

Whatcom County Official Local Voters' Pamphlet

Primary Election

Tuesday, August 4, 2020

Act Early, Vote Safely



Ballots are mailed July 15th, if your ballot hasn't arrived by

July 24

contact the Election Division.



Make sure your ballot gets counted! Return your ballot:

- in a ballot drop box by 8:00 pm August 4th **OR**
- in the mail, postmarked by August 4th

See page 40 for more information.



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Dear Voters,

This Primary is an important election in which voters will decide the top two candidates who will appear on to the General Election in November. All of the state offices are on this primary ballot, including the Governor's race with 36 candidates. Your vote matters.

COVID has changed the way we live with face masks, social distancing and limited entry into stores, restaurants and offices. The good news is you don't have to come in to the Auditor's office to cast your ballot, it can be deposited in mail (postage paid) or in one of the 18 drop boxes throughout the county. You may also avoid coming to the office to register to vote or update your registration as long as you take care of it by July 27th. After that date, state law requires that you come to the office In-Person.

Check your voter registration now by going to VoteWA.gov. By entering your name and your birthdate you can find your voter registration information. If your name or address needs to be updated you can do it from that site. If you are not registered to vote, you may do that online as well as long as you have a Washington State driver license or state ID card. You may also print off a voter registration form from the Auditor's website at www.whatcomcounty.us/1574/Elections. If you prefer, you may contact our office by email at elections@co.whatcom.wa.us or by phone at (360) 778-5102 to verify your voter registration.

If you are registered to vote and have not received your ballot by July 24th please contact the office so we can issue a replacement ballot.

Are you ready to vote? Avoid parking, lines, face masks and social distancing – register or update your registration now. Then, once you get your ballot – vote! This is an important election.

Sincerely,

Diana Bradrick
Whatcom County Auditor



A special thanks to Election Tools for the use of the icons in this pamphlet (electiontools.org)

Whatcom County Auditor's Office - Election Division

In-Person Voting Center for Election Services

July 15th to August 4th

While Whatcom County is still working to slow the spread of COVID-19, you are encouraged to continue following all social distancing guidelines if you visit us in-person. We are limiting the number of individuals in the office, and everyone is required to wear a face mask and maintain a 6 foot social distance.

The Auditor's Office is here to help you through the election. Please call or email us before you visit in-person.

Services available:

- Register to vote, or update an existing registration
- Replacement ballots, if original is lost or damaged
- Accessible Voting Unit
- Ballot drop box, closes at 8:00 pm on August 4th
- On August 4th our office is open until 8:00 pm

Hours

Monday - Friday
8:30 am - 4:30 pm

Open until 8:00 pm August 4th

Location

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Bellingham, WA 98225

Phone



360-778-5102

Email

elections@co.whatcom.wa.us

Fax

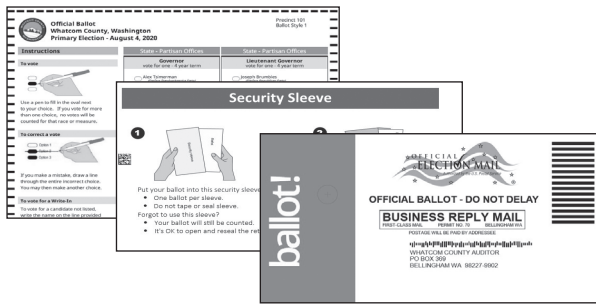
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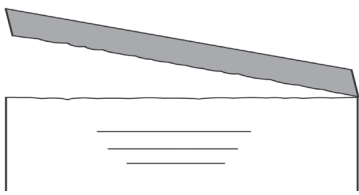
1. The ballot packet for the August 4 Primary Election will be mailed to you on July 15. The packet will include your official ballot, a security sleeve, and a return envelope.



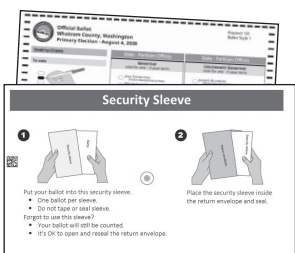
2. To vote the ballot, fill in the oval next to your choice with a blue or black pen. Vote for only one in each contest.



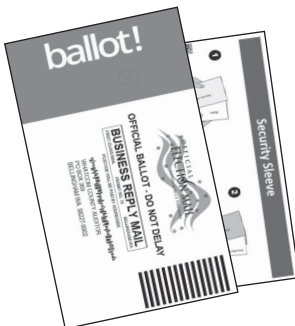
3. Remove the stub at the top of your ballot. *If you forget to remove the stub, your ballot will still be counted.*



4. Place your voted ballot into the security sleeve. *If you forget the security sleeve, your ballot will still be counted.*



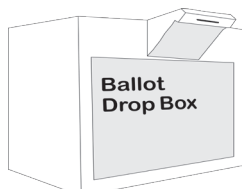
5. Put the ballot/security sleeve into the return envelope and seal.



6. Sign and date your return envelope. **Your signature on the return envelope is required for your ballot to be counted.**



7. Return your ballot to the Whatcom County Auditor's Office in a ballot drop box or mail. See page 40 for more information on returning your ballot.



Ballot must be in the drop box by 8:00 pm, August 4

Or



Ballot must be **postmarked** by August 4



To register to vote, you must be:

- A citizen of the United States;
- A legal resident of Washington state for at least 30 days prior to election day;
- 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 felony conviction.

Primary Election Registration Deadlines:



July 27: Deadline for voter registration and address changes online or by mail.

July 28 - August 4: Visit our office in-person to register to vote or update your registration in time for the August Primary.

How to register or update your address:



Online at **VoteWA.gov** if you have a current Washington State driver license or ID card.



Complete and return a Washington State Voter Registration form. Registration forms are available at city halls, libraries, and on our website. You may also contact the Election Division to have a form mailed to you.



In-person at the Whatcom County Auditor's Office, Election Division: 311 Grand Avenue, Suite 103.



Participating Jurisdictions

The districts included in the August 4 Primary Election are as follows: 1st and 2nd Congressional Districts, Washington State, 40th and 42nd Legislative Districts, Whatcom County Superior Court, and Fire Protection District 18.



Not all districts on this Sample Ballot will appear on your ballot.

Only the races that you are entitled to vote on will appear.

READ: Each candidate for partisan office may state a political party that he or she prefers. A candidate's preference does not imply that the candidate is nominated or endorsed by the party, or that the party approves of or associates with that candidate.

Federal - Partisan Office

U.S. Representative Congressional District 1 vote for one - 2 year term

Suzan DelBene
(Prefers Democratic Party)
Steven Skelton
(Prefers Libertarian Party)
Robert Dean Mair
(States No Party Preference)
Matthew Heines
(States No Party Preference)
Justin Smoak
(States No Party Preference)
Derek Chartrand
(Prefers GOP Party)
Jeffrey Beeler, Sr.
(Prefers Republican Party)

Write-In

U.S. Representative Congressional District 2 vote for one - 2 year term

Timothy S. Hazelo
(Prefers Republican Party)
Tim Uy
(Prefers Trump Republican Party)
Kari Ilonummi
(Prefers Republican Party)
Rick Larsen
(Prefers Democratic Party)
James Dean Golder
(Prefers Republican Party)
Carrie R. Kennedy
(Prefers Republican Party)
Cody Hart
(Prefers Republican Party)
Jason Call
(Prefers Democratic Party)

Write-In

What is a Sample Ballot?

A Sample Ballot shows all the contests in the election. Not all contests will be on your ballot.

To view a list of districts that you live in and are eligible to vote in, visit www.VoteWA.gov

Candidate Statements in this pamphlet will be printed in the order they appear on this Sample Ballot.

Notice for Partisan Offices appearing in the Primary Election:

In each race, you may vote for any one candidate listed. The two candidates who receive the most votes in the Primary will advance to the General Election.

Each candidate for partisan office may state a political party that he or she prefers. A candidate's preference does not imply that the candidate is nominated or endorsed by the party, or that the party approves of or associates with that candidate.

State - Partisan Offices

Governor vote for one - 4 year term

Alex Tsimerman
(Prefers StandupAmerica Party)
Phil Fortunato
(Prefers Republican Party)
Ryan Ryals
(Prefers Unaffiliated Party)
Leon Aaron Lawson
(Prefers Trump Republican Party)
Henry Clay Dennison
(Prefers Socialist Workers Party)
Tim Eyman
(Prefers Republican Party)
Liz Hallock
(Prefers Green Party)
Goodspaceguy
(Prefers Trump Republican Party)
Omari Tahir Garrett
(Prefers Democrat Party)
Don L. Rivers
(Prefers Democratic Party)
Martin L. 'Iceman' Wheeler
(Prefers Republican Party)
Raul Garcia
(Prefers Republican Party)
Tylor Grow
(Prefers Republican Party)
Winston Wilkes
(Prefers Propertarianist Party)
Brian R. Weed
(States No Party Preference)
Thor Amundson
(Prefers Independent Party)
Gene Hart
(Prefers Democratic Party)
William (Bill) Miller
(Prefers American Patriot Party)
Matthew Murray
(Prefers Republican Party)
Dylan B. Nails
(Prefers Independent Party)
Cameron M. Vessey
(States No Party Preference)
David W. Blomstrom
(Prefers Fifth Republic Party)
Anton Sakharov
(Prefers Trump Republican Party)
Craig Campbell
(States No Party Preference)
Nate Herzog
(Prefers Pre2016 Republican Party)
Cregan M. Newhouse
(States No Party Preference)
Ian Gonzales
(Prefers Republican Party)
Cairo D'Almeida
(Prefers Democratic Party)
Elaina J. Gonzalez
(Prefers Independent Party)
Jay Inslee
(Prefers Democratic Party)
Joshua Freed
(Prefers Republican Party)
David Voltz
(Prefers Cascadia Labour Party)
Joshua Wolf
(Prefers New-Liberty Party)
Loren Culp
(Prefers Republican Party)
Richard L. Carpenter
(Prefers Republican Party)
Bill Hirt
(Prefers Republican Party)

Write-In

State - Partisan Offices

Lieutenant Governor vote for one - 4 year term

Joseph Brumbles
(Prefers Republican Party)
Jared Frerichs
(Prefers Libertarian Party)
Ann Davison Sattler
(Prefers Republican Party)
James R. Rafferty
(Prefers Democratic Party)
Marko Liias
(Prefers Democratic Party)
Matt Seymour
(Prefers Libertarian Party)
Michelle Jasmer
(Prefers Democratic Party)
Bill Penor
(Prefers Republican Party)
Richard (Dick) Muri
(Prefers Republican Party)
Denny Heck
(Prefers Democratic Party)
Marty McClendon
(Prefers Republican Party)

Write-In

Secretary of State vote for one - 4 year term

Ed Minger
(Prefers Independent Party)
Gentry Lange
(Prefers Progressive Party)
Kim Wyman
(Prefers Republican Party)
Gael Tarleton
(Prefers Democratic Party)

Write-In

State Treasurer vote for one - 4 year term

Duane A. Davidson
(Prefers Republican Party)
Mike Pellicciotti
(Prefers Democratic Party)

Write-In

State Auditor vote for one - 4 year term

Joshua Casey
(Prefers Democratic Party)
Chris Leyba
(Prefers Republican Party)
Pat (Patrice) McCarthy
(Prefers Democratic Party)

Write-In

Attorney General vote for one - 4 year term

Matt Larkin
(Prefers Republican Party)
Mike Vaska
(Prefers GOP Party)
Brett Rogers
(Prefers Republican Party)
Bob Ferguson
(Prefers Democratic Party)

Write-In

Vote for only one in each contest or measure.

You are not required to vote for every race or measure.

Your vote will be counted for the races and measures you do vote on.



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State - Partisan Offices

Commissioner of Public Lands vote for one - 4 year term

- Cameron Whitney
(Prefers Republican Party)
- Steve Sharon
(Prefers Republican Party)
- Hilary Franz
(Prefers Democratic Party)
- Kelsey Reyes
(Prefers Libertarian Party)
- Maryam Abasbarzy
(Prefers Republican Party)
- Sue Kuehl Pederson
(Prefers Republican Party)
- Frank Wallbrown
(Prefers Democratic Party)

Write-In

State - Partisan Offices

State Senator Legislative District 40 vote for one - 4 year term

- Charles Carrell
(Prefers Republican Party)
- Elizabeth (Liz) Lovelett
(Prefers Democratic Party)

Write-In

State Representative Legislative District 40 Position 1 vote for one - 2 year term

- Debra Lekanoff
(Prefers Democratic Party)

Write-In

Whatcom Superior Court Nonpartisan Offices

Judge Position 2 vote for one - 4 year term

- James Erb
- Evan Jones
- Lisa Keeler

Write-In

Judge Position 4 vote for one - short & full 4 year term

- David E. Freeman
- Carl Munson
- Jim Nelson

Write-In

State - Nonpartisan Office

Superintendent of Public Instruction vote for one - 4 year term

- Ron Higgins
- Maia Espinoza
- Stan Lippmann
- David Spring
- Dennis Wick
- Chris Reykdal

Write-In

State Representative Legislative District 40 Position 2 vote for one - short & full 2 year term

- Alex Ramel
(Prefers Democratic Party)
- Russ Dzialo
(Prefers Republican Party)

Write-In

State Representative Legislative District 42 Position 1 vote for one - 2 year term

- Luanne Van Werven
(Prefers Republican Party)
- Alicia Rule
(Prefers Democratic Party)

Write-In

State - Partisan Offices

Insurance Commissioner vote for one - 4 year term

- Anthony Welti
(Prefers Libertarian Party)
- Chirayu Avinash Patel
(Prefers Republican Party)
- Mike Kreidler
(Prefers Democratic Party)

Write-In

State Representative Legislative District 42 Position 2 vote for one - 2 year term

- Jennifer Sefzik
(Prefers Republican Party)
- Sharon Shewmake
(Prefers Democratic Party)

Write-In

Fire Protection District 18

Proposition 2020-12 Restoring Regular Property Tax Levy

The Board of Fire Commissioners of Fire Protection District 18, Whatcom County, Washington, adopted Resolution No. 2020-01 authorizing a regular property tax levy of \$1.00 per \$1,000. This proposition would authorize the District to restore and maintain its regular property tax levy to \$1.00 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation for 2020 and thereafter subject to any otherwise applicable statutory dollar rate limitations. The dollar amount of this levy would be used for the purpose of computing the limitations for subsequent levies under RCW 84.55.050. Should this proposal be approved?

- Yes
- No

Precinct Committee Officer Partisan Office

For this office only: In order to vote for precinct committee officer, a partisan office, you must affirm that you are a Democrat or a Republican and may vote only for one candidate from the party you select. Your vote for a candidate affirms your affiliation with the same party as the candidate. This preference is private and will not be matched to your name or shared.

Precinct XXX

- Candidate 1 - Party
I affirm I am a XXXXXXXXX
- Candidate 2 - Party
I affirm I am a XXXXXXXXX



Accessible Voting Unit

An accessible voting unit (AVU) is equipped with visual and audio technology. Voters requiring reasonable accommodation or assistance may vote on the AVU in the Auditor's Office starting July 15.





Congressional District 1 - U.S. Representative - Partisan Office - 2 Year Term

**Suzan DelBene***(Prefers Democratic Party)*

Elected Experience: United States Representative, 2012-Present. Ways and Means Committee and Select Committee to Modernize Congress.

Other Professional Experience: Successful career as a businesswoman and entrepreneur. Former Microsoft executive, led local high-tech startups. Former Director of Washington's Department of Revenue, where I led efforts to simplify the tax system and help small businesses.

Education: B.A., Biology, Reed College; M.B.A., University of Washington.

Community Service: I've mentored students at UW Business School; been active in my church, serving as a board member. Volunteered with the PTA, Girl Scouts and YWCA, supporting transitional housing, job training and services to help families get back on their feet.

Statement: During this pandemic, families across the 1st Congressional District are struggling and concerned about the future. Now more than ever, we need strong leadership that's focused on helping those in need, protecting health and safety and restoring our economy. As your Congresswoman, I am determined that we come through this difficult stretch stronger than ever. My focus is on putting partisanship aside and delivering results.

The first known COVID-19 case struck in Washington State before anywhere else.

President Trump denied the threat and wasted precious time. By contrast, I moved quickly, securing funds to backfill state and local public health accounts. Washington State immediately received over \$11 million, with continued ongoing support. I also advocated for employee retention tax credits to keep an estimated 60 million people employed with benefits. They were incorporated into the pandemic relief Heroes Act.

As the economy reopens we face an uncertain recovery. We need smart, decisive action to restore our economy. My background as a successful businesswoman and entrepreneur means I understand how to bring businesses back and create jobs.

My proposal to expand child tax credits, which could reduce child poverty 38 percent, has been incorporated into pandemic relief legislation. I also developed provisions, adopted last year, to make the process of applying for financial aid easier for students. I've pushed to expand farmers' access to markets, improve access to broadband, and to increase the supply of affordable housing.

My core values remain unchanged. As I have done from the day I took office, I'll protect Social Security, Medicare and a woman's right to choose. I have endorsements from Democratic groups, labor, local leaders and many others.

The fallout from this pandemic is challenging, but I'm committed to putting people back to work and preserving the middle-class. I ask for your support.

For More Information:

(425) 483-1500

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**Steven Skelton***(Prefers Libertarian Party)*

Elected Experience: None

Other Professional Experience: Mr. Skelton is a consultant specializing in the business development of solo and small-partnership legal firms.

Education: A graduate of Lafayette High School in MO, Mr. Skelton is self-educated in the fields of economics and communication

Community Service: Along with his wife, Mr. Skelton founded and operates the Snohomish Longhouse, a nonprofit providing meals, clothing, showers, and companionship to anyone in the community who needs it. This ministry represents his libertarian commitment to private charity by bringing together families from all backgrounds and socioeconomic levels for a shared meal ... and valuable community interaction breaking down the class barriers that separate us.

Statement: The primary declaration of my campaign is that the Democrat/Republican regime in Washington D.C. is irredeemable; they have abandoned responsible governance. We must instead elect third-party citizen legislators.

Washington's jungle primary system makes that possible: together, we can defeat the Republican in the primary, then face only the Democrat in the general election. There will be no "splitting the vote" concerns.

Despite the partisan warfare, there is zero difference between the major parties on the issues that matter. Both parties spend more on our military than Russia, China, and the next 14 largest militaries combined. Both parties post our troops around the globe where they cause more harm than good. Both parties have spent us to a \$25 trillion national debt, adding \$2 trillion more every year in deficit spending. Both parties have printed trillions of our dollars, destroying our savings and putting us in peril of Venezuelan-style currency collapse.

If you want debt, war, corruption, and scandal ... you can safely vote for either party. They will both deliver.

The Libertarian Party offers a different vision. We believe the armed forces exist to defend our country and its citizens from attack, not to police the world and participate in proxy wars on the other side of the globe. We believe the government should spend responsibly, no more than it takes in.

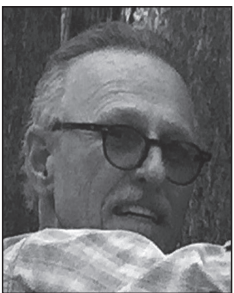
The founding fathers called the House of Representatives "the people's house." It was meant to be filled with citizen legislators. It was never meant to be run by career politicians. For too long, our district has been a second vote for Speaker Pelosi, as our representative is her loyal foot soldier, voting with the Speaker 100% of the time this Congress. It is time to return dignity and responsibility to our federal government.

For More Information:

(314) 614-9284

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**Robert Dean Mair***(States No Party Preference)*

Elected Experience: I was elected to precinct committee officer.

Other Professional Experience: I have volunteered on political campaigns.

Education: I have an Applied Science degree in HAZ-MAT and a Bachelor of Science degree in Environmental Management.

Community Service: I'm active in bicycling in my community

Redmond WA The Bicycle Capital of the Northwest. I joined the USMC during the Viet Nam war 1970 and was honorably discharged.

Statement: I'm retired and believe we all need to make an effort to change the direction of our society towards an egalitarian country. I'm running on money out of politics and not asking for donations. I am unbought and unbosomed. The wealthiest people in the world live in the first congressional district of WA I plan to have these people fund a plan to save our planet.

For More Information:

No Information Submitted

**Matthew Heines***(States No Party Preference)*

Elected Experience: Student Government Sequim High School

Other Professional Experience: Military U.S. Army 82nd Airborne (Infantry) Certified Teacher : Washington State, University Lecturer; Sultanate of Oman Ministry of Higher Education, Military Trainer; Saudi Arabia (Northrop Grumman/Raytheon) Author: *Heinessights, The Rainier Paradigm, Killing Time in Saudi Arabia, Deceptions of the Ages, My Year in Oman,*

Another Year in Oman. Podcast: *Encounters USA*; Companies: Heinessight Enterprises, Store 2 U Express

Education: (Diploma) Sequim High School, (BA) Washington State University, (MA) University of Alaska, Anchorage

Community Service: The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, American Legion

Statement: *The Future is What You Make It*

Thank you dear hero for giving of your time to vote. I'm Matthew Heines and for you, a poem I wrote. It's about why you should check the box next to my name, That way, things will never be the same.

In 2016, I ran on my plan called Real Deal, We were facing so many problems it would make a nun steal. Since that time, Congress has stabbed us in our backs, Making a bonanza for dirty lawyers and their political hacks. Politicians put on puppet shows to justify their existence, While the hateful media covers up their malfeasance.

Of all we suspected before we know now to be true. If you ain't got no money, America don't care about you. The rich use racism, keeping the working poor in check, With hateful media, low wages and never ending debt. They manipulate you by pictures, songs and false words, But when the election is over, your voice is not heard.

Thanks to this virus, you got poorer while the rich took it all. They live in splendor, your back's against the wall. They make you wear masks and stay penned like hogs, While they sit in their mansions doing interviews with dogs. These politicians, they love to talk about their money. They show you their ice cream and they think that's funny.

Well, I'm Matthew Heines and I'm running for Congress. As a teacher, all of my life, I had to make do with less. To the millionaire incumbent we all have just one thing to say, "You've done enough damage, now get out of our way!" The future is what we make it, but we must read the signs. This sign says "Great future ahead, if you Vote 4 Heines."

For More Information:

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vote4heines.com



Congressional District 1 - U.S. Representative - Partisan Office - 2 Year Term *Continued***Justin Smoak***(States No Party Preference)***Elected Experience:** No information submitted**Other Professional Experience:** Engineering Manager, Samson Rope; Prior to this I was on the senior operations management team for a US based precious metals producer with operations on three continents, and began my career working as a blasting supervisor in an underground salt mine.**Education:** B.Sc, Mining Engineering from Virginia Tech; BA, Economics from Virginia Tech; M.Eng. Mineral Economics from The University of the Witwatersrand (South Africa)**Community Service:** Present on STEM topics at schools and universities across the nation; church youth group leader; Player, treasurer, coach and referee, Chuckanut Bay Athletic Association (Rugby); Volunteer with Boys and Girls Club and Ferndale Chamber of Commerce**Statement:** American politics and politicians no longer serve ordinary citizens like you and me. They lack the collaborative mindset of striving and sacrificing together toward a common goal, a mindset that we instill in our youth, our teams at work, and the non-profit and civic organizations where we serve. As an independent, your vote for me is a mandate to work towards positive incremental change with anyone willing to put the

interests of Washington State and America first.

There is always common ground to be found, especially on issues that divide us the most. My stance on any issue is informed and guided by my understanding of the facts in light of our shared American identity and values. We are resilient, compassionate, and kind. We cherish fairness, justice, the rule of law, and our Constitutionally protected liberties, as both originally written and later refined by the courts. We honor and commit to care for those who serve and protect our communities and our freedom. We root for the underdog and love redemption stories. We nurture the lives, well-being, and health of our families and all others in our community. We desire equitable ways to leave a better world, environmentally and economically, for future generations. We eagerly prepare for a future that will be fundamentally changed by innovation; innovation that must benefit us all, not just the few. We reject elitism, sexism, racism, and discrimination.

As an engineer, executive, board member, coach, mentor, neighbor, and friend, I have spent my life serving others, solving problems, building consensus, cutting through bureaucracy, and getting the job done; all in alignment with our American values. If you share this vision and these values, and desire to see them triumph over base partisanship and negativity, I ask for your vote and your support.

For More Information:(360) 223-1331
www.smoak2020.com**Derek Chartrand***(Prefers GOP Party)***Elected Experience:** President of the Washington Trucking Association (Supplier's Conference) 2009-2011.**Other Professional Experience:** Successful career as solutions provider in the technology/telecommunications and Environmental industries. Earned top recognition as both an individual contributor and collaborator with internal and external partners.**Education:** UC Berkeley, Diablo Valley College, Bellevue College, Lake Washington High School, 1986.**Community Service:** PTA member and volunteer at Lake Washington High School and Rose Hill Middle School. Watch D.O.G.S (Dads of Great Students) in class mentoring volunteer; Attends Antioch Bible Church in Kirkland; former multiyear volunteer coach of Redmond West Little League Baseball, resulting in a League Championship. Volunteer on campaigns of other candidates.**Statement:** Hi, My name is Derek Chartrand and I am working hard to represent you in Washington's 1st District. Born in Bellevue and raised in Redmond, I have called beautiful Western Washington Home for over Four decades.

Today, politics need to change or we will get what we don't want: unresponsive, out of touch "career" politicians whose main goal is to fund-raise to get re-elected. Politicians

should work for and be accountable to You, the voter. To that end, I Derek Chartrand pledge to serve you the voters and limit my term to no more than 8 years in Congress so fresh ideas have the chance to grow. I will work hard fostering relationships that will bind our similarities and celebrate our uniqueness to ensure all of us can pursue Our "American Dream."

Campaigning and driving part time for Uber the last 2 years, I have heard from thousands of voters. Your voice matters!

The cornerstones of my campaign are Common Sense and Civility. Let's make our country a kinder and gentler Nation. We are blessed to be Americans and we need to radiate that message. As a compassionate capitalist I'm mindful of our planet.

My first plank of my platform is education reform. We can improve the economy and help the middle class by providing training for trades jobs that are critically low such as electricians, fabricators, plumbers and truck drivers, and enhance STEM for our 21st Century economy.

I will use my talents and ability to work across party lines to ensure everyone in the first district feels like their children and grandchildren have a realistic path to "Their" futures success. Join me in using Common Sense and Civility in Washington DC as I ask for your vote to represent you! Together we can make a difference!

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https://chartrandforcongress.com**Jeffrey Beeler, Sr.***(Prefers Republican Party)***Elected Experience:** Sultan City Council 2009 - Present, Puget Sound Regional Council Transportation Policy Board 2014 - 2015, LEOFF1 Board 2016 - Present, Precinct Committee Officer 2019 - Present.**Other Professional Experience:** Successful Small Business Owner 1988 - Present, Substitute Bus Driver 2018 - Present.**Education:** Graduated Mariner High School 1987, Attended Shoreline Community College 1987 - 1988.**Community Service:** Monroe YMCA Basketball Coach 4 years; Multiple Youth Programs Within My Church; U.S. 2 Safety Coalition Board Member 2007 - Present; President HOA 2019 - Present.**Statement:** As a small business owner, HOA President, and Sultan City Councilmember I have broad experience managing budgets, taxes, and regulations. I have learned how to faithfully represent my community's diverse perspectives, served as its watchdog against wasteful spending, and helped our city achieve its highest bond rating.

Congress is supposed to represent you and work to solve the problems that matter most. Immigration remains broken, Social Security runs out of money by 2035, and our national debt grows by Trillions of dollars every year. It's also clear our nation needs to become more self-reliant, manufacturing more vital goods here and not sending jobs and money overseas.

You deserve a fair, efficient, and effective tax system that supports entrepreneurship, job creation, and everyday taxpayers, while fulfilling societal needs and core responsibilities such as infrastructure - bridges, highways, rail lines, and our power grid. Responsible infrastructure investment may have prevented the I-5 Skagit River Bridge collapse. As a board member of the US 2 Safety Coalition, I was instrumental in acquiring over \$200 Million in safety improvements to our rural highway. I will bring this type of experience to Congress.

I will fight any attempts to weaken or destroy your constitutional rights, especially our 1st Amendment - freedom of speech, assembly, religion, the press and our 2nd Amendment - your right to bear arms to protect yourself and those you hold dear. We should especially serve and lift up our veterans and military families who have sacrificed for all these freedoms.

Finally, I believe that serving in Congress should be a short-term privilege, not a career, with the goal of restoring America to its founding values - a land where everyone has equal opportunity to experience the richness of life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness. I humbly ask for your vote.

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Legislative Districts 40 & 42



Congressional District 2 - U.S. Representative - Partisan Office - 2 Year Term

**Timothy S. Hazelo***(Prefers Republican Party)***Elected Experience:** Precinct and County Republican Delegate.**Other Professional Experience:** 20 year US Navy Veteran. Forward Operating Base Site Manager Afghanistan, Combat Aircrewman U.S. Navy, Aviation Instructor U.S. Navy and Boeing, Chief Financial Officer Best Care Homes Inc, Registered Investment Advisor IAI International, Self Employed World Financial Group and A+ Mortgage, Functional Test Technician Boeing**Education:** AAS Marine Maintenance Technology Skagit Valley College, Management and Leadership U.S. Navy – Embry Riddle University, Survival, and Combat Training U.S. Navy, Studied Government Skagit Valley College, Studied Computer Science Skagit Valley College – Central Texas College**Community Service:** Youth Football Coach, Holiday House/toys for tots volunteer.**Statement:** As a retired Navy Combat Aircrewman, corporate businessman, and involved citizen, Tim wants to bring the people's perspective back to DC. Tim recognizes Americans deserve accountability and a leaner government that prioritizes upholding the Constitution and serving its citizens. He will work for the People of the 2nd Congressional District, not for lobbyists or PACS.**Economy:** Tim believes the more government gets out of the way, the better our economy gets. A strong private sector economy is the greatest way to keep America strong

and independent. As Reagan once said, "Government is not the solution to our problem, government is the problem."

America must no longer depend on importing our essentials from other countries. This recent pandemic has shown how vulnerable we are to China for medicine, essentials, and other goods. Bringing manufacturing back to our country creates more independence, jobs, revenue, and security for all Americans.

Health Care: America has the best health care in the world! We should all be able to afford it by reducing unnecessary regulations and frivolous litigation. Opening health insurance across state lines will free up the capitalist marketplace creating competition and competitive rates. Private insurance brings choice and Americans deserve the ability to choose what is best for them or their business.**Immigration:** Immigrants have always added to what makes America great. However, our immigration system is broken. America has the right and responsibility to enforce the laws that work while changing those that don't. Tim will work to reform the laws that need adjusting, advocating for legal immigration, and work permits utilizing a merit-based system ensuring America welcomes self-supporting individuals that will not depend on your tax dollars to live.

Tim loves WA and his life here, he will represent us while living among us and asks for your vote.

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**Tim Uy***(Prefers Trump Republican Party)***Elected Experience:** I am *not* a 20-year career politician, but a fellow American who will bring a fresh voice to Congress. I propose that congressmen should have a *self-imposed* limit of three terms with no pension and no perks; your congressman should focus on *service over self-interest*.**Other Professional Experience:** President, Sycamore Corporation (property management); Founder and President, Loqu8 Inc. (learning software); Principal, Gig8 (cryptocurrency consultancy)**Education:** Bachelor of Science, California Institute of Technology; Ph.D., Applied Physics, Stanford University**Community Service:** I am currently in training as a volunteer firefighter pending full certification, whereupon I will be regularly performing on-call duty**Statement:** Trump orchestrated the greatest economy in more than 50 years. As jobs boomed, I found myself literally hiring people off the street. Then, communist China wrecked it. But the sky is not falling. Trump brought back the American dream once, and he will do it again, *bigger and better*.

Democrat "representatives" wasted four years pushing the Russian collusion hoax, staging a phony impeachment, and ripping up the State of the Union. Do not give them another day of partisan obstruction.

Let Congress get back to work.

Elect me. I will drop everything, go to D.C., and support every legislative action that helps Trump succeed, so we all prosper again.

I am an American. You are an American. We put men on the moon. We land rockets right-side-up like Buck Rogers. We do not accept "the new normal." We choose greatness. Let us "Make America Great Again"!

In closing, a precious truth: "Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends." "But God commendeth his love toward us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us."

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**Kari Ilonummi***(Prefers Republican Party)***Elected Experience:** No information submitted**Other Professional Experience:** Ran for public office six times, three for U.S. House. Volunteered for the reelection campaign of our former state representative. Only candidate running for any office in all of the entire great State of Washington to receive three personally hand-signed letters, of support, with 'best wishes,' directly from the president himself.**Education:** Washington State University Master Gardener program, paralegal**Community Service:** Assisting/volunteering my time for free, with the active coronavirus relief class-action lawsuit, pertaining to the loss of revenue, employment & other damages to our citizens. Contact my email for joining our class-action lawsuit.**Statement:** We have a liberal, democrat, majority government, including twenty years of my dear opponent in office and how's that working out for you these days Mr. & Mrs. Washington State? With a 2020 clear vision, it's obviously not. We have an exponential increase in poverty, crime, violence, homelessness, hard drug usage/overdoses, mental illness, despair, suicides, along with prices of housing, food and prescription drugs. Making ends meet every month isn't getting any easier. It's clearly not about political party or partisan politics, everyone knows this isn't working out.

I am an independent-minded, Christian, who believes in Jesus, conservative,

republican, who actually voted for a democrat back in 2016 for president and now supported by this president himself, as we have learned to know and even like one another through time.

I am for: the constitution, freedom, sovereignty, military & family. My father served twenty years in the U.S. Air Force within the departments of the strategic air command, nuclear, special operations and fighter fighting, from 1965-85.

Keeping nature clean from pollutants, including the air, water and ground, are the key to a prosperous future and that is simply indisputable, yet, we absolutely, also, have to protect private property & water rights for citizens as well. If we remove lifetime tenure and impunity for federal judges & set term limits for members of congress, we will start to finally see justice be served.

Against: gay marriage, abortion, common core, comprehensive sexual education of children at public schools, increasing taxes, fake news, taking away freedom, the government keeping your jobs closed.

It wasn't the current president who meddled, colluded, with foreign powers, in a failed attempt to try to steal the 2016 Election, it was the former president from 2009-17, and yes, he should be impeached for that.

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**Rick Larsen***(Prefers Democratic Party)***Elected Experience:** I began trying to make a difference through public service on the Snohomish County Council, and today, it is my privilege to serve as the Representative for Washington's 2nd Congressional District.**Other Professional Experience:** I was previously employed by the Port of Everett and the Washington State Dental Association.**Education:** I graduated from Pacific Lutheran University in Washington state and have a master's degree from the University of Minnesota.**Community Service:** My parents were an important influence on me, encouraging me to be involved in my local community. Their encouragement continues to be a motivation for my service to our communities.**Statement:** It is an honor to represent the 2nd District. I am inspired by the strength and resilience of workers, families, students and small business owners across Northwest Washington, whose experiences drive me to fight for an economy that works for everyone.

In our region, that means bringing middle class families better jobs and higher wages, and addressing the economic impact of the COVID-19 pandemic. I am focused on putting the middle class and workers first, fighting climate change and protecting our environment, increasing access to health care and protecting the right to vote.

To compete in the changing global economy, we must invest in education and skills training. I am committed to making it easier and more affordable for workers to go back to school, and for students to get the education they need. I also support bringing science, technology, engineering, arts and math (STEAM) education into our classrooms.

A healthy environment is important to our region's economy and way of life. It is my priority to address the impacts of climate change, ensure the U.S. transitions to clean renewable energy and environmental sustainability, and protect our lands, water and wildlife.

Fighting for middle class families and workers also means expanding access to high-quality affordable health care. I am focused on ensuring veterans get the care they need, lowering prescription drug costs and supporting protections for pre-existing conditions.

I was born and raised in Arlington, and my family has called this region home for more than 100 years. I am committed to building an economy that creates more jobs and opportunities for all. If you feel the same, I ask for your support.

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Congressional District 2 - U.S. Representative - Partisan Office - 2 Year Term *Continued***James Dean Golder***(Prefers Republican Party)*

Elected Experience: Republican Precinct Committeeman. Previous State Legislator for eight years. Previous Chairman Ways and Means Committee and Business Committee. Previous State Chairman "George Bush for President" Committee. Presidential Advisor and appointee in Washington D.C. Life long dedicated Republican Activist. Extensive experience as a semi-professional campaign worker starting with Governor Dan Evans.

Other Professional Experience: Financial Advisor, Real Estate Appraiser and owner of several businesses. Manager 4000 head feedlot.

Education: Juris Doctorate, UPS and University of Notre Dame.

Community Service: Previous President and current Treasurer Harris Custer Water Association, Past President Oak Harbor Friends of the Library, Past member Oak Harbor Library Board. Past President local NAIFA

Statement: I believe Congressman Rick Larsen is doing a good job representing the progressives in this district. I am a Republican and I will represent a different constituency. I believe it is time for a change and a shift to a more conservative approach.

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**Carrie R. Kennedy***(Prefers Republican Party)*

Elected Experience: Never held politically elected position. Command requested, appointed, during DesertShield as a Command Ombudsman.

Other Professional Experience: Most jobs performed with military affiliated organizations, companies. Extensive experience as administrative assistant. Assistant manager, buyer, construction quality control manager, construction contacts specialist assistant, procurement clerk, ER-Ambulatory intake clerk, central cashier, bookkeeper, state liquor control clerk, sales clerk, wife and mother.

Education: Monterey Peninsula College, A.A., College of the Redwoods. Attended various satellite colleges, universities furthering employment knowledge and interests.

Community Service: Volunteer in social services programs; detention facility, Navy Family Service Centers, Girl Scouts, school parent volunteer, domestic violence advocate, political activist.

Statement: *We The People, America First*, Washington State, District 2 deserve a new voice, a fighter for our district. Today's Democratic Party has morphed into socialist agendas which do not represent American values, beliefs. America has gained too much to allow overreaches of career politicians voting straight party line. *The Forgotten*

Washingtonians of District 2 and our great America deserve better, and I am the woman willing to fight for you! *Can Do!*

Having no elected political experience, I believe, *We The People* must stand up and run for political offices overtaken by people who do not respect nor uphold our U.S. Constitution, or even understand America. Laws subverted, abused by some, their decisions imposed on *us*, have forgotten they were elected *By The People*. I am a defender, advocate for our Constitution, Bill of Rights, Rule of Law, and Justice for All, not just a select group based on political agendas. As your Representative, *For The People*, I will faithfully uphold my oath of office with truth, honesty, and integrity.

Moving our country and district forward, working with an administration to economically achieve a stronger Washington, I will work diligently to secure what is in the best interest of our citizens *first!*

I would appreciate your vote, support as I will fight for our future. I'm very proud to be an American, U.S. Navy Seabee wife, mother, daughter of naval officer, friend and ambassador for our way of life, home and abroad. It would be a great honor and privilege to be *your* voice. God bless our great Washington state, USA, and each of you, my fellow Americans. Your vote and support would be most appreciated. Thank you.

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**Cody Hart***(Prefers Republican Party)*

Elected Experience: After years of serving the community I am a first-time candidate for public office.

Other Professional Experience: Licensed Washington State Professional Engineer (PE), American Public Works Association (APWA) Committee Co-Chair, United States Navy

Education: After attending Skagit Valley College, I graduated from the Oregon Institute of Technology with a Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering.

Community Service: From a young age, my parents and grandparents taught me the importance of serving my community. I am most proud of my active duty service in the United States Navy at Naval Air Station Whidbey Island that included deployments to the countries of Japan and Turkey.

Statement: As a proud father, Navy Veteran, business owner, and Professional Engineer I am confident I can use my unique background to better address the challenges our region and country are facing.

I offer my unique experience identifying hundreds of millions of dollars of waste, fraud, and abuse in our regions infrastructure system to those who want real accountability. As your U.S. representative, I will be committed to ensuring all our tax dollars are used wisely, waste is eliminated, and government is held accountable.

Discrimination against minority and veteran owned businesses is real and needs to be stopped. As I have shown occurring in our own state, I know what to look for and I will stand against it.

Especially in this unique time, the middle class and small businesses need help. As a small business owner, I am committed to helping the middle class and supporting small businesses.

Government needs oversight and my top priority will be to ensure government is working for the people and not for itself. As I have shown by my tireless reporting of fraud across our state government, I will hold corrupt politicians everywhere accountable. Just as importantly, our district needs to be represented by someone who is not another extension of California partisan politics but instead, someone who truly represents Washingtonians' belief in fairness and who will work others, regardless of political party for a better America.

I am proud to call northwest Washington my home, proud to raise my family here, but sad to see the direction things are headed and truly believe I have the unique background needed to make things better. By supporting me you are supporting accountability, fairness, and rejecting partisan politics as usual – I ask for your support.

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**Jason Call***(Prefers Democratic Party)*

Elected Experience: Washington Democrats State Committee (4yrs); Marysville Education Association (3yrs); WEA Rep Assembly (4yrs) Endorsed by: Our Revolution; WA Democrats Progressive Caucus; 10th LD, 38th LD, 44th LD and Island County Democrats; Sunrise Bellingham; SnoCo DSA

Other Professional Experience: 18 year high school mathematics teacher, primarily Mukilteo and Marysville Schools.

Education: BA Political Science ('94) University of Washington; BA Education ('99) College of Santa Fe; Master's of Education ('04) UWBothell; 1 year PhD work at UW Education Curriculum & Instruction (no degree)

Community Service: 30 years of activism and organizing in climate, healthcare, and antiwar action

Statement: I am the only Progressive candidate seeking to represent Washington's 2nd Congressional District.

We're faced with crises that must be addressed immediately. Millions of Americans have no healthcare. Millions more have insurance too costly to use. I support Medicare For All which eliminates all out of pocket costs for healthcare, including dental, vision, hearing, mental health, and longterm care. COVID-19 proves the need for nonprofit healthcare to effectively address health crises, ensuring everyone can see doctors when

they need to without fear of financial burden on themselves and their families.

I will champion the Green New Deal resolution to eliminate carbon emissions, invest in renewable, sustainable energies, and create millions of good paying jobs. I support a federal jobs guarantee that provides economic security to displaced workers in the new Green economy. Our extensive coastline and volcanic Cascades will allow us to lead the nation and world, tapping tidal and geothermal energy sources and scaling back the cutting of our forests in favor of ecologically sound, renewable resources for paper, fiber, and oil.

It's time to eliminate homelessness, end systemic racism, cancel student debt, provide free college and vocational training, reduce military spending, and eliminate endless war. I will strive to ensure living wages for all workers, eliminating tax loopholes and offshore havens for corporations. We need to eliminate the Social Security cap. We need to institute a wealth tax, raising the income tax rate on extreme wealth to ensure the tax burden is fair.

As a parent and teacher of teens, I understand the hopes and fears of young people encountering a vastly different world than the one I grew up in. I've been an activist and educator my whole adult life. I humbly ask for your vote.

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State of Washington - Governor - Partisan Office - 4 Year Term

**Alex Tsimerman***(Prefers StandupAmerica Party)***Elected Experience:** None**Other Professional Experience:** Business, Business consultant and Caregiver for my mother.**Education:** College, University, Master degree in Engineering & Management

Community Service: Won class action in 1997 for housing discrimination, included HUD. Won a very unique class action in 2015 against DSHS for stealing \$100 million from 50,000 people. Speaking over 3,000 times in many council chambers about local government corruption and to restore our right to life, liberty and pursuit of happiness. Alex Tsimerman has received over 12 trespasses for a total of more than 1,200 days from going into the Demo-Nazi-Gestapo Council Chambers. StandUP America and join him!

Statement: Standup! America First! Live Free or Die! Stop Seattle / King Fascism with idiotic face. A One party system is always Fascism. They are all war criminals!

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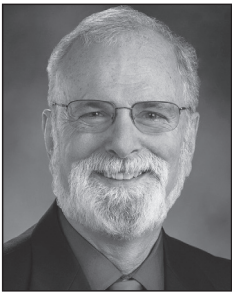
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Vote for Trump and Alex Tsimerman to bring Washington and America back to common sense of, by and for the people!

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**Phil Fortunato***(Prefers Republican Party)***Elected Experience:** 31st District State Senator Appointed 2017 elected 2018; 31st District State Representative 2016; 47th District State Representative 1998**Other Professional Experience:** Environmental training and consulting, International trade in Europe & Asia, Contractor for 40 years, Founding director & first president of the Pacific NW Erosion Control Assoc.**Education:** Cook College of Agriculture, Rutgers University - Landscape Architecture**Community Service:** Phil has been married for 44 years. He has 5 children, 3 of whom are decorated U.S. Marines Corps veterans. Knights of Columbus - 4th Degree, Project Rachel, Fraternal Order of Eagles, Sons & Daughters of Italy, Liberian Association of WA

Statement: Our state is at a crossroads. Washington faces rampant homelessness fueled by mental illness and addiction, out-of-control spending, a lack of adequate funding for transportation, the human tragedy of the opioid crisis, and now COVID-19. Whoever you elect as governor faces an \$8 billion shortfall. This is not a time for on the job training.

I am the only candidate with executive private-sector and legislative experience. I have an in-depth knowledge of budgetary issues and the effects cuts have on education and the most vulnerable, especially veterans, seniors and the disabled. I want to put

taxpayers first, restructure state spending, reduce regulations and the size of state government. We can avoid massive tax increases or cuts to critical services that affect those most in need and I am the candidate to do that.

You can check my voting record and see the bills I've sponsored that address the problems we face like homelessness, public safety, mental health, transportation and the environment. I fought against the kindergarten sex ed bill, opposed needless tax increases that just grow government, and voted against policies that hurt your family.

Four years ago, the incumbent repeatedly promised not to raise taxes, only to sign \$25 billion in new taxes this year. Now, his inconsistent response to COVID-19 has caused untold economic and social devastation to families and small businesses around the state. As your next governor, I will be fair and transparent.

We must bring our state together. An urban-centric approach to governing which ignores the needs of rural Washington and our diverse economy, like agriculture, is not good for the state as a whole. Check out my comprehensive plan, the Blueprint for Washington. It refocuses state government to put the people back in charge, not special interests.

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**Ryan Ryals***(Prefers Unaffiliated Party)***Elected Experience:** As a campaign manager, I have helped many candidates with their successful campaigns, but I have not previously run for office.**Other Professional Experience:** Business owner in Washington for the past 20 years. Created several million-dollar companies from scratch, in both retail and service industries.**Education:** Green River College, University of Washington**Community Service:** Director of the Chamber of Citizens, member of Mensa, former Planning Commissioner for the City of Maple Valley, creative consultant for Civility Solutions, which provides civility training to police departments, businesses, and schools nationwide.**Statement:** It's about to get even more complicated.

The next governor is facing a multibillion-dollar budget shortfall, widespread unemployment, a virus that will be with us for a while, plus lingering resentment over the shutdown. The next governor of Washington is going to need a skill set that we have not seen in politicians before.

This is not the time for angry ideologues. This is not the time to hire someone who

uses this office as a steppingstone for their next job. This is the time for good management, servant leadership, real diplomacy, and complete indifference to partisan political fights.

The next governor needs to minimize the pain, so you don't notice it, and be completely transparent about what your government is doing. *Your government should be invisible when you don't need it, and readily available when you do.*

When one of my businesses suffered an 80% drop in sales due to a search engine change, I had tough choices to make. The answer wasn't to simply cut expenses, raise prices, and complain about taxes. Creative and unusual ideas were what saved that company and made it #1 in its industry nationwide. The next governor needs to be this creative, must value freedom and personal responsibility, preserve liberty and real justice for everyone, and must be a true representative of the people; not a lifelong politician.

I am running for governor to be your servant; to be the manager you hire to work on its greatest financial challenge. I am running to introduce creativity, efficient design, transparency, and diplomacy to state government. As a business owner, my entire job is making sure our customers and employees are served well. With your vote, your next governor will have that same obsession for serving you.

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**Leon Aaron Lawson***(Prefers Trump Republican Party)***Elected Experience:** I grew up in Shelton WA. I created a family business in 2011. I have *never* been in politics. If your indented outcome for this election is complete restructure from the ground up; I am the obvious choice. I have dealt with the negligent Bureaucracy, Tortious interference, the lack of training and oversight of this state for years.**Other Professional Experience:** WWG1WGA**Education:** Shelton High school Class of 1994; POL**Community Service:** Despite years of being treated like a criminal, by the criminals; I continue to rise above and remain an asset to my community. I work to provide services to families and citizens of Washington.

Statement: I was treated like a criminal growing up because I chose Marijuana over prescribed pharmaceuticals. But now the state picks and chooses who is allowed to sell and grow marijuana with its unconstitutional Lottery. decriminalize it and stop the states

theft. I am a small business owner who was targeted and attacked by the corrupt and negligent powers of the current administration. In 2017, they ran me out of business, *slandered* me to customers and made false reports about me cooking meth. I asked, *even begged* them for help, but they just deepened their attack. but I am from Shelton a street fighter and because of our current President and the transparency, I was able to request and receive FOIA. I found out *exactly* what they were doing with overwhelming evidence. I taught myself law and represented myself *ProSe*. I took the state to the courts and won Thurston county superior court case 19-2-01200-34. I promise to fight and remove the corrupt levers of power that control our state; and I know where the Fraud and waste is going. So, I re-opened my store and started this grass roots campaign to take our state back. I trust the people of Washington to think for themselves and trust themselves, so I know you have my back. I have people who know me in every city in this state. We will change the levers of power together and turn the tide on the ones that tried to make us criminals. WWG1WGA, so, I can't lose. We will change it from the tippy top.

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State of Washington - Governor - Partisan Office - 4 Year Term *Continued***Henry Clay Dennison***(Prefers Socialist Workers Party)***Elected Experience:** No Information Submitted.**Other Professional Experience:** Rail worker and a member of the SMART-TD union. Eighteen years as a union coal miner in West Virginia and Alabama. Twenty-five years in other warehouse, manufacturing, construction, and retail jobs.**Education:** Life as an industrial worker confronting capitalism's deepening economic, social, and moral crisis.**Community Service:** Joining actions in support of unions, from the farm workers and fruit packers of the Yakima Valley, to struggles by smelter workers and miners in Arizona and Idaho. Participating in fights to unify the working class — against racism and police violence, in defense of women's right to choose abortion, and defending immigrant workers.**Statement:** Workers and farmers face the long-term economic, social, and moral crisis of capitalism. The response to the coronavirus only exposed and accelerated this crisis.

Safety, wages, and working conditions are under attack in rail and truck transportation, factories and packing plants, and retail. Workers need to fight for control over production to win safe working conditions, manufacture and distribution of quality goods, and protect the environment.

Our party promotes an action program to unite working people internationally and break down the barriers between those of us employed and unemployed. The working class needs to work. That's where we go through struggles that bolster our confidence and strengthen our trust in each other and our capacities to fight. The Yakima Valley fruit packers' fight for safe working conditions and better pay is an example for all working people. We urge your solidarity!

The Socialist Workers Party demands the federal government fund a massive public works program now to provide jobs at union wages for the millions tossed out of work. Workers can build needed hospitals, housing, schools and day care centers and replace crumbling infrastructure.

Farmers need solidarity from the working class and must be guaranteed the cost of production. Irrational breakdowns in the food market cause the destruction of milk, vegetables and livestock, as millions face hunger. The government must distribute this food to those who need it worldwide. The bosses divide working people by scapegoating immigrant workers My campaign fights for amnesty for all undocumented workers in the US.

Workers need a party that speaks in our interests—a labor party. We need to take political power from the bosses' class and establish a government of workers and farmers! Join the Socialist Workers Party 2020 campaign! Read and subscribe to our campaign newspaper, the Militant at www.themilitant.com

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swpseattle@gmail.com**Tim Eyman***(Prefers Republican Party)***Elected Experience:** Sponsored and Passed \$30 Tabs Initiative. Qualified 17 initiatives for a public vote, including: \$30 Tabs; 2/3 Vote Requirement to Raise Taxes; Property Tax Limits; Government Transparency; Budget Performance Audits & Advisory Votes.**Other Professional Experience:** 14-year small business owner.**Education:** WSU business degree, economics minor (graduated *cum laude*). WSU wrestling (Tim placed 3rd in PAC-10).**Community Service:** Innovative Policy Advocate whose initiatives saved taxpayers \$43 Billion (<https://tinyurl.com/TimsTrackRecord>). Challenged Inslee's lockdown in state and federal court. Tim comes from a long tradition of adoption: his father was adopted, Tim was adopted, Tim's 3 kids are adopted. Tim advocates for easing adoption for parents and kids.**Statement:** As Governor, my mission will be to fix Washington's broken system. I'll bring my battle-tested experience and proven results reforming government to serve you.

Imagine if Jay Inslee hadn't betrayed voters by breaking his campaign promises to veto taxes, raising them 30 times instead. Imagine if Inslee hadn't recklessly shut down thousands of small businesses, forcing a million people out of work, while letting mega-

corporations remain open. Inslee's lockdown spared his allies but punished everyone else. Inslee's actions always benefit the special interests that bankroll him.

As Governor, I will serve *you*. I'll reduce taxes, prioritize spending, grow our economy, guard your individual liberty, and protect your constitutional rights. For 22 years, I've fought for you with initiatives that *cut taxes, strengthened our communities and made our streets safer*. I've saved the people of Washington \$43 Billion, while Inslee's 30 tax increases cost citizens \$50 Billion. While *you can rely on me* to cut taxes—because I've done it over and over—Inslee admitted he's exploiting the economic crisis he caused to raise your taxes — he wants carbon taxes, income taxes, and a creepy "Pay-Per-Mile-Tax." I'll block all tax increases.

Inslee's reckless policies created the most homelessness and violent crime in our state's history. I'll use common-sense strategies to get the homeless off the streets.

Inslee got away with taking \$5 million from taxpayers for his campaign. His cronies in Seattle tried overturning your vote for \$30 Tabs, saying you were "confused." Under Inslee, this broken system no longer serves the people. Washington has a Seattle Legislature, Seattle Supreme Court and a Seattle Governor. Enough! It's time at least one branch of government represents the rest of us.

Inslee betrayed you. Trust me with your vote and I promise I will fight for you.

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Tim4Gov.com**Liz Hallock***(Prefers Green Party)***Elected Experience:** Precinct Committee Officer**Other Professional Experience:** Essential worker, attorney, Constitutional law lecturer, certified family law mediator, domestic violence victim advocate, small-business owner, I-502 marijuana retailer, mother of two.**Education:** Art and Archaeology, Princeton University; Critical Theory, Columbia University; Biology, Portland State University.**Community Service:** Involved in Citizens' Climate Lobby, Yakima Humane Society, Yakima Immigrant Resource Network, First Descents Cancer Survivor Support Program, ESL Tutoring, Financial Education Courses for Domestic Violence Survivors, Recalling elected officials who actively encouraged citizens to defy Local Health Authority COVID-19 Stay-at-Home orders.**Statement:** Our economy and society has forever changed. For better or worse, it is likely there will be no going back.

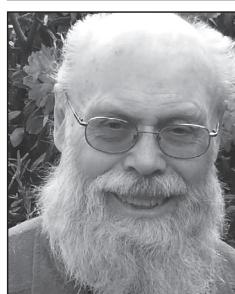
We owe a debt to our essential workers, who put their lives at risk every day, to provide them with childcare and tuition-free college or trade school. Our farmworkers

deserve strong workplace protections. Our health care professionals deserve a reporting infrastructure that takes their demands and whistleblower complaints seriously.

Healthcare, including mental healthcare, should be covered for all Washington citizens. We need to shore up our domestic violence and child abuse prevention and reporting infrastructure. We need to incentivize K-12 online learning infrastructure and opportunities.

We need to support Native American communities and preserve our ecological inheritance. We need to preserve the Salish Sea and work towards the ultimate removal of the Snake River Dams, while supporting and compensating farmers and other stakeholders.

Finally, Amazon's practices have been anti-competitive and predatory. We need to transform Amazon into a public utility owned by the people.

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newdealwashington.com**Goodspaceguy***(Prefers Trump Republican Party)***Elected Experience:** Goodspaceguy has run against perennial incumbents 21 times. Sometimes Goodspaceguy survived the primary election to go on to the November General Election.**Other Professional Experience:** Chemical Plant Operator. Credit Union Examiner. Auditor. Accountant. Owner.**Education:** Minnesota born, Goodspaceguy was educated in Germany, Sweden, and the United States, earning a bachelor degree from the University of Maryland in Europe, a master degree from the University of Minnesota, and one year of credit (2 betygs) from Stockholm University in Sweden. Goodspaceguy also gained knowledge of several Germanic and Romance languages**Community Service:** Membership and offices in many special interest clubs**Statement:** Greetings fellow voters of our beginning Space Age. How do you want to lead your precious lives in this age of advancing, technological miracles? I, Goodspaceguy, want to help raise our living standard. Believing a higher living standard is possible, I studied business and economics and have taken science as a lifelong hobby.

Viruses will always attack you. Your immune system defends you. As governor, I will not shut down your businesses or forbid you to go to work. Shut downs lower the living standard. If we listen, economics can tell us how to raise the living standard. Scientific

technology can also help raise our living standard. How can research, such as stem cell research, improve our bodies? How many robots would you want to supervise to make your work easier? Let's make it easy for people to get into the workforce so that more people can help with the raising of the living standard and the paying of their bills.

On our Spaceship Earth, I've lived primarily in Washington State, Minnesota, Maryland, Missouri, Germany, and Sweden. I've concluded that we should look upon our world as a natural and beautiful spaceship.

From economics I've learnt that we should move away from the big government, command economy of force that is a heavy burden on taxpayers. We should move toward the voluntary, competitive, free market economy which uses profit to create jobs that are in balance with what consumers want. You consumers rule.

Because many people have the same birth name as me, I could not find myself on the internet. I went to court to alter my name, and now you can find me. Please use my findable name "Goodspaceguy."

Separately, please refer to our world as "Spaceship Earth." This concept might improve your descendants' future.

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State of Washington - Governor - Partisan Office - 4 Year Term *Continued*No Photo
Submitted**Omari Tahir Garrett***(Prefers Democrat Party)***Elected Experience:** No information submitted**Other Professional Experience:** No information submitted**Education:** No information submitted**Community Service:** No information submitted**Statement:** I am running as a spokesperson for the anti-apartheid / reparations-now movement. My issues and solutions:

1) Raise awareness that Washington State is Native American land, and should be returned. Colonialism is no longer acceptable. 2) The current Governor's biggest mistake is turning Seattle's SVI building over to proven historical Negro vampire criminals. This is unconstitutional, and will be opposed in the courts and on the street.

3) Reparations must be paid to "Africatown" to repair / correct the cultural and economic damage done to the refugees from European colonial settler terrorism / slavery. 4) End the ethnic cleansing / "gentrification" of blacks out of Seattle's historic central area and Tacoma's historic hilltop (aka Africatown).

5) Remove the names / images of the "North-American Hitlers", Washington / Jefferson, those mass murderers of Native American "Indians" and "owners" of hundreds of "slaves". 6) Stop schools from teaching any children that Washington and Jefferson ("Indian" killers / slavers) were champions of "freedom, justice, equality and democracy" when they were in fact brutal "terrorists".

7) End homelessness by providing land, materials / expertise for homeless to build their own mortgage-free housing. (have you ever seen a homeless bird?) 8) Limit "police" to 5-year terms—in which they must complete teacher's certificate qualifications and then teach for 5 years before returning to law enforcement—to prevent PTSD and *stop criminals* hiding behind government issued badges / guns.

9) Our state must form its own bank to finance ending homelessness through sweat equity. 10) Since race is arbitrarily based on "skin color", redefine "race" based on hair color, which is much easier to change—especially for "white minded" integrated Negroes like Court Justice "Uncle" Clarence Thomas.

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No Information Submitted**Don L. Rivers***(Prefers Democratic Party)***Elected Experience:** Ambassador Of Peace. Advisor to many elected officials and non profit foundations. Advisor to community and Law Enforcement.**Other Professional Experience:** Community outreach volunteer for Wounded Warriors. Tree House Foundation and Peace Ambassador on World affairs. International Tribal consultant.**Education:** Green River CC. Economic World Studies Business Affairs. National Crime Prevention Council..**Community Service:** I have been a community activist for more than 40 plus years. Work with the US Dept. Of Education and Roberto Maestas**Statement:** Today you will choose a leader that will inherit a pandemic. I still believe the most important words of the United States Constitution is "We The People". We cannot ignore that our country is now in a state of a catastrophic crisis on all levels of government. Getting things done is what I offer Washingtonians. Healing and regaining the trust of the

people is my first order of business when I take office. Understanding cultural differences and working with many elected leaders around the world has prepared me to work with people of all ethnic background. It is time to break with practice tribalism and really care and deliver the needs to the people of Washington State. I want Eastern Washington to know I care and know the important roll you play to this Washington. This election is about you and the needs for your families future. We have one of the most regressive tax structures in the country. Working people are hurting and this must stop. At this moment and time. We all must care. I have always went to battle without an elective seat for social and economic justice. I will lead this state with a open but progressive mind. Our state has and always will be a state of innovators and people who know how to fight for the right things to be done. It is our time now to embrace a new future. We will prevail. Stay safe.

Thank You

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Raul escaped Cuba at the age of eleven. He became a protector of his family and those he loved, and also of the American dream and the values it represents. In Cuba, he witnessed firsthand the devastating and demoralizing effects of socialism.

From those early experiences, Dr. Garcia began a life of service. Through a career in medicine, leadership on national boards and professional associations, and success as an entrepreneur, Raul is the ideal person to lead Washington past Covid-19 and back to health and prosperity.

Dr. Garcia envisions a Washington bound by shared interests, not divided by political ideology. He offers his candidacy as an alternative to the career politicians that care more about serving themselves than the people.

A staunch opponent of any increase in state tax, he believes in limited, efficient and accountable government. His leadership will focus on economic prosperity and the health of our citizens.

Dr. Garcia will assure that never again will tens of millions of tax dollars be wasted on fraudulent claims while health care workers do not have protective equipment and our nursing homes are closing due to lack of state support.

A collaborative unifier, he will listen to and fight for the small business owner, the farmer, the teacher, and for every Washingtonian striving to achieve the American dream. As an immigrant, Dr. Garcia values freedom and opportunity for all, and above all. In this unprecedented time, Dr. Raul Garcia offers different leadership focused on making Washington state the most triumphant, thriving, and prosperous state of our union.

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State of Washington - Governor - Partisan Office - 4 Year Term *Continued***Tylor Grow***(Prefers Republican Party)***Elected Experience:** No Information Submitted**Other Professional Experience:** No Information Submitted**Education:** No Information Submitted**Community Service:** No Information Submitted

Statement: Over the past 35 years, Washington State has had an elected Democrat as Governor. With decades of empty promises and slow progress, look where it has led us to. As the next Governor of Washington State, I, Tylor Grow, will eliminate the partisan gridlock that keeps our beautiful state from reaching its true potential by streamlining the way Washington State handles tax revenue.

I will reform our methods of collecting tax revenue regarding infrastructure to greatly benefit all of Washington's residents - not just the select few in the state's urban centers. I will reform how we allocate funds for Washington State's public schools in order to help solve our students.

I will reform our state's health care system by providing a public option for our state's residents. No one should have to worry about the cost of health care. I will stop penalizing tax-funded organizations and programs for not using enough provided tax funds. This leads to wasteful spending which should be discouraged.

I will reform how we handle our homeless population. I will invest in building large dormitories in which resources for wellbeing, rehabilitation, and career-building cases will be available. This will keep people off the streets and add to our booming workforce.

As a gay person of Mexican descent, I know what it's like to be discriminated against. I want to help everyone in Washington State no matter: race, gender, sexual orientation, income, and/or ability.

Vote Tylor Grow for Governor of Washington State!

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**Winston Wilkes***(Prefers Propertarianist Party)***Elected Experience:** I do not have any elected political experience because I do not intend to make politics my career.**Other Professional Experience:** My profession is hard work and dedication. I have been a Tool Maker for five years.**Education:** High school diploma, Studied Robotics and Electronics at Sno-Isle, Studied UAV systems at WATR Center, Self-taught website creation and modification.

Community Service: I have no formal community service to speak of. I have volunteered for the Boeing Earth Day environmental cleanup, and I have spent my time picking up trash in the community.

Statement: No new taxes. Third party audits on all taxes to find waste or misuse. Better health care for all. Equality of opportunity for all. Term limits. All these policies I am

in favor of, but they are just talking points. I am twenty-six years old but even I know corruption runs the government. We expect politicians to lie and cheat. We also expect them to make millions of dollars through corrupt means while in office, and we just accept it. That is why I am running for office without accepting donations to my campaign and refusing any partnerships or sponsors. I am doing this so you know that I'm here to serve you, not to gain money or power.

Holding government accountable is something no one in politics will do and I am sick of it. Together with the people we will implement new bills to punish corruption and enact Title 18 Section 241 and 242 of the United States Code to remove the rot in government. Epstein didn't kill himself. *Bringing back trust in the government is my goal, and instilling fear of the people into the government is my purpose. Freedom is not free. I am paying my share here and now. Will you?*

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**Brian R. Weed***(States No Party Preference)***Elected Experience:** High school ASB Class Representative; High School ASB Class Vice President**Other Professional Experience:** Estimations, oversight and budgeting of multi million dollar construction of industrial projects. Oversight of teams, quality, and safety.**Education:** Irene Reither Elementary School; Meridian Middle School; Meridian High School; Perry Technical Institute; 20

years of hard knocks including international travel to third world countries.

Community Service: Volunteer with POPP (Pet Over Population and Prevention) to limit animal cruelty through services and community outreach.

Statement: As a Western Washington raised, Eastern Washington resident, I aim to bridge the gap between compassion, conservatism, and continuity to the betterment of all Washingtonians. I believe we need efforts to better balance the needs of each area in the State and to minimize the impact of the Urban effects onto the Rural Areas.

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**Thor Amundson***(Prefers Independent Party)***Elected Experience:** None.**Other Professional Experience:** None.**Education:** Eisenhower High school, Yakima, Washington.**Community Service:** Running for office.

Statement: Hi, I'm Thor Amundson, and I am a pro-democracy candidate. Born and raised in Eastern Washington, I've lived and worked throughout the state, and this has given me the opportunity to talk with people in all walks of life, and to consider the variety of issues facing them. I believe that without a little more opportunity for the next generation, we cannot have a healthy civilization.

If corporations move to other countries, they should follow the same rules and labour practices as in the USA. Stop shipping logs, jobs, and clean air over seas. Turn off reactor at Hanford; stop making the mess. Nationwide public internet access for everyone and net neutrality. Ban the use of certain weed killers on federally funded sites. Overturn Citizen's United.

Picture a state and a nation where your children can afford to live. A land without discrimination, and where the working person receives their just reward. A place where worker's rights are protected; where innovative, effective leadership inspires; and where elected officials are chosen by the people, not by their financial contributors. Rather than propose campaign reform, I'm going to implement it. I am not an attorney, and I am not a politician. Therefore, there will be no question about who I am working for. I will lead Washington into the 21st century.

As the first Senator not financed by PAC money, and hailing from one of the best states in the Union, I will stir the very dredges of the old guard in Washington D.C., and at the same time provide inspiration to anyone else who truly cares about the future of our great Nation. I am backed by %100 of Orca. Please vote for Thor Amundson, U.S. Senate.

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State of Washington - Governor - Partisan Office - 4 Year Term *Continued***Gene Hart***(Prefers Democratic Party)*

Elected Experience: Precinct Committee Officer. Delegate 2020 Washington State Democratic convention.

Other Professional Experience: Civilian Service Experience: Independent Retail Business Service – Owner/Operator... Military Service Experience: U.S Navy Mustang (Enlisted and Commissioned Naval Officer); CEO, CFO, Budget Director, Financial/Medical Policy Analyst, Training Officer, Logistics Officer, Assistant CFO, Hospital Corpsman.

Education: Education: Multidisciplinary Studies at The University of Hard Knocks; Post Baccalaureate Graduate Studies in Business Administration, Healthcare Management, Law and Accounting, Bachelor of Arts History Major and Political Science Minor...

Community Service: Civic Organization Service: Service Clubs; Mothers Against Drunk Driving; Martin Luther King Jr Memorial Scholarship Fund; NAACP 1134; Trade Unionist Service: IWW, UFCW and ATWU.

Statement: Many activists and a state-sponsored working group are working on healthcare reform, here in Washington, our home. Coming to The People's desk for signature first, as Washington State Governor, I would most likely sign that reform, given my sense of it, as the next step for healthcare as an unalienable right.

We need our Robust Economy, rural and urban, to pay for our programs. Before, it was only good, fair reduced taxes for The Great Majority, followed by education, our state's Paramount Duty, as mandated by our Washington State Constitution and Target

Zero transportation deaths and transportation major injuries before this decade's end. Our pandemical tsunami has changed the lay of the land.

Now We all require that rural and urban Robust Economy and good, fair revenue, yes Fair Taxes, family wage jobs, thriving independent, employee-owned businesses et cetera.

In my mind, it really is Full Mobilization, All Hands, Non-Profits, Profits and Government needed, urged, coached and inspired. As Governor, Washington our home, I will establish a Kitchen Cabinet concept in Office of the Governor to educate and move our People, our economy our society, Onward. We already have top quality, volunteers waiting in the wings.

This is our home. We want, We deserve more. Putting People First, Keeping People First. It short, I want the good, better and best angels of our nature, fully mobilized, not the ugly, worst and flawed earth angels of our nature. My apology for long-winded polemic, but you did press the on button and it worked.

The only limits to our realizations of tomorrows will be our doubts of todays. Let us move forward with strong and active faith. Adapted from FDR's last undelivered Warm Springs address. For more info, access <https://www.facebook.com/gene.hart.568/> (360) 473-9064, geneh@silverlink.net

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Elected Experience: Ran for Mayor of the City of Kennewick.

Other Professional Experience: I have worked with diverse and various experienced co-workers, through my 45 years employed for the Railway Industry.

Education: No information submitted

Community Service: I have volunteered as the President of the Pacific NW; Eagles REAC, Regional and Local; Captain of the Desert Patrol; Past Potentate of Masada Shrine out of Yakima.

Statement: The vote of the American people is sacred and will not be dismissed. Voters rights will always hold true and fair. I will give one half of my pay to the science of COVID-19 or similar transmitted diseases. I am not a career politician, but will do the best of my ability, so help me God. I will try to do what is right, because it takes twice as much energy to correct a wrong.

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Elected Experience: Instagram Bluephoenix916

Other Professional Experience: 8 years military service

Education: Bachelors degree

Community Service: Helped disabled youth

Statement: My purpose will always be to better our lives collectively

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Elected Experience: While still young, gubernatorial candidate Dylan Nails has had the elected opportunity to serve in whatever capacity he could, at the level he was at. Serving two years as Associated Student Body President of Colfax Jr./Sr. High School, and Representative of Eastern Oregon University's Residence Hall Association for one year. He looks forward to gaining more elected experience, and publicly serving his community and home state.

Other Professional Experience: N/A

Education: Current University Student studying Secondary Education.

Community Service: Former Event Coordinator for St. Baldrick's Head Shaving Event for Childhood Cancer Research, Tom's Turkey Drive Volunteer, current Summer Camp Youth Counselor, and Youth Snow Ski Instructor.

Statement: Dylan Nails, a 20 year old college student, comes from the beautiful hills of the Palouse in Eastern Washington State where he has lived, worked, and went to school most all of his life. Dylan loves skiing, videography, traveling, and exploring what

Washington State, and the greater Pacific Northwest has to offer. He currently attends Northwest Nazarene University, and studies Secondary Education, with an Emphasis in History, and a minor in Special Education. When elected, Dylan is in favor of encouraging increases for Teacher Salaries, increase funding for State Parks and conservation, Debt Relief program for students of Washington, promoting more representation of young people in politics, and being a voice for Washington State, as much the East as the West.

Dylan's weakness is also what makes him shine as a candidate. While Dylan is young, and may be lacking some of the elected experience his opponents may have, he brings as fresh, new outlook and perspective for Washington State, that is both beneficial and crucial for the next stage in our States history. As a college student, he is not looking to make a career in politics, but in fact getting in, and getting what needs to be done for Washington State accomplished.

He can't wait to see what the future holds, and looks forward to seeing what he can do for our State.

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State of Washington - Governor - Partisan Office - 4 Year Term *Continued***Cameron M. Vessey***(States No Party Preference)***Elected Experience:** President Of the Spokane Community College Computer Club; Team Leader and TSR Represented at Dakota Direct Inc.**Other Professional Experience:** sales and customer service Administrator, Telecommunications, Marketing, Helped small Business with SEO, and IoT and Branding development. Owned and operated multiple automotive businesses. Co-owned a thriving 24 hour Espresso Café / Pool Hall , Car sales, Kirby Sales. Fast food cook to Bus boy at fine dining Restaurant. Cattle hand on Youth ranch.**Education:** ITT CAD program, SCC software Development, Para legal training, online course in Psychology and Philosophy. a Student of Thomas Sowell of the Hoover Institute Stanford.**Community Service:** Consultant for Social Team on Homelessness**Statement:** Wheeling for Governor as Paraplegic
"Keep Washington Wonderful"

Why am I Wheeling for Governor? Because I believe Times of Crisis Reveal Women's and Men's Hearts. Panic initiates Response. It's fundamental Darwinism! It's fundamental Christianity, It's fundamental Religion and Community! Stand and fight or Retreat and compromise. Live with honor and show your opponent some Quarter in mutual times

of Crisis or Live for power and take advantage of your opponent purely because the opportunity is there to be had!

The colonies did not rebel Because the Time was ripe, the moment opportune! What Great things could possibly come from such virtues less tactics? We Stood up against an ever-increasing Tyrannical King and decided the time of being ruled by other's was an inequity we would no longer justify. We did not take on the issue of slavery out of convenience or because the political landscape was ripe. We took up the fight against slavery because the owning of slaves was tearing our country apart and we had to decide "Do we really Believe all men to be equal."

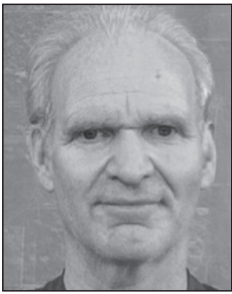
Maybe this is why War is always doomed to fail. When Struggling for survival against lions and tigers and Bears and maybe such monster's like Hitler and Stalin and Mao, attacking such monsters when they sleep or find themselves in an unforeseen snare is validated. But using such means whenever they present themselves against other human beings may in the end be the end of us all!

I believe Many have shown their true colors and are using this time of crisis as justifications to Grab power and justify authoritarianism and chip away at the foundations of our country. Not money, not slavery, not fear, not greed or power. That Every Citizen has the right To Freedom!

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**David W. Blomstrom***(Prefers Fifth Republic Party)***Elected Experience:** No information submitted**Other Professional Experience:** My life experience has been diverse and educational. I was raised in rural West Dakota and spent four years in the U.S. Navy. I worked as a wildlife biologist in Alaska for nearly a decade before moving to Seattle, where I worked as a teacher for sixteen years. I have also worked for the U.S. Postal Service and UPS. Today, I am a student of political science and philosophy, a writer and website designer.**Education:** I obtained a BS in ecology from Western Washington University/Huxley in Bellingham.**Community Service:** No information submitted**Statement:** We meet again. I ran for this office in 2016, introducing a word I coined. Do you remember that word?

I've learned a lot since then. In fact, I've been working on a series of books focusing on politix, as I call it. They include the first ever general political reference focusing on Washington State and its de facto capital, Seattle. *SeaWA Politix* and what may be the first truthful book about Bill Gates will be published before the general election. A third book, focusing on coronavirus conspiracy theories will probably be published by the time

you read this. You can learn about my books @ www.kpowbooks.com.

I'm not afraid to tackle the toughest issues, from sex trafficking to telling Bill Gates to shut up and pay his fair share of taxes. As a former teacher with the corrupt Seattle School District, education reform has always been one of my top issues. As a former wildlife biologist in Alaska, I recognize environmental protection as the most important issue of all.

On the international scene, we need to put an end to our decades-old tirade against China. I view China as a friend. *Israel is the enemy*. In fact, my book *SeaWA Politix* is illustrated with photos taken with a Chinese Huawei smartphone, which boasts the best camera(s) of any smartphone.

Please ignore the *Seattle Times* and other sleazy media and their endorsements! If voters can't think for themselves, what hope is there?

In these trying times, it's more important than ever to believe in the power of one. As Edward Abbey said, a patriot must always be ready to protect his country from his government. In that spirit, my crusade won't end with this election campaign. Elected or not, I will continue to learn and fight the good fight.

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www.governor5.com**Anton Sakharov***(Prefers Trump Republican Party)***Elected Experience:** Non-career politician**Other Professional Experience:** Anton Sakharov has over a decade of technology, project and product management experience in the private sector. In successive management roles, he has overseen the development and launch of new products and technologies of all sizes and scope - from start-up companies with international operations to Amazon.com. His leadership and consensus building skills have made his business

career successful and he will use those skills to bring leadership and accountability back to Washington State government.

Education: Johns Hopkins University - Masters of Science in Project and Organization Management; San Jose State University - Bachelors of Science in Finance**Community Service:** No information submitted**Statement:** Anton brings years of leadership experience in the private sector where he has spent his career solving problems. Anton understands the important issues facing Washingtonians, but are ignored by the out of touch political establishment. Anton is not a career politician, will not play politics and will not be bought. His businesslike approach offers real solutions to the soaring issues we face.

Anton's vision for Washington to be a state that is efficiently and effectively serving

its people. He sees what is broken and will enact real solutions. He will respect the will of voters, cut taxes, reduce bureaucracy, and uphold the Constitution and Individual Rights. He will drain the Olympia swamp and end the drug fueled and government enabled homelessness by holding agencies accountable to their budgets and outcomes. He will end government interference in our lives, the extreme liberal agendas pushed on our children and attacks on personal freedom. He envisions a Washington that is friendly to businesses and individual liberty – a Washington where Constitutional rights are protected, businesses thrive, and individual success is not punished by uncontrolled taxation through the death tax, estate recovery tax and real estate taxes.

Under Anton's leadership, the state will reduce regulations, attract new businesses, allow existing businesses to thrive and reopen closed industries.

As a refugee from the Soviet Union, he has seen the damage caused by too much government, too much regulation, and the importance of a balance of powers in maintaining a free and prosperous life.

The Governor of Washington State should not be a career politician but instead a leader and executive manager who is working for the people. As a proud American citizen whose family escaped communism, Anton has realized the American Dream – a dream that is alive and is deserving of every hard-working Washingtonian.

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State of Washington - Governor - Partisan Office - 4 Year Term *Continued***Nate Herzog***(Prefers Pre2016 Republican Party)*

Elected Experience: Two-term City Councilmember, City of Lake Forest Park (1998-2005); *Member of King County Regional Law, Safety, and Justice Committee; City Representative to Seashore Transportation Forum, (Seattle & North King County cities)*

Other Professional Experience: Operations Management, UPS; Small Business Owner, App Creation and Design, PQR Capitalization

Education: Shoreline Community College 1998-2001; University of Washington 2003-2005, Studies in Communication (*Major*), Political Science (*Minor*); Association of Washington Cities: *Certified Municipal Leadership Program*

Community Service: Youth Basketball Coach and Shoreline Public Schools volunteer; 32nd District & King County Republicans; Bob Ferguson campaign for County Council '03, '05 (*not for Attorney General!*)

Statement: Putting people over party. It's what I did as a City Councilmember in my hometown of Lake Forest Park. It's what I'll do if elected as your Governor.

As an anti-Trump Republican, I know Washingtonians appreciate a leader who tells it like it is. Many of my fellow Republicans get upset when I say Donald Trump is a phony and an assclown. As is Tim Eyman. Fair enough.

Valuing individuals over party affiliation, I've supported sensible Democrats who've proven competency to govern. I proudly helped Bob Ferguson's campaign for County Council. He was a great Councilmember; he's a *dreadful* Attorney General. This year, I backed Senator Amy Klobuchar for President and endorse Hilary Franz' reelection for Lands Commissioner.

As for Jay Inslee? 32 years in office, now he wants 4 more. Has he earned it? Traveling the country last year, utilizing \$4 million dollars of *taxpayer* money for travel and State Patrol security detail. All for a miserably failed campaign in which he never had a chance.

I'm writing this in May, as a first time, soon-to-be dad late this summer, wondering about the world into which my daughter will be born. 2020 will be a depression year: GDP down 10%, DOW below 20,000, 40 million unemployed, and staggering deaths from coronavirus. But out of despair... we can find hope.

It's time to End 36 Years of One-Party Rule. I support two-year terms for the Governorship. If elected, I will step aside in 2022 so Washingtonians can elect a new Governor that November. I invite you *right now* to pause your reading, and visit ResetWA.org to learn my plans for advancing electoral reform, balancing our massive budget shortfall, and to fight COVID-19 to save lives and restore our economy. Please join me, let's Reset Washington.

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**Cregan M. Newhouse***(States No Party Preference)*

Elected Experience: Initial filing for state office. Served as board member and union rep for SPEG. Served as union rep for Local 763 (Inspectors). Past President FSI, (private investment group).

Other Professional Experience: Station Manager, Unalaska Community Broadcasting. Acting Manager, Regulatory Compliance & Consumer Protection; Enforcement Supervisor, Consumer Protection Division; On-site Supervisor, Covid-19 Emergency PPE warehouse, Logistics & Emergency

Management, City of Seattle.

Education: University of Southern California, School of Cinema & Television University of Washington, Integrated Social Sciences, BA anticipated Fall/2020

Community Service: Edmonds School District; Relay for Life; City of Seattle FAS employee recognition volunteer.

Statement: The State of Washington is incomparable. Her diversity, geography and economy would power a strong independent nation. The upcoming term demands one of the hardest working governors in history, to halt in-fighting and guide our state to a swift, safe recovery.

My grandparents immigrated to Washington in the early 20th century, starting a small dairy farm. They would be proud of their descendants - children and grandchildren who

have become professionals in almost every imaginable industry, served their country, and of course continued to farm. I was raised on a hop farm along the Yakima River. I drove tractor, fed the pigs, lugged irrigation pipes and worked non-stop through summer harvests.

After attending the USC Film School, I was hired as the station manager for KUCB, a public TV and radio station in Alaska. I met a remarkable, strong woman in Dutch Harbor, and we returned to Washington to start a family. Our oldest son recently graduated from the University of Washington, where our youngest son is a freshman.

I have been in public service for eleven years, working closely with city, state and county agencies. I am best positioned to oversee the executive branch of our state, and will make the most efficient use of my time while never fundraising. In addition to working across the aisle, the Governor needs to thoroughly understand all state agencies, and earn the respect of employees and the public. I have demonstrated the ability to work with all levels of government, bringing together opposing ideas for stronger solutions.

This election must be about independence. Washington is independent. Republicans and Democrats are good people, though the current party leadership promotes divisiveness and distrust. I would be honored to be your Governor, and will promote respect for all Washingtonians.

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**Ian Gonzales***(Prefers Republican Party)*

Elected Experience: Ian Gonzales brings a clean slate to politics. He is someone who has no affiliation with interest groups, lobbyists, or large corporations. This means Ian has no other motive than to do what is best for Washington.

Other Professional Experience: Ian started his business in 2018. The company Yesu Creations, although a for-profit company, has donated to local organizations helping veterans

returning home with PTSD.

Education: Attendee of Washington State University since age 15. Majoring in biology and minoring in business administration, he's finished his junior year, completing his business minor.

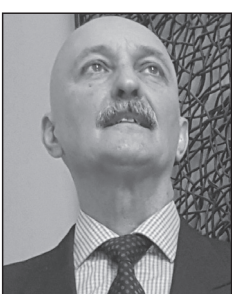
Community Service: Spent nearly 10 hours a week serving at church and the community.

Statement: I'm running for Governor because my generation and those that follow will reap both the benefits and the long term consequences of the decisions made by our current administration. Washington has become increasingly tax-happy, yet many of the programs that tax dollars are being dumped into aren't reaping their intended benefits which needs to change. These programs have better solutions waiting to be applied that

would allow the people of Washington to pay less taxes; yet still fund the things that are necessary, like quality roads. Washington as it stands is more divided than ever. Our state needs a leader who is invested into the prosperity of our state's future, someone who can unite both sides of the mountains, and is willing to govern *all 39 counties*. Homelessness is a major challenge being presented in King and surrounding counties. This is an issue that everyone's tax dollars have a stake in, though it could be 200 miles away, and still the problem has not been solved. Either our money is not going where the state says or our current leadership isn't able to find ways to better the homeless situation. Either way, homelessness needs to be addressed in all counties.

Even more cause for concern with our current leadership, I-976 which would have decreased vehicle tabs to \$30, was *voted* on and passed, then held up in court, not giving the people what they voted for. While similarly, I-1639 which inaccurately portrays all semi-automatic rifles as "assault rifles" is a direct hit to our second amendment rights. These alarming events shows us Washingtonians that our voice is dwindling. If you want a governor who you can trust, believe in, and know won't ignore your votes, remember me, Ian Gonzales, with your primary vote on August 4th.

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**Cairo D'Almeida***(Prefers Democratic Party)*

Elected Experience: Not a Professional Politician; President of Local 1121, since 2014

Other Professional Experience: Helped build the Washington D.C. Metro 1976-82. Promoted to supervisor. Own business 1986-96. TSA 2010-19.

Education: PhD of Industrial and Organization Psychology 9/2007. Dissertation "The Effects of Cultural Diversity in the Workplace," published with the library of congress and cited 5 times.

Community Service: Volunteered over 1000 hours a year since 2013 to represent TSA officers. Reported officers' welfare to the media 12/2018 shutdown. Helped officers get over 2,500 gifts cards from passengers, other unions and residents during the shutdown. Cook for homeless on occasion.

Statement: Dr. D'Almeida has always been vocal about the inhuman treatment of homeless and lack of affordable housing. Veterans and foster parents need more psychological support. Housing the homeless and treating their medical issues is cheaper than leaving them on the streets. The money used to clean after the homeless, will be used to house them.

Students should not have to be punished with student loans when trying to become productive members of society. The Police; firefighter and schools, should have better

and more up-to-date technology. All students and teachers should be provided with free bus and light rail pass for as long as they carry partial credits. Kindergarten to high schools need free nutritional lunches. Free day care for low income people.

I will introduce a bill to protect first responders and give them hazard's pay and another bill that will protect small business during a pandemic. Pandemics will be dealt with one city and one county at a time.

Those with substance abuse need medical and psychological support. A woman's body belongs to her, not the government. No Second Amendment violation. Our 70 million backup army does not kill innocent people, criminals use guns to kill innocent people! Property Taxes stays the same until the minimum wage goes up. Women and other minorities need more support. Our Immigration Laws are in shambles and must be Updated. LGBTQ, WOMXN and LatinX have rights too and need support. State Parks must be upgraded. No more for-profit jail or detention centers.

It is not what we have, but what we do to help others during a time of struggle that define us who we are. My goal is to serve "The People," not control them! Where we go from here is up to you.

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State of Washington - Governor - Partisan Office - 4 Year Term *Continued***Elaina J. Gonzalez***(Prefers Independent Party)*

No Information Submitted

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No Information Submitted

**Jay Inslee***(Prefers Democratic Party)***Elected Experience:** Washington State House of Representatives 1989-1992 representing Yakima Valley; U.S. House of Representatives 1993-1994 representing Eastern Washington; U.S. House of Representatives 1999-2012 representing Kitsap, King and Snohomish Counties; Washington State Governor 2013-present.**Other Professional Experience:** Attorney; *Author, Apollo's Fire: Igniting America's Clean Energy Economy.***Education:** Ingraham High School, Seattle, WA; graduated University of Washington with a B.A. in economics, 1972; graduated Magna Cum Laude from Willamette University Law School, 1976.**Community Service:** Charter member of Hoopaholics to raise money for Childhaven; coached youth sports; served as an honorary board member of the Washington Wildlife and Recreation Coalition.**Statement:** The people of Washington are resilient and deserve leadership that reflects their character. Jay Inslee's proven experience in difficult times and his successful economic vision are exactly what Washington needs as we rebuild our economy and help families and businesses recover from the pandemic.

The measure of our leaders is how they respond to unexpected crises. When Washington became ground zero in the country for COVID-19, Governor Jay Inslee met this health and economic crisis head-on, with bold action based on science and guided

by public health experts.

The Ellensburg Daily Record praised Governor Inslee, writing, "In the moment when he has been tested the hardest, Inslee has stepped up, making the tough calls and providing the leadership needed to get this state through the COVID-19 crisis." The Chair of the University of Washington's Department of Global Health praised Inslee's leadership for "having saved countless lives."

Under Inslee's leadership, Washington recovered from the last great recession to become the country's #1 rated economy, and our state is poised to rebound more quickly thanks to the Governor's progressive policies. Our state has the nation's best Paid Family and Medical Leave, we have expanded health care coverage to 800,000 Washingtonians and created a long-term care benefit for seniors that puts us in a better position to address public health dangers and immediate economic hardship.

Inslee's Career Connect program provides on-site training and apprenticeships for thousands of students who have plans other than four-year college and his investments in forward-thinking renewable energy industries have prepared us to endure and recover from the economic pain so many are now living through.

Governor Inslee's steady leadership and pioneering vision make him exactly the governor we need now to guide us to a better, stronger and more just future for Washington.

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**Joshua Freed***(Prefers Republican Party)***Elected Experience:** Mayor of Bothell; City Council**Other Professional Experience:** Investor and Small Business Owner; Mental Health Counselor; Protect-A-Child-Today – Chair; King County Mental Health Advisory Board; Puget Sound Regional Council - Economic Development; East King County Chambers of Commerce Legislative Coalition; Eastside Transportation Partnership; YMCA Fundraiser; International Experience: Globe Leadership - Founder; Vital Solutions Board -

Kenya; International Deaf Education Association - Philippines

Education: Inglemoor HS - Washington; Seattle Pacific University B.A. Business Management; M.A. Counseling, Western Seminary**Community Service:** Led the fight against government run heroin injection sites through Initiative 27; Co-Sponsor Referendum 90; Helped build health centers, built homes and drilled wells in Kenya and the Philippines.**Statement:** *Are you better off today than you were four years ago?*

Is it easier to find a job, keep your business open, walk safely in your community, educate your children and protect your family's health?

Under this Governor unemployment has skyrocketed, homelessness, crime and drug abuse have exploded and public health bureaucrats spent time pushing for heroin

injection sites instead of preparing for a pandemic. We need a Governor who will listen to everyone, not just the powerful and well connected. Olympia is working for political insiders who don't need the help while ignoring those devastated by a health crisis and economic collapse. Our state's only mental health hospital was so poorly managed it was decertified by the federal government leaving the mentally ill to wander the streets.

As I've travelled to all 39 counties, the message is consistently clear: *we need a Governor to bring Washington together, not divide us into camps of "essential" versus "non-essential". I will lead Washington's economic recovery.* I have a lifelong record of community service here and around the world. I will not take a salary as Governor and will instead donate it to local nonprofits helping the mentally ill and homeless. I have a track record of bringing people together as a successful businessman and bipartisan leader who has cut taxes while protecting the most vulnerable. *I will veto any attempt at a state income tax.* I will never use my office to take away liberties our founders fought and died for and will uphold our U.S. and State Constitutions.

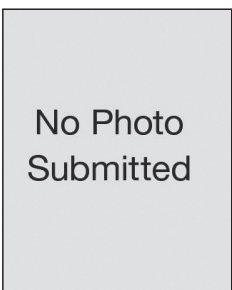
My wife Lindie and I are both the product of Washington public schools and believe in supporting education. Our five kids join us in serving the disadvantaged around the world.

*I humbly ask for your vote. I won't let you down. #freedom***For More Information:**

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**David Voltz***(Prefers Cascadia Labour Party)***Elected Experience:** No information submitted**Other Professional Experience:** No information submitted**Education:** David has AAS degrees in Television production from Spokane falls**Community Service:** David is a member of demolay in his teens like bill Clinton**Statement:** David is an ubres and lifts drivers who saw his income literally die over night when Jay Slezee Shutdown the state and is why running for Washington State gouvneur

as the Cascadia Labour Party, because Jay Slezee has to go he has increased taxes on everyone shut down construction on Spokane north moterways and killed the economy and increased unemployment in this state to double digits, he also supported Crooked Hillary in 2016 David asks for your vote please check out Davids Facebook page

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State of Washington - Governor - Partisan Office - 4 Year Term *Continued***Joshua Wolf***(Prefers New-Liberty Party)***Elected Experience:** N/A**Other Professional Experience:** I have worked as a dockhand, Laborer, carpenter, Alaskan fisherman, and now as a mental health professional. I chose to work these jobs to allow me to "walk a mile in the shoes" of as many Washingtonians as possible.**Education:** I completed High school in Friday harbor and did some college at George Fox University. I'm mostly self-educated, using experience and books to continue my learning.**Community Service:** I have been a leader for my local church youth group for the last six years, and I work for a nonprofit in addition to minor things like beach clean-ups.**Statement:** Unity, Prosperity, Honor these are the things I want to bring to Washington. They are the hallmarks of a stable, reliable government and a functioning society. These three things will bring Washington into a new golden age. With them, we can create "a city on the hill" to the rest of our nation!*Unity* It's a powerful hopeful word, especially because today we live divided. From our state to our families and communities. Red and Blue, a Donkey and an Elephant. We let these things define us and divide us. Why? is that the Washington we want? I don't

think so. Cooperation and unity between the major parties, Working together despite our differing opinions to build a better, unified Washington. That's what Washington needs and what's what I'll bring.

Prosperity, how you go about bringing prosperity? I believe prosperity comes from three things the land, the People, and the Schools. The land is our natural resources, our farms, our forest, and our seas. The people are our culture, our businesses, and our dreams. Lastly, schools are how we teach our young people. To be independent, resourceful, insightful, courageous, and honorable. Instead of boring them to death, I want to create a love of learning and life long growth. Not just ensuring a better education but a better economy as companies flock to our superior workforce.Finally, *Honor*, Honor, is everything. It means leaders you can trust. Politicians, working towards what's best for the people, never being bought, always leading from the front, and doing the hard jobs no one else will. A state where people are always worried about the integrity of their leaders can never move forward. Because if you can't believe that the other side is saying. you can never understand each other.**For More Information:**

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<https://www.new-libertyparty.org/>**Loren Culp***(Prefers Republican Party)***Elected Experience:** No information submitted**Other Professional Experience:** No information submitted.**Education:** No information submitted**Community Service:** No information submitted**Statement:** Loren Culp was born in Everett, WA and is a lifelong Washington resident—except during his service in the US Army's

101st Airborne Division. He currently serves as the Chief of Police in Republic, WA, and is a bestselling author. For over 20 years he owned and operated a construction company in Olympia, WA before moving to Republic and joining the law enforcement community. He has been married to his high school sweetheart, Barb, for 43 years. They have two grown sons and seven grandchildren. His platform advocates a return to respecting citizen rights and accountability for state government.

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**Richard L. Carpenter***(Prefers Republican Party)***Elected Experience:** No information submitted**Other Professional Experience:** Forman for 20 years for mechanical contractor, Stirrett Johnsen, Total 30 years with the same company. Lead Pond man at Pope and Talbot in Port Gamble 8 years with this company .**Education:** Graduated West High School. Bremerton, WA 1978; Olympic College two years. Plumbers and Steamfitters Union

Apprenticeship program, 5 years. Mathematics has been my strong point since being a small child, algebra in 6th grade, trigonometry in seventh, and progressed up through schooling.

Community Service: Worked under the direction Of Murrel and Betty Carpenter for many years with the Warren Avenue PeeWees, a very good cause .**Statement:** I am choosing to run for Governor of the Great state of Washington because I believe it is time for change. I see money for the homeless, yet our homeless population does not diminish. I see money spent on the schools, yet the districts are wildly unequal. Poor districts do not have the computers and laptops that the wealthier districts have, even as technology becomes more vital to our children's education. I am very concerned that we are overtaxed and our money is being misspent .

Many want to spend effort and money to focus on all of the state's problems. I want to create new solutions for those problems. I want to live in a state where men and women who work their 8-hour day -40 hour work week have the health insurance they need. The middle class fuels the economy in our state and I want to protect that. Under my leadership you would see these changes in policy.

At the top of my list I want to create equality in education for every district. I will apply common sense to the validity and effectiveness of each program and determine if they produce adequate results relative to their cost. As Governor, I will prioritize a balanced budget. As one of the most overtaxed states I want to bring our state back into focus and lower our spending to a reasonable level with the ultimate goal of lowering state taxes for all.

For the sake of the future of you and your children *please vote*.

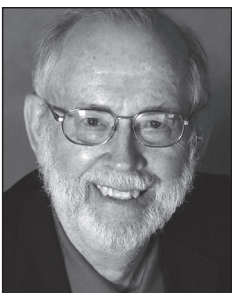
Thank you

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**Bill Hirt***(Prefers Republican Party)***Elected Experience:** High School Senior Class President**Other Professional Experience:** Retire Boeing Engineer 36 years**Education:** BS and MS Engineering Iowa State University**Community Service:** No information submitted**Statement:** My previous 8 campaigns have never been to win but to tell voters Sound Transit should've never been allowed to spend billions adding Prop 1 extensions to Central Link. Now it's only a question of whether it's the Northgate operation in 2021 or East Link in 2023 that vindicate my concern

This year it's to debunk claim fossil emissions are an existential threat. That Al Gore's "Inconvenient truth" is in fact a monumental lie. Ice core temperatures from four prior interglacial periods were higher than current levels with 300 ppm CO2 far lower than current 410 ppm. That during those periods the CO2 level was the result of increased out gassing from ocean when temperatures were warming and increased dissolution when temperatures were cooling. Both warming and cooling were driven by the Sun.

It was the Sun that raised temperatures and CO2 levels after the last ice age, culminating in the Medieval Warming Period, Little Ice Age, and subsequent warming prior to significant fossil emissions. The increased fossil emissions have added to the Sun's impact on CO2 over the last 60 years raising level to the current 410 ppm.

However it's the Sun not higher CO2 levels from increasing fossil emissions that can significantly increase global temperatures. The ~5 gigaton carbon (GtC) annual fossil emissions currently increase CO2 by ~2ppm. If emissions averaged 10 GtC over the next 50 years the additional 500 GtC would add 200 ppm raising the current level from 410 to 610 ppm, or from 0.041 to 0.061%, still a tiny fraction of the 96.5% CO2 that warms Venus.

My campaign and stoepastlinknow blog are to expose the futility of adding trillions more in an attempt to limit global warming by reducing that increase.

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State of Washington - Lieutenant Governor - Partisan Office - 4 Year Term

**Joseph Brumbles***(Prefers Republican Party)*

Elected Experience: I ran for US Congress in District 10 in 2018. I was outspent roughly 130 to 1 but still made it to the General Election, earning roughly 40% or 104,000 votes on a first run.

Other Professional Experience: I am a proven business leader of over fourteen years. Managing a business with 91 direct reports and over \$38 million per year in revenue. I have over a decade of management experience within the healthcare industry.

Education: UNLV Business Major, CRAS Engineering Alumni, CDS Alumni *CDL A License*

Community Service: Including but not limited to LLS, YMCA, ADA, AHA, Veteran non-profits & more.

Statement: "A United Washington." It is time to ensure real representation for everyone. As a true representative for all, I will work hard to unite folks; *Democrat, Republican, Libertarian, or Independent.* We are all in this together. Let's take our state back from misrepresentation and corruption.

I wholeheartedly vow to fight for you and to be everyone's representative. I will focus on issues that matter to each of us. Let's improve our *quality of life*. Let's focus on *reducing* state taxes and *increasing* household incomes. Let's focus on clean but also *affordable* energy.

Let's focus on fixing our *homelessness* issues and reforming our *family court* system. Let's focus on upholding our "*Bill of Rights*." There is nothing "*common sense*" about giving up our rights. Let's focus on election integrity reform and replacing fake representatives. These are just a few examples.

Unfortunately our state government as well as the state parties have been heavily *infiltrated* by fake representatives. There are also too many manipulated candidates. Sadly, some were even recruited to run against me. This is because I am your only *liberty-minded* Lt. Governor candidate. Help me to help us. Let's fix it; people over party, liberty first, "*A United Washington*."

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**Jared Frerichs***(Prefers Libertarian Party)*

Elected Experience: Frosh student council president, Waitsburg High School

Other Professional Experience: United States Coast Guard combat veteran and small business owner

Education: MA Organizational Leadership, Gonzaga University; BA Political Science, American Military University; AA Walla Walla Community College

Community Service: My favorite activity is quietly volunteering for social justice efforts that promote liberty, democracy, and justice

Statement: Poverty is bad for business. I have some wild ideas on how we can end poverty forever, but I need your help. I don't need your money, I need your vote.

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**Ann Davison Sattler***(Prefers Republican Party)*

Elected Experience: Not a career ladder politician. Endorsed by former Governor Dan Evans, former Secretary of State Sam Reed, Sen. Leader Mark Schoesler, House Leader Rep. J.T. Wilcox. See website for full endorsement list.

Other Professional Experience: Attorney, 15 years. Arbitrator, teacher, Congressional caseworker. Seattle SuperSonics' front office.

Education: Juris Doctorate, Willamette University, College of Law; Bachelor of Arts, Sociology, Baylor University

Community Service: Vice President, Seattle Youth Soccer Association Executive Board; volunteer youth soccer coach; chaired public elementary school fundraiser raising \$200,000; volunteered with individuals transitioning out of incarceration; local environmental clean-ups; worked at UN Cambodian refugee camp; tutored immigrants at Central Area Youth Association.

Statement: My young children's years of pointed questions about people living alongside our roads, clearly needing help, caused me to doubt and question our current politicians. Even to kids, it was obvious that something was wrong. I had worked in a UN refugee

camp where people had lost everything, fleeing violence; yet, it was more hygienic and humane than my hometown. Unable to find plausible explanations and wanting better for Washington, I had to speak out.

Tone deaf measures coming out of Olympia are one-sided and unbalanced. Current politicians throw money at problems first, asking questions later--this must stop. They've been in power so long they've forgotten to listen to neighbors or manage their spending. We cannot tax our way back to health from our current crisis. I'll provide the critical check and balance we've lost, being a leader who seeks compassionate solutions while protecting taxpayers.

I will bring the fresh perspective direly needed in Olympia. We need a Lt. Governor fighting for families and businesses, not more of the same government approach. Let's get this right for our children's tomorrow, as well as their today.

Top issues: fiscal responsibility, political balance, homelessness, addiction & mental health, public safety

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**James R. Rafferty***(Prefers Democratic Party)*

Elected Experience: This is my first Public Election.

Other Professional Experience: BCAG Machinist and Laser Operator for 20 years. 1996-2020. US Geographic Map Librarian for the 1990 Census for 7 States and the Pacific Island Trust Territories. worked with over 50K maps. US Special Delivery trusted with valuables for roughly 5 years. US Small Business Administration 1992.

Education: Puyallup HS 1979. BA "Comparative Governments" Political Science UW 1984. BA "Law, Politics and the Economy" Social Sciences UW 2005. International Trade, Computer Networking, six different CC ATA's.

Community Service: Former Union Steward for IAM 751. Volunteer Guide Dogs of America. Member of Machinists Non-Partisan Political League.

Statement: Washington State Senators and other Legislators will be treated fairly by me as Lt. Governor. Everyone wins. When ideas are shared and economic activity grows, then the public can prosper and have faith in the future. Quality government requires that respectful battles must take place.

In 1982, As Secretary General, I led a mock United Nations gathering of students representing over 185 Countries. We passed legislation that had not been accomplished for over ten years by other students. Part of success is respecting all kinds of people with different values and religious beliefs and getting them to agree on a common course.

The Lt. Governor is the Leader of the Senate and must convey a sense of harmony and calm to the members. Relaxed and happy people are civil to each other and work together on fixing serious problems like the coronavirus. I have Legal and formal education to do the job. I will stand behind legislation that protects children, improves education, improves environmental protection and makes good common sense. As a child, I went to the very accepting and loving First Christian Church near the Fair in Puyallup.

Endorsements: Honorable Withdrawal Card Teamsters Local 599. NRA Safety Training 1975

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State of Washington - Lieutenant Governor - Partisan Office - 4 Year Term *Continued*



Marko Liias

(Prefers Democratic Party)

Elected Experience: State Senate Majority Floor Leader, 2018 – Present; Minority Floor Leader, 2017-18; State Senator, 21st District, 2014 – Present; State Representative, 21st District, 2008-2014; Mukilteo City Councilmember, 2006-2008.

Other Professional Experience: Professor at Everett Community College, proud AFT union member; founded a small family-owned construction company focused on green building.

Education: Bachelor's from Georgetown University (2003); Master's from University of Washington (2017). First in my family to attend college.

Community Service: Board of Directors, Washington Institute for Public Policy; Board of Trustees, Seattle Repertory Theater; Honorary Trustee, National Nordic Museum. Past Board Service: Youth Suicide Prevention Program, Community Transit, Snohomish County Board of Health.

Statement: As the son of a carpenter and school lunch lady, I learned the importance of hard work, education, and opportunity for all. These values have guided my public service and advocacy for working people and the vulnerable. I'll build on my record of proven leadership and break barriers as Washington's first openly gay statewide executive.

The Lieutenant Governor's most important job is serving as Senate President. As the only candidate who has served in the Senate, I'm uniquely positioned to get results. I've used my position as Majority Floor Leader to establish the most generous paid family leave program in the country, close big business tax loopholes, expand voting rights, protect reproductive healthcare, build light rail, and pass critical COVID-relief.

While Congress is mired in gridlock and special interest money, here in Washington we've taken bold action, often with bipartisan support. As Lieutenant Governor, I'll keep fighting for inclusive economic recovery, universal healthcare, and quality education accessible to all.

Endorsements: Lieutenant Governor Cyrus Habib; Washington State Labor Council; Washington Conservation Voters; Alliance for Gun Responsibility; UFCW 21 (nurses and grocery workers); over 50 Senate and House colleagues; multiple Democratic organizations; hundreds of city, county, tribal and community leaders statewide.

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Matt Seymour

(Prefers Libertarian Party)

Elected Experience: No information submitted

Other Professional Experience: 23 years working in Property Management, 15 years as a Small Business Owner, 4 years in Corporate Accounting, 3 years as a Pest Management Professional, and a Substitute Teacher.

Education: BA - University of Washington

Community Service: Boy Scouts of America, Waskowitz Outdoor Education Center, Snoqualmie Valley School District, and a two year Christian Mission in Mexico. Hablo Español.

Statement: The main duty of the Lieutenant Governor is to preside over the State Senate.

Since I am not a member of either the Republican or Democratic Parties, I am uniquely qualified to be the most practical and impartial 'referee' facilitating discussion in the State Senate. The best solutions are created through explanations from multiple perspectives. I will give voice to all sides of the issues.

As someone who hasn't received donations from big money special interests, I am likewise best suited to carry out the duties of Rules Committee Chair. Only a 'gatekeeper' that isn't beholden to those special interests can ensure the voice of the people is heard in the Senate.

While serving as our Lieutenant Governor, I will make sure legislation is openly debated and that bills are fair, clean, and on topic. I will seek ways to make the legislative process more accessible to the citizens. If you feel your elected representative is not listening, you can contact me directly. I am the Lieutenant Governor we all need, and I am asking for your support and your vote. Together, we can break partisan gridlock and keep the Senate on track serving the people of Washington.

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No Information Submitted



Michelle Jasmer

(Prefers Democratic Party)

Elected Experience: President, Orting School District Alumni Association and Keynote Speaker; Pierce County Precinct Officer

Other Professional Experience: First Director of Career and Technical Education for a Washington Tribal School; Public School Teacher; CEO Worldview Commercial Capital; Licensed Home Mortgage Loan Originator; Washington Real Estate Broker; Instructional Designer; Management Consultant; Community Organizer

Education: Doctoral Candidate Organizational Leadership Business Psychology, MEd Transformational Leadership, Aspen University; BA Business Sustainability, Evergreen State College; UW Graduate School for Native American Studies; WSU Alumni

Community Service: United Way, Puyallup Food Bank, Camp Arnold (disadvantaged youth), YWCA, MainStreet Association Chair, Northwest EcoBuilding Guild Chair, Autism Society, 4H, Audubon, DACA, NAACP, WAMB, SCORE Counselor

Statement: Michelle Jasmer will become Washington's First Woman Lieutenant Governor.

Raised in Orting, Washington, Michelle is a grassroots inspirational leader in government and business. With Portuguese, African and Irish heritage, Michelle serves all people equally. As a single mother raising three daughters, Michelle put herself

through Bachelor's, Master's and Doctorate programs. As an experienced organizational president, she is a prepared parliamentarian. Michelle built a financial firm and created over 80 jobs for Washingtonians. Michelle is equipped to lead Washington to economic healing through innovative job development.

Michelle's policy initiatives are rights for women and children. When women own homes, there is less child abuse and less domestic violence. Michelle supports people healing from disparity through access to home ownership by expanding Washington's down payment assistance programs. She advocates increased rental assistance to address homelessness. Michelle is addicted to positivity and promotes collaborative and inclusionary decision making.

Michelle supports tuition free college and vocational programs for all students through multiple pathways. Michelle advocates improved services for those living with developmental disabilities and mental illness. Michelle is a teacher and published author on Innovation and Transformational Leadership. Michelle supports businesses becoming environmentally sustainable and seeks innovative technology to make this into reality.

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Bill Penor

(Prefers Republican Party)

Elected Experience: No Information Submitted

Other Professional Experience: Narbeck Wetland Sanctuary, Board Member; Washington Business Alliance, Member; Washington Airport Management Association, Past Vice President

Education: I was born and raised in Washington. As a 10th grade dropout with a GED I had to work from the bottom, up.

Having worked in forestry and construction, then a decade as a Aircraft Rescue Fire Fighter and finally, a career in the aviation field, I have great respect for hard work and understand the value of a hard earned dollar. I'm grateful for those who mentored me along this journey and now ask for your vote to become your Lieutenant Governor.

Community Service: No Information Submitted

Statement: Our state government has piled on draconian restrictions, many of us were completely broken, businesses in shambles, life dreams and hard work crushed, incredible unemployment, families ravaged by state government. Do you want more of the same?

Imagine a state where crime and homelessness are dealt with, where 10th through 12th grade students transition to living wage jobs. Imagine transportation under control with a plan we can afford that solves mobility problems around our state, low taxes, fear of a state income tax is a bad memory of the past failed policies.

Now imagine a Lt. Governor that will stand up for you regardless if you are Republican, Democrat, or Independent. Imagine what it would be like to have control and a direct connection to voice your opinions. Imagine what it would be like to work toward the common goal of getting our states economy up and running so you and your family can prosper.

Imagine a time when your vote counts now more than ever. I believe I am the best candidate and with your vote I promise to serve diligently on your behalf. I humbly ask for your vote for Lieutenant Governor - thank you, Bill Penor

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State of Washington - Lieutenant Governor - Partisan Office - 4 Year Term *Continued***Richard (Dick) Muri***(Prefers Republican Party)***Elected Experience:** GOP PCO 1998-2020, Steilacoom School Board, Pierce County Council, State Representative.**Other Professional Experience:** Lieutenant Governor Kiwanis Pacific Northwest District, Retired USAF Lieutenant Colonel, Combat Operation Urgent Fury, Director Airlift Operations, Incirlik Turkey (Operations Desert Storm and Provide Comfort), Chief Quality Management McChord AFB**Education:** Bachelor of Science, Public Health University of Massachusetts-Amherst; Masters Public Administration, Golden Gate University; Air Command and Staff College**Community Service:** Current Lieutenant Governor Kiwanis, Past President Kiwanis Club of Steilacoom, Director Steilacoom Historical Museum Association, Saint John Bosco, Current Commander Military Order of the Worlds Wars Chapter, youth wrestling and track coach.**Statement:** As your most experienced candidate for Lieutenant Governor, I bring 45 years of award winning achievement to this position (Joint Base Lewis McChord Civilian

Hall of Fame recipient, National Wrestling Hall of Fame inductee, Washington State House of Representatives Veterans Legislator of the Year, Town of Steilacoom Citizen of the year and many more). My decisions are based on common sense conservatism, science based environmental stewardship, and the belief in local control of decisions and resources is usually best. People create jobs, not big government. I support the voter approved \$30 vehicle tab fee initiative. I am actively supporting the repeal of Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill 5395, the K-12 Sex Education Law which was recently enacted by our state legislature. I oppose any proposed version of a state income tax. I am an active proponent of our bill of rights, especially our 1st and 2nd amendments. We need to continue to defend our property rights, a basic human right which makes our capitalist system work. I am a defender of Life, I am Pro Life. Property taxes are already too high. Feel free to contact me: Facebook.com/electDickMuri, #DickMuri4LtGov2020, Twitter @DickMuri, Dick@DickMuri.com

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**Denny Heck***(Prefers Democratic Party)***Elected Experience:** U.S. Representative, member of the House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence and the House Financial Services Committee. Washington State Representative, elected to five terms. Chaired historic Basic Education Subcommittee. Democratic Precinct Committee Officer.**Other Professional Experience:** Co-Founder, Intrepid Learning Solutions; Co-Founder and President, TVW – Washington's version of C-SPAN; Chief of Staff, Governor Booth Gardner**Education:** B.A., The Evergreen State College**Community Service:** Denny and his wife of 44 years, Paula (a retired middle school principal), founding member of the Olympia School District Education Foundation's Principals' Emergency Checkbook Fund, providing low income children with supplies to be successful in school.**Statement:** As we navigate the unprecedented challenges that lie ahead, it's critical we have state leaders with the experience, competence and civility to guide our government on the path to a more prosperous future for all.

As a lifelong Washingtonian and Democrat, I've served at every level of government and been committed to promoting values of a more fair and just economic system, a strong public education system, and a commitment to our environment to ensure generations to come will be able to enjoy the peerless natural beauty of our state. I will continue to champion these causes while fulfilling the other duties constitutionally assigned as Lieutenant Governor.

With your continued trust, this office can ensure we don't roll back the progress we have worked so hard for in Washington State. We have an opportunity to build a state that is better than it was before and not sacrifice our most vulnerable in the name of progress.

I'm honored by the numerous former and current elected state and community leaders, environmentalists, labor and business leaders, and so many other of our neighbors that have chosen to support our campaign and our vision for a better future. I ask for your support.

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**Marty McClendon***(Prefers Republican Party)***Elected Experience:** Precinct Committee Officer, Club President, and County Chairman.**Other Professional Experience:** 21 Years Real Estate Sales, Housing Advocacy, and Brokerage Management. 13 years Healthcare and Healthcare Management, 6 years Radio Broadcasting, 8 years ministry, 4 years Mortgage Lending, and 3 years Coaching, Training, and Speaking.**Education:** WA State- Managing Brokers license, Certified Instructor's License, Professional Speaking Certificate, Voice Over Training Certificate, Business Coaching Certificate, and Pastoral License. Attended University Of Washington- Pre-Med**Community Service:** Volunteered for the Boys Scouts, Make A Wish Foundation, Boys and Girls Clubs, Relay for Life, Park Clean ups, Fred Hutch Cancer Research, Union Gospel Mission, and other ministry outreach.**Statement:** This election is about you, your safety, and your opportunity to succeed. It is about what kind of future we want our kids and grandkids to have. It is about restoring

trust, correcting wrongs, and doing things in a new, innovative, and collaborative way. It includes a future that provides for safer, cleaner and more vibrant communities, an accountable and fiscally responsible government that is looking out for you. A future where every child gets his or her best opportunity to succeed is by having multiple educational pathways to choose from, including college, online learning, CTE, VOC Tech, Charter schools, the Trades, and Apprenticeships. A future where it is easier to start a business, buy a home, and commute to your job—a future where elected officials model integrity, defend your God-given rights, and value all equally.

I have 35 years of leadership experience that spans Healthcare, Housing, Media, and Ministry and decades of community service. That balanced with having grown up with a ranching and farming heritage, the values learned as an Eagle Scout, and a heart of collaboration. I will use the Legislative and Executive tools of the office to fight for a better future for all.

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State of Washington - Secretary of State - Partisan Office - 4 Year Term



Ed Minger

(Prefers Independent Party)

Elected Experience: FEA Building Representative Columbia Jr High; Most Original - CERHS Seniors; Most Inspirational - CERHS Track

Other Professional Experience: History Teacher - Fife; Operations Manager, Stormwater Specialist - Lean Environment Inc.; America Reads/America Counts - Ellensburg; Teacher - Cle Elum, Kittitas, Royal; Trio Upward Bound Hall Director, Moses Lake; Shipping Dept. - Shoemaker Mfg.

Education: Bachelor's in History Education, Central Washington University - Magna Cum Laude; Big Bend Community College; Cle Elum-Roslyn High School

Community Service: Coordinated 1,000s of hours of youth community service with Leo Club; Visiting retirement communities, coordinating community events, student tours, childcare during parent events, donation drives. Our student volunteers are irreplaceable.

Statement: Many recognize the flaws in our elections, and we know these flaws create imperfections in government. We should never feel limited to choosing the lesser of two evils when voting in our diverse state -- and compromise, empathy, and respect should be encouraged in government. If you agree, even partially, please visit edminger.com.

As a candidate I refuse to purchase advertising. Beyond that, I offer new, strategic, *nonpartisan* ideas.

First, reduce the expectation of two-party victories by allowing 3-5 people to compete for your vote. Implement *approval voting* to end fears of wasting a vote on your true preferences. Second, special interests and donors purchase preferential access to leaders, and they're understandably concerned about losing access. Don't fight them. *Prohibit candidates from running paid advertising*, and the necessity for donations will fall tremendously.

I have a handful of other ideas around one goal; *making our representative government more representative*. That's it... I don't blame people, parties, or special interests. The flaws in our elections have created imperfections in our government. When we improve elections, officials will be free to become their best selves. ---Your visit to edminger.com is a critical step towards addressing our shared beliefs.

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Gentry Lange

(Prefers Progressive Party)

Elected Experience: PCO

Other Professional Experience: Gentry Lange is a small business owner, political activist, ardent spokesman for voting reform, with a background in Internet Technologies. In 2004, he was the campaign manager for Andy Stephenson, a voting activist candidate for Secretary of State, a campaign for Washington Secretary of State that broke all the rules and was featured in the

film, "Hacking Democracy" by HBO. He has written about voting integrity issues for over 15 years and is the Director of the No Vote By Mail Project.

Education: University of Washington, Political Science

Community Service: Voting Integrity Activist and Independent Journalism

Statement: If you elect me Secretary of State, I pledge to kick corporations out of the vote counting system, reclaim public ownership of elections, and restore the secret ballot. I will use this campaign, and the position of Secretary of State, to champion economic recovery for small businesses, workers, the unemployed and the marginalized.

Private companies currently control your vote counting software. Clear Ballot, Dominion (formerly Diebold), ES&S, and Hart Intercivic, are the four companies in Washington with certified software to count your vote. Your mail ballot is counted by proprietary, trade-secret, software. To fix this, I will implement the use of publicly owned open source software if elected.

For too long, the Secretary of State has been functioning as a marketing and sales position for big corporations. My goal is to focus this position on the economic needs of those who work essential jobs, run small businesses, and do the work vital to our families, our neighbors, and our communities.

Government is for the people and by the people. It is not for the corporations and by the corporations. It is time that those running our government understood this and acted in the best interests of the public.

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Kim Wyman

(Prefers Republican Party)

Elected Experience: Serving as Washington Secretary of State from 2013 – present; Thurston County Auditor, 2001 – 2013.

Other Professional Experience: Ten years serving as Thurston County Elections Manager and Assistant Recording Manager. Aspen Institute Rodell Fellow. National Co-Chair for the Overseas Voting Initiative and the National Voter Registration Day Committee; Circle of Advisors Co-Chair, Vote at Home

Institute.

Education: Washington State Certified Election Administrator, since 1995; Certified Elections Registration Administrator, Auburn University/Election Center, since 2004; Master of Public Administration, Troy University; Bachelor of Arts, California State University, Long Beach.

Community Service: TVW Board of Directors. YMCA Youth and Government Advisory Board. Washington Historical Society Board of Directors.

Statement: As Secretary of State, my most critical responsibility is to inspire public confidence in Washington's elections. We achieve that when access and security are balanced. That's why we created a secure statewide voter registration system to implement accessible same-day voter registration; established the first Elections Security

Operations Center to respond to foreign interference and cybersecurity threats; and coordinated the efforts to develop robust state and county continuity of operations plans to respond in a pandemic.

Because Washington is a nationally recognized leader, we have been able to help other states innovate and secure their elections by expanding mail-in voting options during the coronavirus pandemic. I am proud to be the only candidate with elections experience – in fact, I've run over 120 elections in Washington.

This has helped earn the endorsements of all three former Secretaries of State and over 50 Democratic, Republican, and independent County Auditors and Elections Directors. They understand the complexities of this job and share my passion for accessible and secure elections, streamlined business services, open public records, and preserving state history.

I ask for your vote to continue this important work and maintain the nonpartisan integrity and citizen-oriented philosophies of this office.

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Gael Tarleton

(Prefers Democratic Party)

Elected Experience: I've had the great privilege of representing the 36th Legislative District as State Representative since 2013. Additionally, I served as Seattle Port Commissioner from 2008 to 2013 and served as Port Commission President before my election to the State House.

Other Professional Experience: Research Adviser, University of Washington; Director, SAIC Global Technology; Senior

Analyst, U.S. Defense Intelligence Agency

Education: M.A., Government and National Security; B.S., Foreign Service, Georgetown University.

Community Service: Citizen Roundtable on Politics and Democracy, Co-Founder; Governor's Maritime Blue Task Force, Co-Chair; Maritime/Manufacturing Resilience Task Force, Co-Chair; College Savings Plan Legislative Advisory Board, Legislative Delegate; PNNL National Security Directorate Advisory Committee, Board member.

Statement: Voting rights and election security are under attack across the country. In a time of persistent voter suppression and election interference, we need a Secretary of State who will boldly defend every vote and every voter.

I'm running for Secretary of State because I have 30 years of experience as a senior defense intelligence and national security analyst defending our country from attacks. I believe that this office needs a new type of leader to protect our election systems and voter information against current and emerging threats.

Currently, our national and state election officials are putting party before our democracy. Our state's top election official has not denounced threats to defund the US Postal Service or condemned dangerous attacks on voting by mail. These threats to election security must not go unchallenged. In contrast, as a legislator I've supported every effort to expand voting rights and have passed bipartisan laws to protect elections and election workers for all of us.

The needs of this office have changed. It's time for a new era in Washington state elections. I am prepared to face these challenges and lead through the uncertain times ahead. I'd be honored to earn your vote.

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State of Washington - State Treasurer - Partisan Office - 4 Year Term



Duane A. Davidson

(Prefers Republican Party)

Elected Experience: Washington State Treasurer, 2016-present; Benton County Treasurer, 2003-2016.

Other Professional Experience: Certified Public Accountant (CPA); Certificate in Public Treasury Management (CPTM); former Chief Finance Officer for Benton County Auditor's Office; former Assistant State Auditor, Robert Utter YMCA Youth & Government Leadership Award 2018.

Education: Bachelor Degree in Accounting, Central Washington University; Associate Degree, Bellevue Community College, Bellevue, WA.

Community Service: Chair of Banking Committee, National Association of State Treasurers (NAST); Past Vice President Western Region, NAST; Past President, Washington State Association of County Treasurers; Past President, Atomic City Kiwanis and Tri-City Industry Kiwanis; Past Treasurer Tri-City Kiwanis Foundation; former Church Treasurer.

Statement: It is an honor to serve you as State Treasurer. I'm proud of the achievements my office has made with the help of an excellent Treasury team.

I've been a strong advocate for an adequately funded Rainy Day Fund and will continue to steadfastly protect pension reserves and work to eliminate the unfunded pension liability. I will continue to advise the legislature on reducing the amount of state debt that is too high. I'm proud of the state debt refinancing that saved the state over \$450 million in interest and achieved a triple-A bond rating for the first time in state history. We will continue to expand the programs that help local governments with their financing & investment opportunities and continue to grow the financial literacy program.

Managing public funds should not be subject to partisan politics. That is why I'm proud and honored to have the endorsement of past State Treasurers Mike Murphy and Dan Grimm, both Democrats. Bipartisan support is also evident in the over 50 current and past County Treasurers and County Officials that have endorsed my re-election.

I humbly request your vote to continue the work safeguarding public funds and increasing the transparency of state finances.

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Mike Pellicciotti

(Prefers Democratic Party)

Elected Experience: Washington State Representative; House Capital Budget Committee Member.

Other Professional Experience: *Mike's broad experience is needed to lead us through today's complicated legal financial challenges.* An economic crimes prosecutor (Assistant Attorney General), Mike managed a State unit of financial examiners, auditors, and fiscal analysts that returned over \$30 million to taxpayers from financial fraud and government waste.

Education: Bachelor's degree (Business Administration, economics minor); Master of Rural Development (Fulbright Scholar, economic development); Law Degree, Gonzaga.

Community Service: As Washington Equal Justice Coalition Chair, Mike advocated for homeowners unlawfully foreclosed upon, veterans denied benefits, and predatory lending victims. Federal Way Chamber of Commerce. St. Theresa's Church parishioner.

Statement: Mike will be an independent treasurer who has *never accepted corporate campaign donations*. He will stop the longtime practice by treasurers of investing in the same corporations that fund their campaigns. Mike shares our Washington values; the incumbent treasurer supports Donald Trump for President.

A financial transparency champion, Mike led efforts to make the legislature's records open for public view. He passed laws to expose "dark money" in politics. He wrote the Corporate Crime Act that increases financial penalties by 100 times. The Treasurer's Office thanked Mike for working to pass laws that improved treasury investments.

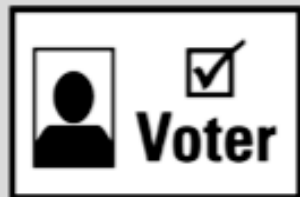
Mike will put working families' and retirees' needs first. He will fight to return a billion dollars of Washingtonians' unclaimed money stuck in the treasury back into your hands. Mike opposes a personal income tax and successfully supported laws reducing property taxes.

The son of educators, Mike will keep a watchful eye on your \$100 billion pension investments. He won't miss required Investment Board meetings. The incumbent treasurer personally attended just 3 of these 18 critical pension meetings since the fall of 2017. Endorsed by: Washington Education Association, State Nurses Association, State Labor Council, Washington Conservation Voters, Senator Patty Murray and leaders throughout Washington.

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Same Day Registration

- During regular business hours and up until 8 p.m. on Election Day, citizens can register or update their address information and vote in person at a local voting center or county elections office.
- Citizens can check registration status at **VoteWA.gov**



Online Registration

- Until 8 days before Election Day, citizens can register to vote or update their information online at **VoteWA.gov**. The submission must be received by the elections office no later than 8 days before Election Day.



Future Voters

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State of Washington - State Auditor - Partisan Office - 4 Year Term

**Joshua Casey***(Prefers Democratic Party)***Elected Experience:** King County Personnel Board, 2019-Present**Other Professional Experience:** I am the *only candidate* who holds a CPA license, the highest standard of competence in the audit industry. To obtain a CPA license, one must possess a specialized education, have relevant experience, and have passed both ethical and technical examinations. I also have

over a decade of auditing and accounting experience, including leading and managing teams for two of the largest and most well-respected audit firms globally — Deloitte and PricewaterhouseCoopers.

Education: Master's Degree, Information Systems & Operations Management, University of Florida; Bachelor's Degree, Accounting, University of Florida**Community Service:** Volunteer Income Tax Assistant, Junior Achievement**Statement:** We deserve a leader with both management *and* technical expertise who can lead the agency to modernize the audit process. We deserve a leader who does not have deep political ties preventing him from maintaining independence and objectivity.

We deserve a leader who understands and will implement industry best practices. Most importantly, we deserve a leader who knows how an auditor should lead before, during, and after a crisis. *I am that leader.*

In fast moving situations, leaders must understand their capabilities and be decisive. They must also have the professional knowledge and experience to justify their decisions. An early window appeared during the pandemic where quick and decisive leadership may have helped to identify some of the weak spots in government. For example, an audit of the state's unemployment office may have identified deficiencies in preventing the estimated *hundreds of millions* in fraud. This was a missed opportunity to provide accountability. As a CPA and a proven leader who has routinely made these types of decisions, I have the experience to be the effective leader we need.

Washingtonians no longer need to choose between leadership and expertise. I will bring both to this office.

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**Chris Leyba***(Prefers Republican Party)***Elected Experience:** No information submitted**Other Professional Experience:** I spent 11 years as a police officer and detective, 3 years of this as a law enforcement performance auditor. Previously, I ran a grocery department with approximately 50 employees and \$400-500k sales per week.**Education:** I obtained my B.S. in Molecular Biology from UW in 2007. I am also finishing my MBA in Finance from WSU.

Additionally, I hold several professional certifications through my job in law enforcement, including a performance auditor certification from ILEAA.

Community Service: I operate an animal rescue called Secondhand Hearts on our farm and also rescue horses from kill pens across Washington.**Statement:** The State Auditor's Office deserves someone who will finally unlock its full potential to serve Washington. This position has a vital role in oversight of your public dollars, but it also has the power to perform auditing that can change the way government

agencies spend that money more efficiently.

I am the candidate in this race that has the most hands on experience with government auditing and government process at the investigative level. I also have perspective on all types of Washington governments instead of those just within our major cities.

We need an auditor that combines all of this experience with a desire to bring lean business practices to the office and to make recommendations in Washington agencies that will create jobs and opportunities across all of our state. Wherever my department can find opportunities for us to spend money on products and materials made by Washington businesses, we will recommend these opportunities be prioritized by our state government.

This November, remember that your auditor should be less about their party and more about their boss: You.

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**Pat (Patrice) McCarthy***(Prefers Democratic Party)***Elected Experience:** Current Washington State Auditor 2017-present; Pierce County Executive 2009-2016; Pierce County Auditor 2003-2008; Tacoma School Director 1987-1999.**Other Professional Experience:** Current member of National Association of State Auditors; National Association of State Auditors, Comptrollers and Treasurers.**Education:** B.A., University of Washington Tacoma**Community Service:** Asian Pacific Cultural Center Advisory Board (Current). Pierce County Sexual Assault Center, Emeritus. Tacoma South Rotary 1999-2016, Honorary Commander, 62nd Airlift Wing, 2005-2009. Awards for land conservation, access for justice and open government; Star of Destiny Award, Tacoma Historical Society; Distinguished Alumni Award, University of Washington Tacoma; Secretary of State's Auditor of the Year, 2005.**Statement:** I have had the honor of serving as the elected Washington State Auditor for the past four years. I am proud of being the first woman to hold this position. Prior to State Auditor, I served as Pierce County Executive and Pierce County Auditor. I have a proven

and tested public record of leadership.

As State Auditor, it is a privilege to lead over 400 employees working across the state to provide fiscal and accountability audits of all local and state governments. We have increased the number of cybersecurity and performance audits, while conducting numerous investigations including uncovering the largest fraud on record.

My vision to "increase trust in government" means greater transparency and accountability of public money. To accomplish this goal, I have created a user-friendly, interactive website that gives you important information about each government that serves you. Having an independent, objective review of public dollars is the hallmark of my work at the State Auditor's Office.

I have been endorsed by many people and organizations, which are listed at my website: www.patmccarthyauditor.com. I am seeking re-election to this important job and ask for your support.

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State of Washington - Attorney General - Partisan Office - 4 Year Term

**Matt Larkin***(Prefers Republican Party)***Elected Experience:** I'm not a career politician, and I'll bring a fresh perspective to the office of Attorney General.**Other Professional Experience:** Veteran attorney licensed to practice law in Washington and Oregon; Attorney in the White House for former U.S. President, Prosecuted in Pierce and Spokane counties, Chief Legal Counsel for my family's 3rd generation manufacturing company.**Education:** Masters of Law Degree (LLM) George Washington University School of Law; Law Degree (JD) Gonzaga University School of Law; Double Major (BA) Westmont College**Community Service:** Evergreen Health Board of Trustees; YMCA Youth Basketball; Woodinville Little League; Timberlake Church; Seattle's Union Gospel Mission; Vision House; Stronger Families; Maltby Food Bank**Statement:** I'm running to be your Attorney General because as a lifelong Washingtonian and father of four little kids, I believe that they deserve a better, safer Washington.

Everyone agrees that the homeless situation in our cities has spiraled out of control, and no one is doing anything about it. This is unacceptable! For 8 years, homelessness, drug abuse, and crime have been on the rise. As Attorney General, I will make this a priority! I am dedicated to making sure law enforcement and first responders have the tools, training, and resources they need to do their job well.

As an owner of a 3rd generation manufacturing company, I understand the struggles that Washington businesses face every day, and I will fight to make Washington a more business friendly state. I'm proudly endorsed by a former Washington Attorney General, State Senators, State Legislators, County Sheriffs, First Responders, radio talk show hosts, business owners, community leaders, and many more elected officials from all over the state!

Thanks for your vote — it's time to roll up our sleeves, get to work, and take back our streets and parks!

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**Mike Vaska***(Prefers GOP Party)***Elected Experience:** Chair, MRW Alliance, 2017-20, educating and electing leaders focused on commonsense solutions.**Other Professional Experience:** Won Washington State Supreme Court cases lowering car tabs, protecting property rights, and streamlining regulations; Led Consumer Protection/Antitrust practice at Foster Garvey, recovering millions for consumers; Special Deputy Prosecuting Attorney on drug cases.**Education:** Lake Washington High School; first in family to attend college, earning economics degree at Stanford; law degree, University of Chicago.**Community Service:** Board member and Chair, Regional Transit Committee, Seattle Chamber of Commerce; Vice-Chair, Crosscut Public Media; Issaquah Youth Soccer Coach; Eagle Scout; led Scout climbing adventures; Washington Conservation Voters Board; Teaching volunteer, Tanzania.**Statement:** As the son of a World War II refugee, Mike understands what tough times are like. People are hurting. True leadership is rare. Decisions impacting our lives and livelihoods are guided by partisanship and not the rule of law. It's time we changed that.

As your Attorney General, Mike Vaska will protect the Evergreen State, not advance a partisan agenda. He's the only candidate with decades of legal experience, which he'll use to improve public safety, protect consumers, and be an independent check on state power.

State government must take an all-hands approach to rebuilding our economy by supporting small businesses, farmers, and all workers. Mike will convene a "Create Jobs Now" task force to streamline permitting and reduce regulatory burdens. Mike will demand results to end our state's homelessness and public safety crisis, bringing people together to find real solutions – not relying on the past's failed policies.

Mike has earned bipartisan support from statewide leaders we trust like Governor Dan Evans, Attorney General Rob McKenna, former Congressmen Dave Reichert and Sid Morrison, and local leaders like Spokane County Commissioner Mary Kuney, Snohomish Council Chair Nate Nehring, and Vancouver business leader Ann Donnelly. Please join them with your vote.

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**Brett Rogers***(Prefers Republican Party)***Elected Experience:** None.**Other Professional Experience:** I have over 20 years of law enforcement experience with the Seattle Police Department and the Wisconsin Department of Revenue as a patrol officer, detective, and supervisor. I have supervised the work of SPD's Domestic Violence & Elder Crimes Unit and the Audit, Policy & Research Section. I have a combined seven years experience conducting internal investigations for SPD and Seattle Public Schools.**Education:** J.D. Seattle University School of Law**Community Service:** Operated a solo law practice serving primarily reduced-rate and pro bono clients. Served as volunteer president and treasurer of my neighborhood's homeowner's association.**Statement:** Olympia has become unresponsive to the people of our state: Tax increases during times of budget surplus, legislative votes in the dead of night, title-only and "ghost" bills. I want to represent the forgotten people of our state.

As attorney general I will focus on public safety, government accountability, and safeguarding all of our civil rights. During my law enforcement career I gained experience impartially enforcing the law at the street-level, researching and setting criminal justice policy, and supervising in a large government organization.

Personal and governmental accountability are passions of mine. Equal protection under the law means just that; the rules must be applied to everyone, equally. While conducting internal investigations in law enforcement and education settings I strove to ensure that all were treated fairly but were also accountable for their actions.

I recognize the role of government is to protect the rights of all individuals, that government derives its power from the consent of the governed, and that the government does not grant your inalienable rights. As attorney general I will represent you, the people of Washington and I will not compromise when it comes to protecting your civil rights.

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**Bob Ferguson***(Prefers Democratic Party)***Elected Experience:** Eight years as Attorney General. An independent leader, Bob manages Washington's largest law office.**Other Professional Experience:** Bob began his legal career in Spokane. He served as a law clerk for two federal judges appointed by presidents of both parties. He worked as an attorney advocating for taxpayers and businesses at Preston,

Gates & Ellis.

Education: Law Degree, New York University; B.A., University of Washington**Community Service:** Bob and his family are active in St. Catherine's Church. He served in the Jesuit Volunteer Corps managing an emergency services office assisting vulnerable clients. Central Area Motivation Program volunteer. Advocated for Yaqui Indians as a law student.**Statement:** A fourth-generation Washingtonian, husband and father, Bob Ferguson takes on powerful interests, protects taxpayers, and prosecutes violent crime.

Bob brings more consumer protection cases to court than all previous Attorneys General – and hasn't lost. Bob beat Comcast in trial. Now they're paying millions for ripping

off Washingtonians. He's protecting consumers from price gouging by pharmaceutical companies and prosecuting corporations that defraud taxpayers. He made corporations that acted illegally pay more than \$500 million to taxpayers, including \$170 million in direct checks to Washingtonians.

Bob's helping end the backlog of untested rape kits. He's prosecuting child sex predators. He successfully fought for tougher penalties for human traffickers and repeat DUI offenders. He partners with AARP to combat cybercrime. Bob is from a family of veterans. He fought housing discrimination against disabled veterans and provides servicemembers free legal advocacy.

Bob created an Environmental Protection Division to protect clean air and water. He stopped hazardous waste dumping in Puget Sound and protected Washington's coast from offshore oil drilling. Bob is independent. He vigorously enforces campaign transparency laws against both parties. Son of a public school teacher and Boeing employee, Bob works for you – he refuses campaign contributions from large corporations.

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State of Washington - Commissioner of Public Lands - Partisan Office - 4 Year Term

**Cameron Whitney***(Prefers Republican Party)***Elected Experience:** Planning Commissioner Grand Coulee**Other Professional Experience:** 30 years experience in Property and Land Development, Hotel Management, Property Management, Green Thumb.**Education:** BS in CS, Real estate Broker**Community Service:** I've never been to jail

Statement: I like environmental protection. I don't like fires. Let's work together to clean up the environment and stop fires. President Trump says we need to rake our forests to clean up debris that exacerbates fires and that's where I intend to start. Please Vote for me, Cameron Whitney.

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**Steve Sharon***(Prefers Republican Party)***Elected Experience:** 2012 Commissioner of Public Lands Candidate (I). Garnered 92,000 votes which is the most ever by and Independent running for Washington state executive office. Represented "swing" vote in general election. Was asked for endorsement by both remaining candidates to general election.**Other Professional Experience:** Successful sales career for 3 different Fortune 500 companies.**Education:** B.A Business Administration University of Washington 1989. Disciple of Jesus Christ. Favorite authors: David Icke, Thomas Aquinas, Mark Twain.**Community Service:** Volunteered 200+hours/year for New Horizons Ministries 1993-2006. Volunteered 200 hours/year Seattle Symphony Chorale 1994-1997.**Statement:** In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth. If elected, I will direct an independent, state funded study of the effects of 5G cell-phone towers upon living things. My research indicates that this radiation is killing trees, birds, honey bees, human life.

I will deconstruct 4 Hydro-electric dams in the Columbia River. This will allow salmon to return to their natural habitat eliminating the need for unhealthy salmon farms and saving the state hundreds of millions of dollars per year.

I will stand with Washington farmers against the radical policies of the EPA. I will allow livestock grazing on state land. I will allow sportfishing year-round. I will stop chemtrails in Washington state. I am against Bio-mass use for electricity. I am against the use of wind power. I am against coal trains. I am against massive solar power energy farms. I am against the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, eugenics, Satan, New World Order. I will end clear-cutting of timber, and allow only selective timber cultivation. I am against off-shore oil drilling. I believe public lands should remain public and should not be sold. I am against the "Green New Deal".

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**Hilary Franz***(Prefers Democratic Party)***Elected Experience:** Commissioner of Public Lands 2017-present; Bainbridge Island City Council 2008-2011; served on Puget Sound Transportation Futures Task Force; Puget Sound Regional Council Economic Development Board; and Puget Sound Salmon Recovery Council.**Other Professional Experience:** Nonprofit Executive Director 2011-2015, developing solutions to statewide natural resource and economic development issues; Attorney, representing communities, local governments, tribes, unions, and nonprofits on agriculture, forests, fish and wildlife, aquatics, and labor issues.**Education:** JD, Northeastern University; BA, Smith College.**Community Service:** Former board member of Conservation Northwest and Washington Environmental Council.**Statement:** Hilary Franz is proud to serve as Commissioner of Public Lands. She is relentless in creating bold, transformational change. As the leader of Washington's wildfire fighting force, Hilary pushed for new strategies to reach fires quickly and keep them small. She then secured record-setting funding for our wildland firefighters.

Hilary is a defender of our public lands. When the federal government tried to open our waters to offshore drilling, Hilary refused to allow drilling equipment to cross our coastline. In the face of climate change, Hilary is prioritizing wind and solar power and making investments to save our forests.

Hilary leads by bridging divides and bringing people together. She's earned high marks from leaders across the state, including from conservative leaders in rural Washington, who've praised her willingness to solve local issues, increase funding for schools, invest in rural economic development, and tackle our forest health crisis.

Hilary's Washington roots run deep, from her grandparents' cattle ranch in Pierce County to raising her three boys on a farm on Bainbridge Island. Endorsed by the Washington State Labor Council, National Women's Political Caucus, Washington Conservation Voters, Sierra Club, Washington Education Association, and Democratic and Republican leaders across Washington.

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**Kelsey Reyes***(Prefers Libertarian Party)***Elected Experience:** This would be my first elected position.**Other Professional Experience:** 15+ years in the restaurant and retail industry.**Education:** Graduated from Green River Community College, studying biology, chemistry and environmental science. Pursuing a degree in Agriculture Education with an emphasis on sustainability and ecology.**Community Service:** Volunteering through my daughters' school, helping with the local river restoration and clean-up efforts to local parks.**Statement:** These days, partisan politicians have become overbearing and lost the original purpose of this country's core mission statement: To promote the liberty, freedom, and the ability to pursue happiness for the American public.

I, Kelsey Reyes, will ensure partisan politics has no place in our public lands and that we will continue to push for environmentally-backed reform that isn't based on personal

feelings or corporate desires but rather objectively with science. It is time to remind our citizens that they hold the power in our nation. Elected officials should be honored to represent you and work for you, but understand that they do not rule over you nor should they act without taking accountability for their actions.

As such, as your Public Land Commissioner, I will place the needs of the environment and the people, above the needs of the State, political parties, corporations, and lobbyists. This nation is founded by the people, and its land is owned by "we the people." The condition and health of how we leave the lands for the next generation is my upmost important role when I am elected as your next Public Lands Commissioner.

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Maryam Abasbarzy

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Sue Kuehl Pederson

(Prefers Republican Party)

Elected Experience: Former Chair, Grays Harbor Republican Party

Other Professional Experience: Fisheries Biologist, UW, NOAA Fisheries, Army Corps of Engineers (WA, OR, AK), WA Dept Fish and Wildlife, King County DNR. Power Manager, Grays Harbor PUD; Senior Power Analyst, Seattle City Light; Senior Environmental Analyst, Seattle City Light; Research Scientist/

Publications Manager, BioSonics, Inc.

Education: Master's Degree in Public Administration, University of Washington; Bachelor of Science Degree in Biology (minors in Chemistry and German), Western Washington University.

Community Service: Board Member, Small Faces Child Development Center; Board Member, Ghana Together; Board Member, Commencement Bay Rowing Club (youth program).

Statement: Our public lands have been ravaged by natural disasters including tree infestations and forest fires. They've also been damaged by a political disaster: state

managers that have focused on serving special interest groups instead of providing for taxpayers, school districts, and outdoor recreational enthusiasts.

No more policy-by-press-conference, or angling for higher political office. It's time for new leadership. Sue is running to bring that new leadership to DNR, the agency responsible for managing our state's 3 million acres of trust land.

Informed by a lifetime of managing natural resources, Sue will work to ensure that Washington's working forests continue to provide a steady, reliable stream of income for our public schools. We'll do this by adopting proven forest management techniques that reduce disease and excess fuel loads in our forests, which accelerate devastating forest fires. Sue will use her experience as a UW and NOAA fisheries and habitat biologist to strike the right balance between protecting wildlife and protecting Washington's forest economy.

Raised in rural Washington, Sue has a distinguished career in natural resource management, including service as a regulatory liaison for a major hydropower construction project. She has raised two adult children and survived breast cancer.

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Frank Wallbrown

(Prefers Democratic Party)

Elected Experience: PCO(MLT001), Snohomish County 2019/2020; Various Offices, College

Other Professional Experience: Computer Technician, DCCi; Industrial Hygiene Technician, Former Portsmouth Gaseous Diffusion Plant; Environmental Science Technician, FGDP; Data Management Intern, FGDP; Phi Mu Delta (Mu Rho Chapter) Charter Member; Union Member (IWW IU640)

Education: Bachelor of Science degree in Natural Science w/ concentration in Geology & Associate of Science in General Mathematics from Shawnee State University; Various OTJ Training (eg OSHA HAZWOPER)

Community Service: Our Revolution Washington Berniecrats Coalition Data Manager; People for Democratic Party Reform Communications Chair; Washington Progressive Caucus Member; Whole Washington Volunteer; Sea Salvage

Statement: My deepest concern is the selling of our state to the highest bidder. Amazon and Weyehauser will not buy me and I will not give up on the people of Washington. If

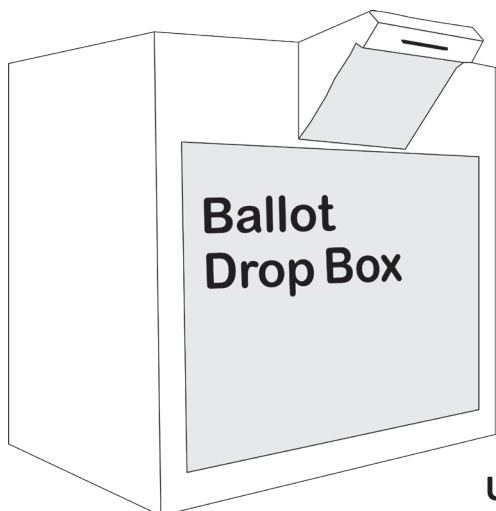
we heal our politics, we can heal the PNW. We have to look deeper into the relationship our policies have on land use and the laws of nature in order to heal the land, sea, and animals.

The land cannot speak for itself, the animals are being ignored, and many people of our state are forgotten. I would like to give all a voice, even if they are not Democrats. Our indigenous brothers and sisters have been mistreated since European explorers first set foot on this land. I intend on giving them their autonomy back and helping them to restore the land, water, and wildlife of this state.

Part of healing the land is healing our economy. Restoration ecology and permaculture are vital to the survival of the PNW. I believe in the GND and that organic hemp farming is a way to create living wage jobs for our people and end our addiction to petroleum and clear cutting.

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August 4, 2020**

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Must be postmarked by August 4, 2020
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State of Washington - Superintendent of Public Instruction - Nonpartisan Office - 4 Year Term



Ron Higgins

Elected Experience: Conservative Candidate, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, 2012 and 2016.

Other Professional Experience: Certificated Math Teacher, Washington and California; 10 years teaching in 7 Washington districts and inner-city Los Angeles (public and charter schools; urban, rural, vocational, and alternative schools; all grades K-12; all subjects, including bi-lingual [Spanish and Russian] and special education). Retired engineer. Marine Corps Vietnam veteran helicopter pilot; retired Marine Corps Reserve Lt. Colonel.

Education: MS, Chemical Engineering, University of Washington; MS, University of West Florida; BS, Cal Poly; licensed professional engineer.

Community Service: Union Gospel Mission; Boy Scout Leader; Red Cross blood platelet donor; youth soccer referee; school bus driver.

Statement: I'm Ron Higgins, the conservative candidate for Washington State Superintendent of Public Instruction. I'm a teacher, an engineer, and a retired Marine. I'm pro-life, pro-family, pro-Second Amendment, pro-property rights, and pro-free enterprise.

Having taught in Washington state schools for 10 years, I know our schools are failing our children. I've met high school students who didn't know how to add fractions or what the words "pledge" and "allegiance" mean, seen leftist propaganda in our schools (e.g., favorable portrayal of Communist mass-murderer Che Guevara), and dealt with bureaucrats who didn't want me to hand students copies of the US Constitution.

Our schools should be teaching the communication, computation, and civics skills children need to become productive citizens. As Superintendent, I will emphasize instruction in basic academic subjects, healthy lifestyles, and respect for the United States, our Constitution, and our God-given civil and religious liberty. I strongly support parental rights to homeschool. I vigorously oppose "comprehensive sex education" and any curriculum that promotes or glamorizes unhealthy behavior or the sexualization of children. We need common sense, not common core; education, not indoctrination. Vote Ron Higgins to put the public back in charge of public education.

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Maia Espinoza

Elected Experience: Not a politician, bringing a much-needed new perspective to our school system!

Other Professional Experience: Business owner; School teacher; OSPI Student Data Task Force, Opportunity Gap Oversight Committee; Washington State Commission on Hispanic Affairs; German Marshall Scholar, first Washingtonian selected for global education forum.

Education: MS, Curriculum and Instruction, Western Governors University; BBA, Pacific Lutheran University; AA, Running Start, Pierce College; Clover Park HS, attended a dozen public schools nationwide.

Community Service: Center for Latino Leadership Director; Youth Soccer Coach; School Auction Chair, Coffee Oasis youth shelter Core Team Member; Tacoma Arts Live Board Member; Catholic Daughters Association; Civil Air Patrol; PLU Business Network Board.

Statement: Our schools are facing a defining moment. Teachers aren't happy, families are stressed, students are struggling, and the opportunity gap is widening. The delivery of public education has changed dramatically, and we've been forced to adapt. Now is

our chance to reimagine a better education system because *the status quo is no longer an option.*

To improve our school system, we need to: use technology to innovate classrooms and unlock possibilities for more personalized learning; provide school schedules that fit the needs of *working families* and teachers; and teach students key *life skills* like managing finances, living independently, and resolving conflicts.

With kids of my own in public schools, I support parental choice and local control. Meanwhile, nearly half of Washington's students are failing to meet state standards in core subjects. I am endorsed by parents, teachers, and school board members across Washington because *I respect community input.*

I am running for Superintendent because I believe *our kids deserve better* and can achieve more. If elected, we will update our school system to meet the needs of families, teachers, and the future economy.

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Stan Lippmann

Elected Experience: No Information Submitted

Other Professional Experience: Physicist at: General Atomics, San Diego. Molecular Epidemiology, Lake Forest Park. Science Teacher at: Modern English School, Cairo, Egypt. Nanshan Chinese International College, Shenzhen, PRC. Shandong Experimental High School, Jinan. Beijing Foreign Studies University, Beijing. K-12 English as Second Language. Massachusetts Department of Elementary and Secondary

Education Prelim. License (Physics 8-12).

Education: B.S., Physics, New York University (1981). M.A., Physics, Johns Hopkins University (1984). Ph.D., Physics, Johns Hopkins University (1989) J.D., University of Washington (1998). Attended or resided: Columbia University, University College London, Sorbonne, Princeton University, University of Texas, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, and UCSD.

Community Service: UBER and Lyft driver during pandemic.

Statement: This election is important to the future of our Republic. The purpose of public

instruction is to help children and young adults to become enlightened citizens. Given the disordered state we're living in, it seems obvious that educational policy must be to blame. Our mistake is surrendering our sovereignty of thought to Eastern and European elitist academics who are so out of touch these days that day laborers have more common sense. How else to explain the failure of trillions of dollars a year, decade after decade, on "education" that we spend leaving us in this mess? Sometimes I think it would be better to just start all over from 550 BC with a Pythagorean Academy, since it's been all downhill in the common sense department since then. It's so bad that now the experts routinely fail us, whether they be scientists, educators, lawyers, doctors, journalists, and politicians. Where will our children be in 2030 and 2045? If they are to be happy and free, they must learn to love mathematics, physics, language and history. Every human being is born with the divine spark of intelligence. My job will be to provide constructive guidance to our teachers.

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David Spring

Elected Experience: 5th LD Representative to the King County Legislative Action Committee.

Other Professional Experience: Instructor, Bellevue College, Researcher, University of Washington, Author, Common Sense versus Corona Virus Hysteria, a book explaining the need to understand and use scientific research to make better policy decisions.

Education: Washington State University: Bachelor of Science Education, University of Washington: Master's Degree in Education.

Community Service: As Director of SAVENW.org, a nonprofit devoted to economic prosperity, I developed a curriculum for teaching students how to start their own business and build their own business website. I am also a leader of Opt Out Washington, an organization opposed to the draconian SBAC test.

Statement: As a parent and teacher, I understand how crucial it is that every child has an experienced teacher and a safe school environment. But I also think it was wrong for Olympia bureaucrats to shut down every school in our state regardless of the circumstances in each local school district.

It makes no sense to shutdown schools for months at a time when there is not even a single case of any child in any school anywhere in our state transmitting the corona virus to any adult. The closure decision should have been left to local school boards – as it has always been in the past.

The scientific research has been clear: thanks to their remarkable immune systems, children were never a risk to adults! Yet our schools were closed for months simply because hapless bureaucrats in Olympia believed inaccurate studies claiming millions of people were going to die unless all of our schools were closed. In fact, through May, about 600 fewer people died in Washington this year than last year!

I am running for Superintendent to restore common sense to Olympia and local control to our public schools. Please visit our website for more information!

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State of Washington - Superintendent of Public Instruction - Nonpartisan Office - 4 Year Term *Continued*



Dennis Wick

Elected Experience: Elected and re-elected to the Snohomish School District Board of Directors (1999-2007)

Other Professional Experience: Thirty plus years at Boeing working as a Planning and Management Specialist; Adjunct Faculty at Gonzaga University teaching online classes in the school of engineering; Proudly served in the US Navy as an aviation electronics technician.

Education: MS Project Management, City University of Seattle; Bachelors, Business Administration, University of Washington; AA Skagit Valley CC; Technical training, US Navy.

Community Service: Volunteer classroom helper, Educational Foundation member, active church member.

Statement: *Why pick Wick for Superintendent?*

We can all agree: Education is a core value so important that it's written into our state's constitution. With the exception of the quarantine, educating our students today

looks much like it did when Washington's constitution was ratified in 1889. The same can't be said for today's world, changes come faster with each new day. I believe that we can do a better job preparing our students to meet tomorrow's opportunities.

Decisions I made as school board director always contained the answer to the question: "How does this benefit our students?" I will do the same as your state superintendent. I will ensure we focus our attention on that most important educational relationship: the one between the teacher and the student. I know how school districts operate and will ensure that they effectively and efficiently deliver a quality education to our students. As an adjunct instructor, I have had real world experience teaching students online from around the world.

My vision is to eliminate "good schools" from real estate ads because every school in Washington will be a wonderful place to learn. Please join me as we shape the future of education in Washington state.

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Chris Reykdal

Elected Experience: Superintendent of Public Instruction, Local School Board Director, Legislator.

Other Professional Experience: Classroom Teacher; Budget and Finance Executive, Fiscal Analyst for the Washington State Senate.

Education: Baccalaureate Degree in Social Studies and a Teaching Certificate, Washington State University. Master's Degree in Public Administration with an emphasis on Budget, Finance, and Performance Management, University of North Carolina - Chapel Hill.

Community Service: Parent volunteer in schools, youth soccer coach, local city planning commissioner, food bank volunteer, education foundation board member, education scholarship founder, and non-profit fundraiser.

Statement: Thank you Washington voters, I am grateful to serve as your State Superintendent. We have achieved so much together: Record graduation rates with more rigorous course taking; Dual language learning is expanding; Supports for students with disabilities are growing rapidly; College courses are increasing in our high schools, saving

families tens of millions of dollars in tuition; Civics is a graduation requirement again; Career and technical education is now a graduation pathway option; School construction is at an all-time high, creating thousands of jobs; Teachers are finally earning competitive market salaries; and healthcare has been expanded to thousands of additional school employees.

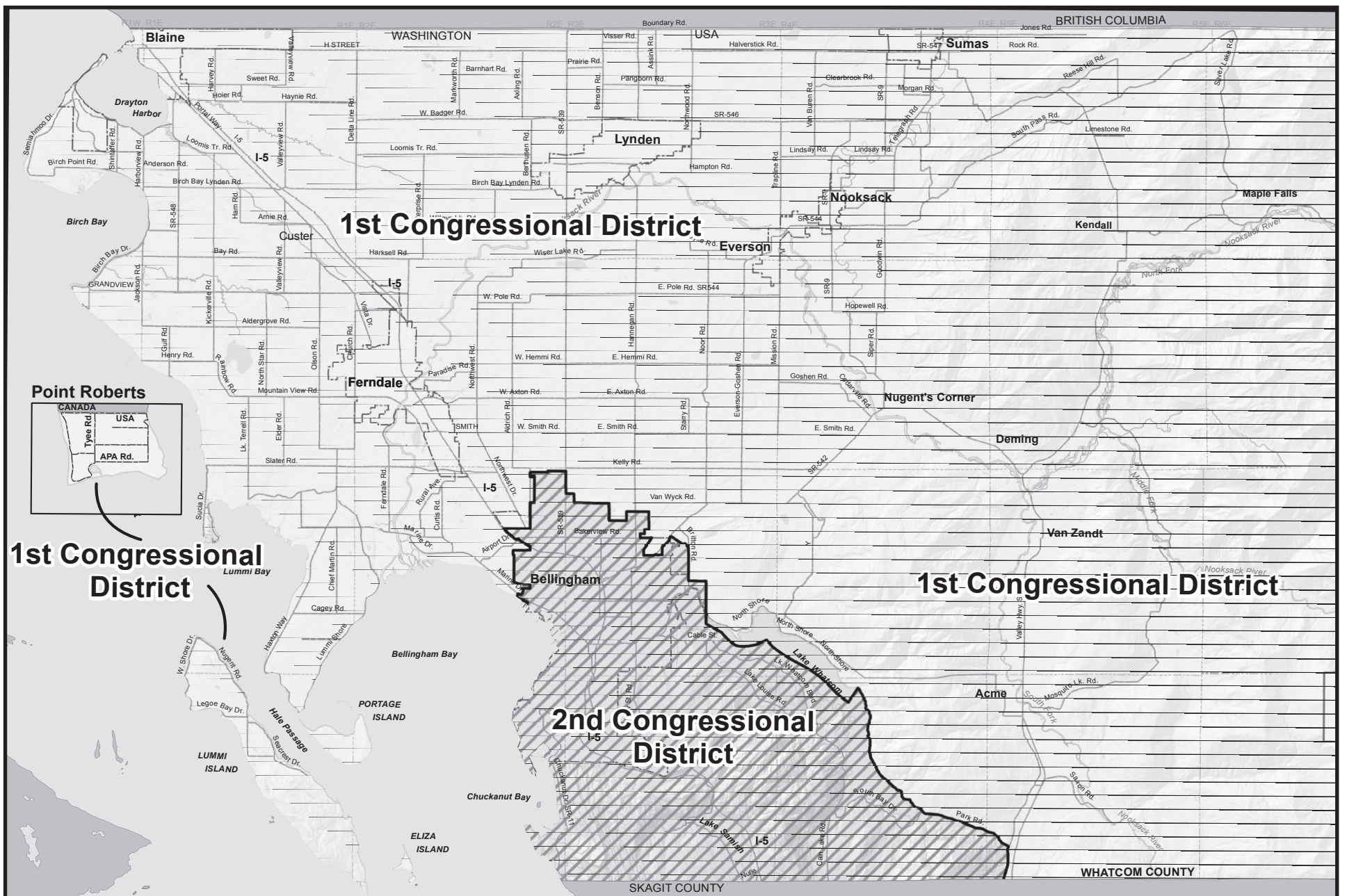
We have major work ahead of us: 1) Emerge from COVID-19 better connected; 2) Enhance mental health and other student supports; 3) Improve kindergarten readiness; 4) Build more career and technical education programs; and 5) We must ensure that rural communities have equitable access to educational resources.

It will take experienced leadership to maintain our investments and further improve student achievement. I am the first Superintendent in more than 30 years to have kids in public school during my service. I am endorsed by Washington's Teachers! I would be honored to earn your vote.

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Congressional District Map





State of Washington - Insurance Commissioner - Partisan Office - 4 Year Term



Anthony Welti

(Prefers Libertarian Party)

Elected Experience: I stand against career politicians including the 40 year career politician incumbent that currently holds this role.

Other Professional Experience: Insurance Agent, Bank Department Manager, Corporate Trainer always fighting for consumers to have higher quality, more affordable products and services.

Education: No information submitted

Community Service: I host and attending street feeds for the homeless and organize door knocking events that collect food for local food banks. I volunteer as a self defense coach at a martial arts school. I am the type of person that shows up when others need help and will do the same in elected office. Volunteerism is a key principle in my families life.

Statement: I am running for Commissioner to protect my family and yours from government and insurance corruption. For decades Washington families have been affected by rising rates, increasing deductibles and lack of choice with insurance.

Under my leadership, we will increase choices for health insurance plans including health sharing memberships and reduce costs. For the diverse needs Washingtonians we need diverse solutions. I support allowing insurance to be purchased across state and national lines, creating a la carte options, catastrophic coverages, removing taxes on insurance and healthcare and putting patients in control.

I will abolish mandatory credit checks on insurance, make it easier for new cost saving plans to be sold in WA and bring back legal defense insurance. I oppose career politicians and support term limits. Politicians get paid too much and have better benefits than average citizens. I call for a reduction in salary for State Executives while also abolishing the taxpayer funded health insurance and pensions they receive. Lobbyists, corporations and the government have far too much power, which I intend to give back to the people. I am pro government transparency, anti crony capitalism and I support all of your freedoms all of the time. Be Free.

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Chirayu Avinash Patel

(Prefers Republican Party)

Elected Experience: This would be my first elected position as I am of age to hold office now.

Other Professional Experience: Fully Licensed Insurance Agent with Property, Casualty, Life and Disability Insurance Licenses. Have been involved in the industry for 21 years.

Education: I going to use the O.I.C. to acquire and manage 168 students as I need in order to major in Every Degree at UW

Community Service: I have volunteered with the National Multiple Sclerosis Society and the Hole in the Wall Camps and will look for as many philanthropic endeavors as I able to incorporate into my schedule as Insurance Commissioner.

Statement: I am an autistic savant who has extensive knowledge and the many of the abilities of the President Reagan and President Jefferson Presidencies that I will incorporate into running the O.I.C. externally like the Reagan Administration and Internally (within WA) as the Jefferson Administration. I am the only candidate who has incorporated

Specific Roles for Mr. Kriedler and Mr. Welti in the Office of Insurance Commissioner. I will be the External Insurance Commissioner for 60% of the time. Mr. Kriedler and Mr. Welti would each be External Insurance Commissioner for 20% of the time if I am elected Insurance Commissioner. I would fill the roles of Ronald, Nancy and Nixon, and Mr. Kriedler would be assigned the role of Carter and Mr. Welti would be Gerald Ford.

As for Internally, I have found 168 Honorable Insurance Agents all of whom are more qualified then myself to each serve in 1 hour increments as Internal Insurance Commissioners of Washington state. That is how the Jeffersonian movement to Counterbalance and stabilize the Affordable Care Act.

Additionally, I am fully willing and prepared to work *with* the either the Trump or Biden Administration.

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Mike Kriedler

(Prefers Democratic Party)

Elected Experience: Mike Kriedler has served with distinction as Insurance Commissioner since 2001. Mike also served as a school board member, State Representative, State Senator and U.S. Congressman.

Other Professional Experience: Mike worked as a Doctor of Optometry for 20 years. He was a small business owner and served as Director of Region 10 for the U.S. Department of

Health and Human Services.

Education: Mike earned a Doctor of Optometry degree from Pacific University and a master's degree in public health from UCLA.

Community Service: Mike is a retired Lieutenant Colonel in the U.S. Army Reserves. He has been a member of a number of community service organizations.

Statement: Mike Kriedler is a strong and independent voice who continues to stand up to powerful industry interests as an advocate for insurance consumers. In his first five terms as In-surance Commissioner, Mike Kriedler saved consumers in our state over \$300 million in auto and homeowners' insurance by cutting excessive premium rates.

His consumer protection staff has helped thousands of Washingtonians with insurance problems, recovering over \$200 million in wrongfully delayed or denied claims. The people of Washington deserve quality health insurance. Mike Kriedler has worked tirelessly to make sure insurance companies can no longer deny coverage. He convinced the Legislature to pass law protecting consumers from receiving surprise medical bills from emergency services.

He will continue working with community, business, and legislative leaders to further improve access to affordable health care and reduce the number of uninsured in our state, especially during their time of greatest need. Mike Kriedler is a proven leader who has served the people of Washington with dedication, fairness and hard work.

He consistently earns endorsements from consumer, labor, business, retiree, educational, health care organizations, and individuals across our state. Please join them by electing Mike Kriedler to another term as Insurance Commissioner.

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Legislative District 40 - State Senator - Partisan Office - 4 Year Term



Charles Carrell

(Prefers Republican Party)

Elected Experience: 1998 Precinct Committee Officer, 2005-2008, 2016-2020 SCCG Union President

Other Professional Experience: 1987-1991 U.S. Marine Corps, 1991 to Present- Snohomish County Sheriff's Office

Education: No Information Submitted

Community Service: No Information Submitted

Statement: I am running for the state senate this year because I feel that our current elected officials are not representing the will and best interests of the citizens. I believe we can provide our essential governmental functions more efficiently than we currently are by eliminating redundancy in government.

I also believe that we can keep our citizens safe without suspending people's rights. The Senate and the House of representatives need to find ways to address the concerns

of our citizens that have come up in this latest pandemic, should any future issues arise that will have the potential to suspend our rights under the constitution.

As your state senator, I will devote myself to reviewing our governmental processes and systems to determine where we can consolidate programs and spend less. I will focus on the development of more efficient government without raising taxes. My goal is to ease the tax burden of private citizens and businesses in order to strengthen our economy.

To learn specifics on where I stand on issues, please send me an email at chuckcarrell@gmail.com, or visit my Facebook page- Charles Carrell for WA State Senate I am not asking for money, only your vote.

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Elizabeth (Liz) Lovelett

(Prefers Democratic Party)

Elected Experience: Washington State Senate, 2019-present; Anacortes City Councilmember, 2014-2019.

Other Professional Experience: Owner-Operator of The Business, 2004-2010; After-School Art Educator, Anacortes School District.

Education: Graduated with honors simultaneously from Anacortes High School and Skagit Valley College after participating in the Running Start program, 1998.

Community Service: Board Advisor, Anacortes Farmers Market; Capital Facilities Committee, Anacortes School District; two-time past President, Whitney PTA; former Council member: Affordable Housing and Community Services, Public Works, Public Safety, Parks and Recreation, Marine Resources, Depot Master Planning; primary author of Anacortes' Affordable Housing Strategic Plan.

Statement: It's an honor to serve as your State Senator. I've worked hard for two sessions delivering on local priorities including Salish Sea and Orca recovery; protecting ferry service; expanding higher education access; farmland, forest and open space

preservation; and ensuring schools have needed funding for our children to succeed.

Committed to progressive revenue reform, I've pushed for taxing wealth, not work-helping struggling families and small businesses and closing unfair loopholes. I've worked to pass record investments in affordable housing, mental and behavioral health services, and proudly voted for Washington's public option healthcare plan.

Like every local family, my home has been impacted by the COVID pandemic. As a single mom of school-aged kids, I've balanced childcare, in-home learning, and my job-which is to help you and your family in these difficult times. As we work towards recovery, I'll be a resource for you and continue supporting those most impacted- from frontline workers to those who have suffered job loss or disruption.

I'm proud to have earned the continued support of teachers, firefighters, retirees, healthcare workers, climate advocates, and my colleagues as I take on the challenges to our environment, economy, and housing in Olympia.

For More Information:

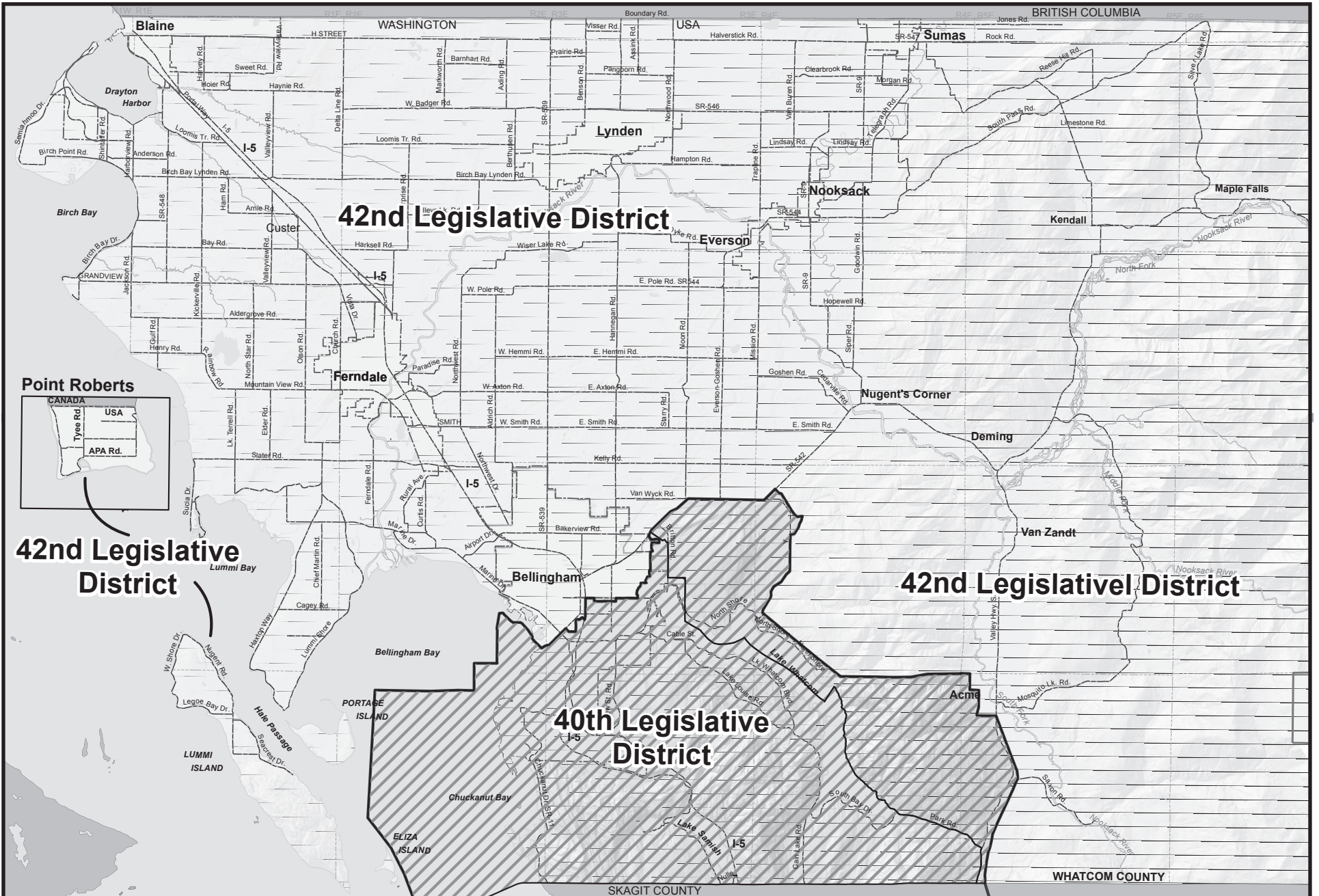
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Legislative District Map




Legislative District 40 - State Representative Position 1 - Partisan Office - 2 Year Term

Debra Lekanoff

(Prefers Democratic Party)

Elected Experience: Served as your Representative in Olympia for the past two years. Debra is Vice Chair of the House Committee on Energy & Environment and serves on Rural Development, Agriculture, & Natural Resources, and on the Capital Budget Committees. She co-chairs the Joint Legislative Taskforce on Water Supply.

Other Professional Experience: Debra spent 18 years working for Tribal governments to improve public health, protect the environment, and increase jobs.

Education: BA, Business Administration/Finance, Central Washington University. MA, Public Administration, Evergreen College.

Community Service: Rep. Lekanoff currently serves on the Board of EarthJustice and Long Live the Kings.

Statement: Representative Lekanoff has called Skagit Valley home for over 20 years. She's a working mom who successfully passed a number of bills: protecting natural resources, safety for farmworkers, funding the Housing Trust Fund, and climate change. Today, she is working to ensure families have resources to protect everyone's health and wellness during the pandemic.

Debra will continue to set a broad table for stakeholder input while focusing on economic and community recovery, healthcare, and environmental health. She is proud to represent you and is endorsed by labor organizations including nurses, grocery store workers, teachers, and the Washington State Labor Council.

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Legislative District 40 - State Representative Position 2 - Partisan Office - Short & Full 2 Year Term

Alex Ramel

(Prefers Democratic Party)

Elected Experience: Appointed to the State Legislature in January 2020

Other Professional Experience: Clean Energy and Environmental Community Organizer. As Program Director at Sustainable Connections I championed the Community Energy Challenge, creating living-wage jobs, reducing pollution, and making energy upgrades for thousands of homes and small businesses in Whatcom, Skagit, and San Juan counties.

Education: BA in Environmental Policy and Planning, Western Washington University

Community Service: Past President, Kulshan Community Land Trust: I worked to create affordable housing for low- and middle-income families. Worker Retraining Advisory Board: During the 2008 recession, I served to help people build new careers.

Statement: As your State Representative, my top priority is to ensure our community is safe and healthy, starting with listening to guidance from health professionals and protecting essential workers. I'm committed to rebuilding our economy to support families and small businesses on Main Street, not Wall Street.

I'm a trusted coalition builder who brings people together, including finding common ground between environmentalists and union workers at local refineries. I'm endorsed by the Washington Nurses Association, Firefighters Local 106, Washington Education Association, American Federation of Teachers, Alliance for Gun Responsibility, and unions representing behavioral health, housing, healthcare, and other essential workers.

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Russ Dzialo

(Prefers Republican Party)

Elected Experience: First time candidate

Other Professional Experience: Over 15 years of diverse management experience, special focus on large payrolls and general operations. Honesty, integrity and treating people fairly are the principles that inspire Russ.

Education: Bachelor of Science, Business (Public Administration) University of Phoenix.

Community Service: Russ has made a lifelong commitment to supporting vulnerable youth. He and his wife are foster parents and volunteer providing support to foster families. Through extensive volunteerism with Boy Scouts of America, he collaborated on local and national level projects and taught leadership and teamwork. He has undertaken diverse environmental projects including trail building and the removal of invasive species.

Statement: *Environmental sustainability can be found within economic sustainability.* We must have both. It is in our Northwest DNA to take care of the environment and to do so while promoting a healthy economy.

It will take smart leadership to bring our state economy back. We need a Representative who will fight for the working class, especially now. Russ will work hard to create a government that is *responsive to the people*. He will oppose regulations that stand in the way of our success. He will promote fiscal responsibility and will find ways to meet our goals without raising taxes.

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Legislative Districts 40 & 42

See page 29 for a map of
Congressional Districts 1 & 2



Legislative District 42 - State Representative Position 1 - Partisan Office - 2 Year Term

**Luanne Van Werven***(Prefers Republican Party)***Elected Experience:** State Representative. Committees: Higher Education; Transportation; Information, Technology and Economic Development.**Other Professional Experience:** Built a successful family business with husband, Larry. Luanne is the fifth generation of her family to live and work in Whatcom. All her life Luanne has encouraged others, particularly women, to participate in the

political and legislative process.

Education: Lynden Christian Schools (Go LYNCs!). Attended Bellevue College.**Community Service:** Worked with college students to pass legislation for low-cost textbooks. Secured funding for environmental cleanup projects in Bellingham, a housing project for developmentally disabled adults in Blaine, the Birch Bay Vogt Community Library and the ADA walkway in Ferndale's Pioneer Park.**Statement:** *"Investing in Whatcom"* sums up Luanne's service as she brings your tax dollars home. Every Whatcom community sees the results of her hard work. Improved parks and trails, environmental cleanup, facilities like Whatcom Community College and the Boys and Girls Club, and I-5 improvements...*Luanne delivers for Whatcom!* As we recover from the devastation of COVID-19, we need an experienced legislator like Luanne. She will fight for our priorities, our liberties, and economic wellbeing, addressing the coming budget crisis without taxing already-hurting families and businesses.*"State government should work for us, not the other way around."* Luanne Van Werven**For More Information:**(360) 319-3761
luanne@luannevanwerven.com
<https://luannevanwerven.com/>**Alicia Rule***(Prefers Democratic Party)***Elected Experience:** Blaine City Councilmember**Other Professional Experience:** My family is fifth-generation Whatcom County and I'm a small business owner. As a social worker and mental health professional, I've worked to help families work through adoptions, supported children who experienced abuse, and cared for hospice patients.**Education:** Education: Meridian High School; Bachelor's degree, University of Washington; Master's degree, San Diego State**Community Service:** Launched and served as president of Blaine Downtown Development Association, working with small business owners to help attract family-wage jobs; organized school supply and backpack drives for children; and a community-wide health fair to help uninsured and underinsured children receive healthcare coverage.**Statement:** Our community has been hit hard by COVID, the economic shutdown, and Intalco closing. My top priority is keeping our local families safe, healthy and secure. We need to increase access to our healthcare system, support our first responders, and rebuild our economy with good paying jobs. We need more than worker retraining; we need jobs!

I'll work on improving our mental health system, supporting our agricultural economy, and building affordable housing. Endorsed by Bellingham/Whatcom Firefighters, our local teachers and nurses, Prosecutor Eric Richey, Bellingham Mayor Seth Fleetwood, Ferndale Mayor Greg Hansen, Washington Conservation Voters and State Labor Council.

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Legislative District 42 - State Representative Position 2 - Partisan Office - 2 Year Term

**Jennifer Sefzik***(Prefers Republican Party)***Elected Experience:** First time candidate.**Other Professional Experience:** *Jennifer Sefzik excelled for twenty years in sales, both corporate and as a small business owner.* She paused her career to assist her husband in the family business and focus on raising their three children. For the past twelve years she has mentored youth through coaching high school speech and debate. Exploring both sides of an issue and communicating are her strengths.**Education:** Texas A&M University, Business Degree**Community Service:** Speaker, Education Conferences; Director, Women's Ministry, Youth Programs and Summer Camps; Counselor, Crisis Pregnancy Clinic; Teacher, Community Parenting Classes; Coach, Speech and Debate; Volunteer, Ferndale Senior Center.**Statement:** *Jennifer will represent you, the people of Whatcom, not Seattle interests.* She'll fight to protect and bring jobs to our communities, oppose stifling regulations, and reject non-sensical ideas sweeping our state after COVID. Because our economic future is at stake, Jennifer will fight to reduce state spending, not raise taxes.*"I support individual liberties, property rights, and local control of schools. I oppose state mandated inappropriate K-12 sex education. Let's protect our entire environment and quality of life by balancing the needs of nature, agriculture, businesses, Cherry Point, and the livelihoods of Whatcom County citizens."* - Jennifer**For More Information:**(360) 201-7610
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www.sefzik4house.com**Sharon Shewmake***(Prefers Democratic Party)***Elected Experience:** State Representative, 2019-present. Sharon serves on committees that deal with transportation, energy and the environment, and is Vice Chair of the rural development, agriculture, and natural resources committee. Sharon works with groups to prevent hunger, address climate change, and improve access to preschool and childcare. She serves on the Economic Recovery Taskforce.**Other Professional Experience:** Economics Professor at Western Washington University. Children's book author. Married and mother of Henry and Graham.**Education:** Ph.D. in Agricultural and Resource Economics from University of California, Davis. A.B. Economics from Duke University**Community Service:** Lettered Streets Neighborhood Association, Riveters Collective, Walk Bike Bus Bellingham, Washington State Adult Soccer Association**Statement:** It's our job to build a life, care for our family, think about the world we leave for our kids and grandkids. As an economist and your Representative, I think long-term. When kids are hungry, they can't learn. When workers aren't safe, they can't work. We need an economy where everyone thrives: clean air, water, education, public health, broadband, safe roads.

I make decisions informed by experts, not ideology. Everyone deserves a seat at the table. I work across the aisle to find solutions. Endorsed: Washington Conservation Voters and unions for nurses, firefighters, ironworkers, and more.

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Whatcom Superior Court - Judge Position 2 - Nonpartisan Office - 4 Year Term



James Erb

Legal/Judicial Experience: Senior Assistant City Attorney, Bellingham (2010-Present); Staff Attorney, Nooksack Indian Tribe (2008-2010); Felony Prosecutor, 10th Judicial Circuit (2005-2007). Lead counsel in approximately fifty criminal jury trials including aggravated assault, child sexual abuse, and drug trafficking; argued cases before the Court of Appeals; and currently represents the interests of Bellingham taxpayers in the City Attorney's Office. Licensed in State, Federal, and Tribal courts.

Other Professional Experience: No Information Submitted

Education: Graduate of the University of South Florida and Florida State University College of Law

Community Service: Sehome High School Mock Trial Coach, Street Law volunteer, Mock Trial Judge at Fairhaven College, Pickford Board Member, Innocence Project

Statement: James Erb has spent his entire legal career working for the people. He is a seasoned trial lawyer with experience prosecuting serious felonies *and* handling complex civil matters including family law, labor and employment law, land use, and open

government. His breadth of experience, integrity, and commitment to justice will make James an outstanding Superior Court Judge.

James and his spouse, Heather, chose to build their life together in Whatcom County. Their boys were born here, attend public school, and play soccer at the Northwest fields. James has enjoyed teaching local students about our justice system as a mock trial team coach and competition judge. He also volunteers to provide free legal advice at Street Law.

James will make decisions based on the law, treat everyone with the dignity and respect they deserve, and work to provide equal access to justice. He will also work with the prosecutor, sheriff, and other stakeholders to safely reduce and prevent incarceration.

Endorsed by Supreme Court Justice Raquel Montoya-Lewis, Court of Appeals Judge Cecily Hazelrigg, Whatcom County Executive Satpal Sidhu, Ferndale Mayor Greg Hansen, and David Doll. Rated *Well Qualified* or *Qualified* by seven bar associations including the WA State Veterans Bar Assoc.

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Evan Jones

Legal/Judicial Experience: Deputy Prosecuting Attorney, Whatcom County Prosecutor's Office 2010-12, 2013-present; Attorney, Carmichael Clark 2012-13; Judge *pro tem*, Bellingham Municipal Court 2012-13; Assistant City Attorney, Bellingham City Attorney's Office 2007-2010.

Other Professional Experience: Adjunct Faculty, Whatcom Community College 2011-present

Education: B.A. Economics (2005), Western Washington University; J.D. (2008), Seattle University School of Law.

Community Service: Whatcom Unified Command COVID 19 Response; Sexual Assault Response 2010-present; Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children Taskforce 2016-present; Domestic Violence Sexual Assault Services Board 2019-present; Legal Trainer -Forensic Nurses 2018,19; Law Enforcement (multi-agency) 2016-present; Whatcom Humane Society 2020; Church Volunteer; Youth Soccer Coach.

Statement: Whatcom County is my home. I grew up in Bellingham, attended local schools, and graduated from WWU. My extended family lives here and my wife and I are raising our children here. This is my community.

I work for the people. I started as a lawyer for the City of Bellingham and climbed my way up through Municipal, District, and Juvenile Courts. I now prosecute felony crime in Superior Court, with a focus on seeking justice for survivors of sexual assault. Outside the courtroom, I teach constitutional law at the college, and provide regular legal training to police and community groups. Through this, and time spent as a judge *pro tem*, I gained invaluable civil, criminal, and judicial experience.

I am grateful for the meaningful endorsements of Whatcom County Judges Matt Elich and David Grant, Bellingham Police Guild, Prosecutor Eric Richey, Sheriff Bill Elfo, Lummi Police Captain Melanie Campos, Whatcom Councilmember Barry Buchanan, Humane Society Director Laura Clark, and many other community leaders.

As your Judge, I will promote equality in the courtroom and serve each of you with compassion and integrity. My commitment is to the people of Whatcom County and I humbly ask for your vote.

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Lisa Keeler

Legal/Judicial Experience: Current Associate Attorney, Carmichael Clark, P.S. (2015-present); Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General (2008-2015); Arbitrator and substitute Commissioner in Whatcom County Superior Court; backup misdemeanor Prosecutor for City of Lynden

Other Professional Experience: Admitted to practice in: Washington State Courts, U.S. District Court Western District of WA, U.S. Supreme Court

Education: Gonzaga School of Law (J.D.), Gonzaga University (B.A. Philosophy, Political Science)

Community Service: Secretary and past Board Chair, LAW Advocates of Whatcom County; Member, Whatcom County National Adoption Day Planning Committee; Immediate Past President, Washington Women Lawyers; Member, Washington Defense Trial Lawyers; Fellow of the American Bar Foundation

Statement: Throughout my legal career, I have worked to make the law understandable and accessible for those I represent. I'm running for Superior Court judge to continue that work. *I care about the law and understand how judicial decisions impact you.* It is vital that the judicial branch represent the diversity of Washington residents. I am proud to bring my experience and innovative perspective to the bench.

With more than ten years in private practice and with the Attorney General's office, I am ready to serve Whatcom County as a judge. I've handled civil, criminal, and family law matters and represented businesses, governments, nonprofits, and individuals. I have practiced litigation and client advice in personal injury/property damage, insurance, employment, corporate, juvenile, licensing, property/real estate, guardianship/adult protective services, probate, consumer protection, and more. I decide cases as an arbitrator and substitute commissioner.

You deserve an experienced, balanced, and thoughtful judge for Whatcom County Superior Court. I would be honored to earn your vote.

Endorsed by: Supreme Court Chief Justice Debra Stephens; Rep. Sharon Shewmake. Rated: "Exceptionally Well Qualified" – Washington Women Lawyers; "Well Qualified" – Joint Asian Judicial Evaluation Committee; "Well Qualified" Latino/a Bar Association of Washington.

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Whatcom Superior Court - Judge Position 4 - Nonpartisan Office - 4 Year Term

**David E. Freeman**

Legal/Judicial Experience: Judge (appointed), Whatcom County Superior Court, 2020-present; Commissioner Pro Tem, Whatcom Superior Court 2018-2020, Review Judge, Washington State Employment Security Department, 2011-2020; Judge Pro Tem, multiple municipal courts in Whatcom County, 2011-2020; Special Deputy Prosecuting Attorney, Whatcom County Prosecutor's Office, 2012-2017; Deputy/Senior Deputy Prosecuting Attorney, Whatcom County Prosecutor's Office, 2006-2011.

Other Professional Experience: No Information Submitted

Education: Willamette University College of Law, Juris Doctor, 2005; Western Washington University, Bachelor of Arts (Political Science), 2002.

Community Service: Former volunteer guardian ad litem, Whatcom County; board member/treasurer, Lydia Place, 2006-2011; team leader, Seattle Visionwalk, a fundraiser for Foundation Fighting Blindness.

Statement: Honored by my appointment to Whatcom County Superior Court by the Governor, I now seek your approval to continue in this critical position for our community.

I pledge to maintain the same independence, character and even temperament that has defined my legal career.

Prior to my judicial appointment, I served Whatcom County as a deputy prosecuting attorney as well as a volunteer guardian ad litem. I also had nine years of experience in a decision-making role as an administrative review judge, eight of which I also served as a pro tem judge throughout Whatcom County. It is always my intent to create an inclusive courtroom where, whether or not people agree with my ruling, they leave knowing they were heard and treated with respect.

I am endorsed by many community leaders, including my predecessor, Justice Raquel Montoya-Lewis of the Washington Supreme Court, all current Whatcom Superior Court Judges: Deborra Garrett, Robert Olson and Lee Grochmal, Bellingham Municipal Court Judge Debra Lev and Commissioner Peter Smiley, Whatcom Sheriff Bill Elfo, Whatcom Prosecuting Attorney Eric Richey, retired Prosecuting Attorney David McEachran, Bellingham City Councilpersons: Gene Knutson, Hannah Stone, and Terry Bornemann (former), and Bellingham Port Commissioner Michael Shepard.

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**Carl Munson**

Legal/Judicial Experience: Over 23 years legal experience including years as Deputy Prosecuting Attorney, Criminal Defense Attorney, an Attorney in Civil Practice, and Pro Tem Judge. I've also worked as the Tribal Defender representing tribal members in Nooksack Tribal Court, and as Special Prosecutor representing the State in drug and alcohol commitment hearings. I've worked in almost every court in our county, handled over 100 trials, and argued cases before the Court of Appeals.

Other Professional Experience: No Information Submitted

Education: B.A., University of Washington; Law Degree, Gonzaga University

Community Service: Volunteer, Toys For Tots; Volunteer, Bellingham Community Meal Program; Coach, Whatcom County Boys & Girls Club; Substitute Driver, Meals on Wheels

Statement: Over the last 23 years I've handled thousands of cases, from speeding tickets to First Degree Murder. I've spent 19 years practicing in Superior Court, appearing in every attorney role: representing the People as Deputy Prosecutor, the accused as Criminal Defense attorney, and both Plaintiff and Defendant in civil trials. Combined with

my 10 years working as a Judge Pro Tem, the length and breadth of my experience distinguishes me among the candidates. I have the experience, diversity of background, and dedication to justice to make an excellent judge.

I've built my career on hard work, integrity and ethics. I believe deeply in justice for all, and having a legal system that is equally accessible to all people. I frequently represent society's most vulnerable and underserved populations, and strive to ensure everyone has a voice in the courtroom.

I am committed to a courtroom where decisions are based only on the facts and the law, but also where every person is treated with equal dignity and respect. I will bring a kind demeanor, a commitment to justice, and a diverse and knowledgeable background to the bench.

My many endorsements include judges, attorneys, and your friends and neighbors in the community.

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**Jim Nelson**

Legal/Judicial Experience: Snohomish County Deputy Prosecutor. Mount Vernon City Prosecutor. Special Prosecutor for Skagit County Prosecutor's Office. Private practice attorney. Contracted with Skagit County and the State of Washington to represent parents and children in dependency matters. Skagit County Public Defenders Office.

Other Professional Experience: The United States Marine Corps - Honorably Discharged 1973. Respiratory Therapist, 1974 - 1989.

Education: Evergreen Park High School, Evergreen Park Illinois. Moraine Valley College, Palos Hills, Illinois. University of Illinois, Champaign-Urbana, Illinois. Southwestern University School of Law, Los Angeles, CA.

Community Service: Community Theater Bellingham; Member Bellingham Community Food Co-op; regular blood donor Bellingham Bloodworks.

Statement: It's very humbling to be running in an election during a pandemic. It's a time when our community needs people with experience. I'm running for this office because I have over 31 years of experience as a lawyer and many years of life experience to contribute. Experience matters. I want to use my experience to serve our community.

I've worked extensively in all Washington Courts up to and including our Supreme Court. I've had the honor of representing a client in the United States Supreme Court.

I've done criminal prosecution and defense; child dependency matters - representing both children and parents; as well as divorces and personal injury cases. I strive to truly help the people that I represent, always remaining mindful of diversity, equity and inclusion.

Justice consists of respecting the rights of every person. I became a lawyer because I have a passion for justice. Judges are, first and foremost, public servants. They exist to ensure that people receive justice. Judges must be independent, impartial, and have had extensive prior experience as attorneys - not merely working on legal issues but working patiently with people who have difficult legal problems. I have those qualifications and that experience.

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This is the End of Candidate Statements



**Fire Protection District 18
Proposition 2020-12
Restoring Regular Property Tax Levy**

Language on the Ballot

The Board of Fire Commissioners of Fire Protection District 18, Whatcom County, Washington, adopted Resolution No. 2020-01 authorizing a regular property tax levy of \$1.00 per \$1,000. This proposition would authorize the District to restore and maintain its regular property tax levy to \$1.00 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation for 2020 and thereafter subject to any otherwise applicable statutory dollar rate limitations. The dollar amount of this levy would be used for the purpose of computing the limitations for subsequent levies under RCW 84.55.050. Should this proposal be approved?

Yes.....
No.....

Explanatory Statement

Whatcom County Fire District 18 provides emergency medical care services, including personnel, equipment, supplies, vehicles, and structures needed for the provision of such services. In order to produce revenue to pay the cost of providing these services, the Board of Commissioners of District 18 passed Resolution 2020-01 under the authority of RCW 84.52.069, submitting to voters a measure to restore the regular property tax to \$1.00 per \$1,000.00 of assessed valuation, to be assessed in 2020 and collected in 2021. The maximum allowable levy in 2020 shall serve as the base for subsequent levy limitations as provided by chapter 84.55 RCW.

Statement For:

Whatcom County Fire Protection District #18 has been providing essential Fire and Emergency Medical Services to our community for almost 50 years and District volunteers are known throughout the county for not only their technical skills, but for their compassion and kindness.

Our community has grown substantially during that time and the District has kept in step with that growth. Now, more than ever, the importance of the District to be able to respond quickly and safely with proper volunteer staffing and equipment is paramount to protecting lives and property.


Emergency call volumes have increased 55% over the past five years. More calls mean added costs for equipment and medical supplies. Additional volunteer staffing and training are also needed to maintain emergency response times and service levels for our community.

If the August 4th primary election ballot measure is approved, voters would see the levy increase from \$.738 back to \$1.00 per \$1,000 of assessed property value, the same amount voters approved six years ago. Levy rates fall over time as property values rise. The \$.262 lid lift would cost the owner of a \$350,000 home an additional \$7.64 per month, or \$91.68 per year.

Statement For Prepared By: Omar Mejia, Tari Caswell, Natalie Hartford

Statement Against:

No statement submitted

Read more about the Fire Protection District 18 ballot measure on the next page. 



RESOLUTION NO. 2020-01

A RESOLUTION of the Board of Fire Commissioners (the “Board”) of Whatcom County Fire Protection District No. 18 (the “District”), providing for the submission to the voters of the District at a special election to be held therein on August 4, 2020, in conjunction with the State primary election to be held on the same day, a proposition authorizing a regular property tax levy of one dollar (\$1.00) per one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00), which is an increase of twentysix cents (\$.26) per one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) of assessed valuation. This proposition would authorize the District to set and maintain a regular property tax levy of one dollar (\$1.00) per one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) of assessed valuation for 2020 and thereafter pursuant to RCW 84.55.050 and subject to any otherwise applicable statutory dollar rate limitations, all as more particularly set forth herein.

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners has determined that the accelerated demands for, and increasing costs of, providing services will necessitate the expenditure of revenues for improved capital facilities, additional staffing, apparatus, maintenance and operations in excess of those which can be provided by the District’s current levy rate of seventy-three and eight tenths cents (\$.738) per one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) of assessed valuation; and that it is necessary for the regular property tax levy of the District to be set at one dollar (\$1.00) per one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00), such levy to be made in 2020 for collection in 2021 and in succeeding years, on all taxable property within the District (such assessed value representing one hundred percent (100%) of the true and fair value unless specifically provided otherwise by law), in order for the Expense Fund of the District to be able to provide sufficient funds to meet those expenses; and

WHEREAS, The Board of Commissioners has determined that it is in the best interest of the District that the maximum allowable levy authorized by this Resolution serve as the levy base for purposes of applying the limit factor established by RCW 84.55.010 in subsequent years.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Board of Commissioners of Whatcom County Fire Protection District No.18 as follows:

Section 1. The Auditor of Whatcom County, Washington, as ex officio Supervisor of Elections (the “Auditor”), is requested to call and conduct a special election in the District, in the manner provided by law, to be held herein on August 4, 2020, in conjunction with the State primary election to be held on the same date, for the purpose of submitting to the voters of the District, for their approval or rejection, a proposition of whether the regular property tax levy of the District shall be set at and maintained at one dollar (\$1.00) per one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) of assessed valuation; such levy to be made in 2020 for collection in 2021 and in succeeding years, on all the taxable property within the District (such assessed value representing one hundred percent (100%) of the true and fair value unless specifically provided otherwise by law), subject to otherwise applicable statutory limitations; and for the dollar amount of such levies to be used for the purpose of computing the limitations for subsequent levies under RCW 84.55.050.

Section 2. Pursuant to RCW 29A.36.071, as amended, the Whatcom County Prosecuting Attorney is requested to prepare the concise description of the aforesaid proposition for the ballot title in substantially the following form:

**FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT NO. 18 WHATCOM COUNTY, WASHINGTON
PROPOSITION NO. 1
RESTORING REGULAR PROPERTY TAX LEVY**

The Board of Fire Commissioners of Fire Protection District No. 18, Whatcom County, Washington, adopted Resolution No. 2020-01 authorizing a regular property tax levy of \$1.00 per \$1,000. This proposition would authorize the District to restore and maintain its regular property tax levy to \$1.00 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation for 2020 and thereafter subject to any otherwise applicable statutory dollar rate limitations. The dollar amount of this levy would be used for the purpose of computing the limitations for subsequent levies under RCW 84.55.050. Should this proposal be approved?

YES.....
NO....

Section 3. The Secretary of the District is directed to (a) certify to the Auditor a copy of this Resolution No. 2020-01 showing its adoption by the Board by May 8, 2020 and (b) perform such other duties as are necessary and required by law in submitting to the voters of the District at the aforesaid election the proposition of whether such excess tax levy shall be made.

ADOPTED by the Board of Fire Commissioners of Whatcom County Fire Protection District No. 18, at an open public meeting thereof this 12th day of March, 2020, of which notice was given in the manner provided by law, the following Commissioners being present and voting.

**WHATCOM COUNTY FIRE
PROTECTION DISTRICT NO 18**

Justin Wright, Commissioner; Socorro Ruiz, Commissioner; Tari Caswell, Commissioner.

ATTEST and CERTIFICATION: Natalie Hartford, District Secretary



My (spouse, roommate) signed my ballot envelope. What should I do?

This is a very common mistake! If someone has mistakenly signed your ballot envelope, draw a line through the incorrect signature and sign your name directly above the correction.

I forgot to put my ballot in the included security sleeve. Is that ok?

Yes! Your ballot will count as long as you have signed the return envelope.

I reopened my ballot envelope and sealed it shut with tape/glue. Will my vote still count?

Yes! As long as the signature on your return envelope matches your registration signature, your vote will count.

I received two ballots, does that mean I get to vote twice?

Sorry you don't get to vote twice! If you have recently moved or changed your address multiple ballots may be mailed to you. Each ballot envelope has a unique barcode which prevents voting multiple times. Once a ballot has been received all other ballots become void.

I got a letter saying my signature did not match the signature on file with your election office. Is my ballot no longer accepted?

All signatures are verified by staff trained by the Washington State Patrol. Staff are trained to look for signature similarities and patterns. However, signatures often change and your signature may no longer match what is currently on file. If you received a signature challenge letter, please sign the letter and promptly return it to our office via mail or email as soon as possible. Your ballot will be counted as soon as we receive your signed letter. Your updated signature letter will also be scanned and your new signature will be added to our database.

I lost/misplaced my original ballot. How do I get another one?

You have a few options to receive a new ballot:

- You can request a new ballot online by visiting VoteWA.gov (log in and select Online Ballot)
- You can also call our office at 360-778-5102 or e-mail elections@co.whatcom.wa.us.

You are encouraged to request a replacement ballot online or by phone however you can still visit the Auditor's Office inside the Whatcom County Courthouse and staff can print you a replacement.

Your Signature Matters!

- Remember to sign and date the voter declaration on the return envelope that has *your* name printed on it.
- We compare the signature on your ballot envelope with the signature on your voter registration. This is how we know *you* voted the ballot.
- How do we get your signature?
If you register or update using a paper registration form, we capture your signature from the form. If you register or update through the Department of Motor Vehicles, we capture the signature from your Washington State Driver License or I.D. card.
- Do *not* sign for another registered voter. A Power of Attorney does not have authority to sign for the voter. If a voter is unable to sign, they should make a mark on the signature line and have their mark witnessed by two people. The two witnesses need to sign on the lines provided.

Voter Information That Is Available to the Public

(RCW 29A.08.710):

The following information is public record:

- Name
- Address
- Gender
- Date of Birth
- Elections in which a voter participated
- Date of registration

The following information is **not** public record:

- Social Security Number
- Driver's License number
- Phone number/email address
- Party affiliation (which is not collected by Washington State)
- Where and how a person registered
- Voter's signature

Top 4 Reasons a Ballot *Cannot* Be Counted

- Ballot received with a late postmark.
- Signature on the ballot envelope doesn't match the signature we have on file.*
- Ballot envelope is not signed.*
- Someone other than the voter has signed the return envelope.

*If a ballot is not signed or the signature doesn't match the signature on your voter registration, the voter is mailed a form to correct the issue.



Achieve Voting Victory!

Here are a few tips:

- All voters are mailed a ballot on July 15th. If you don't receive yours by July 24th, contact the Election Division.
- To view your registration, go to VoteWA.gov and log in with your name and birthdate. Make sure your registration information is up-to-date.
- Use blue or black ink to mark your ballot.
- Fill in the oval next to your choice.
- Need to make a correction? Draw a line through the incorrect choice, then you may fill in the oval next to your correct choice.
- Double check the name on the return envelope before you sign. Each return envelope is specific to each voter (with their name and address printed).



Return your ballot on time!

- Mailing your ballot? The good news is you don't need a stamp! However, you do want to check USPS collection times to ensure that it will have a postmark on or before August 4th.
- Prefer to skip the post office? Use an official ballot drop box. Locations listed on page 40. Drop boxes are open until 8:00 pm on August 4th!
- Track to see if we have received your ballot at VoteWA.gov (select ballot status).

While Whatcom County is still working to slow the spread of COVID-19 you are encouraged to follow all social distancing guidelines. The Auditor's Office is here to help you through the election and most services can be completed online. If you need assistance, staff is available to help.

Whatcom County Auditor's Office - Election Division:



Call: 360-778-5102

E-Mail: elections@co.whatcom.wa.us

Notice for Partisan Offices appearing in the Primary Election:

In each race, you may vote for any one candidate listed. The two candidates who receive the most votes in the Primary will advance to the General Election.

Each candidate for partisan office may state a political party that he or she prefers. A candidate's preference does not imply that the candidate is nominated or endorsed by the party, or that the party approves of or associates with that candidate.


Write-In Voting


Write-in candidates must file a Declaration of Candidacy to have votes tallied for a race. Write-in candidates have until 8:00 pm on Election Day to file their Declaration.

To cast a vote for a declared write-in candidate, fill in the oval next to the write-in line on the ballot and write the name of the qualified candidate on the line provided.

Write-in votes are not permitted for the office of Precinct Committee Officer.

Please do not write in fake or fictitious names, the ballots take extra time and waste taxpayers money to process.

 See page 29 for a map of Congressional Districts 1 & 2

 See page 31 for a map of Legislative Districts 40 & 42



More Contact Information

Secretary of State - State Elections Division

Email: elections@sos.wa.gov
 Phone: 360-902-4180 or 800-448-4881

For a list of people and organizations that donated to state and local candidates and ballot measures, visit www.pdc.wa.gov.

Contact Information for Major Political Parties in Whatcom County:

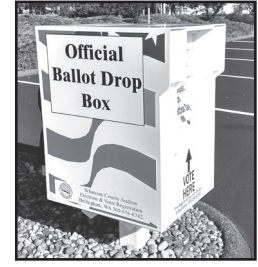
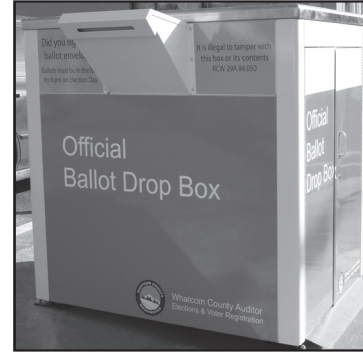
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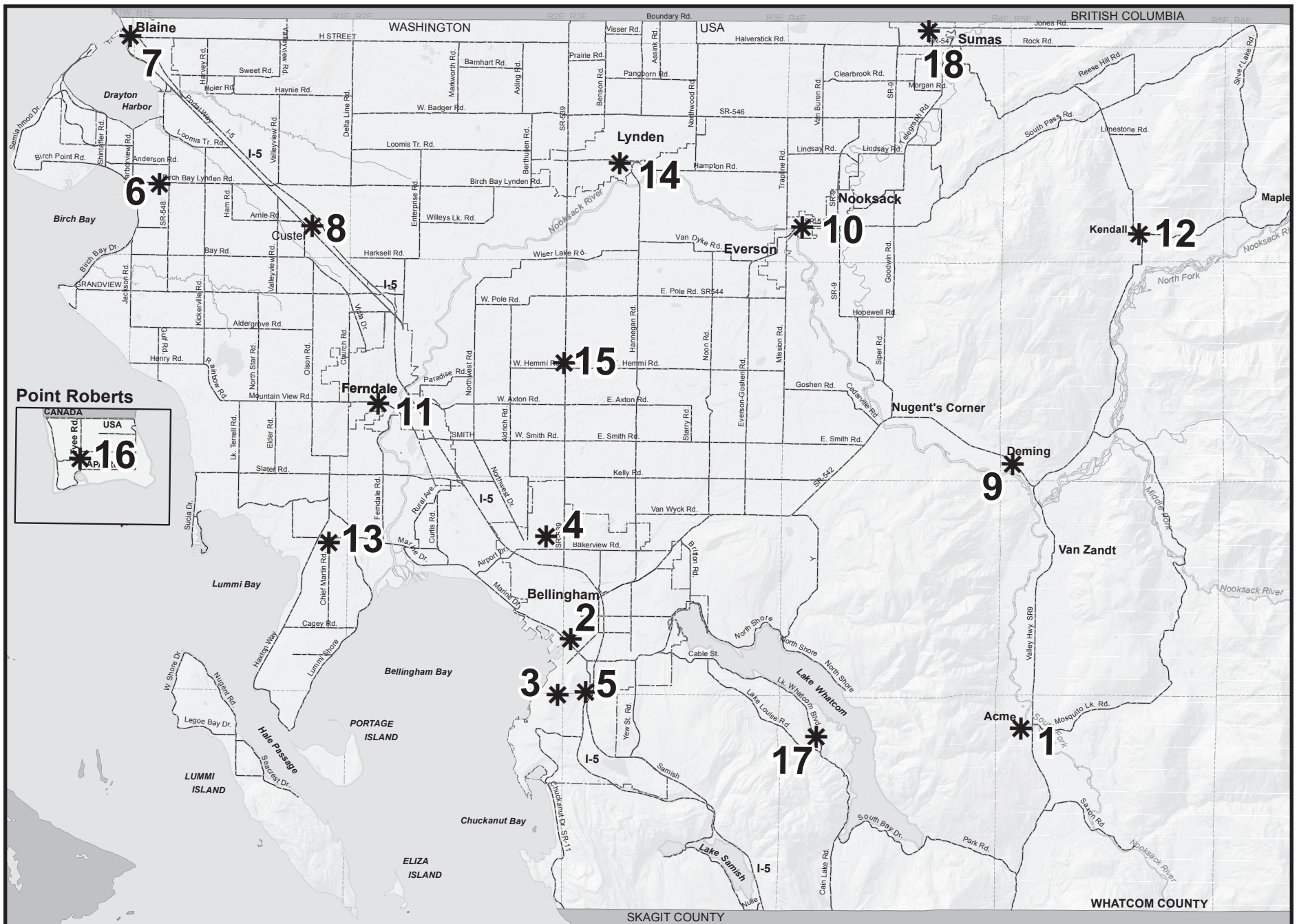
By Drop Box

Boxes open July 15
 Boxes close August 4 at 8:00 pm
 No stamp needed



Courthouse (left) and Birch Bay (above) ballot drop boxes

Map #	City	Ballot Drop Box Location	Address
1	Acme	Acme Elementary School parking lot	5200 Turkingon Road
2	Bellingham	Whatcom County Courthouse; in south parking lot or inside at Suite 103	311 Grand Avenue
3	Bellingham	WWU - In front of the Wade King Student Recreation Center	1880 Bill McDonald Parkway
4	Bellingham	Whatcom Community College, on campus beside Heiner Center	237 W. Kellogg Road
5	Bellingham	Haggen Sehome Village, northeast corner of parking lot	210 36th Street
6	Birch Bay	North Whatcom Fire & Rescue parking lot	4581 Birch Bay-Lynden Road
7	Blaine	Blaine Library parking lot	610 3rd Street
8	Custer	Outside Custer Elementary School	7660 Custer School Road
9	Deming	Deming Library parking lot	5044 Mt. Baker Highway
10	Everson	WECU parking lot	106 E. Main Street
11	Ferndale	Ferndale City Hall parking lot	2095 Main Street
12	Kendall	North Fork Library at Kendall parking lot	7506 Kendall Road
13	Lummi	Lummi Nation Administration Building, outside main entrance	2665 Kwina Road
14	Lynden	Behind the Lynden Library	216 4th Street
15	Meridian	Laurel Grange parking lot	6172 Guide Meridian
16	Point Roberts	Inside the International Marketplace: <i>Drop Box only available during store hours (8:00 am - 10:00 pm)</i>	480 Tye Drive
17	Sudden Valley	Security Office turnaround	Gate One
18	Sumas	Behind the Post Office in parking lot	534 Railroad Avenue



By Mail

Ballots must be postmarked by August 4
 US Post Office recommends putting your ballot in the mail by Tuesday, July 28
 No stamp needed