor Suzette Cooke and all Kent City Council members; King County Prosecuting Attorney Dan Satterberg; Sheriff John Urquhart; Sen. Karen Keiser; Rep. Tina Orwall; King County Council Member Dave Upthegrove; King County Democrats; 33rd and 47th District Democrats; National Women's Political Caucus of Washington; more than 110 Washington judges.

Municipal Court Judge Position No. 2

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Education: BS Law Enforcement, University of Evansville; JD Gonzaga University School Of Law

Occupation: Judge, Kent Municipal Court

Statement: I am running for re-election to Kent Municipal Court Judge Position 2. I have served as a judicial officer for the Kent Municipal Court since 1994. It has been an honor to serve you as one of your judges.

I graduated from the University of Evansville, Indiana in 1976 with a BS in Law Enforcement. In 1981, after completing service in the U.S. Air Force, I graduated with honors from Gonzaga University School of Law. I have 33 years judicial experience as a Magistrate, Judge Pro-Tem, Court Commissioner and Judge. I am dedicated to the improvement of the judiciary in Washington. I have been honored by my peers by being elected President of the Washington State District and Municipal Court Judges Association for the year 2009 - 2010 and currently serve on the faculty of the Washington State Judicial College.

I would appreciate your consideration and your vote. Thank you.

Council Position No. 2

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Education: Northwest University, AA in Business

Occupation: Regional Purchasing and Telecommunications Manager, WSDOT (retired)

Statement: Almost fifteen years ago my husband and I made the City of Maple Valley our home. I love living here, yet much has changed. We've watched groves of trees cut down to make way for new homes. More people and more retail development cause congestion on our streets and highways.

We need a balance of economic growth while still maintaining a friendly, small-town sense of community. This will require working together to find a way to allow growth yet incorporate adequate ways for families to stay, work and play in our city.

The Council will benefit from my perspective as a Washington State Department of Transportation (WSDOT) retiree, and my knowledge of government processes in general.

I want our city to thrive. I will use this passion to work with Council and staff to identify problems and find solutions. I want to be your voice on the Council.

Council Position No. 4

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Education: B.A. math and physics, history minor from Western Washington University

Occupation: High School Math Teacher

Statement: I'm honored to be your representative on the Maple Valley City Council. Maple Valley is an exceptional city with a friendly community, excellent schools, and a beautiful natural setting. I have served on a variety of committees including Audit, Public Safety/Oversight, Sound Cities Association, and the Cedar River Council.

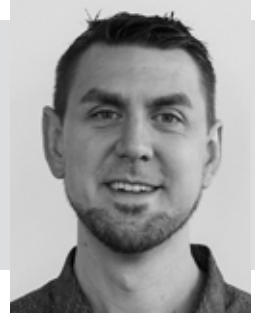
We are at an important pivotal moment in Maple Valley as we face transportation issues due growth, as we diversify our tax base with a focus on economic development, and as we improve our quality of life with the development of local parks and trails. We have huge planning tasks ahead of us to create the vision for our Legacy site, the 'Summit' site surrounding our new High School, and the reclaimed gravel pit site.

These are challenging issues. I have the experience and knowledge to make effective and informed decisions. I'd appreciate your vote!

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Education: No information submitted.

Occupation: Sr. Information Security Engineer

Statement: Maple Valley is where I call home. It is where I raise my children. This will be where I retire. I love this city and want to see nothing but the best for it. In the time that I have been here, there has been incredible growth. It feels as if there are new houses popping up daily.

With the fast paced growth of the area, we need to focus on neglected areas: Transportation and economic development.

The traffic in and out of city is dreadful at best during peak traffic hours. If we keep adding additional houses without addressing our traffic issues, we will regret it within the next few years.

As a city council member, I will fight for small business owners, and help bring more job development to our city.

I love this city and would love the opportunity to serve you all.

Council Position No. 6

Dana C. Parnello

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Education: BS: Environmental Policy Analysis & Planning, UC Davis and Masters Degree: Recreation Administration, UNC-Greeley

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Statement: My family moved to Maple Valley in 2003 for the schools and small-town community feel. Since then, a string of awards (*Safest/Best* place to live/raise kids, home ownership, schools) led to 10,000 additional neighbors coming to town. We must continue to balance the benefits and challenges that come with popularity.

During my time in leadership, our city has invested in new/improved roads, infrastructure, local parks and health services while staying under budget and with *no added taxes*.

Our commitment to improving the traffic situation continues, with regular traffic engineering assessments and changes, plus persistent lobbying of our state/federal agencies to increase funding for better roads.

Help me continue working toward a walkable and driveable community with a *variety of gathering places for everyone*. Let's keep Maple Valley #1 in public safety, well-being, and economic vitality. *Vote Dana Parnello for the best long-term interests of all 25,000 of our neighbors.*

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Education: Graduate Certificate Homeland Security, Texas A&M University; Masters of Management/Public Administration, University of Phoenix

Occupation: President and CEO of APEMS Solutions LLC

Statement: Leadership is value driven, not simply gained by position. When asked about what makes our community distinct from Covington or Black Diamond, often there is no answer. It's my turn to make the right choices, which means it is time for real leadership.

I am that leader.

I am an immigrant, having come from England. I have served this great country through the Marines, the Army, and also in law enforcement. I have founded non-profits, including programs to help homeless and needy veterans and their families. I developed funding vehicles for new programs helping communities in Oregon and Washington. My family is heavily involved with the community, with myself becoming a member of Maple Valley's VFW; my wife and children becoming involved with Tahoma High School's Robotics Program; and more importantly, serving as a Planning Commissioner for the city.

I want to make Maple Valley the best of the best.

Mayor

Debra Perry

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Education: No information submitted.

Occupation: No information submitted.

Statement: It has been an honor and a pleasure to serve you as your Mayor. I am again asking for your vote.

Milton is a great place to live and work, one that understands values and priorities.

I am proud of my great team of professionals. We have brought the city into the 21st century with efficiency, operating the utilities like the Citizen's Business, taking care of day-to-day operations and strategically planning for our future.

Traffic and crime concern us all. We are diligently working to keep them both out of our neighborhoods. We will work to keep you safe. Parks will always be my first love. I have received several grants for sidewalks and park improvements. I have balanced the budget every year and represented our city well in Regional matters. As your Mayor I will continue to preserve the Milton we love while shaping the Milton of tomorrow.

Shanna Styron Sherrell

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Education: Associate of Arts, Green River College

Occupation: Small Business Owner since 1999, Photographer, Office Manager and Bookkeeper

Statement: Milton has a sense of community and small town feel that many cities strive for. Our City is a wonderful place to live, but that doesn't mean we don't have challenges.

As Mayor, I'll work to keep our city *safe* by working to hire additional police officers, improve and build sidewalks & crosswalks, and properly maintain our roadways. For our city to be prosperous we must have *progress*. I'll work to attract businesses that will enhance our city, while developing healthy partnerships with current business owners. As an unbiased and open-minded Mayor, I'll work with city council, boards & commissions and city departments to produce a budget that works for our City. Misuse of tax dollars and funds cannot happen. I'll work to keep the values of our *community* at the forefront and strive for a transparent city hall.

Milton deserves a strong, community-minded leader who will listen to *you*.

Council Position No. 1

Steve Whitaker

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submitted

Education: MBA, Marketing, City University, Tacoma, WA BA, Communications, Washington State University, Pullman, WA

Occupation: WORD NERD LLC, Milton, WA - Business Writing Services

Statement: I believe in the citizens of Milton and I want to become even more involved in the community. I am the secretary of the Milton Police Foundation and secretary on the Milton Fife Edgewood Chamber of Commerce executive board. I wish to serve on the city council to ensure that our community continues to prosper, grow, and be a vibrant place to live.

The idea of playing a role on the city council to serve the City of Milton and the city's residents is exciting to me. The strong partnerships that the city has developed with the Milton Fife Edgewood Chamber of Commerce and the Milton Police Foundation have benefited all citizens of Milton. The City of Milton can only get stronger through the synergy of these partnerships.

I encourage your support and your vote for Position #1. Let's us move into the future together.

Thomas (Tom) Boyle

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Education: Fife High School Graduate

Occupation: Operating Engineer

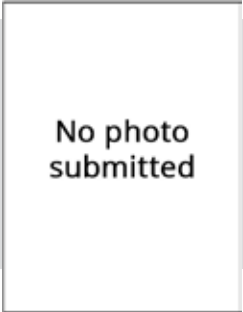
Statement: With your vote, I will continue to protect the rights and quality of life for all citizens. I will work to create favorable conditions which attract stable and prosperous businesses, and provide our hard working utility departments the tools necessary to maintain their record of excellent service. I give full support to our police department to keep our streets, homes, schools, and businesses safe. Maintaining our small town persona and developing economically is a fine balance. It is a balance that I will continue to work on.

Council Position No. 2

Laurie (Rose) Hatch

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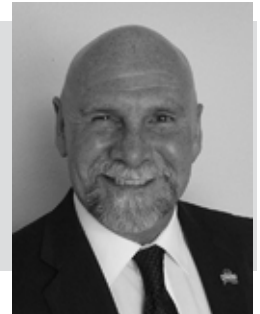
No information submitted.

Council Position No. 3

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Education: National University San Diego. Operations Specialist, Amphibious Assault Team Search and Rescue qualified

Occupation: Terminal Operations for Westway Trading Group at port of Seattle

Statement: As a 5th generation Washington State resident and lifetime VFW member it has been my honor to serve my community as a member of the Milton City Council. My goal is to continue to preserve the integrity and independence of Milton while maintaining its small town charm.

You can take great pride in knowing that your city of Milton Police Department is one of the most informed and highly trained forces in Washington State. They will continue to have my full support as a member of the City Council.

With my experience, knowledge and leadership I am committed to delivering outstanding service while providing a safe community with a high quality of life for the residents. With your vote I will continue to serve the city with a strong work ethic and an unsurpassed commitment. I respectfully ask for your vote and support for re-election to the Milton City Council.

Susan J.F. Johnson

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Education: B.S. in Public Administration, Indiana University; M.Ed. in Higher Education, George Mason University, VA.

Occupation: Retired from Pacific Lutheran University, August 2017.

Statement: I am proud to be your public servant and will continue researching issues brought to council and listen to discussions between our citizenry. Consensus is essential for effective decision-making. Our eyes must be on the actual revenue and expenditures of the city and keep them within a reasonable planned budget. Our city must improve its governmental transparency by placing video of all public meetings on our website. A citizen should be able to locate easily information on our city website.

The Community Watch Program expands the public safety for our police through citizen ears and eyes. With development all around us, there is increased traffic flow and people moving within and through our city. We all must be vigilant in public safety and traffic safety.

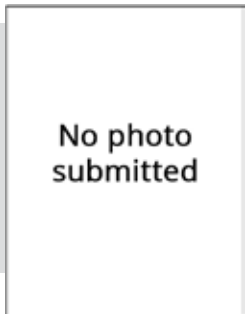
We need to find a way to repair our deteriorating city side streets. Become part of the solution with me! Milton is a treasured gem!

Council Position No. 5

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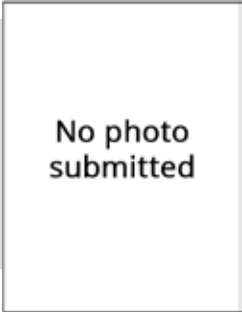


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Council Position No. 2

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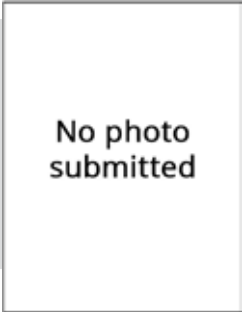


No information submitted.

Council Position No. 4

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Education: US Army Airborne Ranger, Associates Fire Command/ Administration, BS Business (Honors Graduate for both degrees)

Occupation: Professional Firefighter, Small Forest Tree Farm Owner, Community Volunteer

Statement: I'm a combat veteran who understands the importance of sacrifice for the greater good. No team can succeed when its members believe they are bigger than the team. That selfish approach always results in failure. Government should work the same way. I have committed my life to public service and have proven leadership experiences in building successful teams that are examples to be followed. As council member, I have brought this to Pacific. I have had to face the fact that previous administrations have put off today at the expense of tomorrow and tomorrow came. We now see the largest increases in our utilities because of that lack of leadership or we could have seen our utilities fail. I was able to secure lower garbage collection fees to help offset this increase. These are two of the things your council has done this last four years to secure Pacific's future.

Council Position No. 5

Stacy May Oliveira

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Education: I attended Green River College, where I trained in the welding program.

Occupation: Volunteer and current City of Pacific Council Member

Statement: My name is Stacy Oliveira, and I am asking for your vote again, for my second term as a Council Member for the City of Pacific.

My first term was about learning, and putting into practice what I'd learned, and I would like to continue on.

My strengths in committee have been in Technology, and I will continue to keep moving the City forward with technology that reduces costs associated with running a city, and supports the technology that our children need for electronic devices they'll be assigned through the school district. Human Services is also a strength of mine, and making sure our children, families, and seniors have a voice in their community is especially important to me. Even though learning Finance was difficult, it's helped me when considering costs associated with projects, budgeting for future spending needs, and how to be accountable for funds the City spends.

Council Position No. 7

Don Thomson

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Education: No information submitted.

Occupation: Retired

Statement: Upon appointment to the Pacific, WA. City Council in March 2017, I was given the opportunity to serve the citizens

and community in a positive and highly constructive manner.

I support our first responders, our most vulnerable citizens, the work being done to improve our infrastructure (streets,water,sewer)

systems. Working on flood control problems with the Mayor and city staff, King County and Pierce County as necessary

to minimize or alleviate damage to home, business and city property.

My wife and I have been home owners since 1990 in Pacific, and have seen changes and progress during that time.

I am asking for your vote to allow me to help continue the growth and prosperity of our city.

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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submitted

No information submitted.

Council Position No. 1

Verna Seal

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Education: B.S. Political Science, Public Administration
Occupation: Senior Immigration Paralegal

Statement: Verna *Continues To Believe In Tukwila!* For 11 years she has served Tukwila as a councilmember. She believes all residents of Tukwila deserve a voice, and will continue to fight for all residents. Verna is a champion for public safety who helped lead the charge to get rid of several hotels that posed safety concerns. She facilitated the creation of an Urban Renewal Zone which is leading to the redevelopment of Tukwila International Boulevard.

Tukwila should not just be at the table when it comes to economic development – Tukwila should be *setting* the table. Now is the time to build a robust and vibrant new downtown on Tukwila International Boulevard, and foster true transit-oriented development with housing opportunities for all.

“I envision a city which balances the needs of the neighborhoods and businesses, champions those who serve and protect us, and safeguards our unique quality of life.”

Council Position No. 3

Thomas McLeod

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Education: Bachelor’s Degree in Business from City University of Seattle
Occupation: Tax Accountant; Tukwila City Councilmember

Statement: It’s an honor to serve as your council member. Currently, I chair the Public Safety Committee where I work to create an environment that brings community members, Police, and Fire together to increase public safety. I serve on the Finance Committee, working to minimize the tax burden of community members through sound fiscal policies. Prior to serving on council, I served six years on Tukwila’s Planning Commission. My experience and energy allow me to help Tukwila thrive as a great destination for businesses, homeowners, and a place for all families to live, work and play. I also volunteer my time to address key issues like homelessness, affordable housing, and bridging cultural differences through community events.

Endorsements: Mayor Allan Ekberg, Council members Dennis Robertson, Joe Duffie, Verna Seal, Kathy Hougardy, Kate Kruller, and DeSean Quinn, Senator Bob Hasegawa, Representatives Zack Hudgins and Steve Bergquist, 11th District Democrats, and Tukwila Education Association.

Mark M. Larson

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Education: PMP Project Management, Master Business Administration, Bachelor Science Computing, PSIA Ski and USSF Soccer Referee
Occupation: Business IT Project Manager, Official Soccer Referee, Volunteer Special Olympics

Statement: As your City Representative let me be your voice, improve our education, maintain a balance of costs, and business growth. A community that shares large business next to small community family run business.

The education of our children and family members are, and should be, our primary responsibly. I have lived in Tukwila my entire life, graduated from Foster 1982. Seen the changes from strawberry farm fields to Fort Dent park into world class soccer complex we have today, Starfire.

I highlight the value of our teachers, community leaders and family business owners. They are the core of our community bring unity to our families, and respect among our neighbors. I believe in respecting other peoples believes and values. Boy Scouts taught me that.

The Tukwila Center is a good example where we can bring neighbors together. Let me be your representative of Tukwila.

Council Position No. 5

Zak Idan

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Education: Bachelor's in Construction Engineering Management, University of Washington

Occupation: Project Control Engineer, King County Department of Natural Resources

Statement: I'm fortunate to have lived in Tukwila for many years. I admire it for its diversity and beauty. As your next city council member, I will make public safety a priority, strengthen police/public relations, create homeownership programs that optimize opportunities, and implement a transportation infrastructure that attracts businesses to Tukwila. I'm not a career politician. I want to leverage my professional experience in construction management to play a key role in shaping and implementing the approved Tukwila Public Safety Bond. My aspiration has always been to give back to a community that has given me so much. I serve on the Community Oriented Policing Citizen's Advisory Board, Matt Griffin YMCA and as a youth soccer coach. I'd be honored to have your vote.

Endorsements: Pramila Jayapal, Adam Smith, Larry Gossett, Dave Upthegrove. Senators Hasegawa & Saldana, Tukwila Councilmembers Duffie, Quinn, Seal and McLeod. King County Democrats and the Labor Council.

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Education: UA Steamfitter Apprenticeship; Project Management, Estimating, Scheduling, and Contract Negotiation Training

Occupation: Tukwila Planning Commissioner, Retired Steamfitter, Project Manager, Estimator, Union Representative

Statement: Facing impending crises in housing, safety, jobs, and the budget, Tukwila needs a seasoned voice on the Council, someone who can find solutions.

I'm not a bureaucrat or budding politician—I'm what Tukwila needs: a worker. With 40 years in industry, I went from working 10-hour days on a farm to estimating multimillion-dollar construction projects. I know project costs and how to stay on budget. These are the skills our Council needs.

As a Councilmember, I will propose a skills center for our youth, improved police and fire presence for our neighborhoods, and affordable housing for our existing residents – without raising residents' taxes.

I will negotiate solutions, but I won't bend to outside interests: I'm from Tukwila, and I'll stay true to Tukwila.

Endorsements: Tukwila Mayor Allan Ekberg, MLK County Labor Council, Plumbers and Steamfitters 32 & 598, IBEW 46, Carpenters 30, Teamsters 763, Seattle Building Trades and many more.

Council Position No. 7

De'Sean Quinn

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

Occupation: Water Quality Planner Project Manager III, King County

Statement: As your councilmember, I have collaborated to ensure Tukwila's future by creating opportunities citywide, supporting our schools, and providing an environment where employers can create family wage jobs to support existing workers and our next generation.

In my tenure, I have focused on: crafting policies to *keep our city safe*; making investments in police, firefighters, code enforcement, transportation, and education; supporting and improving our neighborhoods; and representing all residents, no matter language, culture, or how long they've called Tukwila home.

Every day, whether meeting with neighbors, visiting small businesses or volunteering, I use our shared values as a bridge to a better, rising Tukwila. My focus is on *uniting* our community.

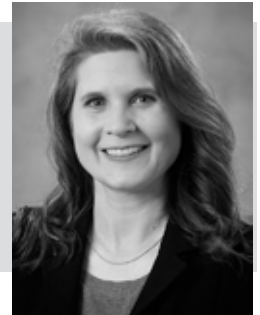
I am your councilmember, neighbor, a husband, and father who, like you, wants Tukwila to thrive. Now I am asking for your vote.

Endorsed by: Congressman Adam Smith, Councilmembers; Joe Duffie, Verna Seal, Kathy Hougardy, Kate Kruller, Thomas McLeod.

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Education: Georgia State University, 1989; Bachelors of Business Administration, Marketing; Washington Real Estate License; CRIMESTOPPERS Certified

Occupation: Co-Director of Glendale Lutheran School; Property Manager since 1989

Statement: Politicians are just not listening. Our current career politicians believe they're entitled to exclusive expense-paid retreats and trips. They're out of touch with the people of Tukwila. In this non-partisan race, I'm running to be an *independent voice* and to restore ethics and accountability to the Tukwila City Council.

Tukwila's schools rank 168th out of 203 districts. For the sake of our children, we need major improvements in our schools.

Tukwila's crime rate is almost five times the statewide average: *we must fully support our police*. When elected, I will assist in providing keen oversight of our new Justice Center and renovation of our fire stations: *we must fully support our firefighters*.

Single-family housing is a cornerstone of Tukwila families and should be a priority as we continue to grow into a prosperous future.

Endorsements: Sharon Mann, Louise Strander, Sandi Mills, Marilyn Wetzler, Kevin Gaw, Gabby Maceda, Ray Phillips.

Director District No. 3

Laurie Bishop

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Education: Bachelors Degree in Public Relations, Certificate of Accounting, CPA

Occupation: Chief Financial Officer

Statement: It's an exciting time in the Auburn School District. During my first term on the school board I was honored to be part of helping to pass a technology levy, and a bond to rebuild six school and build two brand new schools. I've watched our great technology department to do some exciting things and I'm looking forward to watching the schools take shape over the next six years.'

My business experience as a CFO for an Engineering Firm, and my accounting education have provided me the perfect background to help with the decisions we as board members make every day. As a CPA I've been able to help oversee the financial decisions the Auburn School District makes.

As a parent of two Auburn High School graduates I'm honored to be part of the Auburn School District team.

Please cast your vote for me on election day!

Director District No. 5

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Education: No information submitted.

Occupation: General Manager, Magnum Print Solutions

Statement: My service on the Auburn District School Board began after I was nominated & unanimously appointed by community members, district administrators and teachers to fill a vacant board position in December of 2014. I ran for and was re-elected to the seat in 2015. My prior extensive experience in board policy and governance both in the for-profit and non-profit arenas has benefited my School Board service greatly. Growing up in a family of teachers and educational advocates has also aided me in this capacity. My wife and I have lived in Auburn for 19 years where we have raised our 3 children. Two of whom are current students at Auburn Mountainview High School, our eldest is away at University. I care deeply about our community, education and our students. I believe that all students deserve equal opportunities and the support to succeed.

Director District No. 2

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Education: Bachelor of Arts Urban and Regional Planning, Western Washington University, Huxley College of Environmental Studies

Occupation: Sales Representative, Sports Unlimited

Statement: If elected to the Enumclaw School Board, I will work to be a leader who listens to the community's ideas and concerns relative to our students' education.

My roots run deep in the Enumclaw School District. I grew up east of Greenwater and attended Southwood Elementary, Enumclaw Junior High, and Enumclaw High School, graduating in 1992. In 2005 my husband and I moved to Enumclaw to raise our three children.

In the 2017/2018 school year, we will have a child in elementary school, middle school, and high school. I believe this will give me a good perspective into our school district as a whole.

I look forward to working with a great leadership team in an effort to make positive decisions for our school district's education goals to provide the best education possible for our students.

Thank you for considering me for this position on the school board.

Director District No. 3

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Director District No. 5

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Education: Bachelor of Arts, English and Political Science, Willamette University

Occupation: VP, Business Development at WSRB

Statement: It has been an honor to serve on the Enumclaw School Board during the last four years. We have accomplished a great deal as a team, and there is more to do. I would appreciate your support as we continue to execute on our vision to provide an education that supports all students achieving at high levels.

Director District No. 1

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Education: Project Management Institute (PMI) - Project Management Professional

Occupation: Senior Post Sales Engineer - Centurylink

Statement: As a parent of three children in the Federal Way Public Schools, I'm running to serve my second term on the Federal Way School Board. I hope to continue the work that has been accomplished the last four years with the introduction of the Strategic Plan. We have clear and concise goals to ensure that all 23,500 scholars will have a differentiated education in their PreK-12 grade experience to be successful into their post high school endeavors. I'm committed to meeting every single scholar right where they are to ensure they can be successful.. As the most diverse school district in the state, we also need to ensure that all scholars have a safe and welcoming environment and that the whole child has his or her met.

The board connections to stakeholder engagement will continue to be an area of focus for me as well as the Special Education, English Language Learners and Career and Technical Education (CTE) pathways and apprenticeships. These are areas that will ensure that we are taking care of all scholars with an equity and equality lens to differentiate needs based on each and every scholar's requirements for success..

Director District No. 4

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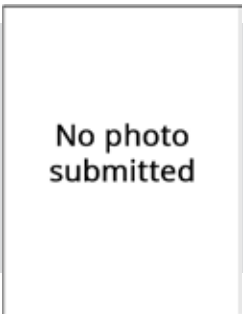
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Director District No. 3

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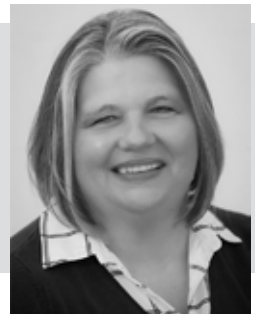
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Director District No. 4

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Education: Bachelor of Arts Degree in Communication, Mills College

Occupation: Freelance writer and editor.

Statement: A strong, vibrant school system is both a sign of a healthy community and a major contributor to that community's growth and prosperity. For many years, the Fife School District has been a beacon, attracting families to this community, and helping make this a great place to live. But that growth also brings challenges. We must balance the inevitable changes with a respect for the unique culture and traditions that make Fife such a great place to live and to learn. As a parent, I want to make sure our students continue to receive an education that will help them reach their highest potential. As a taxpayer, I want to make sure we are vigilant in our stewardship of public funds. As a board member, I will want to be active and present at our school events so I can hear directly from those we serve.

Director District No. 5

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Education: A. A. Degree-Selkirk College, Bachelor of Sciences-University of Alberta, Doctor of Chiropractic-University of Western States.

Occupation: Chiropractor, Small business owner.

Statement: I love being a member of the Fife School District. I currently have three children attending three different schools. Palmer attends Columbia JR High, Libby attends SLMS and Owen is at Hedden Elementary. Being a small, close-knit district allows our community to support one another, from the smallest preschool student to our graduating senior. Our demographics have changed since I became involved over eight years ago and I want to help Fife Schools navigate through these challenging times. Education is important and I am committed to serving the Fife schools the best that I can. As a small business owner I can bring fiscal responsibility and as a mother to three children currently attending Fife schools I can bring relevance to the board.

Director District No. 2

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Education: No information submitted.

Occupation: No information submitted.

Statement: I was born and raised in San Luis, Arizona to migrant field workers. I began working in social services and education 20+ years. I dedicated ten years to the Merced County (CA) Office of Education, 13 years to Child Care Resources and currently am employed by Puget Sound Educational Service District.

The vision I have long held is that the Highline School District should be working towards creating a world-class education system, providing students with the tools needed to succeed in the 21st century.

My priorities on the Highline School Board include: Academic success for all children regardless of their ethnic and social background.

Promoting pathways to improve the transition between early childhood, education and the school system, Supporting the College and Career Readiness efforts for *All* our children, while being inclusive of their families, Collaborative partnerships between school staff and parents that demonstrate inclusiveness and builds leadership within the academic institution.

I believe it is important to serve and regenerate our community.

Director District No. 3

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Education: Highline College- Criminal Justice / Des Moines Police Reserves Graduate

Occupation: Surgitrack Program Manager

Statement: As your *current* Highline School District Board Vice President, it has been an honor to serve our students, teachers and community.

Being an effective school board director involves listening to our community, translating your concerns into workable proposals, and building consensus to implement them. I couldn't do this job without the involvement and openness of the students, parents, teachers/staff, fellow board directors and the community I represent.

I would be proud to continue to serve you and your family, helping to provide safe schools, adequate facilities, outstanding teachers and staff, and an environment which is conducive to learning and preparing our youth for success.

Thank you for your support.

Director District No. 2

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Education: B.S. Applied Mathematics, Liberty University

Occupation: Coordinator, Eastside Human Services Forum

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.

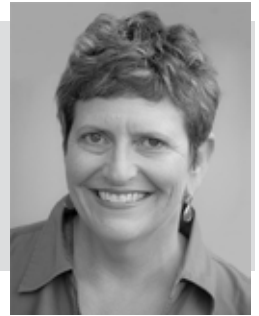
"All" means 'all' and that's all 'all' means." This was a statement I heard several times as a child. And, I've repeated it countless times with regards to the Issaquah School District. A key focus for our district is to ensure *all* students can access educational opportunities regardless of outside 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.

Director District No. 4

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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. 4

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Education: Bachelor's in Accounting; Master's in Accounting; Taxation; Brigham Young University

Occupation: Manager, OB Services, LLC

Statement: My family has happily been a part of the Kent School District since 1993, with four children that have graduated and a seventh grader.

My initial motivation to run was due to the April news from KSD regarding a spending freeze, soon followed that same month with the ban on international travel over immigration rules/equal access. If I taught in KSD, as a teacher, I would not appreciate a yearend spending freeze and, if a student, would certainly not appreciate a last-minute ban given that laws have not changed since June 2009.

Unfortunately, in February, KSD borrowed 10M from the Capital Funds Project (CFP), still instituted a spending freeze, then chose to cancel choir and music programs in some schools never being specific with regards to reasons or quantifying expected cost savings, never asked for parent input, changed the bell schedule, never communicating the issue or why this would solve such issue and, again, with no parent input. On top of it all, in July, the KSD, when no one was looking, borrowed an additional 15M from the CFP.

I would like to bring involvement back to the taxpayer and focus on teachers and giving them and students support.

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Education: BA Human Services and Business Management, MA Counseling and Executive Leadership

Occupation: Administrator, Auburn School District

Statement: The Kent School District needs a new approach and perspective to address issues that are ever present; unacceptable graduation rates, disproportionality in discipline practices, budget and funding challenges, and consistent achievement gaps in performance. Combined with a lack of communication and transparency when making substantial changes in policy, programming, and scheduling that affect our community and parents, it has become difficult to trust that the best interests of our children are the focus of district efforts.

We have dedicated teachers, principals, and support staff that continue to do their best for our children, not always having access to the resources and professional development they need. It can be difficult to educate students whose needs go far beyond what is taught in the classroom without providing adequate support. Adequate educational funding and its proper distribution is critical to improving student outcomes.

I have a history of leadership in supporting students inside and outside of the school building, working directly with parents and families, providing professional development, resources, and support to teachers and staff, and collaborating with other districts, city, and community organizations to provide regional education and change across the state. I will make a difference in our student outcomes!

Director District No. 5

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Education: Bachelor of Business Administration, Accounting | Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, Florida

Occupation: Accountant | Robert Half International

Statement: I believe in the American Dream— and know that hard work and a good education are the keys to a bright future. This has been my passion as a school board director and past tutor|trainer|volunteer in the Kent School District.

My priority has always been to increase academic excellence. Only a well-rounded and rigorous education will provide students with skills to get good jobs or go to college.

We have much to do to improve transparency so taxpayers can see if the district is making efficient use of public dollars. I pledge to work to strengthen communication between the district and community. The district needs to use every tool to help our stakeholders stay informed.

As a former business executive, I am committed to improving community and business partnerships so students and teachers have support and resources.

Among the honors received for my work, I have received the Golden Acorn award from the PTA and am endorsed by many community leaders and our Kent teachers' association. Living in Kent for 26 years, my husband and I are proud to have raised our son through Kent public schools. I would appreciate 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!

Director District No. 5

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Education: No information submitted.

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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Education: B.S. Education; M.S. Curriculum and Instructional Technology; Leadership WSSDA Graduate

Occupation: Learning Solutions provider for global corporations and nonprofits

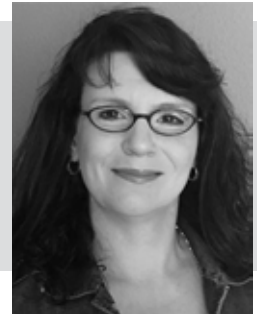
Statement: It is an honor to serve our community on the Riverview School Board. In my 11 years as a board member, our primary focus is student learning and academic success. In service of this mission we hired the best staff and leadership, including superintendent Dr. Smith. We delivered a balanced 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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Occupation: homemaker, community volunteer

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: Associate of Arts Degree, Bellevue College

Occupation: Office Manager, Tempres Technologies, Inc.

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.

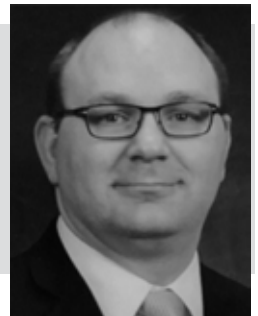
My demonstrated successes in fiscal management, visionary Board service, effective change management, inspirational community activism, and lifelong school and youth program volunteerism are indicative of the skills and passion required to serve TSD successfully.

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

Gregg MacDonald

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Occupation: No information submitted.

Statement: I am asking for your vote and support for Water Commissioner. I believe that experience matters. I have been a resident of the district since 1979 and have 35 years of experience in utilities maintenance. This provides me with a solid understanding of the issues that the district will face in the future such as development, population increase, water quality, and infrastructure rehabilitation. I believe problems and challenges are best solved with a solutions oriented approach and this is one of the reasons I am endorsed by Teamsters Union local #763 and local #174. I would be honored to serve you the customer, and also serve with the other Commissioners and dedicated staff to continue to provide the excellent service you have come to expect and deserve. Experience Matters. Thank You.

Steve Puryear

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Education: BA degree, Business Administration, Public Finance and Economics, Central Washington University.

Occupation: Retired Commercial and Business Banking; Senior management.

Statement: I was raised in the SeaTac area, my wife and I raised our three children near Fairwood. We moved to Maple Valley in 2009; a great community to enjoy.

After 43 years in the commercial banking industry, I retired but want to continue to serve my community.

The CRSW District is where citizens appreciate the beauty and purity of our surroundings and the quality of life. Part of that value resides in the guidance that our water commissioners have provided to insure that we all have clean, safe water. Our water is a valuable and limited resource that will continue to be sought by a growing population in our district. I will bring to this position a commitment to continue the CRSW legacy of clean water; and will use my management and negotiation skills to protect our precious water resources and help guide our water district with you in mind.

Commissioner Position No. 1

Kevin A. Fuhrer

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Education: Bachelor of Science - Accounting, Central Washington University

Occupation: Assistant Finance Director

Statement: *Dedication to Service*

An unwavering commitment to service has driven me since my days as a United States Marine to the present, serving as your Commissioner. It will remain a duty of the highest order.

Experience and Knowledge

Following appointment to the Board in July 2016, I put my 28 years of financial management and nine years of water industry specific experience to work for you. *The results - a zero percent water rate increase, elimination of the top summer consumption tier, and savings through significant reductions in the construction program.*

Fiscally Conservative

As your representative, I will vigorously scrutinize fees and operations to ensure we receive the highest value for our hard-earned dollars without sacrificing water system reliability or efficiency. Neither interest is exclusive of the other. Assessing the continued need for summer rates will be my point of particular emphasis.

Thank you for placing your trust in me.

Barry Knowles

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Education: I spent 7 years in military service and attended South Seattle Community College.

Occupation: I process drugs and narcotics for return or destruction.

Statement: I am known as a team player and a problem solver. I would be honored to serve as a commissioner. I was a General Contractor for over 17 years and I developed property including the planning and installation of utilities. I reviewed contracts and managed all sub-contractors on the jobs. Budgeting and strict cost management were my responsibility. As your commissioner. I will work as a team member to assure the community that our services are handled in an efficient, cost effective manner. I will work to insure that the water supply system feeding Covington is having the proper maintenance performed. I am the kind of businessman that would spend half my time in the office and the other half inspecting work, reviewing procedures and looking for ways to improve practices to provide clean wonderful healthy water at the lowest price to the consumer as possible.

Commissioner Position No. 4

Brad Lake

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Education: Ricks College(BYU Idaho), Green River Community College, Water Technology, Washington State Water System Management Certification/Education

Occupation: City of Kent Water Superintendent/Public Works Operations Manager, (Retired)

Statement: After working with large public water systems for 30 years, I have developed a deep commitment to community and public service. I know very keenly that water systems provide the lifeblood to communities, businesses, and homes like yours, that of clean, safe drinking water.

I have learned how hard it is when your water rates keep going up, making it difficult to raise a family or operate a business. I will work to get your rates back to a reasonable level, while ensuring that Covington Water District provides safe, reliable, good quality water and excellent customer service to each of you.

My experience and knowledge, combined with my strong commitment to customer service and making wise, balanced financial and management decisions, will help the Covington Water District be more efficient and effective in serving our community.

I would appreciate your vote, as I look forward to serving as your commissioner.

Jeff Clark

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Education: Human Resource Generalist-Green River Community College, Public Official Leadership Certificate and Mediation Certificate

Occupation: Strategic Adviser 3 (Labor Negotiator) at the City of Seattle

Statement: Jeff is running for office to insure the benefits of past investments by rate payers continue to allow the board to reduce or maintain current water rates as we did this year.

The District faces challenges as we move forward: controlling cost, environmental protection, emergency preparedness, development and maintenance of the infrastructure, and managing regulations from governmental agencies. Jeff will focus the district to operate in a responsible manner by utilizing current resource to meet these challenges.

Jeff experiences as a negotiator and commissioner allows him to find solutions to complex problems, identify opportunities for future cost savings, work with fellow commissioners to develop appropriate policy's and to collaborate with neighboring districts to find efficiencies.

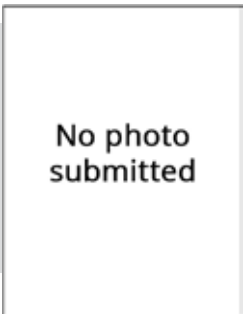
Jeff is committed to ensuring the district operates in a professional manner providing safe water and excellent customer service. Jeff looks forward to serving the public as a commissioner and would appreciate your vote.

Commissioner Position No. 3

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Commissioner Position No. 5

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Education: BA - Western Washington University, MBA - Oregon State University

Occupation: Human Resources Consultant

Statement: The Des Moines Pool Metropolitan Park District continues to improve the Mt. Rainier Pool – a treasured part of our community for over 40 years. As a Commissioner since 2010, I am pleased to have been a part of the effort to develop a plan for its future that is data-driven, responsive to community and partner input, sustainable, and makes responsible use of your tax dollars.

I've lived in Des Moines since 1984. I enjoy our waterfront location and atmosphere that makes our city unique. I am dedicated to applying the skills and experience from my 30-year career in human resources to making our community a better place. Together, we can ensure that our pool – one of our great public assets – will be maintained, improved, and accessible to all residents to enhance their health and well-being for year to come. With your vote, we can make a difference.

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Education: BA in Communications, Washington State University; AA degrees, Highline College and Tacoma Community College

Occupation: Highline College adjunct journalism professor; aquatics consultant and grant writer

Statement: In 2009, I insisted during the campaign to Save Mount Rainier Pool that we sugarcoat nothing. *Taxpayers deserve the facts.* Voters responded and we saved swimming. As a commissioner for five years I remained *committed to being honest with the taxpayers.* I resigned from the board to focus on getting more kids in the pool. I secured a \$25,000 grant to help low income kids learn to swim and to assure a steady supply of lifeguards who reflect the changing demographics of our community. That effort was killed as the current board undertakes three huge projects simultaneously: renovating the pool; changing the management model; and an aquatics feasibility study. Each project has problems, so they've hired a communications firm to "craft their message." Costs are skyrocketing but *they don't want taxpayers to know it.* Return me to the pool board and we'll *restore transparency* and concentrate on keeping swimming sustainable.

Commissioner Position No. 4

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Education: Bates Fire Service Training; South Puget Sound Community College; Dispute Resolution Mediator

Occupation: Over 20 years experience as a Labor Representative, Negotiator and Mediator.

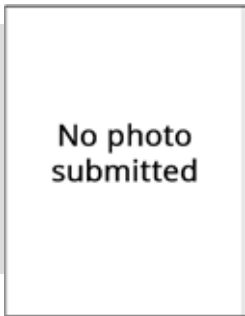
Statement: I began my career serving 16 years as a volunteer and paid firefighter/officer in Thurston County, with responsibilities that included risk assessment, budgeting, and planning. For more than 20 years, I have used my skills in representation, mediation and negotiations to work collaboratively with a broad range of state agencies to build group consensus to achieve successful outcomes on many difficult issues.

There are going to be some significant challenges facing the district in the next few years, as we identify how to best maintain service levels, while facing increasing responsibilities and a shrinking slice of the funding pie. It will take innovation and dedication to find solutions to these challenges and that community outreach and involvement are essential to our continued success. I believe that I bring unique experience, skills, and perspective that will be a valuable addition to the Board of commissioners. I appreciate your vote!

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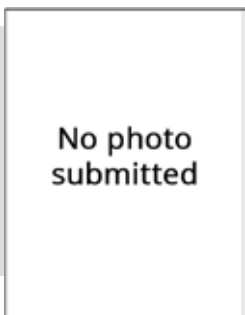
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Commissioner Position No. 6

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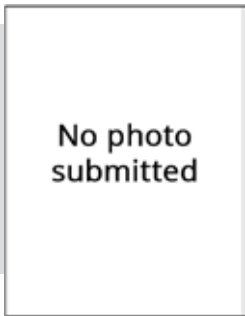


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Commissioner Position No. 1

Jenny Page

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Education: Highline High School, ITT Tech Associates in Electronics Engineering, and Bates Fire Academy

Occupation: Career Firefighter/EMT at Maple Valley Fire & Life Safety

Statement: As your newest Fire Commissioner, I will strive to make our community as safe as possible. Our citizens deserve the most reliable and responsive services provided by well-trained personnel, both from the career and volunteer ranks.

As a career firefighter, I bring the relevant experience of working collaboratively with Labor and Management. As a former volunteer at District 44, I appreciate the loyalty and resource of having strong volunteer/career relations. I'm aware of the demands and the constraints of today's Fire Service, and I will use my experience to help shape our future and honor our history. Transparency, integrity, and honesty are paramount when being trusted by the public to provide safety and deliver excellent community care.

I will be proud to represent the interests of our citizens through fair, unbiased, and trustworthy leadership.

Please vote Yes! Jenny Page for KCFD 28 Fire Commissioner Position # 1

Paul Fisher

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Education: Bachelor's degree in Biology, State University of New York at Buffalo

Occupation: Branch Sales Manager, Konica Minolta Business Solutions

Statement: As constituents who reside in King County Fire District 28's service area, *we deserve* a fire department we can be proud of; one that represents our values and is capable of delivering the fire and rescue services needed by our community. If elected, I will be a guardian of our tax dollars, ensuring they are invested wisely; resulting in a department that is highly trained, properly equipped and ready to respond.

I have lived in the Enumclaw area for over 25 years. My 3 children attended Elementary, Middle and High School here. As your Fire Commissioner I will be committed to ensuring Fire District 28 is equipped and ready to respond to the needs of our community today and in the years ahead.

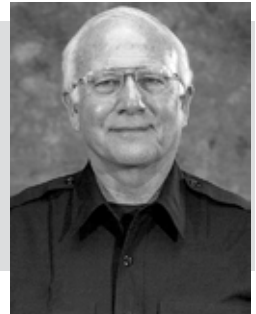
I would appreciate your vote. Thank you.

Commissioner Position No. 4

Jim Zoll

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Education: Bachelor's in Business Management, University of Redlands

Occupation: Chief of Police, City of Enumclaw

Statement: I was appointed Fire Commissioner in January 2016. I've had an extensive career in public safety since 1971 and have worked in partnership with Enumclaw Fire Department since 2004 serving as their Interim Fire Chief from 2007 to 2008. I have knowledge of the inner workings of the fire district and the fire department. I am familiar with the fire departments structure, including programs and projects, as well as their future needs and goals. I am a strong supporter of public safety as a single entity and believe in the total package of professional public safety services to the community.

I am experienced in governmental budgeting, disaster preparedness, planning, training, and maintain certificates in Executive Management. I am committed to encouraging innovation by establishing individual and organizational goals, developing and enhancing professional competency, managing resources effectively to provide a professional level of public safety services through commitment, integrity, and trust.

Commissioner Position No. 1

Todd Fultz

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Education: Gas Turbine Engineering, United States Navy (Great Lakes, IL)
Occupation: Sales / Special Project Management

Statement: Thank you for allowing me to currently serve as your Commissioner Position #1 at Highline Water District.

As President of the Highline Water Board of Commissioners, my mission has been to ensure that you, the District customer, are provided with the highest water quality at the lowest possible price. Demanding a high level of fiscal responsibility, I have helped guide the growth and environmental stewardship that all customers deserve. The District's infrastructure is well maintained and well positioned for the future.

Like you, I am a customer and have lived in the community for 14 years with my family. I currently serve our district through participation on the Washington Association of Sewer and Water Districts Governmental Relations, Technology, and Emergency Preparedness Committees.

If you retain me, I will continue to ensure your water needs are met through district planning, health/safety, and fiscal responsibility.

I ask for your vote.

Bryan Yager

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Education: Associate of Arts

Occupation: Data Analyst

Statement: I am standing for election as Water District Commissioner Position No. 1 because I strongly believe that clean, affordable water is a basic right and I have some idea of what being a Water District Commissioner entails. I am well versed in project management and I believe my interpersonal skills will allow me to help find common ground with my fellow commissioners.

I am a trained data analyst with a background in project management. I've lived in the area for over a year and I am politically active in my community.

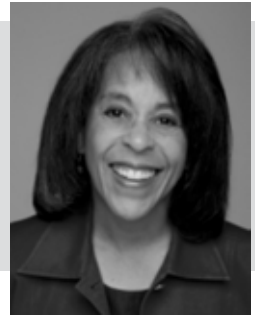
Thanks.

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

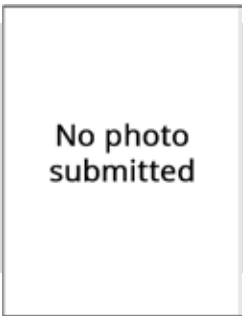
Statement: District 10 commissioners play an important role in ensuring highly effective fire protection and emergency medical services for our community. As neighboring cities continue to annex portions of District 10 it will be challenged to maintain service levels with a declining tax revenue base. 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

Marcus Morrell

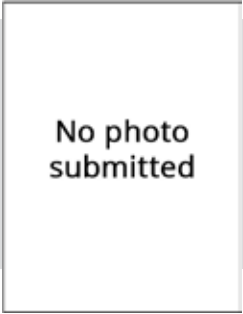
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Commissioner Position No. 1

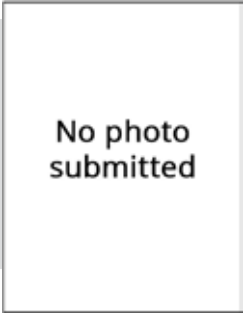
Gerry Bertellotti
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Commissioner Position No. 3

Paul K. Reckamp
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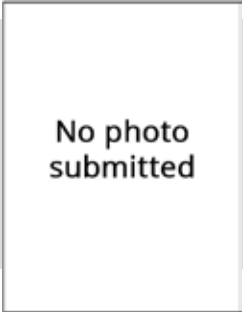
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Commissioner Position No. 1

Allan Barrie

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Education: University of Puget Sound, Tacoma, B.A., Business Administration
Occupation: Operations Manager, International Transportation, Kent
Statement: Thank you for supporting me as your Fire Commissioner since 2009.

Since appointed as a Commissioner in 2008, our District has evolved from a contract partnership with the Kent Fire Department to one of the original agencies forming the Puget Sound Regional Fire Authority. Your Commissioners comprise one half of the voting Governing Board.

I remain committed to the RFA Vision Statement: "The Puget Sound Regional Fire Authority is a Community partner, providing effective and sustainable fire and EMS services, that maximize the resources entrusted to us. to serve the needs of a changing community."

I will continue to support innovation to fulfill this Vision Statement by working with District residents, Commissioners, Governing Board members from Kent, Covington and SeaTac, the Citizens Advisory Committee, the dedicated leadership and staff of Puget Sound Fire to maintain and enhance our internationally accredited emergency services.

Please vote for Allan Barrie, Fire Commissioner

Commissioner Position No. 3

Margaret L. Harto

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Education: Early Childhood Education: Green River College, Seattle Central College,

Occupation: KCFD 37 Commissioner (2016-present); Puget Sound RFA Governance Board (2010-present)

Statement: Covington city residents and businesses and the surrounding community of unincorporated King County must be represented by someone with experience who is ready to make the commitment to serve. Since 1969, I've served my community as a citizen volunteer, city commission chair, and elected official. I served as an advisory member of the Puget Sound RFA Governance Board while mayor of Covington. In 2016, I was appointed to the KCFD 37 Position 3 vacancy. As your elected KCFD 37 Commissioner, I will serve as your voting member on the Puget Sound RFA Governance Board. I pledge to practice good stewardship in making budget decisions, ensure that we continue to employ and support outstanding professional fire service personnel, and actively advocate for you in developing future plans for the fire and life safety protection of everyone living and working in one of the fastest growing areas of King County.

Commissioner Position No. 1

Linda Sartnurak

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Education: BS degree in Business Administration

Occupation: Food Safety

Statement: I am proud to be a resident of the Fairwood community for 35 years.

For the past seven years, I have had the honor of serving as a commissioner for Fire District 40.

My continuing goal is to serve our community by ensuring that Fire District 40 continues to operate in a fiscally sound manner while providing top quality fire protection and lifesaving emergency care for all residents of Fire District 40.

I look forward to serving my second term as a Fire District 40 Commissioner and humbly ask for your support.

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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Maple Valley, WA 98038

No photo
submitted

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

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submitted

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!

No information submitted.

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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. 1

Byron Murgatroyd

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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

Patrick M. Hanis

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Education: Kentwood High School- 1991; Univ. of Washington- 1998; Gonzaga Law School- 2001

Occupation: Attorney

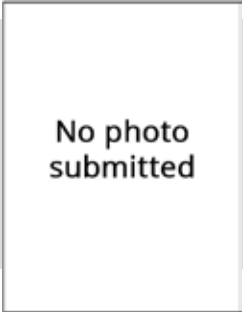
Statement: It's been my pleasure to serve as one of your water commissioners since 2004. My wife Sarah and our five children love our community and the opportunity to serve. My first post high school job in 1991 was working for you at the Water District: painting fire hydrants, maintaining wells, reading water meters, and learning District operations. As a Commissioner, we've kept rates reasonable and affordable. We successfully installed a filtration system to provide better water. We invest in water mains and facilities. We continue to plan and implement projects to keep the system reliable. We recently executed a 40 year agreement to provide for the Districts short and long term water needs, which results in millions of dollars of savings over the term of that agreement. Thank you for allowing me to represent you. I appreciate your vote and the opportunity to continue representing you in the future.

Commissioner Position No. 1

Leonard (Len) Englund

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No information submitted.

Commissioner Position No. 1

Vince Koester

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Education: AA, AAS Quality Control

Occupation: Small Business Owner

Statement: *Lowest Sewer Rates in Western Washington.*

I am proud to be your commissioner at Midway Sewer District. You can be proud of your management and staff at our district. They are fiscally responsible and customer oriented. I have been a resident of Des Moines for over Forty years and have owned my own business here maintaining some of the nicest retirement communities in the state. Thank you for your continued support.

Commissioner Position No. 1

Joanne Seng

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Education: Bachelor of Arts, Washington State University; Three years Graduate Studies

Occupation: Retired Public School Educator

Statement: I have served as a Mountain View Fire and Rescue Commissioner for the past six years. I understand how important it is for the safety of our community to have a highly trained and well-equipped Fire Department. The citizens of this district have a department in which we can all be proud. Our professional and volunteer fire-fighters are not only well-trained, but dedicated to their profession. It is a privilege to serve as one of our districts' fire commissioners. I will continue to focus my efforts and decisions on actions that provide Fire Protection; Fire Suppression; Emergency Medical Services and the protection of life and property to all the citizens of Mountain View Fire and Rescue.

Commissioner Position No. 3

Scott D. Currie

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Education: FEMA Basic Academy, Incident Command and Community Emergency Response; Citrus College Associate of Science.

Occupation: City of Auburn Emergency Management

Statement: I am honored to represent our community on the Board of Commissioners for Mountain View Fire and Rescue. My goal is to support effective fire and rescue services while we build capacity for the future needs of our neighborhoods.

A well-run fire district delivers a rapid response to residents' needs through emergency responders that are well-trained and properly equipped, with responsible budget management and proactive planning. As an area resident for 22 years, I am committed to serve our community. With 30 years of professional and volunteer experience in emergency management and communications, my proven track record has prepared me well. After a 32 year career with IBM, I began working in emergency management for The City of Auburn in 2012. I have been serving as fire commissioner since I was appointed in April 2017.

I look forward to continuing to serve District 44 as this community grows and thrives.

Commissioner Position No. 5

Al Hall

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Education: Various on-line college and over 35 military related courses

Occupation: U.S. Navy (ret), electrician for Weyerhaeuser, Coca Cola, Ball Metal

Statement: I have spent the majority of my time on some type of public service, whether in the U.S Navy (Retired E-8), Reserve Sheriff's Deputy Captain, Cub Master, Scout Master, or helping my fellow workers in Fire prevention and safety as Fire Chief for Weyerhaeuser Cascade Lumber Co.

My management experience would be vital in completing the mission as Commissioner. My ability to analyze budgets allows me to find needs or cuts in items not needed without sacrificing safety where dependability plays a vital role, whether personnel or equipment. I will be an effective steward of your public funds.

Being retired I will devote all the time needed to do the job as efficiently as my skills will allow. I am a regular attendee the Fire Board meetings.

Thank you for considering my qualifications for this position.

Don Gentry

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Education: HS, US Naval Nuclear Power School

Occupation: IT Manager, Puget Sound RFA

Statement: As the son of a career firefighter and a current civilian employee of an adjacent fire service organization, both my childhood and current professional career have be directly shaped by the fire service. I care deeply for the men and women who have dedicated their lives to this profession.

As your Fire Commissioner topics most important to me will be personal safety equipment, training, reliable apparatus (fire engines) and a sustainable budget to support all these things.

Safety Equipment: Quality personal protective clothing and reliable breathing apparatus is a must for all firefighters. Ongoing testing, inspection, repair as well as regular replacement is needed.

Reliable Apparatus: Engines and Aid Cars must be continually maintained. Long-range planning for replacements is needed.

Sustainable Budget: Fire service organizations more than ever need to be creative and strive to protect their budgets from local and regional economic change.

I would be honored to serve!

Commissioner District No. 1

Erin Aboudara

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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!

Pete DeLeyser

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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

Virgil Snyder

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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. 1

Steve Pfaff

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Education: Bachelor's Degree from Northwestern Oklahoma State University

Occupation: Retired Manager Gas Supply for Cascade Natural Gas Corp.

Statement: Steve has over 30 years of experience working for and with utilities, 10 years of management experience with Cascade Natural Gas Corporation and almost 6 years of active participation with various sewer and water organizations. He has a proven history of effective management, excellent customer service and has worked with federal and state regulatory agencies.

Steve and his wife Noell have lived in the Soos Creek Water and Sewer District for 20 years. His background of working for a utility and his management skills make him an excellent commissioner and retirement gives him the time to devote to being a Commissioner in order to preserve the tradition of excellent customer service while balancing the needs of the District.

Steve enjoys representing the communities in the District and serving as your Commissioner to find the most efficient solutions to the changing requirements and demands on Soos Creek Water and Sewer District.

Commissioner Position No. 2

Alan Eades

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Education: AA Degree, Bellevue College; Water Distribution Manager Certification; Wastewater Collection Systems Certification; numerous additional certifications

Occupation: Semi-retired; former Operations Manager, Soos Creek Water and Sewer District.

Statement: Alan is a lifelong resident of Washington and has lived within the Soos Creek District since year 2000. He and Kathy have been married for 36 years and have two children.

Alan has 26 years of experience as a Soos Creek Water and Sewer District employee, the last 14 years as the Operations Manager. He has extensive knowledge and experience in both the water and sewer sides of the utility industry.

As Operations Manager, his responsibilities included ensuring safe and clean water was delivered to Soos Creek customers and sewage was properly conveyed and discharged. He ensured your money as ratepayer was spent wisely by finding improved ways of managing the District's resources and implementing numerous projects to help the District reduce waste and increase efficiency.

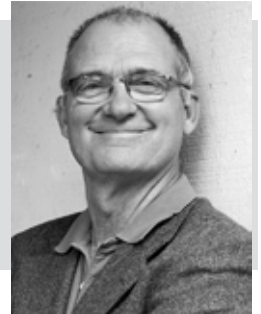
As commissioner, Alan will bring his background and professional expertise to aid the Board in making informed decisions. With each decision, the needs of the District will be carefully considered and balanced with the impact on ratepayers and the environment.

Alan is committed to ensuring water quality and safety, system reliability, and customer service for the people in the District. Alan looks forward to serving the public as commissioner and would appreciate your vote.

Merle Reeder

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Education: Associates in Arts & Sciences Degree, Shoreline Community College

Occupation: Project Manager/Salesman and Real Estate Broker

Statement: This spring I was honored to be appointed to the Soos Creek Water & Sewer Board of Commissioners. I ask for your vote to retain my seat.

My background in the construction industry gives me a fresh perspective to this position. Unlike my opponent, I am a customer of the Soos Creek Water & Sewer District, so I have a vested interest in the welfare of the district. Unlike my opponent, I do not serve on any other water/sewer boards, so there is no conflict of interest in serving on this Board. As a citizen who makes my living in the private sector, I serve other customers like me – hard-working individuals who want reliable, high-quality water and sewer services at reasonable rates.

Professionally, I have 40+ years in the commercial and residential building industries. I owned Reeder Brothers Construction, a general contracting firm, for 32 years, managing up to 35 employees. I currently work as a project manager/salesman for Northwest Roof Services in Kent. My wife Marti and I have lived in the Kent area for more than 20 years, and we enjoy being active in our community.

Supported by all current Commissioners, see www.facebook.com/retainreeder4soos for additional endorsements.

Commissioner Position No. 4

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Education: Cascade High Graduate Everett WA; Bates Tech College Fire Training Graduate; North Seattle/Tacoma CC

Occupation: Retired Seattle Fire Lieutenant, Retired Fire Chief Edgewood WA *Retired*

Statement: South King Fire & Rescue is at a cross roads which requires experienced elected fire officials to set and maintain the course for the next 10-15 years to address the growing demands for service and the growth in greater Federal Way and Des Moines. We need to hire a new Fire Chief in 2018. Need to build an additional fire station to better serve all the citizens and businesses in the fire district and to maintain our important Class 2 Fire Insurance rating!

My experience and leadership as a fire commissioner will enhance the fire districts ability to work the Strategic Leadership Plan and maintain the course to provide a long range stabilized funding source, top quality leaders, and delivery of quality professional services to the citizens and visitors to South King Fire & Rescue; something everyone in the fire district have come to recognize as providing the best bang for their buck with the dedicated focus on providing professional fire and emergency services to those in need!

Thank You for your support/trust in electing me as your Fire Commissioner to represent you in leading the way in the next chapter of 68 years of South King Fire & Rescue!

Commissioner Position No. 5

James A. Fossos

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Education: No information submitted.

Occupation: No information submitted.

Statement: James A Fossos was originally elected to the Board of Fire Commissioners of KCFD 26 in 1993, he was re-elected in 1999, and in 2005 and moving to our current Board of Fire Commissioners of South King Fire and Rescue. He was re-elected in 2011. Jim began his fire service career with the Seattle Fire Department in January of 1970 as a firefighter. Prior to becoming a Seattle firefighter, Jim served proudly as a US Marine in the Vietnam War. He has an associate degree from Seattle Community College in Fire Command and Administration and Supervisory and Management. Jim currently serves as Vice President of the Retired FireFighter's of Wasington. Jim was recently elected Deputy Vice President of the 1st Marine Division Association.

It is my honor and privilege to serve as your Fire Commissioner. South King Fire and Rescue leads the way In The Fire Service and I am extremely proud to be a member of this high caliber Fire Department that truly serves the many needs of the community we serve. When you call we will be there. James A Fossos jfossos@aol.com

Commissioner Position No. 5

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Education: Hunter College, The City University of New York

Occupation: Internet Developer

Statement: I spent my childhood summers swimming in community pools in my home town of New York City, a city built by generations of immigrants. I believe that public pools are among the greatest gems any community can have. I also believe that community pools should be a safe, welcoming, and healthy place for all. I'm running for this seat to help our pool continue to operate effectively and serve the needs of our entire community. Though this is my first time running for office, I believe I have useful experience to offer, as I spent most of ten years managing fundraising festivals for a Seattle nonprofit arts group, and also served on its board. Whether or not I win this seat, I look forward to many years of participating with the Tukwila Pool, its staff, and its members. Thank you for considering me for this position.

Aaron Shipman

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Education: Associates Degree, South Puget Sound Community College

Occupation: Electrician

Statement: After moving to Tukwila six years ago, my wife and I were excited about having a pool so close to our new home. As a new father, I was enthusiastic to share my love of swimming and aquatics with my child.

In High school, I was on swim team, worked as a lifeguard and swim instructor. After high school, I continued lifeguarding and upon receiving my Water Safety Instructor Certification I took over the swim lesson program increasing the revenue by a third.

Wanting to help our local pool succeed, I joined the Tukwila Pool Advisory Committee in which I am the current chair. I have also been on the hiring committee for the new Aquatics Manager and District Administrator. I actively volunteer at the Saturday events.

If elected I would like to bring my practical knowledge of pool safety and operations to better the policies of the district.

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 92.

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
www.YesOnProp1.com

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
Bonds to Construct New Classrooms and Replace and Renovate Aging and Deteriorating School Facilities - \$450,000,000**

The Board of Directors of Federal Way School District No. 210 adopted Resolution No. 2017-04, concerning a proposition to relieve overcrowding, replace aging and deteriorating schools, and enhance safety. This proposition would authorize the District to: rebuild Thomas Jefferson High School, Totem and Illahee Middle Schools, rebuild and enlarge Lake Grove, Mirror Lake, Star Lake and Wildwood elementaries; create a K-8 Olympic View school and renovate Memorial Stadium facilities, and undertake other capital improvements; issue no more than \$450,000,000 of general obligation bonds maturing within 25 years; and levy annual excess property taxes to repay the bonds, all as provided in Resolution No. 2017-04. Should this proposition be:

- 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: Greg Baruso,
Susie Horan
www.citizensforfwschools.org

Voting *Yes* for this bond addresses aging, deteriorating school facilities; overcrowding; and the need for enhanced safety district-wide.

The \$450 million bond will not increase taxes!

The time is now, and the need is urgent to begin addressing our facility needs. Across the district, 19 schools plus Memorial Stadium are 40 years or older. Our elementary schools are overcrowded by 1,000+ students and enrollment is on the rise. Modernized, technology-enriched classrooms support future ready scholars. We need more classrooms and we need to start now.

With your *Yes* vote, *All* schools will benefit from the School Construction Assistance Program (SCAP). This state funding addresses major maintenance needs, security enhancements at all sites, and the relocation of Mark Twain Elementary.

Your *Yes* vote for this bond will not raise taxes.

Federal Way Public Schools has a track record of fiscal responsibility and innovative programs. Great schools mean great neighborhoods and a prepared workforce. Join local businesses, parents, citizens of Federal Way, and community leaders in supporting a *Yes* vote for FWPS scholars. We believe in our community, our investment, *Their* future.

Explanatory statement

Passage of Proposition No. 1 allows the Federal Way School District to issue no more than \$450,000,000 of general obligation

bonds to alleviate elementary overcrowding, and replace or upgrade aging facilities and improve school safety features. The bonds will be repaid from annual property tax levies over a period of up to 25 years. This bond will maintain the current tax collections at their current levels of approximately \$2.05 per \$1,000 of assessed value. The exact levy rate shall be adjusted based upon the actual assessed value of property within the District at the time of the levy.

With 20 schools and facilities more than 40 years old, and our elementary schools housing 1000 elementary students over capacity coupled with an expected enrollment growth of 1% a year for the next decade, the School Board determined that there is an urgent need for the creation of new classrooms and the replacement of aging and outdated schools. These funds will be used for Thomas Jefferson High School, Totem and Illahee Middle Schools, Lake Grove, Mirror Lake, Olympic View, Star Lake, Wildwood elementary schools, Memorial Stadium and other facilities district wide.

The District anticipates receiving approximately \$90,000,000 in State assistance, to be used to relocate Mark Twain Elementary, provide for major maintenance in other schools, and upgrade security at all locations. For additional information see <http://www.fwps.org/bond>

Exemptions from taxes may be available to certain homeowners. For more information, please call the King County Department of Assessments 206.296.3920.

For questions about this measure, contact: Kassie Swenson, Chief of Communications and Strategy
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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
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

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.

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.

Full text of Ordinance No. 18555

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.

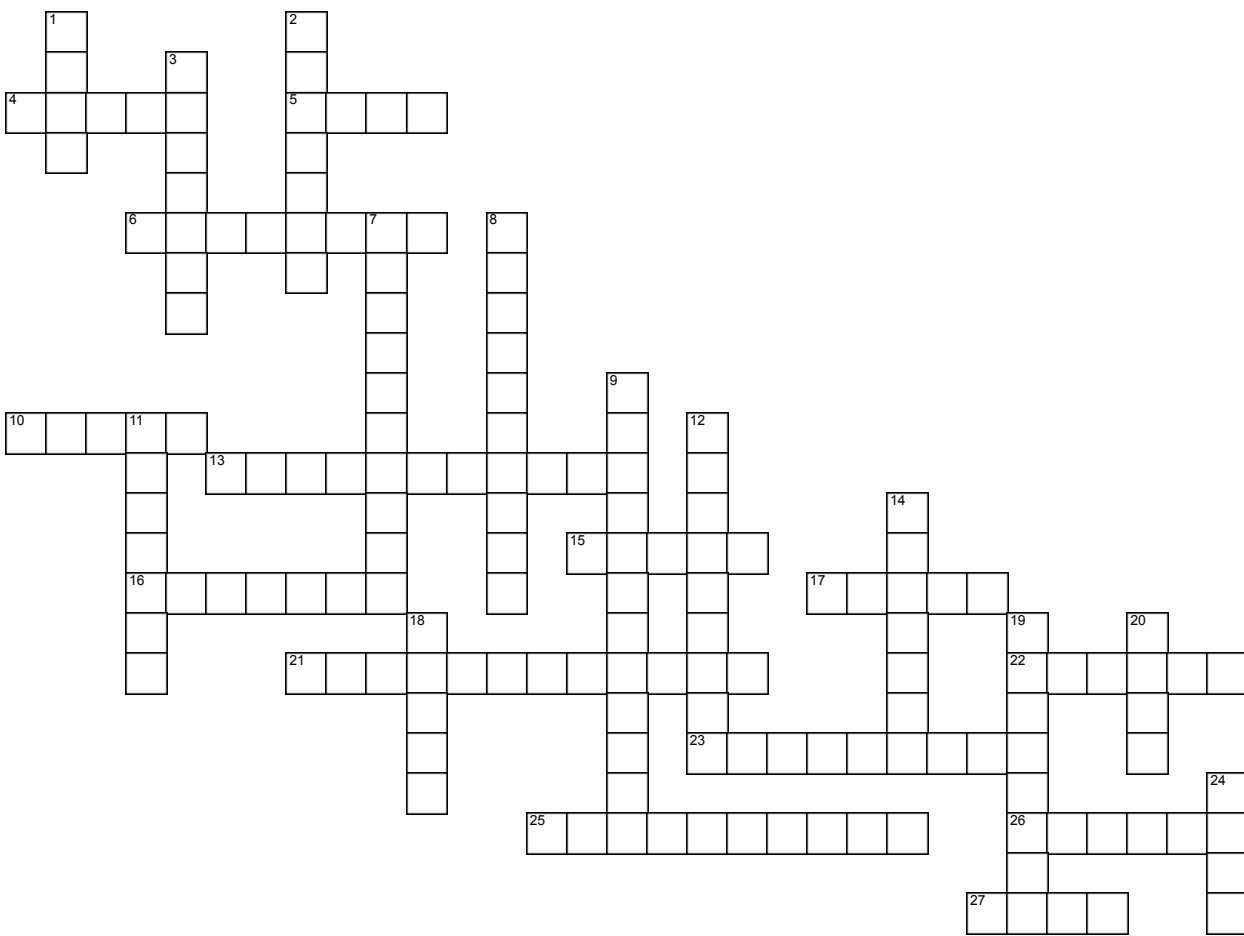
SECTION 11. Severability. If any provision of this ordinance or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of the ordinance or the application of the provision to other persons or circumstances is not affected.

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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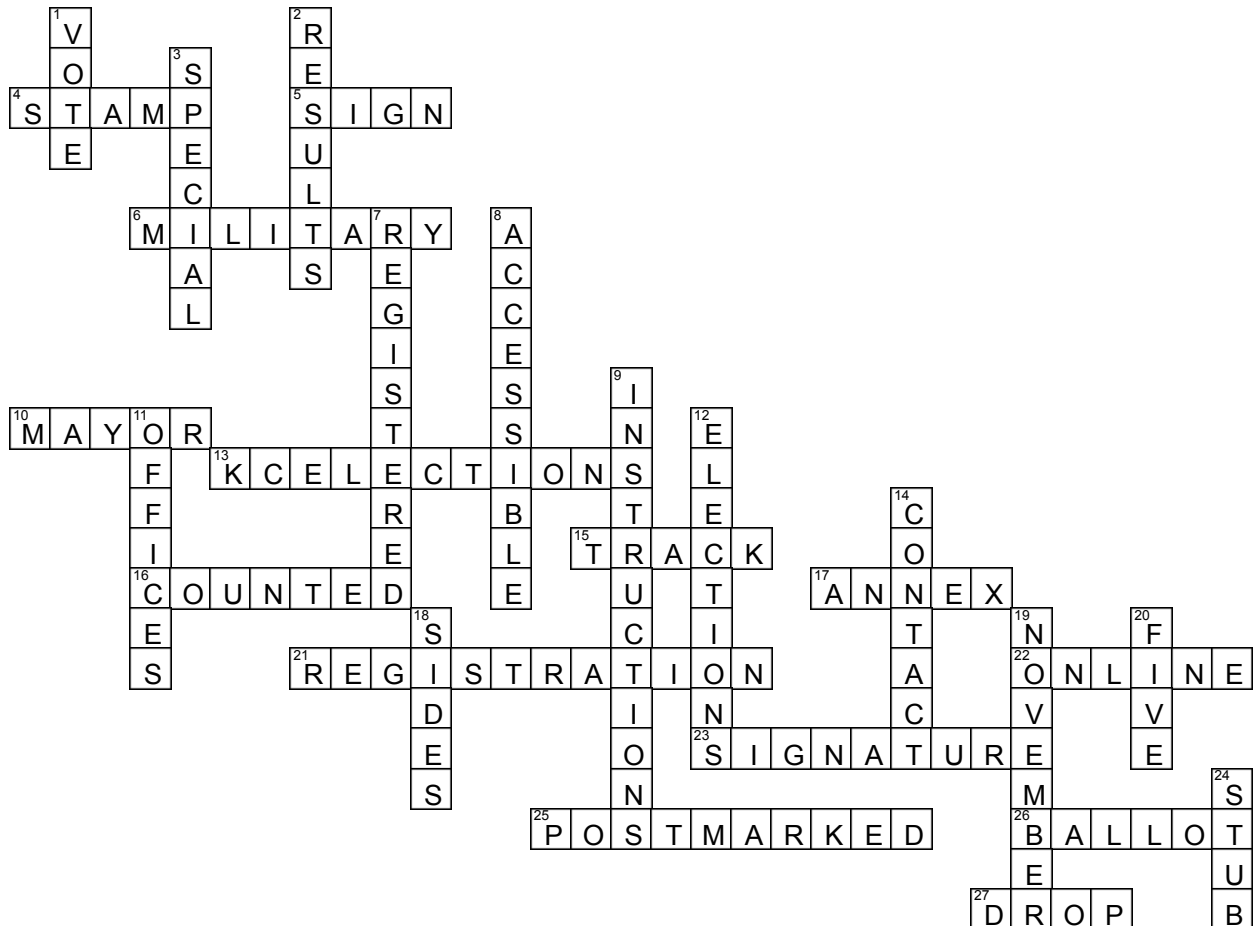
1. You can _____ and return your ballot as early as the day you receive it.
2. _____ are posted at 8:15 p.m. on Election Day and updated daily until the election is certified.
3. A fire district is a _____ purpose district.
7. King County has over 1.24 million _____ voters.
8. Voters who may need assistance 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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Results will continue to be updated until the election is certified on November 28. The results posting schedule is also available on our website.

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