

# Lincoln County Voters' Pamphlet



Oregon Vote-by-Mail General Election | **November 8, 2016**

Sample Ballot Included

Dear Lincoln County Voter:

This Voters' Pamphlet is provided to give you, the voter, additional information on candidates and measures. You will not vote on every office in this pamphlet. Your ballot will contain only those issues for which you are eligible to vote—based on where you live. Each candidate had the opportunity to submit a picture and statement regarding his/her candidacy.

This General Election will be held completely by mail. Your ballot will arrive in the mail on or near October 22nd. After voting your ballot, you may drop it in the mail or deposit it at one of our drop sites listed on page 21-2 in this pamphlet. And, for your convenience, **Official Drive-up Ballot Drop Boxes** are now available in Lincoln City, Newport, and Waldport. See page 21-3 for directions. If you have any questions please call our office at (541) 265-4131. Also visit our website: [www.co.lincoln.or.us/clerk/](http://www.co.lincoln.or.us/clerk/)

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**Dana W Jenkins, Lincoln County Clerk**

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## Attention

This is the beginning of your county voters' pamphlet. The county portion of this joint voters' pamphlet is inserted in the center of the state portion. Each page of the county voters' pamphlet is clearly marked with a gray bar on the outside edge. All information contained in the county portion of this pamphlet has been assembled and printed by your Lincoln County Clerk.

# Ballot Drop Site Locations

You may mail in your ballot or deposit it at any of the drop sites listed below:

★ **LINCOLN COUNTY COURTHOUSE**

225 W Olive, Room 201; Newport  
**INSIDE BOX:** 8:30am to 5pm M-F  
(September 21 through November 7)  
November 8 ONLY (Election Day) 7am-8pm  
**OUTSIDE BOX:** Drive-up ballot box in rear parking lot—open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week until 8pm on November 8 (beginning September 21)

★ **LINCOLN CITY CITY HALL**

801 SW Hwy 101; Lincoln City  
**INSIDE BOX:** 8am to 5pm M-F  
(September 21 through November 7)  
November 8 ONLY (Election Day) 8am-8pm  
**OUTSIDE BOX:** Drive-up ballot box in lower parking lot—open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week until 8pm on November 8 (beginning September 21)

★ **DEPOE BAY CITY HALL**

570 SE Shell; Depoe Bay  
8am to 5pm M-F  
(September 21 through November 7)  
November 8 ONLY (Election Day) 8am-8pm

★ **NEWPORT CITY HALL**

169 SW Coast Hwy; Newport  
8am to 5pm M-F  
(September 21 through November 7)  
November 8 ONLY (Election Day) 8am-8pm

**TOLEDO CITY HALL**

206 N Main; Toledo  
8am to 5pm M-Th  
(September 21 through November 7)  
November 8 ONLY (Election Day) 8am-8pm

**SILETZ CITY HALL**

215 W Buford; Siletz  
9am to 5pm M-F  
(September 21 through November 7)  
November 8 ONLY (Election Day) 9am-8pm

**WALDPORT CITY HALL**

125 Alsea Hwy; Waldport  
**INSIDE BOX:** 8am to 5pm M-F  
(September 21 through November 7)  
(closed 12:30pm to 1:30pm)  
November 8 ONLY (Election Day) 8am-8pm  
**OUTSIDE BOX:** Drive-up ballot box in City Hall parking lot – open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week until 8pm on November 8 (beginning September 21)

★ **YACHATS CITY HALL**

441 Hwy 101 N; Yachats  
8:30am to 4:30pm M-F  
(September 21 through November 7)  
November 8 ONLY (Election Day) 8:30am-8pm

★ **EDDYVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH**

20742 Hwy 20; Eddyville  
November 8 ONLY (Election Day) 10am-8pm

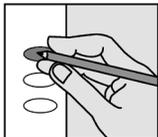
## ★Privacy Booth Available

Your ballot must be received at a designated drop site (including the Courthouse) by 8:00pm on November 8. You may mail it in or take it to a drop site any day before that also. (Postmarks do not count.)

**POSTAGE IS NOT REQUIRED AT THESE DROP SITES!**

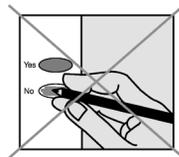
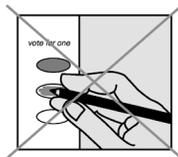
### check your ballot!

Make sure you have completely filled in the oval next to your choices.



If you vote for more candidates than allowed, or if you vote **both Yes and No** on a measure, it is called an overvote.

Your vote **will not count** for that candidate or measure.



You do not have to vote on all contests. Those you do vote on will still be counted.

Contact Lincoln County Elections at 541-265-4131 to request a replacement ballot if:

- you make a mistake
- your ballot is damaged or spoiled
- your ballot is lost

or for any other reason.

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www.oregonvotes.org TTY 1 866 350 0596

**! Be sure to sign your Return Envelope! !**

# Drive-Up Ballot Drop Boxes Now Available in Newport, Lincoln City and Waldport



Drive-up ballot drop boxes are now available at the Lincoln County Courthouse in Newport, the Lincoln City City Hall in Lincoln City, and the Waldport City Hall in Waldport.

These drive-up ballot boxes will be available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week from September 21 through 8:00pm on November 8.

## **Newport:**

Lincoln County Courthouse – located in rear parking lot at the east end of the second row of parking.

Go west on West Olive Street to 4-way stop by the jail.

Turn left onto SW Nye Street.

Turn left into second entrance to courthouse rear parking lot.

Go all the way to the end of the row and you will see the ballot box on the left side. (It is marked “Official Ballot Drop Site.”)

Put your ballot in the box without having to get out of your car!

## **Lincoln City:**

Lincoln City City Hall – located in the lower parking lot under the City Hall.

Turn west at the stop light by the City Hall. (across from Burger King).

Enter the one-way entrance to the parking lot under the building.

The ballot box is near the elevators next to the water payment box and the book and video drops.

(It is marked “Official Ballot Drop Site.”)

Put your ballot in the box without having to get out of your car!

## **Waldport:**

Waldport City Hall – located in the City Hall parking lot at the east exit.

Go to City Hall on Highway 34.

Turn south between the City Hall and the school.

Take an immediate right into the City Hall parking lot.

Continue around the island and you will see the ballot box on the left by the exit. (It is marked “Official Ballot Drop Site.”)

Put your ballot in the box without having to get out of your car!

“Customer Service is our #1 Priority!”

**Dana W Jenkins**  
**Lincoln County Clerk**

**Visit Our Website For More Information**  
**[www.co.lincoln.or.us/clerk/](http://www.co.lincoln.or.us/clerk/)**

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## Lincoln County Assessor



**Joe Davidson**

Nonpartisan

**Occupation:** County Assessor

**Occupational Background:** Lincoln County Assessor's Office - Residential Appraiser, Exemptions Specialist, Sales Data Analyst; FedEx Express - Supervisor, Lead Ramp Agent, Courier; Norpac Foods, Inc - various positions (summers).

**Educational Background:** Oregon State University - B.S. Business Administration, minor Fisheries & Wildlife Science; Chemeketa Community College - Associate of Arts Oregon Transfer Degree.

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Lincoln County Assessor; Oregon State Association of County Assessors

Dear residents of Lincoln County,

I'd like to take this opportunity to tell you a little about myself.

I moved to the Newport area in 2007 with my wife, Chasse. We have two young children, Josie and Calvin, and love the coastal area and small community as a place to raise our family.

I began working in the Assessor's Office in 2009 as a Residential Appraiser and soon after began cross-training for other duties. I went on to manage the Property Tax Exemptions program, keeping up to date and in compliance with changing State regulations. Eventually, I was promoted to Sales Data Analyst, where I maintained countywide property values through market-related studies and annual trending.

Through the years I've kept positive relations with my coworkers and the public both in and out of the office, and have learned a great deal about the overall office functions, but my primary work objective has always remained - to provide quality service and maintain accurate property records in the best possible way. This in turn translates to accurate property taxation which ultimately funds many of the public resources we use every day.

On June 1st, 2016, the County Commissioners appointed me Assessor after former Assessor, Rob Thomas, retired. I've been very grateful to take on this role and believe I have the experience, stability, attention to detail and strong work ethic necessary to effectively manage this position.

I ask for your vote in giving me the opportunity to continue serving as your Lincoln County Assessor.

Thank you,  
Joe Davidson

*(This information furnished by Joe Davidson.)*

The above information has not been verified for accuracy by the county.

## Lincoln County Sheriff



### Curtis Landers

Nonpartisan

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**Occupation:** Lincoln County Sheriff

**Occupational Background:** Lincoln County Sheriff's Office-Administrative Lieutenant, 2005-2016; Patrol Sergeant 1997-2005; Patrol Deputy 1991-

1997; Corrections Deputy 1989-1991; Records/Property Clerk 1987-1989.

**Educational Background:** Department of Public Safety Standards and Training (DPSST) Executive, Middle Management, Supervisory, Advanced, Intermediate, and Basic Police Certificates; University of Oregon; Linn/Benton Community College; Chemeketa Community College; FBI National Academy; Oregon State Sheriff's Association Command College; DPSST Middle Management, Supervisor, Basic Police, and Basic Corrections courses; over 3,000 hours of law enforcement, corrections, supervisory and leadership training.

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Samaritan House Board member 2007-present including terms as President and Treasurer; Local Public Safety Coordinating Council.

**Dedicated to Public Safety in Lincoln County for over 29 years.**

In 1987, Sheriff Landers began his career at the Lincoln County Sheriff's Office in the Records/Evidence Division. Sheriff Landers promoted to Corrections Deputy and worked in the Jail until 1991 when Sheriff Landers transferred to the Patrol Division. As a Patrol Deputy, he served as the contract deputy for the City of Depoe Bay for two years. Sheriff Landers was recognized for his outstanding performance in solving a number of problems for the Depoe Bay community. In 1997, Sheriff Landers was promoted to the rank of Patrol Sergeant and supervised patrol deputies. As a supervisor, Sheriff Landers managed the Field Training Program for new Patrol Deputies, provided scheduling oversight, and was in charge of training.

In 2005, Sheriff Landers was promoted to his current rank of Administrative Lieutenant directly under Sheriff Dotson. As the Administrative Lieutenant, Sheriff Landers was responsible for obtaining and administering grants. Sheriff Landers secured over 2.7 million dollars worth of grants for Lincoln County. Grants provided funding for three Corrections deputy positions for two years during the economic downturn of 2009 and also provided funding to rebuild the County's public safety communications system.

**I look Forward to Serving the Citizens of Lincoln County as Sheriff.**

*(This information furnished by Curtis Landers.)*

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## Lincoln County Treasurer



### Linda Pilson

Nonpartisan

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**Occupation:** Lincoln County Treasurer

**Occupational Background:** July 1986-April 2007 Lincoln County Tax/Treasurer Office; 2007-present Lincoln County Treasurer Office

**Educational Background:** Downers Grove High School, Illinois; Oregon Coast Community College; Certified County Treasurer/ Finance Officer by MT. Hood Community College Economic & Workforce Development division; Certified through the Oregon Government Finance Officers Association

**Prior Governmental Experience:** None

**Professional Involvement:** Member of the Oregon Association Treasurers and Finance Officers; member of Oregon Government Finance Officers Association.

**Proven Professional Skills:**

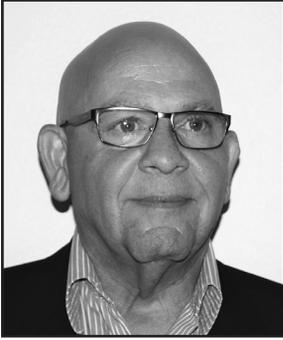
Cash Management and Investment of Public Funds  
Financial Accounting and Money Management  
Banking and County Audit Procedures  
Administration and Personal Management

**Commitment to Excellent Service:** Linda is committed to continue the professional excellence and efficient, courteous public service to the citizens of Lincoln County.

*(This information furnished by Linda Pilson.)*

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## City of Depoe Bay Mayor



**Robert  
Gambino**  
Nonpartisan

**Occupation:** Retired 08/2016

**Occupational Background:** Security Officer-Chinook Winds Casino; Mass Transit, Police Dispatcher-Tri Met; Medical Claims Examiner-Blue Cross/Blue Shield

**Educational Background:** Police Science, Fire Science, Meteorology, Anthropology, Valley College, CA; Incident Command Systems, U.C.L.A.; State of Oregon-Bureau of Emergency Communications Trauma Intervention; Toastmasters International-Speechcraft Communication & Leadership; U.S. Dept of Transportation-Managing Transit Emergencies; University of So. Cal-Service Excellence Consortium; U.S. Dept of Treasury-Suspicious Activity Incident Reporting; Cascade Pacific Council Boy Scouts of America-Leader Training

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Depoe Bay City Council President (present); City Councilor (4 yrs), Urban Renewal Agency (4 yrs); City & Urban Renewal Agency Budget Committee (4 yrs); Cascades West Area Commission on Transportation (4yrs); Lincoln County Solid Waste Consortium (4 yrs); Lincoln County Local Public Safety Coordinating Council; Lincoln County Emergency Communications Commission

Our city is diversified. We have laborers, retirees, business owners and families. We need a Mayor and City Council that is attuned to all of our citizenry. No special interests. We need efficient, unbiased, speedy governance for the entire city.

Thanks to the voters, I have enjoyed and learned so much, serving as a City Councilor for the past four years and now as your Council President. I believe it is time to step up and take the helm to continue to progress the City's Vision. I possess the experience and energetic attitude needed to exceed the duties of Mayor with fairness and equality.

As your Mayor, I will work tirelessly to:

Maintain and improve our utility infrastructures

Add elements of citizen safety and enforce city ordinances

Maintain and improve the harbor area and the down town corridor  
Progress the South of the Bridge plans

Develop new city events throughout the year and encourage more communication between the City and Chamber of Commerce

Facilitate expedient council meetings with reduced verbiage

Let's make Depoe Bay an exceptional working city and the best destination on the coast!

*(This information furnished by Robert Gambino.)*

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## City of Depoe Bay Mayor



**Jerome  
Grant**  
Nonpartisan

**Occupation:** Owner Operator of Gracie's Sea Hag Inc

**Occupational Background:** Commercial Fisherman and Diver; Small Business Owner

**Educational Background:** Bachelor of Science in Computer

Science with a minor in Economics, Western Oregon University

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Appointed to the "Developmental Fisheries Board" by the State of Oregon and Served for approximately 7 years. Appointed by the City of Depoe Bay to the "Near Shore Action Team" (NSAT). Appointed by the City of Depoe Bay to "Harbor Commission" and elected Chair. Elected to the Depoe Bay City Council.

Hi Folks,

The most often asked question to any candidate for office is "why are you running?"

And then "why should I vote for you?"

Depoe Bay needs a Mayor that understands how our community, our businesses, our boat Harbor, the city water, sewer, and city roads work.

We need a Mayor that understands what makes Depoe Bay a special place to live and vacation at; who believes in preserving the wonderful things we enjoy every day here in Depoe Bay.

I am that person. I am an expert in boats and harbors; how they work and how they don't.

I am a successful small business owner that knows the challenges of owning a business in Depoe Bay.

I own a home here and am part of our community.

I have the technological expertise to lead us into the 21st century.

As your Mayor I will:

Work to preserve our City's Fishing Village Image and become a sustainable City.

Set up surveillance systems to increase our home and business safety.

Hire a code enforcement officer.

Look at the feasibility of providing free Wi-Fi internet to the community.

As your Mayor you have my word that I will always put our community and citizens' interest above my own.

I need, and am asking for your vote.

Thank you

*(This information furnished by Jerome Grant.)*

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**City of Depoe Bay  
Mayor**



**Barbara  
Leff**

Nonpartisan

**Occupation:** Semi-retired; occasional consulting

**Occupational Background:** Gracie's Landing, Manager; Oregon quality Initiative, Executive Director; K&S Industries, Vice President; Leff Communica-

tions, President; PA Dept. of Justice, Asst. to Attorney General, Liaison to 8 Law Enforcement agencies; Phila. Area Agency on Aging, Enforcement & Education; WHY, Inc., Communications Director; Phila. Commission on Human Relations, Information & Compliance

**Educational Background:** Temple University, Sophomore, Communications; New York University, Freshman, Communications.

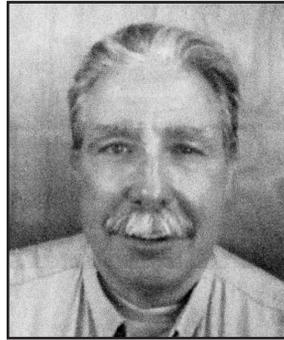
**Prior Governmental Experience:** Depoe Bay City Council 2008 through 2014, City Council President Jan 2011-Dec 2012; Depoe Bay Fire District Director 2000 to present, formerly Board president; PA Dept of Justice; Phila. Area Agency on Aging; Phila. Commission on Human Relations.

Depoe Bay is my chosen and cherished home. My husband Bernie and I came here in 1997, drawn to the natural beauty of the Oregon Coast and the warmth and caring of the people we met. Those wonderful people—the citizens of Depoe Bay—deserve elected officials dedicated to responsible governance. My goals are simple: to work as hard as I can to maintain and improve Depoe Bay's aging infrastructure, to protect and enhance our town's fiscal positions, and to enrich the many relationships with our neighboring communities and County, State and National elected and appointed officials. I want the children of Depoe Bay to look forward to a safe, happy, and healthy future in a flourishing environment.

*(This information furnished by Barbara Leff.)*

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**City of Depoe Bay  
Council Member, Position 1**



**Loren J  
Goddard**

Nonpartisan

**Occupation:** A long time Depoe Bay resident involved in the Charter Fishing Industry both as a boat owner/operator (USGC Licensed); Part owner of Dockside Charters Inc.

**Occupational Background:** 25 years construction - general contractor; United States Army Veteran

**Educational Background:** South Salem High Graduate; Attended: Chemeketa Community College; Portland State University; Western States Chiropractic College

**Prior Governmental Experience:** I have been active in community/political groups to include: Depoe Bay Nearshore Action Team (Chair) 2003 to present; Twelve year member of Depoe Bay Harbor Commission 2003-2015; Depoe Bay representative to Oregon Coastal Zone Management Association 2007-present; Gubernatorial appointment to Ocean Policy Advisory Council 2014-present; Four Year Member of Lincoln County Budget Committee; Oregon State Marine Board Outfitter/Guide Advisory Group since 2015

I am a native Oregonian, born and raised in the Willamette Valley. I have been married to my wife Dorinda for 39 years and have two grown sons.

I am running for Depoe Bay City Council because I feel I can offer positive energy to direct toward much needed infrastructure maintenance/upgrades and help create an atmosphere for renewed volunteerism and fiscal responsibility.

*(This information furnished by Loren J Goddard.)*

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## City of Depoe Bay Council Member, Position 2



**Debbie  
Callender**

Nonpartisan

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**Occupation:** Retired, now community volunteer

**Occupational Background:** City of Beaverton, 1996-2015

**Educational Background:** Portland State University, Bachelor of Science, Communication; Hillsboro High School

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Depoe Bay Rural Fire Protection District, Budget Review Committee, 2016; City of Beaverton, Traffic Commission, Recording Secretary, 1998-2009

If elected to city council, I will consider each proposal and funding request based on how it serves our residents, our harbor, and our local businesses. These areas must be our priority before council directs city staff to work on "wish list" projects.

**Residents:** Council must ensure neighborhood roads are free of potholes and in safe repair. Our water and waste water infrastructure must meet current demand and safety rules. Nuisance properties need to be cleaned up and their owners held accountable. Highway 101 brings thousands of people to our town, including a small criminal element who know we have no local police. City council needs to stay vigilant to protect residents' safety and property.

**Harbor:** Depoe Bay is blessed with a harbor that attracts tourists from around the world. Moorage fees support the city budget, and many local businesses are boat and fishing based. The salmon fingerlings from our Salmon Enhancement project depend on clean water in our harbor. Council must make harbor maintenance a priority.

**Businesses:** When local business owners voice concerns, city council must pay attention. Local ordinances should be reviewed when they are outdated. Council must fully support our local businesses.

I am an active community volunteer, local board member, and a weekly volunteer at the Depoe Bay Chamber of Commerce. I have more than 19 years' experience working in city government, including time working for city attorneys, a mayor's office, and transportation engineers. My degree in communication taught me to actively listen, ask questions, and think through issues fairly before voicing an opinion. These experiences give me a solid background to serve Depoe Bay residents on city council.

Please vote for Debbie Callender for Council Position 2.

*(This information furnished by Debbie Callender.)*

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## City of Depoe Bay Council Member, Position 2



**Jan  
Rustenhoven**

Nonpartisan

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**Occupation:** Retired

**Occupational Background:** Secretary/Treasurer for a community Utility District, providing wastewater transmission to the treatment plant. Also, served as Clerk of the Board for the

Utility District with 11 years of experience working as the liaison representative for the Board of Directors and the 3500+ public constituents. Additionally I performed the duties of the District Accountant, and Human Resources Manager. I also closely with the General Manager in developing the annual budget, five year future outlay planning.

**Educational Background:** San Bernardino High School, graduated; California State University, San Bernardino, 27 units of general education courses completed; California State University, Chico, 24 units of business/accounting courses completed; California Special Districts Association, completion of the Advanced Leadership Training, certificate earned

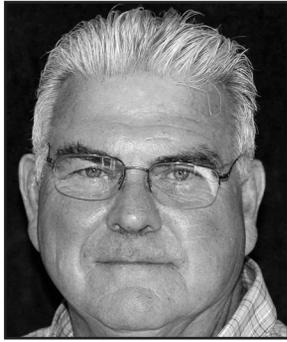
**Prior Governmental Experience:** Appointed by the Board of Directors, as the Secretary/Treasurer and Clerk of the Board for 11 concurrent terms

I have worked for a small government entity for many years, and along the way I gained the skills to assist with solutions and ideas to provide answers for mutual challenges for a Utility District serving a small community. Throughout the challenges, I would keep in mind that the people we served are to be heard, given respect, and I always worked fairly for the best result for all parties involved. I gained the respect of the professional councils that I worked with, as well as building a positive reputation within the community served. I look forward to giving back to the community of Depoe Bay. This is the community I have chosen to live out this chapter of my life, offering a specialized skill set, I gained while working for a Special District.

*(This information furnished by Jan Rustenhoven.)*

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**City of Lincoln City  
Council Member, Ward I**



**Jim  
Davis**

Nonpartisan

**Occupation:** President/Owner of Central Coast Builders, Inc. and Coast Drafting & Design, Inc.

**Occupational Background:** Over 40 years in the construction business, involving all aspects of building quality affordable homes for our citizens.

**Educational Background:** IBM Onsite College, San Jose - 2 years; San Jose City College - Apprenticeship Program - 4 years; Butte Community College (real estate) - 1 year; James Lick High - Graduate

**Prior Governmental Experience:** City Council - Lincoln City; Budget Committee - Lincoln City; Planning Commission - Lincoln City; Urban Renewal Advisory Board - Lincoln City; Building Code Appeals Board - Lincoln City

"I've proudly served our community for over 20 years, from being one of the founding members of Angels Anonymous, to working with almost every City department as a home builder."

"I want to apply what I've learned from my experience with Angels Anonymous, to our housing crisis. We have the heart, we just need the will."

- 20 Years Lincoln City Chamber of Commerce member with 2 businesses
- Served on Lincoln City Chamber of Commerce Board for 3 years
- Served as President of the Lincoln City Chamber of Commerce for 1 year
- Served on Bay Area Merchants Association (BAMA) for numerous years
- Served as Chair of Community Days for 5 years
- Served on the Board of Angels Anonymous, since its inception over 17 years ago
- Serving the past seven years as President of Angels Anonymous, Inc.
- Instrumental in the production of the Angels Ball and Fantasy of Trees for 17 years
- Supporter and contributor to the North Lincoln Hospital Foundation
- Recipient of the 2013 Community Lifetime Achievement Award

**"If we're to seriously tackle Lincoln City's housing crisis, we'll need city council members with home building experience, and hearts for those in need." - Mayor Don Williams**

**ENDORSEMENTS:**

- Mayor Don Williams
- John Skipper
- Jerry Warner

Visit [www.Vote-Davis.com](http://www.Vote-Davis.com) for more information.

*(This information furnished by Jim Davis.)*

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**City of Lincoln City  
Council Member, Ward I**



**Diana  
Hinton**

Nonpartisan

**Occupation:** Retired from City of Portland

**Occupational Background:** Public Involvement Professional, City of Portland; Service Coordinator, Housing Authority of Portland; President, Roads End Improvement Association; Small Business Owner

**Educational Background:** Roosevelt High School (Portland); Portland Community College; Portland State University: Business Management Certificate and other certificates

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Roads End Water District Board; Lincoln City Planning Commission – present

My family has been coming to Lincoln City for 30 years, and when my husband and I retired and could live anywhere we chose this beautiful place.

Public service has always been important to me and I have served our neighborhood and the city since we moved here. I would like to continue that service on the City Council, and I have the experience and desire to get to work on the first day.

I care about:

- fairness and balance, in life and government
- affordable housing and housing for the homeless
- living wage jobs
- Lincoln City's treasured lake, forests, and beaches
- the safety of our residents and visitors; I will work to see that the City makes adequate preparations for the inevitable earthquake and tsunami.

I have vital experience:

- 18 years in city government as Public Involvement Professional for the City of Portland
- Housing Authority of Portland: helped those with housing difficulties
- Community School Director: worked with diverse communities of all ages
- State and regional leadership positions for a national environmental organization
- Director, Roads End Water District
- President neighborhood association
- Current Lincoln City Planning Commissioner

I care about where I live and those who live here. People who know me know I can and will get things done.

I would love to have your vote so I can continue working for Lincoln City.

"It all begins in the neighborhood!"

**ENDORSED BY:**

- Susan Wahlke, current City Councilor, Ward 1
- Wes Ryan, retiring City Councilor, Ward 1

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**City of Lincoln City  
Council Member, Ward II**



**Riley  
Hoagland**  
Nonpartisan

**Occupation:** Bilingual Tutor -  
Lincoln County School District  
– Paid

**Occupational Background:**  
Assistant Manager Goodwill  
9/2014-4/2016; Table Games  
Supervisor/Trainer 5/2008-  
9/2014 – Chinook Winds Casino Resort

**Educational Background:** Purdue University Calumet - Bachelor's - International Studies: Spanish; Cupertino High School – Diploma

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Vice-Chairman Planning Committee; Vice-Chairman Budget Committee

Hello,

I am a 33-year-old resident who cares deeply about this city. I know the importance of family and the value of a community united. I have been volunteering ever since my days in high school where I helped on a project that built low income family housing in Tijuana, Mexico.

-Lincoln City Budget Committee 2012-2014  
-Lincoln City Planning Committee 2014-Current

Workforce and affordable housing are my number-one priorities. I know about homelessness. I am the oldest of four children raised by a single mother who had to travel where the jobs were. I attended five high schools and know the difficulty of moving from town to town.

Senior year of high school, I was completely without means and I would not have made it without the self-determination and the love and support of my community. I started community college while holding multiple jobs and putting myself through Purdue University Calumet.

I promise you that I will work compassionately and diligently to make this city the best that it can be. I value the years of service and the dedication to our community that many of our older city council members have provided the city, but I also believe there is a need for younger residents to step up and serve on the council. It is critical that the young families, single parents and individuals who form the backbone of our economy be represented in our local government, to better reflect our community and help ensure no group of citizens are forgotten or left behind as Lincoln City continues its forward progress.

Please recycle this pamphlet. (And vote for me!)

*(This information furnished by Riley Hoagland.)*

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**City of Lincoln City  
Council Member, Ward II**



**James  
Scrutton**  
Nonpartisan

**Occupation:** General contractor (retired)

**Occupational Background:**  
CEO Wellington Homes, Inc.  
(26 years); Supervisor/Project  
Manager - Shelburne Develop-  
ment (8 years); Manager True  
Value Hardware

**Educational Background:** Clackamas High School, Graduate  
**Prior Governmental Experience:** Lincoln City Budget Com-  
mittee, 2016

**Volunteer Work:**

- Repaired/remodeled orphanage - Mexico;
- Served homeless/drug addicted - Vancouver B.C.;
- Celebrate Recovery program - Lincoln City;
- Served the homeless - Father's Heart, Portland

"A local who will listen" I enjoy listening to my neighbors about the issues we face, and working together to find solutions.

As land and materials costs rise, it's imperative we provide incentives to developers and builders to address our workforce housing shortage. The longer we wait, the more expensive housing will become. Construction and commercial development help our job market by providing higher-paying jobs, and supporting local suppliers, which, in turn, will strengthen our economy. Because slow plan approvals can cripple a project, I look forward to sharing my 26 years of experience to create a more efficient, cooperative, and innovative Planning Department.

**I'm committed to:**

- Provide solutions for affordable workforce housing.
- Create more jobs for a strong economic future, and become the coast's most business friendly city.
- Find solutions for our homeless crisis.
- Build a more transparent and attentive city government.

I'm not a politician, just a fellow citizen who's become frustrated with a government that seems not to be for the people a lot of the time, and that's why I am asking for your vote so your voice will be heard.

I will use my strong leadership, creative budgeting, and scheduling skills, to help our city council improve our community.

Let's together build a brighter future for all of us in this great place to live!

**"If we're to seriously tackle Lincoln City's housing crisis, we'll need city council members with home building experience, and hearts for those in need." -Mayor Don Williams**

**Endorsed by:**

- Mayor Don Williams
- Gary Gallucci
- Jerry Warner
- John Skipper

Visit [ElectScrutton.com](http://ElectScrutton.com) for more information.

*(This information furnished by James Scrutton.)*

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**Judy Casper**  
Nonpartisan

**Occupation:** Retired  
**Occupational Background:** Labor Relations Consultant - Oregon Education Association -community organizing; group decision making; grievance and arbitration representation; con-

tract negotiations; Speech-Language Pathologist - Public Schools -emphasis on communication; speech-language development and remediation; Dental Assistant

**Educational Background:** San Francisco State University BA - Communication Disorders; Merritt Junior College-AA Degree

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Former Lincoln City Planning Commission and Budget Committee; Walking and Biking Plan Advisory Committee; Nelscott Gap Refinement Plan Advisory Committee

The sense of "community" is why I chose to live in Lincoln City. We seem to have lost the feeling of belonging and trust, which exists when people care about the well-being of others. I will work tirelessly to rebuild, support and strengthen our community, and to earn your trust by listening to your needs.

I will work with YOU to create:

- \*Living wage jobs
- \*Support and shelter for the homeless
- \*REAL affordable housing
- \*Small Business growth
- \*Enforceable VRD ordinances
- \*Updated ADA Retrofitting
- \*A sustainable and prosperous vision for Lincoln City

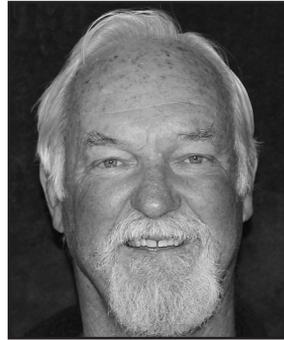
I have been a homeowner in Lincoln City for 20 years and retired as a fulltime resident in 2006. I have served as President of the Nelscott Neighborhood Association for the past 10 years. The Association organized the community to provide input to the City Council for Urban Renewal and zoning decisions. We created solutions to our issues by listening to our own constructive dialogue, and reaching consensus. The housing needs of all citizens is a priority for the City Council. I will serve as a common-sense voice for our community and in the best interest of the city.

VOTE JUDY CASPER FOR WARD 3: CARRYING THE VOICE OF NEIGHBORHOODS TO CITY COUNCIL

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**Doug Wheldon**  
Nonpartisan

**Occupation:** General Contractor; Affordable Home Builder; Inn Owner (self employed)

**Occupational Background:** Construction Trade/Land Development 36 years; Owner/president of Wheldon Construc-

tion, Inc. and By The Waves, Inc. (hospitality) 1998 to present; Owner/manager of monthly rentals 25 years

**Educational Background:** Business Management for Contractors SBDC 2015 graduate; Chapman University; Los Angeles Harbor College Associate of Science degree; College of the Redwoods - Geology

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Road Committee Coordinator: worked with neighborhood association to repair failing roadway.

**Volunteer Work:**

- \*Supervised re-roofing project for the needy.
- \*Worked with Public Works to optimize parking in Nelscott Neighborhood.
- \*International Adoption Agency traveled to U.S military bases in Europe to assist in the placement of children.
- \*Church and other non-profits: deacon, youth activities, juvenile detention ministry, carpentry, building repairs.

"I bring a fresh perspective as an ocean lover, local small contractor and inn owner, by listening and being responsive to our citizens."

**My priorities:**

1. **Encourage responsiveness, accountability, and transparency** in our city government.
  2. **Create better paying, year-round jobs:** support and attract businesses that strengthen a year-round economy.
  3. **Increase vocational and educational opportunities for youth,** to assist them in finding meaningful work, and encourage them to create small businesses, so they don't feel the need to move away.
  4. **Build more affordable workforce housing:** encourage creative solutions to lower builder's startup costs, reduce approval times, and creatively develop the Villages at Cascade Head and other unused city properties.
  5. **Review our ban on larger stores.**
  6. **Reduce the traffic bottlenecks:** by adding lanes to Highway 101.
  7. **Parking:** implement free resident parking permits in affected areas.
  8. **Homelessness:** explore options for "tiny homes," and other creative solutions.
- "If we're to seriously tackle Lincoln City's housing crisis, we'll need city council members with home building experience, and hearts for those in need."** -Mayor Don Williams

**I'm endorsed by:**

- \*Mayor Don Williams
- \*John Skipper
- \*Jerry Warner

For more information, please visit [www.DougWheldon.com](http://www.DougWheldon.com)

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## City of Newport Mayor



### Sandra N Roumagoux

Nonpartisan

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**Occupation:** Artist, own Roumagoux Studio, Newport; represented by Michael Parsons Fine Art Gallery, Portland

**Occupational Background:** 2016, painting instructor, Oregon Coast Community College;

1992-2014, Painting Instructor, Creative Arts Community, Portland; 1995-2002, Instructor, Art Institute, Portland Community College; 1992-1998, Adjunct faculty, Oregon Coast Community College, Newport; 1987-1992, Dean of Instruction, Oregon Coast Community College, Newport; 1985-1986, Adjunct faculty, Linn-Benton Community College, Albany; 1981-1983, Graduate Faculty, University of Arkansas, Fayetteville.

**Educational Background:** 1958, High School Diploma, Corvallis; 1977, Bachelor of Arts Degree, University of Arkansas; 1981, Master of Fine Arts Degree, University of Arkansas, Fayetteville.

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Elected, 2003-2012, Board of Education, Oregon Coast Community College; Elected, 2004-2006, Chairman, Board of Education; Appointed, 2014-2016, Oregon Coast Community College Budget Committee; Elected, 2010, Newport City Councilor; Elected, 2012-2016, Mayor, City of Newport; Appointed, 1990-2012, Ambulance Service Review Committee, Lincoln County

I am very positive about the direction the City of Newport is taking, and I would like to continue helping in anyway I can if reelected as Mayor of Newport.

To list examples of the many projects I want to stay involved in include the community wide visioning effort for the City, Visioning 2040, which will begin Fall 2016. This effort is intended to include all the various governmental, private sector and non-profit entities in the Greater Newport Area.

The creation for two North Side Urban Renewal Districts which encompasses US 101 and US 20 corridors. These districts will help shape the face of Newport for the next couple of decades.

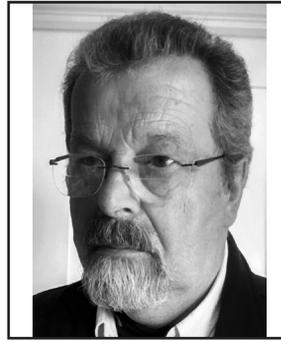
Oregon State University's Marine Initiative Program which includes a 50 million dollar state of the art research building at the Hatfield Marine Science Center has been given the go ahead and will be an important addition for Newport to be recognized as a World Marine Research Center.

I have thoroughly enjoyed the honor of being the Mayor of Newport and look forward to the opportunity to serve this wonderful city and its citizens if reelected.

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## City of Newport Council Member



### Dietmar H Goebel

Nonpartisan

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**Occupation:** Architect

**Occupational Background:** Principal/Owner - DHGoebel, Architects

**Educational Background:** University of Oregon - Bachelor of Architecture

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Oregon City Planning Commission; Lincoln County Planning Commission; Newport Planning Commission; Newport Volunteer Fire Department; Atonement Lutheran Church Council; Newport Chamber of Commerce Board; Newport Budget Committee; Visual Arts Center Steering Committee

After serving as a paratrooper in the United States Army, Dietmar Goebel studied at the University of Oregon, receiving a Bachelor of Architecture degree. After ten years in Eugene, he and his family moved to Portland. There, he spent several years offering architectural services in a downtown office. From 1981 through 1983, he worked for Elerbe Architects and Engineers in Fairbanks Alaska.

The family drove down the Alcan Highway directly to Newport after their Alaskan adventure, and Dietmar opened his practice, DHGoebel, Architects. Since then, he has provided high quality residential, commercial and institutional architectural projects throughout the Oregon coast. His work includes numerous vibrant and exciting buildings which honor the local environment and showcase the unique beauty of our coastal community. These include the recently completed Samaritan Hospital Center for Health Education and the new Pacific Seafood fish processing development on the Newport Bay Front.

Dietmar has a longstanding interest in city government. He has sought out and been appointment to numerous boards, committees and commissions. He was a volunteer with the Newport Fire and Rescue Department for many years. He served on the City planning commission for over 10 years. He has most recently joined the city Budget Committee.

Dietmar has been active in numerous community organizations including Newport Chamber of Commerce, Newport Rotary and Atonement Lutheran church. After much discussion with friends and family, he filed for a City Council position. Dietmar's love for his city is the pivotal focus of his campaign; he looks forward to contributing strong leadership, fostering community involvement and encouraging creative financing for the challenges the city faces now and in the coming years.

*(This information furnished by Dietmar H Goebel.)*

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## City of Newport Council Member



**Dean  
Sawyer**

Nonpartisan

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**Occupation:** Retired

**Occupational Background:** City of Newport, Retired Police Sergeant; Los Angeles County Deputy Sheriff, Retired Emergency Planner

**Educational Background:**

Linn-Benton Community College, Administration of Justice; Department of Public Safety Standards and Training, Middle Management Certificate

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Newport City Council, Council President, Newport Police 30 years as Officer, Sergeant, and Interim Chief of Police, Lincoln County Local Emergency Planning, Newport Community Emergency Response Team

### MY GOALS FOR THE COUNCIL:

To increase residents participation by establishing social media and twitter for residents to get current information and to give feedback to the city.

To work with the Marine Science Center, the Community College, OSU, OMSI, NOAA and the local school district to bring marine science professionals to our local schools. To encourage and support the School District's Ocean Literacy Initiative.

To move forward on the under grounding of overhead power lines for beautification in the north Highway 101 and Highway 20 corridors.

To continue to work on the South Beach Urban Renewal area to find suitable businesses for that area.

To continue to work on the Cascades West Area Commission on Transportation to get the proposed sidewalk from NE 25th up to NE 36th street funded and built.

To continue to work with the Destinations Tourism group to encourage tourism to Newport.

I believe that my experience in over 30 years as a police supervisor with the city gives me an understanding of the work that can be accomplished by the city's great staff. Serving on the council the past six years has given me the knowledge to handle the more complicated and sometimes politically tough decisions. I have also worked hard at building consensus when dealing with complex issues to find the best solution for everyone.

I will not be seeking any endorsements from any special interest groups for my campaign.

I would greatly appreciate your vote in the upcoming election.

*(This information furnished by Dean Sawyer.)*

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## City of Newport Council Member



**Laura L  
Swanson**

Nonpartisan

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**Occupation:** Retired Educator

**Occupational Background:** Lincoln County School District

**Educational Background:** SOSC-MA; SOC-BA; COCC-AA

**Prior Governmental Experience:**

Newport City Council-2013 to Present

I am asking you to return me to City Council so that I might continue to serve Newport, contribute to her present and help create her future. I have close to four years of on-the-job training, a valuable asset. A personal reason to serve a second term, I find City Council work to be a lot of fun. I look forward to your vote.

*(This information furnished by Laura L Swanson.)*

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## City of Toledo Mayor



### **Billie Jo Smith**

Nonpartisan

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**Occupation:** Retired

**Occupational Background:** Biologist; Teacher; Professional and curriculum development for school districts

**Educational Background:** BA (Biology & Education) William Jewell College; MS (Biology) University of Michigan

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Mayor, City of Toledo; School Board Director; Toledo Budget Committee; Precinct Committee Person

**Community Involvement:** Toledo Chamber of Commerce; Keep Our Pool Open Steering Committee; Lincoln Community Dispute Resolution Board; Yaquina Bay Economic Foundation; Lincoln County Democratic Central Committee; Georgia Pacific Community Advisory Committee.

#### **Billie Jo Smith: Leadership for the Citizens of Toledo**

**Knowledgeable:** Billie Jo does the research to thoroughly understand issues.

**A Listener:** As Mayor of Toledo, Billie Jo listens to and values the opinions and experiences of its citizens, employees, and City Council members. She holds “Chat with the Mayor” opportunities at local businesses and the Thursday Street Markets, and shares the concerns of citizens with the City Manager and Council. *She firmly believes that the advice of those who will be affected is critical to the understanding and resolution of any issue.*

**Gets Results:** In her first term as Mayor, Billie Jo gathered research which convinced the Council to require hand clearing of alder and brush along the City’s water source in Mill Creek, rather than using the herbicide glyphosate, a probable cause of cancer. Citizen concerns have made pothole and street surfacing a priority, with many projects accomplished during 2016 and more “on the drawing board.” She is working with a community committee to develop a plan for keeping our swimming pool open; with a county-wide group on workforce and affordable housing; and seeking ways the City can work with the Chamber of Commerce and Downtown Association to promote local businesses.

Billie Jo taught at Toledo High School from 1994 – 2000, and her husband, Peter Vince, retired after teaching there since 1988. They have lived in Toledo since 2000, and appreciate the history and traditions of this wonderful community.

**VOTE for Billie Jo Smith – She’s Working for YOU**

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## City of Toledo Council Member



### **Stephen J Burdick, Sr**

Nonpartisan

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**Occupation:** Georgia Pacific Wood and Fiber Supply

**Occupational Background:** 17 years with Winchester Ammunition IAM local 660

**Educational Background:** Southwestern Illinois College Trades Certificate WLDT; Alton High School diploma

**Prior Governmental Experience:** None

Thinking mostly of leaving our children a better world than that which I was born into.

Avid nature enthusiast with hiking at the forefront with Disc Golf a close second. Currently serve as treasurer for Central Oregon Disc Golf Club and work to provide this activity here on the coast and Toledo.

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## City of Toledo Council Member



**Deanne  
Dunlap**

Nonpartisan

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**Occupation:** Owner, Gallery Briseno; Fitness Trainer, Certified Pilates Method

**Occupational Background:** None

**Educational Background:** Los Altos Community College, Los Altos, California, A.A. Degree

**Prior Governmental Experience:** None

Since 2006 my volunteer endeavors in Toledo, Oregon have reflected my interests in our community's arts and events culture, as well as in the natural world.

At the outset of the City of Toledo joining forces with the then newly-revitalized Oregon Main Street Program in 2007, I benefited from participation in that structured, cohesive approach to community involvement.

As manager of art Gallery Briseno, I celebrated 60 individual artist's receptions and exhibitions in 60 months. Alongside this activity, I also promoted, catalogued and celebrated the public art career of metal artisan Sam Briseno. This community-supported, art in public places commitment now continues with my upcoming publication of a book enumerating all of Briseno's commissioned artwork benches, weathervanes and sculptures in public places in Toledo as well as Lincoln County.

My involvement as Board member of the Oregon Coast Community Forest Association (OFCCA) has nourished my connection to the natural world. With OFCCA's acquisition of Forest Hill, located between Toledo and the coast, I revel in the opportunities ahead to manifest OFCCA's vision of our regional community forest.

Another favorite community-involvement volunteer activity of mine has been in KYAQ 97.1 FM local radio station.

I have long been a proponent of and an avid listener to independent, noncommercial local radio. As a founding member of and Board member of KYAQ radio, I have found it has been interesting, aggravating, and exhilarating to help bring a radio station on air.

Over the years I have attended and listened to many Toledo City Council sessions.

I take an interest in local issues and activities that invite our community participation. I look forward to continuing to showcase our distinct community's role in governance and municipal responsibilities.

*(This information furnished by Deanne Dunlap.)*

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## City of Toledo Council Member



**Josh  
Smith**

Nonpartisan

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**Occupation:** Manager, Gift Shop @ Hatfield Marine Science Center

**Occupational Background:** Retail Management and Operations; Small Business Finance

**Educational Background:** Toledo High School; Spokane Falls Community College

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Toledo Planning Commission; Toledo Budget Committee

After graduating from Toledo High School, I attended Spokane Falls Community College for a short time, but am happy to be back where I know I can be a real asset to the people of my hometown. Currently a manager for a local retail business, I also have experience as a chief financial officer, and operations manager. I've learned to think of how decisions will affect the present, but also must look to the future; I want policies that will be beneficial for all, today, tomorrow, and beyond. There is no luxury of planning only for the short term, I must step back and look at the bigger picture, to see how a decision can play out over months and years, and anticipate the outcome. People's livelihoods can depend upon the decisions I make, I don't take that responsibility lightly.

I have never considered myself a politician, nor do I envision a future as a politician. I am, and will continue to be, a strong advocate of improving the lives of all members of our community. I'm always working to resolve issues instead of running from them. This means I must step up. Through governmental positions I can improve policy, as I have striven to do in my positions on the Toledo Planning Commission and the Toledo Budget Committee. I have spent years becoming familiar with the workings of our city in these roles, and it has helped me to realize I am capable of doing more to help.

**This is why I am asking for your vote: I am a problem solver who is willing to put in the time and energy to ensure the job gets done right, the first time.**

*(This information furnished by Josh Smith.)*

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## City of Waldport Mayor



**Sue  
Woodruff**

Nonpartisan

**Occupation:** Retired

**Occupational Background:**

Treasurer, assistant comptroller, president and owner of several transportation-related businesses; staff to corporate turnaround consultant for projects

in San Francisco, Syracuse, NY, and Japan; executive secretary.

**Educational Background:** Santa Rosa Junior College, Santa Rosa, CA, 14, A.A.; Parks School of Business, Portland, OR, diploma; University of Colorado, Denver, 1 semester; Portland Union Academy, Portland, OR, 12, diploma

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Mayor 2011 – Present; Waldport City Council 2001 – 2010; Waldport Urban Renewal Agency Board 2001 – Present; Waldport Planning Commission 2000 – 2001; Lincoln County Economic Development Alliance 2001 – 2016; Samaritan Pacific Communities Hospital Board 2010 – Present; Waldport Tourism/Trails Committee 2011 – Present; Hwy 101 Pollinator Corridor Committee 2014 – Present; Angell Job Corps Community Relations Committee 2015 – Present

This election season finds our Waldport community growing again with new families, new businesses, increased building, and an active real estate market. Although your city council is transitioning some of its members with this election, we, along with our excellent city staff continue to:

- Use wise planning and spending to provide essential city services while also preparing for future needs and growth.
- Seek grant funding whenever possible, cooperate and coordinate with other public/private partners to maximize opportunities yet minimize costs. Examples: Lint Slough Trail, new Public Works facility, Hwy 34 Scenic Byway designation, Open Space and Industrial Park planning.
- Meet community safety concerns by purchasing enhanced policing from Lincoln County Sheriff's Office, support the great work of Waldport's Citizen Patrol, and increase emergency preparedness and education.
- Listen carefully and respectfully to all while working constructively and responsibly on each issue that comes before us.

Thanks again for allowing me to serve our great community. I am very grateful to live here, serving as your mayor, and if elected I will continue to work diligently and cooperatively to make our city even better!

*(This information furnished by Sue Woodruff.)*

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## City of Waldport Council Member



**Greg  
Dunn**

Nonpartisan

**Occupation:** Small Business Owner; Consultant

**Occupational Background:** Project Management; Financial oversight; Strategic Planning; 25 years experience in the pest control industry; training and

operation management; previous Waldport cubmaster; member of Waldport ASA softball; current member of the NPMA and OPCA; Licensed General Contractor.

**Educational Background:** Taft College; certificates in reserve police officer training and correctional officer academy; Bakersfield College; certificate police academy; Department of Justice; certificate in telecommunications training.

**Prior Governmental Experience:** None.

I am running for City Council as a first step into becoming more involved in the city of Waldport.

I look forward to working with the citizens who have strong opinions, creative ideas, and helpful Suggestions and who would like to work closely with elected officials to improve our city and restore trust and confidence in its elected officials. Waldport City Council must be more open, engaged, responsive, and accountable to the citizens. Our decision-making must be more transparent and the citizens better informed.

As a local homeowner, businessman, husband and father of two wonderful children, I am committed to make Waldport an energetic year-round community.

I am an advocate for youth sports and am a firm believer that organized youth sports can develop positive attributes including healthier lifestyles, self-esteem, fair play and good citizenship.

Please VOTE Greg Dunn for City Council and let's work today for a better tomorrow.

*(This information furnished by Greg Dunn.)*

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## City of Waldport Council Member



### **Bob O'Brien**

Nonpartisan

**Occupation:** City Councilor 2014 through 2016; Waldport Volunteer Citizens Patrol Member Since 2009; Lincoln County Citizen Corps CERT (Community Emergency Response Team)

**Occupational Background:**

Street Reporter for Channel Five News in New York City (1968 to 2006)

**Educational Background:** Xavier University, Cincinnati, Ohio B.S. English Literature and Communication Arts Sophia University, Tokyo, Japan Summer 1962 Japanese Culture and Religions St. Ignatius High School, Cleveland, Ohio Class of 1960

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Waldport City Councilor – Elected November, 2013

I spent 38 years covering the New York City Metropolitan area for WNYW-TV, Channel Five. General assignment. That means anything from street crime to politics. My Television News career was a great ride that took me to many nations and into the lives of many fascinating people, rich and poor, in command and flat busted, in and out of government.

Over the last three years, serving on the City Council, I have learned what it is like to be on the decision making side of the governmental process instead of covering it.

My wife, Veronica, and I moved to Waldport in the Summer of 2009. We quickly became members of the Waldport Volunteer Citizens Patrol, a group of Waldport residents who provide additional eyes and ears for the Sheriff's deputies and Oregon State Police troopers who are charged with protecting all of us. Over the last seven years, we have learned a lot about our little city, met a great number of our fellow residents and helped law enforcement make Waldport a safer and more secure place to call home.

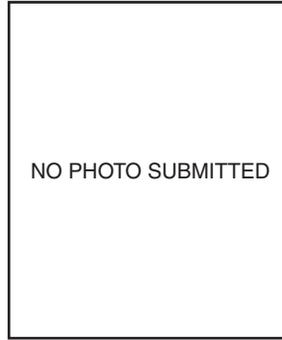
Veronica and I are also certified CERT team members. Our Community Emergency Response Team training prepares us to be capable of helping ourselves and our neighbors in case of disasters.

Serving on the City Council allows me to use my experience and energy to help make the most of the opportunities ahead for the people of Waldport.

*(This information furnished by Bob O'Brien.)*

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## City of Yachats Council Member



### **Jim Tooke**

Nonpartisan

**Occupation:** Retired

**Occupational Background:** Railroad Conductor; Restaurant Owner; Construction Worker

**Educational Background:** Bachelor of Science - Business Administration - San Jose State University

**Prior Governmental Experience:** None

I grew up in the small central Oregon town of Lakeview. My family moved to the Bay Area in 1962. After graduation from college I served on active duty with the US Navy. I moved to Alaska in 1974 and worked on the Trans Alaska Pipeline Project. My wife Kathleen and I then owned and operated a Lodge for a number of years. We returned to California in 1984 where we owned and operated a restaurant for the next 15 years. I was hired by Amtrak in 2000 as a conductor. We moved to Portland in 2002 where I continued my career until retirement in 2015.

I have been a full time resident of Yachats since January of 2015. I was encouraged to run for the position of City Councilor when it became apparent that no one else was stepping up to file for one of the two positions that were vacant. I made the decision to get involved at that point. I believe that a well informed electorate is essential to the functioning of a democracy and in that spirit will make every effort to encourage transparency while in office. I would appreciate your vote.

*(This information furnished by Jim Tooke.)*

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## City of Yachats Mayor



**W John  
Moore**  
Nonpartisan

**Occupation:** Retired

**Occupational Background:** President and owner, Senior Finance Center; Residential Lending Unit Manager, HomeFed Bank; Regional Loan Manager, Humboldt Federal

Savings & Loan; Branch Manager, HomeFed Bank and Six Rivers National Bank.

**Educational Background:** Humboldt State University, Bachelor of Arts Degree in Business Administration

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Currently serving on the City of Yachats Finance Committee and Parks and Commons Commission

My working career has been spent in the private sector, primarily in Lending, Banking and Management.

After transferring from Eureka to San Diego, I managed a large staff of decision makers and support staff for HomeFed Bank. We later returned to the North Coast, and I was hired by a new bank to start up and manage their Real Estate Department.

I left banking to work in a specialized area of lending, starting my own business in 2002. We were a government approved FHA Lender and became a leader in that field in Northern California.

I have also worked with numerous non profit organizations. I served with the Humboldt Senior Resource Center for 11 years (President, Board Member & Finance Committee) - a large organization providing meals in 3 dining centers, home delivered meals, Alzheimer's Day Care, and other services. Among others were the Humboldt Library Foundation and Senior Citizens Foundation.

My work in all areas involved listening to the needs of clients and finding solutions to their problems that worked to their best advantage. These skills and background should prove beneficial in serving as your Mayor.

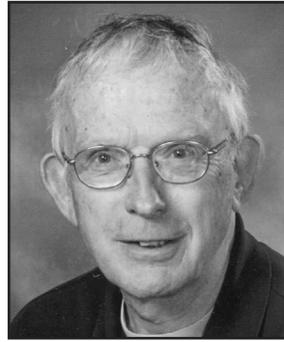
We visited Yachats regularly for years, and, like many of you, fell in love with the area and the community. Once retired, we were finally able to move here to enjoy Yachats year round.

This truly is a wonderful place to live, and I plan to work to keep it that way as your Mayor. I would appreciate your support.

*(This information furnished by W John Moore.)*

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## City of Yachats Mayor



**Gerald  
Stanley**  
Nonpartisan

**Occupation:** President, Lincoln Community Health Council; Chair, Lincoln County Mental Health Advisory Committee

**Occupational Background:** Community Psychiatric Clinic as a Washington State Registered Counselor

**Educational Background:** M.A. (Philosophy), Catholic University of America; S.T.L. (M.A.) (Theology), St. Mary's University, Baltimore MD

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Yachats Parks and Commons Commission; Lincoln County Ten-Year Housing Plan (Yachats delegate)

I look forward very much to serving the citizens of Yachats as Mayor. If elected, I will bring to my work many years of group facilitation and group management, as well as oversight of significant budgets. I see the role of Mayor (and City Council) in a town of Yachats' size as one who listens to all the citizens, respects each one's opinion, and helps them to assess their present situation and plan their future. Through personal presence and public process, I hope to keep each citizen actively engaged in a common and supportive effort. As a member of the Chamber of Commerce, I am enthusiastic about present conversations to promote affordable housing. While grateful to and supportive of the many individuals who purchase homes for future retirement and rent them in the interim, I firmly hope Yachats will preserve the integrity of its neighborhoods and the continued increase of young families who have joined the community. Given the present national economic crisis, I hope we can also reach out with effectiveness to the homeless among us. I plan to continue all my present volunteer efforts that have made life so fulfilling for me over the past twelve years.

*(This information furnished by Gerald Stanley.)*

The above information has not been verified for accuracy by the county.

# Measure 21-169

City of Newport

## Ballot Title

# 21-169

Imposition of a tax on retail marijuana items

**QUESTION:** Shall the City of Newport impose a three percent tax on the sale of marijuana items by a marijuana retailer?

**SUMMARY:** Under state law, a city council may adopt an ordinance to be referred to the voters of the city imposing up to a three percent tax or fee on the sale of marijuana items in the city by a licensed marijuana retailer. The Newport City Council adopted Ordinance No. 2097, on May 16, 2016, which imposes a three percent tax on the sale of marijuana items by a marijuana retailer and referring the ordinance to the voters at the General Election to be held on November 8, 2016.

Approval of this measure would impose a three percent tax on the sale of marijuana items in the city by a licensed marijuana retailer. The tax would be collected at the point of sale and remitted by the marijuana retailer.

## Explanatory Statement

Under Measure 91, adopted by Oregon voters in November 2014 and amended by the Legislature in 2015, the Oregon Liquor Control Commission must license the retail sale of recreational marijuana. The 2015 Legislation provides that a city council may adopt an ordinance imposing up to a three percent tax on the sale of marijuana items (which include marijuana concentrates, extracts, edibles, and other products intended for human consumption and use) by retail licensees in the city, but the council must refer that ordinance to the voters at a statewide general election. The City of Newport City Council has adopted Ordinance No. 2097 imposing a three percent tax on the sale of marijuana items by a retail licensee in the city, and, as a result, has referred this measure to the voters.

Approval of this measure would impose a three percent tax on the sale of marijuana items by a marijuana retailer within the city. There are no restrictions on how the city may use the revenues generated by this tax. However, this tax will only be imposed if this measure passes at the November 8, 2016 General Election.

*(This information submitted by Margaret M Hawker, City Recorder/ Special Projects Director, City of Newport.)*

# Measure 21-170

City of Waldport

## Ballot Title

# 21-170

Imposition of a tax on retail marijuana items

**QUESTION:** Shall the City of Waldport impose a three percent tax on the sale of marijuana items by a marijuana retailer?

**SUMMARY:** Under state law, a city council may adopt an ordinance to be referred to the voters of the city imposing up to a three percent tax or fee on the sale of marijuana items in the city by a licensed marijuana retailer. The Waldport City Council adopted Ordinance No. 760, on July 14, 2016, which imposes a three percent tax on the sale of marijuana items by a marijuana retailer and referring the ordinance to the voters at the General Election to be held on November 8, 2016.

Approval of this measure would impose a three percent tax on the sale of marijuana items in the city by a licensed marijuana retailer. The tax would be collected at the point of sale and remitted by the marijuana retailer.

## Explanatory Statement

Under Measure 91, adopted by Oregon voters in November 2014 and amended by the Legislature in 2015, the Oregon Liquor Control Commission must license the retail sale of recreational marijuana. The 2015 legislation provides that a city council may adopt an ordinance imposing up to a three percent tax on the sale of marijuana items (which include marijuana concentrates, extracts, edibles, and other products intended for human consumption and use) by retail licensees in the city, but the council must refer that ordinance to the voters at a statewide general election. The City of Waldport City Council has adopted Ordinance No. 760 imposing a three percent tax on the sale of marijuana items by a retail licensee in the city, and, as a result, has referred this measure to the voters.

Approval of this measure would impose a three percent tax on the sale of marijuana items by a marijuana retailer within the city. There are no restrictions on how the city may use the revenues generated by this tax. However, this tax will only be imposed if this measure passes at the November 8, 2016 General Election.

*(This information submitted by Reda Q Eckerman, Waldport City Recorder.)*

# Measure 21-171

## City of Yachats

### Ballot Title

# 21-171

City tax on recreational marijuana retailers' sale of marijuana items

**QUESTION:** Shall Yachats impose a tax on sales of marijuana items by recreational marijuana retailers in the city?

**SUMMARY:** If adopted by the voters, this measure would impose a city tax on sales of marijuana items (including marijuana, marijuana products and marijuana extracts) by recreational marijuana retailers licensed by the Oregon Liquor Control Commission and located within the City of Yachats. The City Council would have the authority to set the amount of the tax, but under no circumstances would the tax exceed three percent of the retail sales price of a marijuana item. The tax would be collected from consumers by recreational marijuana retailers at the point of sale. Recreational marijuana retailers would remit the tax to the City. The city tax would be imposed in addition to any state taxes on the sale of marijuana items. The city tax would not be imposed on medical marijuana sales.

### Explanatory Statement

If this measure is approved by the voters of the City of Yachats, the City will impose a tax on sales of marijuana items (including marijuana flowers, marijuana concentrates, marijuana edibles and marijuana extracts) by recreational marijuana retailers licensed by the Oregon Liquor Control Commission (OLCC) and located within the City of Yachats. The City Council would have the authority to set the amount of the city tax, but the city tax could not exceed three percent of the retail sales price of a marijuana item.

The city tax would be collected from consumers by the recreational marijuana retailer at the point of sale. The recreational marijuana retailer would then remit the tax to the City.

The City would be able to use the revenues generated by this tax for any city purpose.

If approved, this city tax would be imposed in addition to any state marijuana taxes. This city tax would not be imposed on medical marijuana sales.

*(This information submitted by Nancy Batchelder, Yachats City Recorder.)*

# Measure 21-172

## Lincoln County

### Ballot Title

# 21-172

Imposes county tax on marijuana retailer's sale of marijuana items

**QUESTION:** Shall Lincoln County impose three percent tax on the sale of retail marijuana items in unincorporated areas of the county?

**SUMMARY:** Under state law, a county governing body may adopt an ordinance to be referred to the voters of the county imposing up to a three percent tax or fee on the sale of retail marijuana items in unincorporated areas of the county by a state licensed marijuana retailer. The Lincoln County Board of Commissioners adopted Ordinance No. 488 on August 3, 2016, which imposes a three percent tax on the sale of marijuana items by a marijuana retailer and referring the ordinance to the voters at the General Election to be held on November 8, 2016.

Approval of this measure would impose a three percent tax on the sale of marijuana items in the unincorporated areas of the county by a state licensed marijuana retailer. The tax would be collected at the point of sale and remitted by the marijuana retailer.

### Explanatory Statement

Approval of this measure would impose a three percent tax on the sale of marijuana items by a marijuana retailer within the unincorporated areas of Lincoln County. If approved the estimated revenues from this tax are unknown. There are no restrictions on how the county may use the revenues generated by this tax.

Under Measure 91, adopted by Oregon voters in November of 2014, codified in ORS Chapter 475B and amended by the Legislature in 2015 and 2016, the Oregon Liquor Control Commission must license the retail sale of recreational marijuana. ORS 475B.345 provides that a county governing body may adopt an ordinance imposing up to a three percent tax on the sale of marijuana items (which include marijuana concentrates, extracts, edibles, and other products intended for human consumption and use) by retail licensees in the unincorporated areas of the county, but the ordinance must be referred to the county voters at a statewide general election. The Lincoln County Board of Commissioners has adopted an ordinance imposing a three percent tax on the sale of marijuana items by a retail licensee in the unincorporated areas of the county, and as a result, has referred this measure to the county voters.

*(This information submitted by Wayne Belmont, County Counsel, Lincoln County Board of Commissioners.)*

# Measure 21-173

City of Depoe Bay

## Ballot Title

# 21-173

Imposition of a 3% tax on retail marijuana items

**QUESTION:** Shall City Depoe Bay impose a three percent tax on the sale of recreational marijuana items by a marijuana retailer?

**SUMMARY:** Under state law, a City Council may adopt an ordinance to be referred to the voters of the city imposing up to a three percent tax or fee on the sale of recreational marijuana items in the city by a licensed marijuana retailer. The Depoe Bay City Council adopted Ordinance No. 305, which imposes a three percent tax on the sale of marijuana items by a marijuana retailer, which is referred to voters by this ballot measure. Approval of this measure would impose a three percent tax on the sale of marijuana items in the city by a licensed marijuana retailer. The tax would be collected at the point of sale and remitted by the marijuana retailer.

## Explanatory Statement

Under Measure 91, adopted by Oregon voters in November 2014 and amended by the Legislature in 2015, the Oregon Liquor Control Commission must license the retail sale of recreational marijuana. The 2015 Legislation provides that a city council may adopt an ordinance imposing up to a three percent tax on the sale of marijuana items (which include marijuana concentrates, extracts, edibles, and other products intended for human consumption and use) by retail licensees in the city, but the council must refer that ordinance to the voters at a statewide general election.

The City of Depoe Bay City Council has adopted Ordinance No. 305 imposing a three percent tax on the sale of marijuana items by a marijuana retailer in the city, and, as a result, has referred this measure to the voters. Approval of this measure would impose a three percent tax on the sale of marijuana items by a marijuana retailer within the city. There are no restrictions on how the city may use the revenues generated by this tax.

*(This information submitted by Pery Murray, Depoe Bay City Recorder.)*

# Measure 21-174

City of Lincoln City

## Ballot Title

# 21-174

Imposes 3% tax on marijuana retailer's sale of marijuana items

**QUESTION:** Shall Lincoln City impose a 3% tax on the sale of recreational marijuana items by a marijuana retailer?

**SUMMARY:** Under state law, a city council may adopt an ordinance to be referred to the voters of the city imposing up to a 3% tax on the sale of marijuana items in the city by a licensed marijuana retailer. Approval of this measure would impose a 3% tax on the sale of marijuana items in the city by a licensed marijuana retailer. The tax would be collected at the point of sale and remitted by the marijuana retailer to the City. The referred Ordinance 2016-10, establishes a tax collection administrative framework consistent with other City taxes, including the City's previously adopted marijuana tax which has now been repealed after changes in state law placed its enforcement in question.

## Explanatory Statement

Approval of this measure would impose a 3% tax on the sale of marijuana items by a marijuana retailer within the City of Lincoln City. If approved, the revenues from this tax are estimated to be approximately \$20,000 to \$40,000 a year. There are no restrictions on how the city may use the revenues generated by this tax.

Under Measure 91, adopted by Oregon voters in November 2014 and amended by the Legislature in 2015, the Oregon Liquor Control Commission must license the retail sale of recreational marijuana. The 2015 Legislation expressly provided for a city to adopt an ordinance imposing up to a 3% tax on the sale of marijuana items (which include marijuana concentrates, extracts, edibles, and other products intended for human consumption and use) by retail licensees in the city. Councils are required to refer such ordinances to the voters at a statewide general election.

The City of Lincoln adopted Ordinance 2016-10 imposing a three percent tax on the sale of marijuana items by a retail licensee in the city. The Council, as required by state law, has referred this tax measure to the voters. The ordinance tracks the City's standard administrative tax collection framework as is in use for other taxes collected by the City.

For example, the Ordinance includes Sections which define Ordinance Purposes, sets forth Definitions, Imposes or Levies the Tax, allows for Deductions, Imposes tax Collection duties on the Seller (Marijuana Retailer), Provides for Administrative Penalties and Interest, Provides for Penalties and processes for Failure to Report or Remit Taxes collected; Provides for Appeal, Collection, Refund, Confidentiality as well as Criminal and Civil Penalties, Inspection and adoption of standard forms. The Ordinance tracks previously adopted Ordinance 2014-27, which also imposed a marijuana tax. That tax Ordinance has now been repealed, and was not enforced due to changes in state law following its November 3, 2014, adoption. This Ordinance (2016-10), referred to the voters is expressly authorized by state law, and accordingly is not subject to the same challenges as the previously adopted 2014 Ordinance.

*(This information submitted by Cathy Steere, Lincoln City City Recorder/ Elections Officer.)*

# Measure 21-175 Yachats Rural Fire Protection District

## Ballot Title

# 21-175

## Yachats Rural Fire Protection District Bond for a new station

**QUESTION:** Shall the District issue general obligation bonds not to exceed \$7,700,000 for a new station? If the bonds are approved, they will be payable from taxes on property or property ownership that are not subject to the limits of sections 11 and 11b, Article XI of the Oregon Constitution.

**SUMMARY:** If approved, this measure is expected to fund capital costs including:

- Refinancing borrowing for the land chosen for the new main station and site;
- Construction of the new main station; and
- Site improvements, furnishing and equipping of new station and paying bond issuance costs.

The Bonds would mature not later than thirty-one (31) years from the date of issuance. The measure is estimated to cost taxpayers an average of \$0.6875 per thousand of assessed value each year. For the owner of a home or property owner, the estimated annual average cost would be \$68.75 per \$100,000 of taxable assessed value.

The estimated tax cost for this measure is an ESTIMATE ONLY, based on the best information available from the county assessor at the time of the estimate.

## Explanatory Statement

The Yachats Rural Fire Protection District (District) funds and supervises the Yachats Volunteer Fire Department in the provision of emergency services. This Measure requests voter authorization to issue general obligation bonds not to exceed \$7,700,000 for the purpose of building a new Main Fire Station. The bonds would be repaid over a period not to exceed 31 years. The property has been purchased, a site on the property has been chosen and the building has been designed. The amount requested is the maximum that is allowed for bonds and other debts of the District, so grants are being pursued to partially offset building costs.

Depending on interest rates and the taxable assessed valuation of the District, it is estimated that District residents would pay an additional \$68.75 per each \$100,000 of their property's taxable assessed valuation each year to repay the bonds.

The current Main Fire Station is located within the Tsunami zone on West 2nd Street. In the event of a major Tsunami, the water at this location is expected to essentially destroy anything inside this building. If essential fire and emergency services are to be available in and after disasters such as Tsunamis, a fire station must be constructed out of the Tsunami zone and also be built to current seismic and other safety standards. The current station is, in parts, more than 50 years old and will not accommodate a current-generation standard fire engine. This old station is also not economically repairable and is expensive to operate. The station is unable to accommodate two of our trucks, which are stored outside.

The proposed new Main Station would be located just to the north of the Yachats City Limits, on the East side of US 101, with all emergency equipment located above any expected Tsunami levels.

Yachats Fire is a volunteer/career department with 18 Firefighters, Paramedics, EMTs, and Support people who dedicate thousands of hours each year for your protection. Our volunteers are required to have the same training and certifications as our paid staff.

In 2015, Yachats Fire responded to 720 emergency calls including medical, vehicle accidents, water rescues, hazardous material spills, wildland fires, and structure fires. For over 90 years, Yachats Fire personnel have responded to our community's needs 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.

Please vote.

*(This information submitted by Edward T Hallahan, Secretary/Treasurer Yachats Rural Fire Protection District.)*

## Measure 21-175 Arguments

### Argument in Favor

The Directors of the Yachats Rural Fire Protection District individually and collectively strongly support Measure 21-175. Our current Main Fire Station, on West 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, is dangerously within the predicted Tsunami zone, is more than 50 years old, is too small for today's fire engines, and is less than adequate to house the firefighters who now occupy it 24/7.

We have located and purchased a parcel that will allow a new station to escape the Tsunami threat. This new station has been designed to meet our needs for at least the next 30 years, and will be built to the latest seismic and other safety requirements for an essential public facility.

Arguing in favor of proceeding with this project now are the following: (1) the cost of a new station is never going to be less, (2) interest rates are extremely unlikely to go any lower, (3) there are no known other undeveloped sites that will meet all of our needs, and (4) the Tsunami threat is real and its likelihood gets higher each day.

When a disaster occurs, the Fire Department MUST survive so that we can assist you, our patrons. We have stored most of our emergency supplies eight miles east, and not very readily accessible. We have emergency vehicles and other equipment and some emergency supplies at our current station. These will help us to survive, but only if they can be positioned where they themselves survive a Tsunami event.

The Directors are committed to searching for any public or private grants that will help to reduce the amount of money we need to borrow. For now we must seek the borrowing authority that is the maximum the law allows us to borrow.

We pay taxes too, so we know this will not be free, but this project must be completed.

No public monies were spent to publish this Argument in Support.

*(This information furnished by Edward Hallahan, Secretary Treasurer, Yachats Rural Fire Protection District.)*

*The printing of this argument does not constitute an endorsement by the County of Lincoln, nor does the county warrant the accuracy or truth of any statement made in the argument.*

## Ballot Title

# 21-176

## Five-year Local Option Levy to Hire Firefighters

**QUESTION:** Shall District levy a tax of \$0.40 per \$1,000 of assessed value for five years beginning 2017-2018 to hire firefighters?

This measure may cause property taxes to increase more than three percent.

**SUMMARY:** The Seal Rock Fire District is seeking a five-year local option levy for general operations to fund firefighter positions. Approval of the measure would allow the District to hire firefighters and fund expenses related to those positions. Firefighters will enhance the capabilities of the District to respond to fires and other emergencies.

Although volunteer firefighters will continue to be a vital part of the District, it is crucial to have some firefighters to enhance response time and maintain and improve operational capabilities of the District.

The Fire Chief is presently the only full time employee. A majority of volunteers are not available for emergency response during working hours.

The rate of the levy is \$0.40 per \$1,000 aggregate valuation. The proposed rate will raise approximately \$184,323 in 2017-2018; \$189,853 in 2018-2019; \$195,548 in 2019-2020; \$201,415 in 2020-2021; and \$207,457 in 2021-2022. The estimated cost calculated for this measure is based upon the best information from the County Assessor at the time of the estimate.

## Explanatory Statement

The Seal Rock Fire District is seeking a five-year local option levy for general operations to fund firefighter positions. Approval of the measure would allow the District to hire firefighters and fund expenses related to those positions.

Firefighters will enhance the capabilities of the District to respond to fires and other emergencies. Although volunteer firefighters will continue to be a vital part of the District, it is important to have a core of firefighters to enhance response time and maintain and improve the operational capabilities of the District. Maintaining response time and operational capabilities are important to maintain ISO ratings which are important in determining fire insurance premiums.

The District presently has only one full time employee, the Fire Chief. It is becoming increasingly difficult to recruit and retain volunteer firefighters because of the required training and time commitment. Increased regulations have greatly increased the amount of training to serve as a firefighter. A majority of volunteers are not available for emergency response during working hours. Several long time experienced volunteers of the District are approaching retirement and firefighters are needed to continue effective service. Call volume from 2013 to present has increased over 42%.

The levy request will help ensure when you call us for an emergency we will have an adequate crew to assist you.

*(This information submitted by John Soltau, Acting Chairperson, Seal Rock Rural Fire Protection District.)*

# Sample Ballot - Lincoln County, Oregon | November 8, 2016

## Official Ballot - Lincoln County, Oregon - November 8, 2016

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<p><b>Instructions to Voter</b> Use a Pen (blue or black ink) To ensure your vote counts, completely fill in the oval <input type="radio"/> to the left of the response of your choice.</p> <p>To write in a name, write the name on the solid line and fill in the oval <input type="radio"/> to the left of the write-in line.</p> <p><b>Attention!</b> Remember to inspect your ballot for mistakes! If you make a mistake or damage your ballot, call your County Elections Office to ask for a replacement ballot.</p> <p><b>Federal Offices</b></p> <p><b>United States President and Vice President</b> Your vote for the candidates for United States President and Vice President shall be a vote for the electors supporting those candidates. Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Republican <b>Donald J Trump / Mike Pence</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Democrat <b>Hillary Clinton / Tim Kaine</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Pacific Green, Progressive <b>Jill Stein / Ajamu Baraka</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Libertarian <b>Gary Johnson / Bill Weld</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p>	<p><b>State Offices</b></p> <p><b>Secretary of State</b> Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Sharon L Durbin</b> Libertarian</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Dennis Richardson</b> Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Paul Damian Wells</b> Independent</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Brad Avakian</b> Democrat, Working Families, Progressive</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Alan Zundel</b> Pacific Green</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Michael Marsh</b> Constitution</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p> <p><b>State Treasurer</b> Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Chris Henry</b> Progressive, Pacific Green</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Tobias Read</b> Democrat</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Jeff Gudman</b> Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Chris Telfer</b> Independent</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p>	<p><b>Nonpartisan State Judiciary</b></p> <p><b>Judge of the Supreme Court, Position 6</b> Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Lynn R Nakamoto</b> Incumbent</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p> <p><b>Judge of the Court of Appeals, Position 5</b> Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Scott Shorr</b> Incumbent</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p> <p><b>Judge of the Court of Appeals, Position 8</b> Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Roger J DeHoog</b> Incumbent</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p> <p><b>Lincoln County</b></p> <p><b>Lincoln County Assessor</b> Four Year Term Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Joe Davidson</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p> <p><b>Lincoln County Sheriff</b> Four Year Term Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Curtis Landers</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p> <p><b>Lincoln County Treasurer</b> Four Year Term Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Linda Pilson</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p>	<p><b>City of Depoe Bay</b></p> <p><b>Council Member, Position 2</b> Four Year Term Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Jan Rustenhoven</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Debbie Callender</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p> <p><b>Council Member, Position 3</b> Four Year Term Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Charles (Charlie) L Bates</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p> <p><b>Council Member, Position 5</b> Two Year Unexpired Term Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Jeff S Wiseman</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p> <p><b>City of Lincoln City</b></p> <p><b>Council Member, Ward I</b> Four Year Term Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Jim Davis</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Diana Hinton</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p> <p><b>Council Member, Ward II</b> Four Year Term Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Riley Hoagland</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>James Scrutton</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p> <p><b>Council Member, Ward III</b> Four Year Term Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Doug Wheldon</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Judy Casper</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p>	<p><b>City of Newport</b></p> <p><b>Mayor</b> Two Year Term Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Sandra N Roumagoux</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p> <p><b>Council Members</b> Four Year Terms Vote for Three</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Dietmar H Goebel</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Laura L Swanson</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Dean Sawyer</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p> <p><b>City of Siletz</b></p> <p><b>Mayor</b> Two Year Term Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>John S Robinson</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p> <p><b>Council Member, Position 2</b> Four Year Term Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Ronald L Hervey</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p> <p><b>Council Member, Position 3</b> Four Year Term Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Patrizia Skauge</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p>
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<p><b>US Representative, 5th District</b> Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Colm Willis</b> Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Kurt Schrader</b> Democrat, Independent</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Marvin Sandnes</b> Pacific Green</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p>	<p><b>Legislative Offices</b></p> <p><b>State Senator, 5th District</b> Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Arnie Roblan</b> Democrat, Working Families</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Dick Anderson</b> Republican, Independent</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Dan Souza</b> Libertarian</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p>	<p><b>City of Depoe Bay</b></p> <p><b>Mayor</b> Two Year Term Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Jerome Grant</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Robert Gambino</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Barbara Leff</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>A J Mattila</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p> <p><b>Council Member, Position 1</b> Four Year Term Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Loren J Goddard</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p>	<p><b>City of Toledo</b></p> <p><b>Mayor</b> Two Year Term Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Billie Jo Smith</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p> <p><b>Council Members</b> Four Year Terms Vote for Three</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Deanne Dunlap</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Stephen J Burdick, Sr</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Ralph E Grutzmacher</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Jackie Kauffman</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Josh Smith</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p>	<p><b>City of Toledo</b></p> <p><b>Mayor</b> Two Year Term Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Billie Jo Smith</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p> <p><b>Council Members</b> Four Year Terms Vote for Three</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Deanne Dunlap</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Stephen J Burdick, Sr</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Ralph E Grutzmacher</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Jackie Kauffman</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Josh Smith</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p>
<p><b>State Offices</b></p> <p><b>Governor (2 Year Term)</b> Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>James Foster</b> Libertarian</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Kate Brown</b> Democrat, Working Families</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Cliff Thomason</b> Independent</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Aaron Donald Auer</b> Constitution</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Bud Pierce</b> Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p>	<p><b>State Representative, 9th District</b> Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Guy Rosinbaum</b> Libertarian</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Teri Grier</b> Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Caddy McKeown</b> Democrat, Independent</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p> <p><b>State Representative, 10th District</b> Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Thomas M Donohue</b> Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>David Gomberg</b> Democrat, Independent</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p>	<p><b>City of Depoe Bay</b></p> <p><b>Mayor</b> Two Year Term Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Jerome Grant</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Robert Gambino</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Barbara Leff</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>A J Mattila</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p> <p><b>Council Member, Position 1</b> Four Year Term Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Loren J Goddard</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p>	<p><b>City of Toledo</b></p> <p><b>Mayor</b> Two Year Term Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Billie Jo Smith</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p> <p><b>Council Members</b> Four Year Terms Vote for Three</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Deanne Dunlap</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Stephen J Burdick, Sr</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Ralph E Grutzmacher</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Jackie Kauffman</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Josh Smith</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p>	<p><b>City of Toledo</b></p> <p><b>Mayor</b> Two Year Term Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Billie Jo Smith</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p> <p><b>Council Members</b> Four Year Terms Vote for Three</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Deanne Dunlap</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Stephen J Burdick, Sr</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Ralph E Grutzmacher</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Jackie Kauffman</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Josh Smith</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p>
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<p><b>City of Waldport</b></p> <p><b>Mayor</b> Two Year Term Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Sue Woodruff</p> <p><input type="text" value="Write-in"/></p> <p><b>Council Members</b> Four Year Terms Vote for Three</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Greg Dunn</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Pat Warwick</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Bob O'Brien</p> <p><input type="text" value="Write-in"/></p> <p><input type="text" value="Write-in"/></p> <p><input type="text" value="Write-in"/></p>	<p><b>Soil &amp; Water Conservation District</b></p> <p><b>Director, Zone 5</b> Four Year Term Vote for One</p> <p><input type="text" value="No Candidate Filed"/></p> <p><input type="text" value="Write-in"/></p> <p><b>Director, At Large (1)</b> Four Year Term Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Wayne Hoffman</p> <p><input type="text" value="Write-in"/></p> <p><b>Central Lincoln PUD - Subdivision 3</b></p> <p><b>Director - Subdivision 3</b> Four Year Term Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Curt Abbott</p> <p><input type="text" value="Write-in"/></p>	<p>state revenue or expenditures. There is no financial impact on local government revenue or expenditures.</p> <p><b>95 Amends Constitution: Allows investments in equities by public universities to reduce financial risk and increase investments to benefit students.</b></p> <p><b>Result of "Yes" Vote:</b> "Yes" vote allows public universities to invest in equities to reduce financial risk and increase funds available to help students.</p> <p><b>Result of "No" Vote:</b> "No" vote prevents public universities from investing in equities.</p> <p><b>Summary:</b> This measure allows investments in equities by public universities to reduce financial risk and increase investments to benefit students. Additional investment income could benefit students by minimizing tuition increases and enhancing student programs.</p>	<p>proceeds as follows: 18% to finance education stability fund, 15% to finance state parks, restoration and protection of native fish and wildlife, watersheds, water quality and wildlife habitats, 15% to finance school capital matching fund. Measure dedicates 1.5% of lottery net proceeds to fund services for Oregon veterans. Veterans' services include assistance with employment, education, housing, physical/mental health care, addiction treatment, reintegration, access to government benefits, and other services for veterans, spouses and dependents. Other provisions.</p> <p><b>Estimate of Financial Impact:</b> This referral amends the Oregon Constitution to dedicate 1.5% of net proceeds from the State Lottery to be deposited in a veteran's services fund, to be created by the Legislature. The money in the veteran's services fund is to be expended on veterans' services, which may include: (1) reintegration, employment, education benefits and tuition, housing, physical and mental health care and addiction treatment programs; (2) assistance for veterans or their dependents to access state and federal benefits; or (3) funding for services provided by county veterans' services officers, campus veterans' service officer or nonprofit or tribal veterans' services officers. The referral defines a veteran as a resident of the State of Oregon who served in the Armed Forces of the United States.</p> <p>Based on the June 2016 forecast from the Office of Economic Analysis 1.5% of net lottery proceeds for veterans' services would be approximately \$9.3 million annually for the 2017-19 biennium. This measure would not have an impact on the constitutionally dedicated amounts for the Educational Stability Fund or the Parks and Natural Resources Fund. The measure does not affect the overall amount of funds collected for or expended by state government. The measure would result in an expenditure shift of \$9.3 million annually, during the 2017-19 biennium, to the Veterans' Services Fund from economic development and public education expenditures.</p>	<p><b>Proposed by Initiative Petition</b></p> <p><b>97 Increases corporate minimum tax when sales exceed \$25 million; funds education, healthcare, senior services</b></p> <p><b>Result of "Yes" Vote:</b> "Yes" vote increases corporate minimum tax when sales exceed \$25 million; removes tax limit; exempts "benefit companies"; increased revenue funds education, healthcare, senior services.</p> <p><b>Result of "No" Vote:</b> "No" vote retains existing corporate minimum tax rates based on Oregon sales; tax limited to \$100,000; revenue not dedicated to education, healthcare, senior services.</p> <p><b>Summary:</b> Current law requires each corporation or affiliated group of corporations filing a federal tax return to pay annual minimum tax; amount of tax is determined by tax bracket corresponding to amount of corporation's Oregon sales; corporations with sales of \$100 million or more pay \$100,000. Measure increases annual minimum tax on corporations with Oregon sales of more than \$25 million; imposes minimum tax of \$30,001 plus 2.5% of amount of sales above \$25 million; eliminates tax cap; benefit companies (business entities that create public benefit) taxed under current law. Applies to tax years beginning on/after January 1, 2017. Revenue from tax increase goes to: public education (early childhood through grade 12); healthcare; services for senior citizens.</p> <p><b>Estimate of Financial Impact:</b> The measure is anticipated to increase state revenues by \$548 million from January 1st to June 30th of 2017, and approximately \$3 billion for every year beginning July 1st after that.</p> <p>The financial impact on state expenditures by program is indeterminate. The increased revenue will require increased expenditures by the state in the areas of public early childhood and kindergarten through grade 12 education, health care, and senior services, but the exact amount and the specific uses within the three identified programs cannot be determined.</p> <p>Although there is no direct financial effect on local government expenditures or revenues, there is likely to be an indirect and indeterminate effect on the state economy and local government revenues and expenditures.</p>
<p><b>City of Yachats</b></p> <p><b>Mayor</b> Two Year Term Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Gerald Stanley</p> <p><input type="radio"/> W John Moore</p> <p><input type="text" value="Write-in"/></p> <p><b>Council Members</b> Four Year Terms Vote for Two</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Max E Glenn</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Jim Tooke</p> <p><input type="text" value="Write-in"/></p> <p><input type="text" value="Write-in"/></p>	<p><b>STATE MEASURES</b></p> <p><b>Referred to the People by the Legislative Assembly</b></p> <p><b>94 Amends Constitution: Eliminates mandatory retirement age for state judges</b></p> <p><b>Result of "Yes" Vote:</b> "Yes" vote amends constitution, state judges not required to retire from judicial office after turning 75 years old. Statutes cannot establish mandatory retirement age.</p> <p><b>Result of "No" Vote:</b> "No" vote retains constitutional provisions requiring state judges to retire from judicial office after turning 75 years old, authorizing statutes establishing lesser mandatory retirement age.</p>	<p><b>Estimate of Financial Impact:</b> This measure amends Article XI, section 6 of the Oregon Constitution to exempt public universities from a constitutional prohibition on ownership by the State of stock of any company, association, or corporation.</p> <p>There is no financial effect on either state or local government expenditures or revenues required by the measure. The revenue and expenditure impact on public universities is dependent upon decisions by each university on the type and amount of private equity in which they choose (or choose not) to invest, and on the return on these investments.</p>	<p><b>96 Amends Constitution: Dedicates 1.5% of state lottery net proceeds to funding support services for Oregon veterans</b></p> <p><b>Result of "Yes" Vote:</b> "Yes" vote dedicates 1.5% of state lottery net proceeds to fund veterans' services, including assistance with employment, education, housing, and physical/mental health care.</p> <p><b>Result of "No" Vote:</b> "No" vote retains current list of authorized purposes for spending state lottery net proceeds; 1.5% dedication to fund veterans' services not required.</p> <p><b>Summary:</b> Amends Constitution, dedicates lottery funding for veterans' support services. Currently, constitution requires that state lottery proceeds be used to create jobs, further economic development, and finance public education; dedicates some net lottery</p>	<p><b>Estimate of Financial Impact:</b> The measure is anticipated to increase state revenues by \$548 million from January 1st to June 30th of 2017, and approximately \$3 billion for every year beginning July 1st after that.</p> <p>The financial impact on state expenditures by program is indeterminate. The increased revenue will require increased expenditures by the state in the areas of public early childhood and kindergarten through grade 12 education, health care, and senior services, but the exact amount and the specific uses within the three identified programs cannot be determined.</p> <p>Although there is no direct financial effect on local government expenditures or revenues, there is likely to be an indirect and indeterminate effect on the state economy and local government revenues and expenditures.</p>
<p><b>Soil &amp; Water Conservation District</b></p> <p><b>Director, Zone 1</b> Two Year Unexpired Term Vote for One</p> <p><input type="text" value="No Candidate Filed"/></p> <p><input type="text" value="Write-in"/></p> <p><b>Director, Zone 3</b> Four Year Term Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Sterling Grant</p> <p><input type="text" value="Write-in"/></p> <p><b>Director, Zone 4</b> Four Year Term Vote for One</p> <p><input type="text" value="No Candidate Filed"/></p> <p><input type="text" value="Write-in"/></p> <p><b>WARNING</b> Any person who, by use of force or other means, unduly influences an elector to vote in any particular manner or to refrain from voting is subject to a fine. (ORS 254.470)</p>	<p><b>Summary:</b> Article VII (Amended), section 1a, of the Oregon Constitution, requires state judges to "retire from judicial office at the end of the calendar year" in which they turn 75 years old. Section 1a(1) authorizes laws that establish a lesser age—not younger than 70 years—for mandatory retirement. Measure amends constitution to remove provision requiring mandatory retirement at age 75, as well as provision authorizing statutes requiring mandatory retirement at age 70 or older. Measure retains constitutional provision that authorizes statutes permitting retired judges to be recalled to temporary active service. Measure retains constitutional provision that authorizes laws permitting or requiring judges to retire due to a physical or mental disability or any other cause that renders them incapable of performing their judicial duties.</p> <p><b>Estimate of Financial Impact:</b> There is no financial impact to</p>	<p><b>Estimate of Financial Impact:</b> This measure amends Article XI, section 6 of the Oregon Constitution to exempt public universities from a constitutional prohibition on ownership by the State of stock of any company, association, or corporation.</p> <p>There is no financial effect on either state or local government expenditures or revenues required by the measure. The revenue and expenditure impact on public universities is dependent upon decisions by each university on the type and amount of private equity in which they choose (or choose not) to invest, and on the return on these investments.</p>	<p><b>Estimate of Financial Impact:</b> The measure is anticipated to increase state revenues by \$548 million from January 1st to June 30th of 2017, and approximately \$3 billion for every year beginning July 1st after that.</p> <p>The financial impact on state expenditures by program is indeterminate. The increased revenue will require increased expenditures by the state in the areas of public early childhood and kindergarten through grade 12 education, health care, and senior services, but the exact amount and the specific uses within the three identified programs cannot be determined.</p> <p>Although there is no direct financial effect on local government expenditures or revenues, there is likely to be an indirect and indeterminate effect on the state economy and local government revenues and expenditures.</p>	<p><b>Estimate of Financial Impact:</b> The measure is anticipated to increase state revenues by \$548 million from January 1st to June 30th of 2017, and approximately \$3 billion for every year beginning July 1st after that.</p> <p>The financial impact on state expenditures by program is indeterminate. The increased revenue will require increased expenditures by the state in the areas of public early childhood and kindergarten through grade 12 education, health care, and senior services, but the exact amount and the specific uses within the three identified programs cannot be determined.</p> <p>Although there is no direct financial effect on local government expenditures or revenues, there is likely to be an indirect and indeterminate effect on the state economy and local government revenues and expenditures.</p>

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<p><b>98 Requires state funding for dropout-prevention, career and college readiness programs in Oregon high schools</b></p> <p><b>Result of "Yes" Vote:</b> "Yes" vote requires state legislature to fund dropout-prevention, career and college readiness programs through grants to Oregon high schools; state monitors programs.</p> <p><b>Result of "No" Vote:</b> "No" vote retains current law; legislature not required to commit funds to career-technical/college-level education/dropout-prevention programs; retains discretion to allocate funds.</p> <p><b>Summary:</b> Currently, the Oregon legislature provides General Fund revenues to the State School Fund based on constitutionally required quality goals; those funds are distributed directly to school districts under a specified formula. Measure requires legislature to separately provide at least \$800 per high school student—adjusted upward annually for inflation/population—to a Department of Education (ODE) administered account. ODE distributes those funds to school districts to establish or expand high school programs providing career-technical education, college-level courses, and dropout-prevention strategies. School districts must apply for grants, meet specified requirements. Districts may use limited portion of fund for administration costs but not unrelated activities. ODE monitors school district performance, ensures compliance, facilitates programs; Secretary of State audits biannually. Other provisions.</p> <p><b>Estimate of Financial Impact:</b> The measure does not affect the aggregate amount of funds collected or expended by state or local government.</p> <p>The measure does, however, commit a minimum increase of \$147 million annually to expenditures on career and technical education, accelerated learning and high school graduation improvement programs. This number could be lower if state revenues do not grow by \$1.5 billion in the 2017-2019 biennium.</p> <p>Because the measure does not raise additional revenue, the measure specifically provides that the Legislature determine how these program expansions will be funded.</p>	<p><b>99 Creates "Outdoor School Education Fund," continuously funded through Lottery, to provide outdoor school programs statewide</b></p> <p><b>Result of "Yes" Vote:</b> "Yes" vote creates separate fund, financed through Oregon Lottery Economic Development Fund and administered by Oregon State University (OSU), to provide outdoor school programs statewide.</p> <p><b>Result of "No" Vote:</b> "No" vote rejects creation of fund to provide outdoor school programs statewide; retains current law under which OSU administers outdoor school grants if funding available.</p> <p><b>Summary:</b> Presently, Oregon does not fund outdoor school programs statewide, but, under current law, OSU assists school districts by awarding grants according to specified criteria and providing program maintenance, conditioned on funding. Measure creates separate "Outdoor School Education Fund" (Fund) that is financed by Oregon State Lottery money distributed for economic development. Caps annual distributions of Lottery revenues to Fund. Specifies Fund's purpose to provide every Oregon fifth- or sixth-grade student week-long outdoor school program or equivalent. Continuously appropriates Fund to OSU to administer and fund outdoor school programs statewide consistent with current law's grant program criteria; may require Fund dispersal outside of grant program. Allocations to Fund shall not reduce lottery proceeds dedicated under Oregon Constitution to education, parks, beaches, watersheds, fish, wildlife.</p> <p><b>Estimate of Financial Impact:</b> This measure amends Oregon Revised Statutes to dedicate a portion of lottery proceeds for a statewide outdoor school program. In 2015, the Oregon State Legislature established an Outdoor Education Account for the purpose of funding a six day, residential, hands-on outdoor school program or equivalent for fifth and sixth grade students across the state. The Legislature did not provide funding at that time. This measure would affect distributions from the Department of Administrative Services Economic Development Fund. It dedicates the lesser of the following two amounts to the Outdoor Education account: either four percent of the quarterly transfers to this fund or \$5.5 million quarterly, with a maximum of \$22 million each year.</p>	<p>The measure would result in an expenditure shift of \$22 million annually to the Outdoor Education Account from the Department of Administrative Services Economic Development Fund. The measure does not affect the overall amount of funds collected for or expended by state government. This measure would not have an impact on the constitutionally dedicated amounts for the Educational Stability Fund or the Parks and Natural Resources Fund.</p> <p><b>100 Prohibits purchase or sale of parts or products from certain wildlife species; exceptions: civil penalties</b></p> <p><b>Result of "Yes" Vote:</b> "Yes" vote prohibits purchase/sale of parts/products from certain wildlife species; exceptions for specified activities, gift/inheritances, and certain antiques/musical instruments; civil penalties.</p> <p><b>Result of "No" Vote:</b> Maintains current Oregon law which does not prohibit purchase or sale of parts or products from species not native to Oregon, except for shark fins.</p> <p><b>Summary:</b> Existing Oregon law does not prohibit sale of wildlife parts/products for non native species, except shark fins. Existing federal law does not prohibit intrastate sales of wildlife parts, with exceptions. Measure amends ORS 498.022 to prohibit purchase, sale, or possession with intent to sell of parts/products from elephant, rhinoceros, whale, tiger, lion, leopard, cheetah, jaguar, pangolin, sea turtle, shark, ray. Imposes civil penalties. Creates exceptions: law enforcement activities; activities authorized by federal law; fish managed under federal plan; certain antiques (over 100 years old) and musical instruments with less than 200 grams of parts; noncommercial transfers through estates, trusts, gifts; possession by tribal members. Other exceptions. Fish and Wildlife Commission may adopt rules, including prohibiting purchase/sale of parts "closely" resembling listed species parts.</p> <p><b>Estimate of Financial Impact:</b> There is less than a \$100,000 financial effect on state government expenditures or revenues. There is no financial effect on local government expenditures or revenues.</p>	<p><b>COUNTY MEASURES</b></p> <p><b>21-172 Imposes county tax on marijuana retailer's sale of marijuana items</b></p> <p><b>QUESTION:</b> Shall Lincoln County impose three percent tax on the sale of retail marijuana items in unincorporated areas of the county?</p> <p><b>SUMMARY:</b> Under state law, a county governing body may adopt an ordinance to be referred to the voters of the county imposing up to a three percent tax or fee on the sale of retail marijuana items in unincorporated areas of the county by a state licensed marijuana retailer. The Lincoln County Board of Commissioners adopted Ordinance No. 488 on August 3, 2016, which imposes a three percent tax on the sale of marijuana items by a marijuana retailer and referring the ordinance to the voters at the General Election to be held on November 8, 2016.</p> <p>Approval of this measure would impose a three percent tax on the sale of marijuana items in the unincorporated areas of the county by a state licensed marijuana retailer. The tax would be collected at the point of sale and remitted by the marijuana retailer.</p> <p><b>CITY MEASURES</b></p> <p><b>CITY OF DEPOE BAY</b></p> <p><b>21-173 Imposition of a 3% tax on retail marijuana items</b></p> <p><b>QUESTION:</b> Shall City Depoe Bay impose a three percent tax on the sale of recreational marijuana items by a marijuana retailer?</p> <p><b>SUMMARY:</b> Under state law, a City Council may adopt an ordinance to be referred to the voters of the city imposing up to a three percent tax or fee on the sale of recreational marijuana items in the city by a licensed marijuana retailer. The Depoe Bay City Council adopted Ordinance No. 305, which imposes a three percent tax on the sale of marijuana items by a marijuana retailer, which is referred to voters by this ballot measure. Approval of this measure would impose a three percent tax on the sale of marijuana items in the city by a licensed marijuana retailer. The tax would be collected at the point of sale and remitted by the marijuana retailer.</p>	<p><b>CITY OF LINCOLN CITY</b></p> <p><b>21-174 Imposes 3% tax on marijuana retailer's sale of marijuana items</b></p> <p><b>QUESTION:</b> Shall Lincoln City impose a 3% tax on the sale of recreational marijuana items by a marijuana retailer?</p> <p><b>SUMMARY:</b> Under state law, a city council may adopt an ordinance to be referred to the voters of the city imposing up to a 3% tax on the sale of marijuana items in the city by a licensed marijuana retailer. Approval of this measure would impose a 3% tax on the sale of marijuana items in the city by a licensed marijuana retailer. The tax would be collected at the point of sale and remitted by the marijuana retailer to the City. The referred Ordinance 2016-10, establishes a tax collection administrative framework consistent with other City taxes, including the City's previously adopted marijuana tax which has now been repealed after changes in state law placed its enforcement in question.</p> <p><b>CITY OF NEWPORT</b></p> <p><b>21-169 Imposition of a tax on retail marijuana items</b></p> <p><b>QUESTION:</b> Shall the City of Newport impose a three percent tax on the sale of marijuana items by a marijuana retailer?</p> <p><b>SUMMARY:</b> Under state law, a city council may adopt an ordinance to be referred to the voters of the city imposing up to a three percent tax or fee on the sale of marijuana items in the city by a licensed marijuana retailer. The Newport City Council adopted Ordinance No. 2097, on May 16, 2016, which imposes a three percent tax on the sale of marijuana items by a marijuana retailer and referring the ordinance to the voters at the General Election to be held on November 8, 2016.</p> <p>Approval of this measure would impose a three percent tax on the sale of marijuana items in the city by a licensed marijuana retailer. The tax would be collected at the point of sale and remitted by the marijuana retailer.</p> <p><b>WARNING</b> Any person who, by use of force or other means, unduly influences an elector to vote in any particular manner or to refrain from voting is subject to a fine. (ORS 254.470)</p>
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<p><b>CITY OF WALDPOR</b></p> <p><b>21-170 Imposition of a tax on retail marijuana items</b></p> <p><b>QUESTION:</b> Shall the City of Waldport impose a three percent tax on the sale of marijuana items by a marijuana retailer?</p> <p><b>SUMMARY:</b> Under state law, a city council may adopt an ordinance to be referred to the voters of the city imposing up to a three percent tax or fee on the sale of marijuana items in the city by a licensed marijuana retailer. The Waldport City Council adopted Ordinance No. 760, on July 14, 2016, which imposes a three percent tax on the sale of marijuana items by a marijuana retailer and referring the ordinance to the voters at the General Election to be held on November 8, 2016.</p> <p>Approval of this measure would impose a three percent tax on the sale of marijuana items in the city by a licensed marijuana retailer. The tax would be collected at the point of sale and remitted by the marijuana retailer.</p>	<p><b>SEAL ROCK RURAL FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT</b></p> <p><b>21-176 Five-year Local Option Levy to Hire Firefighters</b></p> <p><b>QUESTION:</b> Shall District levy a tax of \$0.40 per \$1,000 of assessed value for five years beginning 2017-2018 to hire firefighters?</p> <p>This measure may cause property taxes to increase more than three percent.</p> <p><b>SUMMARY:</b> The Seal Rock Fire District is seeking a five-year local option levy for general operations to fund firefighter positions. Approval of the measure would allow the District to hire firefighters and fund expenses related to those positions. Firefighters will enhance the capabilities of the District to respond to fires and other emergencies.</p> <p>Although volunteer firefighters will continue to be a vital part of the District, it is crucial to have some firefighters to enhance response time and maintain and improve operational capabilities of the District.</p> <p>The Fire Chief is presently the only full time employee. A majority of volunteers are not available for emergency response during working hours.</p> <p>The rate of the levy is \$0.40 per \$1,000 aggregate valuation. The proposed rate will raise approximately \$184,323 in 2017-2018; \$189,853 in 2018-2019; \$195,548 in 2019-2020; \$201,415 in 2020-2021; and \$207,457 in 2021-2022. The estimated cost calculated for this measure is based upon the best information from the County Assessor at the time of the estimate.</p>	<p><b>YACHATS RURAL FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT</b></p> <p><b>21-175 Yachats Rural Fire Protection District Bond for a new station</b></p> <p><b>QUESTION:</b> Shall the District issue general obligation bonds not to exceed \$7,700,000 for a new station? If the bonds are approved, they will be payable from taxes on property or property ownership that are not subject to the limits of sections 11 and 11b, Article XI of the Oregon Constitution.</p> <p><b>SUMMARY:</b> If approved, this measure is expected to fund capital costs including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Refinancing borrowing for the land chosen for the new main station and site;</li> <li>• Construction of the new main station; and</li> <li>• Site improvements, furnishing and equipping of new station and paying bond issuance costs.</li> </ul> <p>The Bonds would mature not later than thirty-one (31) years from the date of issuance. The measure is estimated to cost taxpayers an average of \$0.6875 per thousand of assessed value each year. For the owner of a home or property owner, the estimated annual average cost would be \$68.75 per \$100,000 of taxable assessed value.</p> <p>The estimated tax cost for this measure is an ESTIMATE ONLY, based on the best information available from the county assessor at the time of the estimate.</p>		<p><b>WARNING</b></p> <p>Any person who, by use of force or other means, unduly influences an elector to vote in any particular manner or to refrain from voting is subject to a fine. (ORS 254.470)</p>
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# Registration and Voting Information

## Registering to Vote

To be eligible to vote in the November 8, 2016 General Election, a completed voter registration card must be postmarked by October 18, 2016.

### To Register To Vote In Oregon, You Must Be:

1. A resident of Oregon.
2. A United States citizen.
3. At least 18 years old by election day.

### You Must Update Your Registration If:

1. Your residence or mailing address changes.
2. Your name changes.
3. You wish to change your party affiliation.

**Important Note:** If you have moved or your name has changed and you have not yet updated your registration, you may be still eligible to vote. Contact the Lincoln County Elections office, 541-265-4131 for further information.

### Voters With Disabilities:

If you are unable to vote your ballot without assistance, contact the Lincoln County Elections office at 541-265-4131. We will provide two persons to assist you in voting. To assure your voted ballot is received by election day, contact the elections office early to arrange for assistance. You may also select someone else of your own choice to assist you.

### On-line Registration:

On-line voter registration is now available. If you go to our website: [www.co.lincoln.or.us/clerk](http://www.co.lincoln.or.us/clerk) and go to the left side of the page, then click on "Register to Vote Online".

## Voting Instructions

### Check Your Ballot!

To vote you must fill in the oval (●) completely with a pencil or pen.

**To write-in a name** — Fill in the oval (●) to the left of the dotted line and write-in the name on the dotted line.

If you vote for more candidates than allowed, or if you vote **both Yes and No** on a measure, it is called an overvote.

Your vote **will not count** for that candidate or measure.

You do not have to vote on all contests. Those you do vote on will still be counted.

Contact Lincoln County Elections office at 541-265-4131 to request a replacement ballot if:

- you make a mistake
- your ballot is damaged or spoiled
- your ballot is lost

or for any other reason.

1-866-ORE-VOTES (se habla Español)

[www.oregonvotes.org](http://www.oregonvotes.org)

TTY 1-800-735-2900

### Remember, if stated on your ballot, vote both sides of your ballot.

After voting—SEAL the ballot in the ballot secrecy envelope. **The secrecy envelope is optional – it is not required.**

SEAL your BALLOT (enclosed in the secrecy envelope), inside the return envelope, **SIGN THE RETURN ENVELOPE** in the space provided, and mail it in time to be received in the office of the County Clerk by November 8, or drop it off at a designated drop site (see drop sites on page 21-2 of this county voters' pamphlet).

**! Be sure to sign your Return Envelope! !**

## REMEMBER!

All ballots must be voted and received at a drop site or the Lincoln County Clerk's Office by no later than 8:00 p.m., November 8, 2016.