

Lincoln County Voters' Pamphlet



Oregon Vote-by-Mail General Election | **November 4, 2014**

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 18th. 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/

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Dana W Jenkins'.

Dana W Jenkins, Lincoln County Clerk

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 24 through November 3)
November 4 **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 4th
(beginning September 24)

★ **LINCOLN CITY CITY HALL**
801 SW Hwy 101; Lincoln City
INSIDE BOX: 8am to 5pm M-F
(September 24 through November 3)
November 4th **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 4th
(beginning September 24)

★ **DEPOE BAY CITY HALL**
570 SE Shell; Depoe Bay
8am to 5pm M-F
(October 8 through November 3)
November 4th **ONLY** (Election Day) 8am-8pm

★ **NEWPORT CITY HALL**
169 SW Coast Hwy; Newport
8am to 5pm M-F
(October 8 through November 3)
November 4th **ONLY** (Election Day) 8am-8pm

TOLEDO CITY HALL
206 N Main; Toledo
8am to 5pm M-Th
(October 8 through November 3)
November 4th **ONLY** (Election Day) 8am-8pm

SILETZ CITY HALL
215 W Buford; Siletz
9am to 5pm M-F
(October 8 through November 3)
November 4th **ONLY** (Election Day) 9am-8pm

WALDPOR CITY HALL
125 Alsea Hwy; Waldport
INSIDE BOX: 8am to 5pm M-F
(September 24 through November 3)
(closed 12:30pm to 1:30pm)
November 4th **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 4th
(beginning September 24)

★ **YACHATS CITY HALL**
441 Hwy 101 N; Yachats
8:30am to 4:30pm M-F
(October 8 through November 3)
November 4th **ONLY** (Election Day) 8:30am-8pm

★ **EDDYVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH**
20742 Hwy 20; Eddyville
November 4th **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 4th. 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!

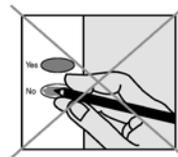
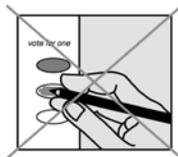
check your ballot!

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.

1 866 ORE VOTES (se habla Español)
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 24th through 8:00pm on November 4th.

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
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Registration and Voting Information

Registering to Vote

To be eligible to vote in the November 4, 2014 General Election, a completed voter registration card must be postmarked by October 14, 2014.

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 are 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 and go to the bottom of the page, click on "Register to Vote".

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.

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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.

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 4th, 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 4, 2014.

Measure 21-156 Lincoln County Library District

Ballot Title

21-156

21-156 LOCAL OPTION TAX FOR LIBRARY SERVICES

QUESTION: Shall Library District renew levy of 9¢ per \$1,000 assessed value for five years, beginning 2015-2016, to fund your library?

This measure renews current local option taxes.

SUMMARY: This measure will renew the expiring local option tax. Approval of this measure continues providing funding at its present level for the Lincoln County Library District and the funding it provides to libraries in Lincoln City, Newport, Siletz, Toledo and Waldport.

It is estimated that this measure would raise approximately \$326,281 in tax revenues for 2015-2016, \$332,807 in tax revenues for 2016-2017, \$339,463 in tax revenues for 2017-2018, \$346,252 in tax revenues for 2018-2019, and \$353,177 in tax revenues for 2019-2020. 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.

Some or all of these things may happen at your local library if tax does not pass:

- May require people living outside the city limits of Lincoln City, Newport and Toledo to purchase a library card in order to use these city libraries
- Reductions in:
 - Hours of library operation
 - Courier service
 - Interlibrary loans
 - Staffing levels
 - Purchase of books and other materials
 - Library programs and services
- Possible changes in agreements for city library usage by Library District residents

(This information submitted by Chris D Boyle, President, Board of Directors, Lincoln County Library District.)

Explanatory Statement

Before the formation of the Lincoln County Library District, people living in unincorporated areas of Lincoln County and Depoe Bay did not have access to a public library without paying for a library card. In 1991 the city libraries of Lincoln City, Newport, Siletz, Toledo and Waldport began contracting with the Library District to receive funds for providing fee free library service to all residents of Lincoln County. In order to continue this service, voters in 2009 approved a local option tax levy at 9¢ per \$1000 assessed value which expires in 2014-2015. Approval of this measure will renew the levy for another five years and allow the fee free service to continue.

Who votes on this measure?

Every voter living outside the city limits of Lincoln City, Newport, Toledo and Yachats.

Why is renewal of the 5-year local option tax needed?

To ensure that you will continue to have full access to the public libraries in Lincoln City, Newport, Siletz, Toledo and Waldport.

The library services include:

- Check out books, videos, DVD's, ebooks and other library materials.
- Reserve books, videos, DVD's and other library materials 24 hours a day through the Internet
- Internet access to reference databases
- Computer use for Internet access: check e-mail, apply for jobs, information search, etc.
- Courier service which brings materials you request from other libraries to your local library
- Interlibrary Loan Services – access to materials around the state and around the world

What happens if the tax does not pass?

Based on current year revenue libraries will lose at least:

- Driftwood (Lincoln City) - \$56,813
- Newport - \$84,423
- Siletz - \$17,661
- Toledo - \$27,217
- Waldport - \$42,594

Measure 21-156 Arguments

Argument in Favor

We support our local libraries. Please join us in voting **YES** on Ballot Measure 21-156 – the **RENEWAL** of our local option tax for Lincoln County Libraries.

Voting **YES** means that every person in Lincoln County continues to have access to our wonderful libraries with their diverse resources and excellent services. We value and support these critical community institutions.

Edward Roesing
Scott Pettit
Mary Davis
Betsy Maxfield
Jan Titgen
Alice & John O'Brien
Bernard A Lynam
Barbara Leff
Roy & Linda Hageman
Linda Rogers
Karen Rose
Durinda Howard
Chris Boyle
Blythe Collins
M Renée Bellinger
Susan Spencer
Ginger Gouveia
Lorna Davis
Frank Geltner
Alan Searle
Guy DiTorrice
Chris Waugh
Bobbi Lippman

Vickie A Steen
Sheryl Eldridge
Rebecca Cohen
Ted Smith
Cecelia M Jensen
Louise Hayes
David Bigelow
Gloria Zirges
Pamela Aylmer
Dianne Eckstein
D Kucha
Cynthia Jacobi
Billie Jo Smith
David Gomberg
Rennie Ferris
Vicki Dunaway
Sharon Cannon
Charles & Doris D Moody
Gary Lahman
Victor & Jill Bucy
Linda Welch
Saundra Mies-Grantham
Patti & Charles P Littlehales

(This information furnished by the People for Lincoln County Libraries, Janet G Webster, Treasurer.)

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.

Argument in Favor

Vote YES for Ballot Measure 21-156!

Continue support for our local libraries at current tax levels.

This measure does NOT increase your taxes.

What would we do without our libraries! For less than the cost of one book, we have access to over a quarter of a million books, ebooks, movies, CDs, magazines, newspapers, 24-hour access to online databases, AND MORE.

Renewing the local option tax of 9¢ per \$1,000 assessed value on your property is only \$18 for a \$200,000 home. The very services we value are at risk if libraries lose these funds.

We especially appreciate these services:

- Children and their parents find in their library a place to explore books, magazines and other material.
- Students get a head start on early reading success by being given opportunities to attend library story times and other library sponsored programs.
- Students who use libraries are more successful in school and often go on to be successful lifelong learners.
- We depend on the public library as a place to use critical technology, networking and internet services.
- We use library services to find jobs, prepare resumes, to obtain current, factual health information and as a gateway to world-wide library collections.
- We communicate with family and friends via e-mail and other social networking tools available through the public library's free Internet access.
- We download best-selling ebooks and set our own due dates.
- Trained library staff help us with our wide-ranging interests and needs.

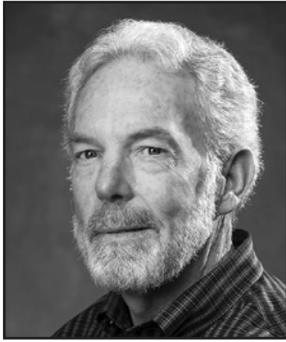
Every person in Lincoln County can use the diverse resources of the Driftwood Public Library in Lincoln City, Newport Public Library, Siletz Public Library, Toledo Public Library and Waldport Public Library. The public library is our meeting place.

Vote YES to preserve library services.

(This information furnished by the People for Lincoln County Libraries, Janet G Webster, Treasurer.)

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Lincoln County Commissioner, Position 3



**Dick
Anderson**
Nonpartisan

Occupation: Retired

Occupational Background: 35 years of management in the financial services industry. Budget management and analysis in both public and private sectors.

Educational Background: Pacific University Oregon, graduated, BA; University of Washington, graduated, Certificate, Executive Graduate Management Program; Duke University, graduated, Certificate, Executive Graduate Management Program; Leadership Lincoln, 2010, graduated.

Prior Governmental Experience: Mayor, 4 years, City Councilor, 2 years, Planning Commission, Budget Committee.

Lincoln County citizens can expect **Dick Anderson** to listen with an open mind to their issues and assist them in finding practical solutions. It has been over 20 years in North County and over 30 years in South County that someone has been elected County Commissioner. It is time to spread the representation to all corners of the County. **Dick Anderson** will face Lincoln County issues with a fresh outlook and enthusiasm.

Dick Anderson is an active member of:
Cascade West Area Commission on Transportation
Mid-Willamette Valley Area Commission on Transportation
Oregon Coastal Zone Management Association
Siletz Tribal Charity Contribution Fund Board
Buy-Local Lincoln County
Lincoln City Chamber of Commerce
Depoe Bay Chamber of Commerce
Lincoln City Cultural Center
North Lincoln Historical Museum
The Junior Golf Program in Lincoln City for 5 years

Dick Anderson has chaired numerous non-profit boards and professional associations including serving as a past board member of the Lincoln County Community Development Corp.

Dick Anderson has training in dispute resolution which assists him with relationship building and finding common ground.

Dick Anderson and his wife, Sue, chose to move to Lincoln County, drawn by the community, the charm and the lifestyle.

Dick Anderson is committed to:
Fiscally Responsible County Government
Family wage jobs
Healthcare facilities that support quality of life
Relationships that work: state, cities, Tribe, businesses and others
Highways, our economic lifeline to the Valley; freight, tourists and commerce

Dick Anderson would be honored if you would allow him to represent you as a full time Lincoln County Commissioner. Thank you.

www.dickanderson.org

(This information furnished by Dick Anderson.)

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

Lincoln County Commissioner, Position 3



**Terry N
Thompson**
Nonpartisan

Occupation: Lincoln County Commissioner

Occupational Background: Commercial Fisherman, 40+ years; Three-term Oregon State Representative; Three-term Lincoln County Commissioner.

Educational Background: Newport High School (9th Grade); South Salem High School (High School Diploma, 12th Grade); University of Missouri(Sophomore); Oregon State University (Senior, B.S. Degree)

Prior Governmental Experience: State Representative (1995-2001); Vice-Chair House Natural Resources Committee; House Education Committee; 1996-1997 House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee, House Education Committee: 1998-1999 House Agricultural and Forestry Committee, House Committee on Human Resources and Education; Ways & Means, Natural Resources; Pacific Fisheries Legislative Task Force; General Government Committee; House Committee on Species Restoration and Stream Recovery; House Business and Consumer Affairs Committee; Governor's Task Force on Marine Reserve; Member of Cascade Head and Cape Perpetua Community Teams on Marine Reserves; North Coast Commissioner Representative to Ocean Policy Advisory Committee; Interim Joint Committee on Salmon and Stream Enhancement; Speakers Council on Youth Alcohol and Drug Abuse; Interim Committee on Trade and Economic Development; Board of Directors for Oregon Fishermen's Undersea Cable Committee; Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife Budget Review Committee; Member of Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, Oregon Renewable Energy Task Force; Territorial Sea Planning Committee; Chairman of Coastal Marine Experiment Station.

Community Service: Newport Middle School Track and Field Volunteer; Member, Newport Chamber of Commerce; Oregon Coast Cultural Coalition past member.

Transportation: "I look forward to continuing the fight for transportation dollars to improve our county roads."

Solid Support for Seniors: "I will continue to fight to protect the rights of our county's senior citizens, to ensure strong community service programs that will protect their quality of life."

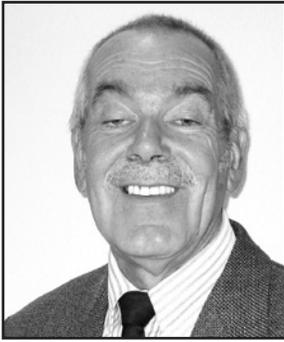
Strong Economy: "Lincoln County needs living wage jobs, now more than ever, and I will continue to work to secure state and federal funds to stimulate jobs."

"I will continue to bring people to the same table, to work together on tough issues, in order to find solutions to Lincoln County's problems."

(This information furnished by Terry N Thompson.)

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

Lincoln County Clerk



Dana W Jenkins Nonpartisan

Occupation: Lincoln County Clerk

Occupational Background: Lincoln County Clerk, 1991-Present; Chief Deputy County Clerk, 1987-1991; Clerk/Elections Deputy, 1982-1987; Lincoln County Clerk's Office, 1982-Present.

Educational Background: Graduated from Toledo High School in 1972. Attended Mt. Hood Community College and Oregon State University.

Prior Governmental Experience: County Clerk, 1991-Present; Deputy County Clerk, 1982-1991

- **DANA JENKINS – A PROVEN PERFORMER:**
Dana Jenkins has worked as your County Clerk to streamline procedures and eliminate unnecessary steps. He has maintained an excellent level of service with reduced staff. He replaced Lincoln County's punchcard voting system with an Optical Scan voting system in 1995. He has designed, produced, and distributed a Local Voters' Pamphlet for military, absentee, and local Lincoln County voters since 1994. He established Official Ballot Drop Sites for vote-by-mail ballots throughout Lincoln County, including convenient drive-up ballot drop boxes. Current projects include on-line (paperless) voter registration and on-line access to recorded deeds and images.
- **DANA JENKINS – EXPERIENCED AND PROFESSIONAL LEADERSHIP:**
In addition to his 32 years of experience in the Clerk's Office, Dana Jenkins is a member of the Oregon Association of County Clerks (OACC) and was President of this association in 2000/2001. He has been certified by the OACC as a "Certified County Clerk (C.C.C.);" since 2002. He has served on the Board of Directors of the Association of Oregon Counties since 2003. He was appointed to the Oregon Centralized Voter Registration (the newly implemented statewide voter registration database) Steering Committee in 2005.

Dana Jenkins has the practical, professional, and technical experience to be a progressive leader for the Clerk's Office.
- **DANA JENKINS – FAST, EFFICIENT, AND FRIENDLY PUBLIC SERVICE:**
Dana Jenkins will continue to make fast, efficient and friendly service to the public his number one priority: **"Whether it's for elections, recording, passports, or marriage licenses, the customer will always be #1".**
- **DANA JENKINS – WORKING FOR YOU:**
RE-ELECT Dana Jenkins and he will continue to be **"YOUR WORKING COUNTY CLERK"**.

(This information furnished by Dana W Jenkins.)

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Lincoln County Soil and Water Conservation District Director, At Large, Position 2



Mark Saelens Nonpartisan

Occupation: Lincoln County Solid Waste Program Manager and Sustainability Coordinator

Occupational Background: As a state and county government employee I worked tirelessly to protect our natural resources

while carefully considering the social and economic needs of communities that rely on those resources. I developed unique approaches to solving environmental issues and I have found effective ways to work with local citizen and business concerns. I was elected in 2010 for a 4-year term on the Board of Directors for the Lincoln Soil and Water Conservation District. During that period I have devoted my time to improving our soil and water quality programs working closely with the board and staff.

In April 2014 I became President of the Oregon Association of Conservation Districts (OACD). In a brief five months I've lead the effort to acquire 10 million dollars to build the partnership between conservation districts and watershed councils and implement local Sage Grouse conservation agreements. Implementation of effective conservation agreements are necessary to avoid the federal Endangered Species Act (ESA) listing for Sage Grouse in Eastern Oregon. I must be reelected to my local soil and water conservation board as membership on a board is a requirement for officers of OACD.

Educational Background: Oregon State University, B.S. Fisheries Science, 1979; Some graduate level coursework; University of Oregon, Sustainability Leadership Program Certification, 2008

Prior Governmental Experience: Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife. Thirty-two years as a Marine Fisheries Biologist (16 years as a federal advisor).

I have 39 years of government service in environmental science, management and policymaking. I worked in the field, supervised projects of 20 people or more, administered biennial budgets of 2.5 million dollars and conducted program design and review. I have served on countless statewide, regional and international committees. With EPA's renewed emphasis to review and overhaul the Clean Water Act and other federal legislation my background and experience is a key advantage for our small county.

(This information furnished by Mark Saelens.)

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City of Depoe Bay Mayor



A J (Jim) Mattila Nonpartisan

Occupation: Mayor

Occupational Background:
marine construction; commercial fishing

Educational Background:
Delake Grade School; Taft H.S.; graduated Roosevelt H.S., Portland

Prior Governmental Experience: National Guard; U.S. Air Force Forward, Depoe Bay!

Two years ago I promised the voters of Depoe Bay to chart a positive course of transparency and progress, to push aside personal agendas and return the town to its citizens.

The result is progress. Depoe Bay is once again an exciting and progressive city whose government is working in the best interests of all citizens – not just a favored few. Here are some of the milestones of my first term:

- We renegotiated a key telecommunication franchise to include fiber optic cable for city hall and other important locations as part of the deal;
- We led the fight against budget uncertainties to secure dredging for Depoe Bay Harbor, which will begin in September;
- We have erected a beautiful new bridge that serves as the gateway to the City Park and nature trails. The multi-purpose bridge will also support emergency and city vehicles, allowing us to protect assets and lives;
- We have laid plans to restore the municipal fish plant as a viable seafood facility and replace aging harbor infrastructure that has been neglected;
- We have made improvements to parks, roads and sewers and have projects underway throughout the city;
- We provided funding for Kids Zone, Chamber of Commerce and Depoe Bay Food Pantry, organizations that provide critical services to our town.
- As mayor, I have reached out to people that can help us: county and state officials and elected representatives at all levels. From the governor's office to Congress, just about everybody knows who "AJ" is.

If I am elected again as your mayor, I pledge to work even harder to keep Depoe Bay on track for the future. Please join me on this exciting journey.

Vote for "AJ" for mayor.

(This information furnished by A J (Jim) Mattila.)

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**City of Depoe Bay
Council Member, Position 5**



**Steve
Sparks**
Nonpartisan

Occupation: Non-profit Board Member, Unpaid; Vice-Chair, Neighbors for Kids, Depoe Bay, OR; Leadership Coach & Mgmt Consultant; Author, Paid; Blogger, Paid.

Occupational Background: Vice Pres. Sales, Transmission (fiber optics) Group, Nortel.

Educational Background: BA in Mgmt, St. Mary's College of Ca., 1989, Moraga, Ca.

Prior Governmental Experience: Univ. of Wa, Telecom Mgr.; Ed Svcs District, Chelan County Wa., Consultant; Chelan County PUD, Wenatchee, Wa., Consultant; Cascade Ed. Foundation, Leavenworth, Wa., Board Member, Elected; Village Art in the Park, Leavenworth, Wa., Pres. & Board Chair, Elected; Friends of the Fish Hatchery, Leavenworth, Wa., Pres. & Board Chair, Elected.

I believe in the empowerment of community building outreach strategies through collaborations and partnerships with local, state, and federal government, public private non-profits, private sector, and volunteers, all critical partners for community growth and vitality. Effective team building and collaborative commitments in Lincoln County have proven to be a successful enterprise, enhancing the quality of life for children and families, especially in education.

As a US Navy veteran from the Vietnam era and a post WWII military child growing up during the 1950's and early 1960's, I am passionate about caring for veterans and families as a commitment to their sacrifice of service to protect our freedoms during all wars past and present. We have an eternal obligation and debt that can never be fully paid back to those who have served America in the military, as a first responder or in a public private partnership role as an employee or volunteer. We can never thank appreciate enough the service of the hundreds of volunteers in Lincoln County who work tirelessly and passionately to make a difference in our community.

As a City of Depoe Bay Councilor, I promise to be fair, objective, and compassionate about community service with the goal of achieving the very best quality of life and economic growth for all citizens for generations to come. It is my duty and heartfelt honor to serve.

(This information furnished by Steve Sparks.)

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**City of Depoe Bay
Council Member, Position 6**



**Jo G
Fisher-Brown**
Nonpartisan

Occupation:
Occupational Background:
Educational Background:
Prior Governmental Experience:

My name is Jo Fisher-Brown, and I am running for Depoe Bay City Council Seat #6.

I was born in Tillamook and grew up in the Pacific Northwest. I graduated from Rainier High School in Rainier, Oregon in 1979, and joined the U.S. Army in August of that year. After my enlistment ended, I spent three years living in the Republic of Panama and nine years living in Ketchikan, AK before returning to Oregon in 1995. I moved to Depoe Bay in 2008, and have enjoyed the sense of community and the wonderful advantages that only small-town coastal living can provide. I am currently employed at Things Rich & Strange in Depoe Bay and Newport, where I interact with both local people and out-of-town visitors on a daily basis. This interaction provides me with a unique viewpoint, which I believe will benefit me, and the city as a whole, as a member of Depoe Bay City Council.

Having lived in several communities with economies based on tourism and local natural resources, I believe that I can provide those I represent in Depoe Bay with an independent outlook from the point of view of the average citizen. My priorities as a member of City Council will be based on positive energy in order to benefit the community as a whole. I support increasing livability, local employment, and helping to promote new business interests, as well as supporting and encouraging existing business with an eye toward a sustainable year-round economy. I also strongly believe in maintaining our natural resources and city infrastructure, so that future generations will be encouraged to consider Depoe Bay as a place to visit, live, and enjoy.

To those who have supported and encouraged me to run for a seat on Depoe Bay City Council, and to those individuals who consider voting for me in November, I offer a heart-felt "Thank You".

(This information furnished by Jo G Fisher-Brown.)

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**City of Lincoln City
Mayor**



**Roger
Sprague**
Nonpartisan

Occupation: Retired
Occupational Background: 40 years in Insurance Business: 15 years in claims adjusting and 25 years as agency owner/operator marketing all lines of insurance.

Educational Background: College of Puget Sound - 3 years; University of Washington - 1 year; Insurance Institute of America - 3 years with degree

Prior Governmental Experience: Lincoln City Council - 4 terms -Current City Councilor; Chair - Urban Renewal Agency; Chair - Goal 5/17 Committee; Lincoln County School Committee; Fire Commissioner; Lincoln City Budget Committee - 16 years

ROGER SPRAGUE - EXPERIENCE

Founding member and treasurer of Angel Anonymous
Past Kiwanis three term Lt. Governor and current Pacific Northwest District Risk Manager

Elks Scholarship Chariman - 15 years

Past Church Moderator, current board member and choir singer

ROGER SPRAGUE - YOUR VOICE OF REASON

As a 35 year resident and business owner in Lincoln City I've seen what works and doesn't work.

I have a vision of a place where people take pride in their community - a community that will become more attractive to visitors.

We need to streamline government processes and make them more transparent and accessible.

I support a strong budgeting process with continued five year projections.

I will work to address ways to preserve and protect our streets and roads and will continue to do what is necessary to assure we have a pure drinking water source.

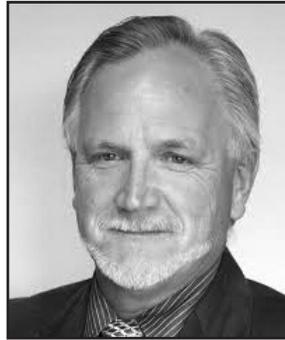
With a new City Manager and three new councilors our council will, more than ever, need experienced leadership.

ELECT ROGER SPRAGUE YOUR MAYOR - YOUR VOICE OF REASON AND EXPERIENCE

(This information furnished by Roger Sprague.)

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**City of Lincoln City
Mayor**



**Don
Williams**
Nonpartisan

Occupation: Owner/operator Nelscott Café, Lincoln City. Subway Sandwich Franchisee; Newport, and WA state.

Occupational Background: Teacher's Aide, Portland Public Schools and Evergreen School

District Special Needs classrooms as one on one aide to children with Autism, Down's syndrome and Cerebral palsy; Medical coordinator, Center for Continuous Improvement (Portland); Vocational Instructor, Portland Habilitation Center (Portland)

Educational Background: Mt. Hood Community College; University of Oregon; Oregon State University

Prior Governmental Experience: Current: Chair of Lincoln City Planning Commission; Member, walking and biking plan committee

"A mayor for all of us" That's what I want to be for the people of Lincoln City.

As a small business owner I know how tough the last years have been. Businesses are failing and not a single plan has been put forward by your city council.

My priorities: Jobs, Businesses, Families, Making city government more accountable to you.

I want a greater focus on public arts with an emphasis on our native American heritage.

We need to help our younger citizens find meaningful work or create small businesses here so they won't leave us for the Valley.

We need to increase support for our Senior citizens and the programs on which they rely.

My governmental experience is new. I've become involved in the city's working because I've grown tired of excuses why things can't get done. I work for a living, just like you. I'm running for mayor because we deserve better. This city and it's people have so much potential. I want to make sure the city government gets out of the way of the people that want to grow this town's economy.

I've served on the Lincoln City Chamber of Commerce board, Buy Local of Lincoln County board and served as President of the Bay Area Merchants Association. I know the people of this town and what they want from their mayor.

I'm asking for your vote to bring some fresh, new ideas to the city. Thank you.

(This information furnished by Don Williams.)

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



**Nathan
Long**
Nonpartisan

Occupation: Transfer Station Operator for North Lincoln Sanitary Service.

Occupational Background: Operations Manager for USA Waste of Oregon, Portland Oregon; Self employed, NRL Construction.

Educational Background: Sandy Union High School; Mount Hood Community College.

Prior Governmental Experience: Planning Commissioner for the City of Lincoln City; President for the Roads End Improvement Association; Commissioner for the Roads End Water District.

I believe the art of listening has been lost. It's not just what's good for the City; it's also what's good for the citizens.

Accountability and fiscal discipline are key to a healthy City. I will demand accountability, and help the City focus more on its citizens.

Tourism is Lincoln City's only industry. The citizens of Lincoln City and tourism can blend together by having accountability, and by having fair decisions made by Council in a timely manner.

It is time for the City to listen to the people, take responsibility, make Staff accountable, and make sure that the tax payer's money is spent with purpose.

(This information furnished by Nathan Long.)

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



**Susan
Wahlke**
Nonpartisan

Occupation: Legal secretary; Secretary/Treasurer of Lincoln City Chamber of Commerce; Treasurer of Business of Excellence in Youth

Occupational Background: Chair, Lincoln City Chamber

Ambassadors; Assistant to Chief of Police, Lincoln City; Assistant to City Attorney, Lincoln City; Planning Department Administrative Assistant, Clatsop County

Educational Background: BA, University of Oregon; Ford Institute Leadership Program

Prior Governmental Experience: Lincoln City Budget Committee (present); Devils Lake Water Improvement District Budget Committee (present); Local School Committee

I am asking for your vote to fill the open position for Lincoln City City Council, Ward 1.

I am employed by a small business, my husband owns a small business, and I have been an active participant in the Lincoln City Chamber of Commerce for several years. I support small businesses and economic development in our community.

I have lived in North Lincoln County for 22 years. I have worked for Lincoln City in the City Attorney's office, the police department, and filmed planning commission and city council meetings for many years.

I am a member of the board of Business for Excellence in Youth, a non-profit that provides services for students in north Lincoln County. I served as secretary for several years, and presently serve as treasurer. My many volunteer efforts were recognized when I was named Woman of the Year for 2013 at the annual Community Days banquet.

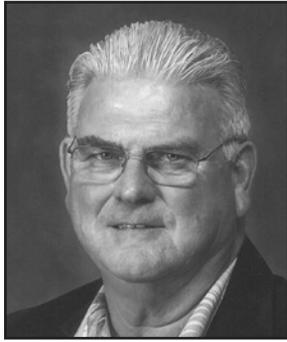
As a long time resident of Lincoln City, I know people with a variety of views on issues currently challenging us. I listen with an open mind to various viewpoints and respect the process of exploring many options for the best solution to the many issues we face (homelessness, workforce housing, lack of living wage jobs, and many others). In our seasonal economy we need to focus on attracting living wage, year round employment.

As a City Council member I will be able to do more to enhance the image of our City and improve livability for all of our citizens.

(This information furnished by Susan Wahlke.)

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



**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

Educational Background: James Lick High - Graduated; IBM Onsite College San Jose, CA - 2 Years; San Jose City College - Apprenticeship Program - 4 Years; Butte Community College - Real Estate - 1 Year

Prior Governmental Experience: Urban Renewal Advisory Board; Lincoln City Building Code Appeals Board; Currently - Lincoln City Planning Commissioner

- 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 BAMA for Numerous Years
- Served as Chair of Community Days For 5 Years
- Served on the Board of Angels Anonymous, Inc. Since It's Inception 15 Years Ago
- Serving the Past Five Years as President of Angels Anonymous, Inc.
- Instrumental in the Production of the Angels Ball and Fantasy of Trees for 15 Years
- Supporter and Contributor to the North Lincoln Hospital Foundation
- Recipient of 2013 Community Lifetime Achievement Award
- I just enjoy working for the Betterment of Our Community

- ENDORSED BY:
- Mike Holden, Former Mayor and Police Chief of Lincoln City
 - Henry Quandt, Current Lincoln City Councilor
 - Roger Robertson, Owner - All Ways Traveling

(This information furnished by Jim Davis.)

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



**D Riley
Hoagland**
Nonpartisan

Occupation: Goodwill: Supervisor

Occupational Background: Chinook Winds Casino Resort: Table Games: Supervisor

Educational Background: Purdue University: Calumet

Prior Governmental Experience: Appointed: Lincoln City Budget Committee, Vice Chairman

I am running for City Council as the next step into becoming more involved in Lincoln City. My four years in the Budget Committee has offered me a window into city politics. I can bring a new perspective to City Council.

(This information furnished by D Riley Hoagland.)

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



**Kip G
Ward**
Nonpartisan

Occupation: Owner Historic Anchor Inn

Occupational Background: CICS Employment Services Inc.

Educational Background: B.S. Economics Western Oregon State

Prior Governmental Experience: Director Devils Lake Water Improvement District

I look forward to serving on the City Council. This is a period of unique opportunity for our community. With a new mayor, Council, City Manager, and VCB Director, we have the chance to try some new directions.

I hope to be able to work with our new council and the community to seek positive change. I'm excited for the challenges ahead.

(This information furnished by Kip G Ward.)

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City of Newport Mayor



**Sandra N
Roumagoux**
Nonpartisan

Occupation: Artist; Art instructor

Occupational Background: 1981-1983, Graduate Faculty, University of Arkansas, Fayetteville; 1985-1986, Adjunct Faculty, art, Linn-Benton Community College, Albany, OR;

1987-1992, Dean of Instruction, Oregon Coast Community College, Newport, OR; 1992-1998, Adjunct Faculty, art, Oregon Coast Community College, Newport, OR; 1995-2002, Instructor, Summer Art Institute, Portland Community College, Portland, OR; 1992-2014, Faculty Art Creative Arts Community at Menucha Portland, OR

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

Prior Governmental Experience: Elected, 2003-2012, Board of Education, Oregon Coast Community College, Chairman, 2004-2006; Elected, 2010-2012, Newport City Councilor; Elected, 2012-2014, Mayor, Newport, OR; Appointed, 2013, Board of Oregon Mayors Assoc.; Appointed, 1990-2012, Ambulance Service Review Committee, Lincoln County.

Newport is on the cusp of exciting times. As mayor I have worked to build and maintain relationships with the Port of Newport, Hatfield Marine Science Center, Oregon Coast Aquarium, Oregon Coast Community College, NOAA and wave energy organizations. I participated in the search for a new city manager that led to the hiring of Spencer Nebel, and I will continue to encourage improvement of the City's infrastructure and support the city manager to keep the city's budget sustainable.

If re-elected, I will continue to work on the dramatic changes taking place in South Beach, including the building of the Oregon Museum of Science and Industry's Coastal Discovery Center, Oregon State University's expanded campus and commercial and residential growth.

I will continue my office hours at City Hall, the first and third Tuesday of each month from 3-5 p.m.

(This information furnished by Sandra N Roumagoux.)

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City of Newport Mayor



**Dean
Sawyer**
Nonpartisan

Occupation: Emergency Management Planner, Siletz Tribe

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

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 Committee

MY GOALS AS MAYOR:

To establish a regional economic development director position to bring jobs and businesses to Lincoln County paid for by all local governments.

- 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 work with the businesses and residents of South Beach to move to increase traffic flow and access to areas including the new OMSI camp.

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

To find grants and other funding sources to establish caches of food, water, and shelters around town in the event of a disaster.

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 four 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.

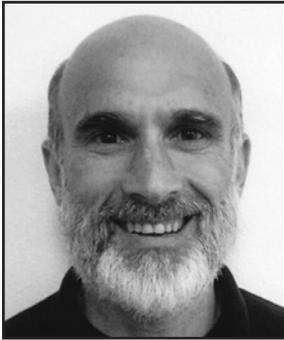
I will not be seeking any endorsements from any special interest groups for my campaign.

Please visit my Facebook page "Elect Dean Sawyer Mayor"

(This information furnished by Dean Sawyer.)

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City of Newport Council Member



**David N
Allen**
Nonpartisan

Occupation: Attorney, private practice

Occupational Background: Attorney, Oregon Department of Justice; Volunteer firefighter

Educational Background: Lewis & Clark Law School, J.D.

(Environmental and Natural Resources Law); University of Puget Sound, B.A. (Biology); Portland Community College, A.A.S. (Fire Science)

Prior Governmental Experience:

Newport City Councilor, 2001-2004; 2011-present: President, Newport City Council; Chair, Newport Audit Committee; Chair, Newport Infrastructure Task Force; Newport Site Selection Team, Pacific Marine Energy Center; Oregon Coastal Zone Management Association; League of Oregon Cities, Legal Advocacy and Energy Policy Committees; Oregon Cascades West Council of Governments, Executive Committee; OSU Coastal Oregon Marine Experiment Station, Advisory Board; BOEM / Oregon Intergovernmental Renewable Energy Task Force

State Ocean Policy Advisory Council (governor appointment), 2005-present:

Vice-Chair and Coastal City Elected representative; Chair, OPAC Territorial Sea Plan Working Group; LCDR Territorial Sea Plan Advisory Committee

Newport Urban Renewal /City Budget Committees, 2005-2010: Chair and citizen member

Other Volunteer Service: Newport Fire Department; Oregon Coast Aquarium; Yaquina Bay Economic Foundation

City stability

The city is now at a more stable point than in past years. In large part, this is due to the current council working well together in helping the city move forward productively in a number of areas. Some examples include using recommendations from the Infrastructure Task Force to keep utility rates in check, an increased focus on planning for infrastructure both near-term and long-term, community outreach and engagement on a wide variety of issues, and a continuing commitment to the Visual Arts Center location in Nye Beach.

Coastal representation

With nearly 10 years of experience as a coastal at-large representative at the state and regional level on ocean, natural resource, and other related issues, I look forward to continue to represent coastal interests on such things as further planning and mapping of our coastal waters so as to make more informed policy choices.

Campaign expenditures

I also support less money in election campaigns and will spend less than the \$750 campaign finance threshold.

Please visit: www.electdavidallen.com

(This information furnished by David N Allen.)

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City of Newport Council Member



**Wendy C
Engler**
Nonpartisan

Occupation: Retired

Occupational Background: Newport Business Owner; Nutritionist: WIC, Lincoln County Extension & Food Share; Zoo-keeper: City of Seattle; Volunteer: Oregon Coast Aquarium; Oregon Coast Council for the Arts

Educational Background: University of Washington: BS – Nutritional Science and Experimental Food

Prior Governmental Experience: Newport Wayfinding Committee – Chair; Nye Beach Design Overlay Work Group; Lincoln County Solid Waste Advisory Committee; Newport Transportation Plan Update Work Group; Newport Futures Committee

I've always been fascinated with the diversity of Newport: its neighborhoods and districts, harbor, lighthouses, beautiful coastline and wildlife.

Since moving here 20 years ago, I've seen many positive changes: NOAA, OCCA, the Rec Center and the PAC, to name a few. Yet we still face tremendous challenges. We are battling to update our infrastructure. Our finances demand on-going attention. We struggle with employment and housing issues. Our natural and cultural resources need stewardship. Your vote for City Councilor will determine the future of our city.

As your City Councilor, these will be my guiding principles:

PLANNING

What will Newport look like in 10 to 20 years? Excellent work has been done on visioning Newport's future. Let's use those studies, listen to citizens and get to work on progressive planning and development that honors our heritage and invigorates our future.

LIVABILITY

Let's balance economic development with livability and a sustainable future. A thriving community with great neighborhoods, sustainable businesses and quality medical care will result when there is access to employment, housing, culture, shopping, recreation and viable transportation options.

EFFICIENCY

Let's strive to make the best use of time and money to help our city be more efficient and effective.

As your City Councilor, I will listen to you, be willing to weigh all sides and work as a team member with other councilors.

I ask for your vote. Thank you!

(This information furnished by Wendy C Engler.)

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City of Newport Council Member



Dennis Reno Nonpartisan

Occupation: Retired

Occupational Background: Inspector/project coordinator Mike Mayes Engineering for 2 years Alaska; City Administrator/Department head Newport Oregon for 8 years; President and CEO

of Mining and Engineering Company 18 years Arizona; Project Engineer Mountain States Mineral Enterprises 5 years Arizona.

Educational Background: Graduated Flowing Wells High School, Tucson Arizona; Completed a five year apprenticeship with Stanley Tools Fortune 500 company, (Pecosteel Precast Division 1972-1977), Tucson Arizona.

Prior Governmental Experience: Nye Beach overlay Committee; Chairman Airport Committee; Governors Task Force on Air Services; Astoria Newport Air Service Consortium ; OAMA Past president

Newport is a unique Coastal city, pleasing to all the senses. I am proud to have resided here for the past twenty years. I appreciate our continually evolving government, effective strong citizen participation and most importantly our City employees.

I am in solid support of the protection and enhancement of our natural local environment while managing a strong economic development of our area.

As a City Councilor, I would continue to focus on the preservation of our area's natural resources and work to find solutions to challenges presented by growth. As our city grows, our top priority must remain quality of life for all. We can achieve that goal through environmental protection, quality education for our youth, respecting diversity, and supporting our local economy.

As a former employee of the City of Newport I brought to the General Fund more Federal and State Grants than any other administrator before or since. I believe more revenue ideas and less taxes is what grows a small community. I am aware of the challenges facing all coastal entrepreneurs. Together we must continue to develop and strengthen our economic base. Revenue generating ideas, aggressive pursuit of Grant resources, collectively supporting our local business and recruiting other businesses is our catalyst to economic development.

I hope you will allow me to serve on your council. I will work hard and passionately to make Newport the quality place where we live.

(This information furnished by Dennis Reno.)

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City of Newport Council Member



Mark Saelens Nonpartisan

Occupation: Lincoln County Solid Waste District Program Manager and Sustainability Coordinator

Occupational Background: As a state and county government employee I worked tirelessly to

protect our natural resources while carefully considering the social and economic needs of communities that rely on those resources. I developed unique approaches to solving environmental issues and I have found effective ways to work with local citizen and business concerns.

I was appointed to the Newport City Council in January of 2013. I felt my strongest qualification for my appointment was my environmental science background and a great deal of experience reviewing, writing and implementing both state and federal policy. With EPA's renewed emphasis to review and overhaul the Clean Water Act and other federal legislation my background and experience continues to be a key advantage for our small city.

Environmental issues are clearly my expertise, but my interest in contributing to and promoting more effective and transparent city management also extends to infrastructure, project management and budget oversight. I am interested in all aspects of providing a clean, safe, economically viable and enjoyable place to live. I am currently the council liaison or serve on the following committees: 1) Audit, 2) Bike and Pedestrian, 3) Business License Review, 4) City Manager Review Process, 5) Parks and Recreation, 6) Pool Construction, 7) Wayfinding and 8) the Visual Arts Center.

Educational Background: Oregon State University, B.S. Fisheries Science, 1979; Some graduate level coursework; University of Oregon, Sustainability Leadership Program Certification, 2008

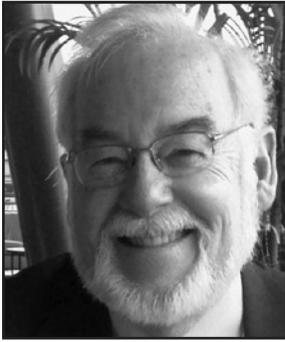
Prior Governmental Experience: Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife. Thirty-two years as a Marine Fisheries Biologist (16 of those years as a federal advisor).

I have 39 years of government service in environmental science, management and policymaking. I worked in the field, supervised projects of 20 people or more, administered biennial budgets of 2.5 million dollars and conducted program design and review. I have served on countless statewide, regional and international committees.

(This information furnished by Mark Saelens.)

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City of Toledo Mayor



Ralph E Grutzmacher Nonpartisan

Occupation: Mayor, City of Toledo

Occupational Background: Legislative Officer, Prince George's (Maryland) County Government; Director, President, Treasurer, Attorney, Prince George's Community FCU

Educational Background: US Naval Academy, BS, 1972; George Washington University, Juris Doctor, 1979

Prior Governmental Experience: Toledo City Councilor; Trustee Supplemental Pension Plan; Associate County Attorney; Case Examiner, BCNR, SECNAV; Naval Officer

Toledo is a wonderful place to live and work, and potentially has an even better future. I believe that my more than 30 years in local government has been of help in moving us forward in the last three years, as local issues can be complicated and we need to make the most of our resources in everything we do.

Since becoming mayor, I have worked on issues including:

- Lobbying local and national railroads to get Toledo's railroad crossings fixed;
- Leading the city council and staff to obtain the least-expensive revenue bonds possible to fund vitally needed water system improvements;
- Going to Salem to lobby state agencies on finishing Hwy 20 improvements and for the Port of Toledo's expansion grant;
- Leading City efforts to make best use of Toledo's industrial property for economic development while protecting our environment;
- Using correspondence and social media to promote Toledo and our events.

I also regularly

- Serve on two advisory committees of the League of Oregon Cities;
- Serve on the Yaquina Bay Economic Foundation;
- Act as building manager for the Flowerree Community Center;
- Now act as a member of the Newport Airport Commission;
- Work in the Lincoln County Food Network, seeking to promote better nutrition for all area residents.

For me, the service and time commitment that I feel are needed to be a good mayor are continuations of my life-long career. I am proud of Toledo, our professional staff and services, and look forward to continuing to help bring expanded opportunities to all of our community.

(This information furnished by Ralph E Grutzmacher.)

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City of Toledo Mayor



Billie Jo Smith Nonpartisan

Occupation: Retired

Occupational Background: Educator and biologist for 37 years (24 in Lincoln County). Classroom teacher in Missouri; Minnesota; Washington D.C.; and in Yachats and Toledo,

Oregon. Developed curriculum and provided professional development for the Minnesota Environmental Sciences Foundation, Minneapolis Public Schools, the Oregon Department of Education, and the Lincoln County School District.

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

Prior Governmental Experience: Lincoln County School District Board of Directors Chair; City of Toledo Budget Committee; Precinct Committee Person, Toledo.

Community Involvement: Georgia Pacific Community Advisory Committee; Lincoln Community Dispute Resolution Board; Lincoln County Democratic Central Committee Chair; Central Coast Stand for Children Chair; Children's Trust of Lincoln County Board.

Billie Jo Smith: Qualified Leadership for the Citizens of Toledo

Knowledgeable: In all of her endeavors, Billie Jo does the background research necessary to thoroughly understand an issue. Her years of experience on the Budget Committee have kept her informed on the financial status of the City.

A Listener: Billie Jo believes that Toledo needs a Mayor who will listen to and value the opinions, questions, and experiences of its citizens, employees, commissions, committees, and City Council members. *The advice of those who will be affected is critical to the understanding and resolution of any issue.*

Gets Results: Billie Jo initiated and successfully lobbied for State legislation that provides small schools funding to Toledo and three other small high schools. Without this funding, Toledo High School would have been closed. *She has the confidence and skills needed to stand up for Toledo.*

Billie Jo taught at Toledo High School from 1994–2000, and her husband, Peter Vince, has been teaching there since 1988. They have lived in Toledo since 2000, and appreciate the history and traditions of this wonderful community. Since her retirement, Billie Jo has been a leader in support of schools, children, and families.

VOTE for Billie Jo Smith – She's Ready to Work for YOU

(This information furnished by Billie Jo Smith.)

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**City of Toledo
Council Member**



**Julie
Rockwell**
Nonpartisan

Occupation: Owner J Rockwell Quilting

Occupational Background: Marketing AT &T Retired: Admin Asst Toledo Chamber of Commerce; Customer Service Fred Meyer

Educational Background: Graduate St Paul High School; East Los Angeles Community College

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

(This information furnished by Julie Rockwell.)

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**City of Toledo
Council Member**



**Jerry
Seth**
Nonpartisan

Occupation: Retired

Occupational Background: Bank Operations Officer; Corporate CEO, CFO, President, Director; Computer System Designer; Computer software system designer; Realtor &

Real Estate Manager; Small Business Owner; Corporate Budget & Financial Statement Analysis; Commercial Construction Superintendent

Educational Background: Newport High School; Linfield College Freshman; American Bankers Association

Prior Governmental Experience: 18 years of government experience. Chief Bank Examiner for the State of Oregon; President Toledo Planning Commission; Toledo Budget Committee

Toledo Needs Jerry Seth

Experienced: Jerry Seth's extensive background in financial management, especially his experience as the Chief Bank Examiner for Oregon, will bring necessary expertise to the City Council. Through his service on the City Budget Committee and his diligent leadership on the Planning Commission, Jerry has already contributed greatly to Toledo's viability.

Knows The Needs Of The City: Jerry has spent many hours working on the City's recently approved Transportation Plan. His knowledge of the City Codes and myriad of long range plans is unique and gives him a perspective that few individuals in city government possess.

Pays Attention To The Details: Jerry reads the fine print. He led the Planning Commission through an extensive analysis of the Transportation Plan which identified and corrected flaws that could have cost the City millions of dollars and seriously disrupted the businesses and properties along Business Hwy 20. He carefully reads and considers the City codes and recognizes wording and revisions that need to be made. These details, which are often overlooked, are vital to the functioning of the City.

Jerry Seth grew up in Lincoln County and graduated from Newport High School. His parents owned the Newport A&W Drive In, which he managed for two years after his father suffered a heart attack. He left the area for 40 years, as he pursued his professional career, but returned after he retired and has lived in Toledo for over 10 years.

There is work to do, and Jerry Seth is up to the task!

(This information furnished by Jerry Seth.)

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**Susan
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-Present; Samaritan Pacific Communities Hospital Board 2010-Present; K.I.D.S. Committee (Treasurer) 2010-2011; So. Lincoln County Tourism Committee 2011-Present

Waldport's beautiful setting is just one of many factors that brought us here twenty years ago. I am very grateful to live here, serving as your mayor, and I'm asking you to reelect me to that position.

Under my leadership, in cooperation with our strong council and excellent staff, we will continue to:

- Provide essential city services through wise planning and spending so that we remain financially sound yet prepared for future needs. Examples: stabilized utility income while lowering most homeowners' bills; paid off some loans early, saving interest costs.
- Seek grant funding whenever possible and cooperate with other public/private partners to maximize opportunities yet minimize costs. Examples: Woodland Trail, new public restroom facility, and new applications for Lint Slough and Bridgeview Trails.
- 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.
- Keep our community clean and attractive while encouraging and planning for sustainable growth.
- 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. As your mayor I will continue to work diligently and cooperatively to make our city even better!

(This information furnished by Susan Woodruff.)

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

City of Waldport Council Member



Dann Cutter Nonpartisan

Occupation: Network Analyst, Oregon State University's Hatfield Marine Science Center since 1996

Occupational Background: IT Computing systems management for HMSC for 18 years, previously Nuclear Electronics Technician, US Navy.

Educational Background: HBS (Finance) Oregon State University; HBS (Env. Science) Oregon State University; BS (Economics) Oregon State University; MBA (in progress) Oregon State University; Masters of Engineering (in progress) Oregon State University; Stanford Fellow (2008).

Prior Governmental Experience: Waldport City Council, since 2007; Council Of Governments Exec. Board member, since 2011; Rural Health Coordinating Council, 2008 to 2012; Waldport Planning Commission, 2000 to 2006; Area Commission on Transportation, since 2007.

Born on the Oregon coast, I have lived and served in Waldport for over 15 years.

In the last decade I have put myself through college and my wife through OCCC's Nursing program, all while working full time for the Marine Science Center. Additionally, as a parent of a young child, I understand the difficulties in raising children on the coast, and the lack of resources, childcare and accessible healthcare for our families.

Representing the younger working families on our Council, I have strived to improve park equipment, prioritize traffic safety, speed control and sidewalks. I support the effort to relocate critical services outside of the tsunami danger area, and the commitment to continue to improve all Waldport schools.

I have supported increased law enforcement levels, and better reporting so we can understand the difficulties our town faces. Additionally, I have worked with the Council of Governments to help bring needed economic development resources to our area.

In short, I serve Waldport to the best of my ability – I hope that you will consider allowing me to continue to do so.

Please consider re-electing me to serve you and our wonderful city. Thank you.

If you have concerns, questions or issues - please e-mail me at: cutterd@casco.net

(This information furnished by Dann Cutter.)

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City of Waldport Council Member



Greg Holland Nonpartisan

Occupation: Retired.

Occupational Background: Licensed California Attorney.

Educational Background: JD Law Degree from University of West Los Angeles Law School, 1991. MS Degree in Political

Science, Pittsburg State University, 1983. BS degree in Political Science, Missouri State University, 1981.

Prior Governmental Experience: Former Waldport Planning Commissioner and Current Waldport City Councilor.

Personal. Married Carlos Lazaro last year after 26 year domestic partnership. Parent of two rescue dogs, Yogi and Maddy.

I have had the privilege of serving as Waldport City Councilor for the past 5 years. I again ask for your support for another term.

I wish to serve to insure that the Open Space Project (the former HS grounds) is transferred to the city. I am a strong advocate for the construction of softball fields, which will allow softball tournaments to be brought to Waldport, a real economic boost for the city. All these participants will need a place to stay, eat and play. I also volunteered to lead the effort for a portion of the future park is set aside for resident gardens. These small patches would give flower and vegetable beds to residents who reside in housing without gardening space.

I am concerned about the growth of graffiti in Waldport. This scourge can be extremely detrimental to a city. I have taken the lead, calling for a permanent reward program to those who provide information leading to the arrest and conviction of those responsible. I want to toughen the punishments for those found guilty, including mandatory community service doing unpopular tasks, full restitution and fines. We need a tough stance to keep youth from reoffending. If it continues, I will help form an anti graffiti group.

I will continue my progressive voice, such as strongly supporting the voter approved medical marijuana dispensaries. We cannot keep this true medication from cancer patients, MS sufferers, or those, like me, who suffer from endless chronic pain.

I welcome your ideas. Please email me:

gregholland97394@gmail.com

(This information furnished by Greg Holland.)

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**City of Yachats
Council Member**



**Barbara E
Frye**
Nonpartisan

Occupation: Retired Registered Nurse; Yachats City Councilor; CASA Volunteer; Member - Lincoln Community Health Council; Member - Central Oregon Coast Rural Health Network Screening Committee

Occupational Background: Registered Nurse, Nurse Manager OHSU and Harbor View Medical Center/UWMC; Director of Labor Program for Washington State Nurses Association

Educational Background: Portland Community College - ADN -RN; Southern Oregon State College - BSN Program; Portland State University - Pre-Nursing

Prior Governmental Experience: • Yachats City Council - Appointed Nov 2013; Member - Lincoln Co. Community Health Council; Yachats Parks and Commons Commission - 2012-2013

I am a Registered Nurse and understand what accountability, responsibility and compassion are. I know how to listen, ask questions, assess a situation and develop a plan. I know how important it is to have measurable goals and to evaluate progress and outcomes.

I have over 35 years experience working with volunteers; elected Boards; City, County and State agencies; members and community stakeholders.

I serve on the Lincoln County Community Health Council in order to play an active role in health care in Lincoln County and represent the interests of Yachats. Mayor Brean and I have spent the last year working with a network of Central Oregon Coast providers to identify health access needs and potential options, and to obtain grant monies that could eventually fund an innovative and effective method of meeting basic health care needs in our communities. This has great potential, but much work needs to be done to make it a reality.

Issues that affect the entire community such as, vacation rental policies, the proposed "101 sidewalk" project, future water resources, infrastructure, and fiscal realities, are just a few of the challenges that face the Council that I would like to continue working on.

I pledge to listen with an open mind and serve you with honesty and integrity.

I ask for your vote. Thank you.

(This information furnished by Barbara E Frye.)

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**City of Yachats
Council Member**



**Greg
Scott**
Nonpartisan

Occupation: Retired

Occupational Background: Deputy Financial Services Manager, City of Corvallis; Information Services Manager; College of Business Oregon State University; Comptroller MS Systems Inc.

Educational Background: Oregon State University, BS in Business-accounting

Prior Governmental Experience: Yachats City Council; Planning Commission; Budget Committee; Capital Improvement Program Committee; Trails Committee; Urban Renewal Committee; volunteer database project manager for the city of Yachats

Reflecting on community issues of the past couple of years and the divergent desires of Yachats constituent groups, it is clear that what is needed is leadership with a sense of balance. In many instances balance means seeking middle ground between the desires of a residential community and the economic needs of local businesses. I am committed to seeking the balance that is in the best interests of the entire village.

If I am reelected I am committed to continue focusing on the public process of governance that includes input from all constituent communities. Decisions will be guided by documents like the Yachats comprehensive plan, master plans for utility services (water, sewer, and drainage) and other public documents approved by previous councils. My bias will continue to be to act based on observable and measurable data as much as possible.

My personal objectives for the next four years will continue to focus on the Yachats database which will include the property inventory for public works services; an upgrade of the city's main web site; a new service request system that tracks where city services are needed, how long it takes to complete requests and an assessment of citizen satisfaction. The search area for the city's document library needs to be updated and simplified and we need to have the ability to store historical images and other records from the Log Church museum. These projects are designed to improve communications, provide data for decision making, and measure the effectiveness of city service delivery.

(This information furnished by Greg Scott.)

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<p>Instructions To Voter Use A Pencil or Pen (Blue or Black Ink)</p> <p>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>Attention! 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>State</p> <p>State Representative, 9th District Vote For One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Caddy McKeown Democrat</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Guy S Rosinbaum Libertarian</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Casey Runyan Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in</p> <p>State Representative, 10th District Vote For One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> David Gomberg Democrat, Independent, Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in</p>	<p>City of Depoe Bay</p> <p>Mayor Two Year Term Vote For One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> A J (Jim) Mattila</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in</p> <p>Council Member, Position 4 Four Year Term Vote For One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Jerome Grant</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in</p>	<p>City of Newport</p> <p>Mayor Two Year Term Vote For One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Sandra N Roumagoux</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Dean Sawyer</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in</p> <p>Council Members Four Year Terms Vote For Three</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Dennis Reno</p> <p><input type="radio"/> David N Allen</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Dick Beemer</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Mark Saelens</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Wendy C Engler</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in</p>	<p>City of Toledo</p> <p>Mayor Two Year Term Vote For One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Ralph E Grutzmacher</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Billie Jo Smith</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in</p> <p>Council Members Four Year Terms Vote For Three</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Julie Rockwell</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Michele Johnson</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Terri L Strom</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Jerry Seth</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in</p>
<p>National</p> <p>US Senator Vote For One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Mike Montchalain Libertarian</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Jeff Merkley Democrat, Independent, Working Families</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Christina Jean Lugo Pacific Green</p> <p><input type="radio"/> James E Leuenberger Constitution</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Monica Wehby Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in</p>	<p>Nonpartisan State</p> <p>District Attorney, Lincoln County Vote For One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Michelle Branam</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in</p> <p>Nonpartisan County</p> <p>Lincoln County Commissioner, Position 3 Four Year Term Vote For One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Terry N Thompson</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Dick Anderson</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in</p> <p>Lincoln County Clerk Four Year Term Vote For One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Dana W Jenkins</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in</p>	<p>Council Member, Position 5 Four Year Term Vote For One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Steve Sparks</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in</p> <p>Council Member, Position 6 Four Year Term Vote For One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Jo G Fisher-Brown</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in</p> <p>City of Lincoln City</p> <p>Mayor Four Year Term Vote For One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Roger Sprague</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Don Williams</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in</p> <p>Council Member, Ward I Four Year Term Vote For One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Nathan Long</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Susan Wahle</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in</p> <p>Council Member, Ward II Four Year Term Vote For One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Jim Davis</p> <p><input type="radio"/> D Riley Hoagland</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in</p> <p>Council Member, Ward III Four Year Term Vote For One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Kip G Ward</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in</p>	<p>City of Siletz</p> <p>Mayor Two Year Term Vote For One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> John S Robinson</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Ron Hervey</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Gail F Johnson</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in</p> <p>Council Member, Position 1 Four Year Term Vote For One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Jeff Clark</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in</p> <p>Council Member, Position 4 Four Year Term Vote For One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Dave Button</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in</p>	<p>City of Waldport</p> <p>Mayor Two Year Term Vote For One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Susan Woodruff</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in</p> <p>Council Members Four Year Terms Vote For Three</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Jack Christenson</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Dann Cutter</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Greg Holland</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in</p>
<p>US Representative, 5th District Vote For One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Raymond Baldwin Constitution</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Daniel K Souza Libertarian</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Kurt Schrader Democrat</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Tootie Smith Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Marvin Sannes Independent</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in</p>	<p>State</p> <p>Governor Vote For One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Dennis Richardson Republican, Independent</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Chris Henry Progressive</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Aaron Auer Constitution</p> <p><input type="radio"/> John Kitzhaber Democrat, Working Families</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Paul Grad Libertarian</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Jason Levin Pacific Green</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in</p>			
			<p>WARNING 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>City of Yachats</p> <p>Mayor Two Year Term Vote For One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Ronald L Breen</p> <p>Write-in</p>	<p>State Measures</p> <p>See Full Text of Measures on Separate Sheet</p> <p>Referred to the People by the Legislative Assembly</p> <p>86 Amends Constitution: Requires creation of fund for Oregonians pursuing post-secondary education, authorizes state indebtedness to finance fund</p> <p>Result of "yes" vote: "Yes" vote amends constitution and requires legislature to establish fund for Oregonians pursuing post-secondary education, career training; authorizes state to incur debt to finance fund.</p> <p>Result of "no" vote: "No" vote rejects authorization for state to extend credit and incur debt to create dedicated fund for Oregon students pursuing post-secondary education and career training.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p>State Measures</p> <p>Proposed by Initiative Petition</p> <p>90 Changes general election nomination processes; provides for single primary ballot listing candidates; top two advance</p> <p>Result of "yes" vote: "Yes" vote replaces general election nomination processes for most partisan offices; all candidates listed on one single primary ballot; two advance to general election ballot.</p> <p>Result of "no" vote: "No" vote retains current general election nomination processes, including party primaries for major parties; separate primary ballots; multiple candidates can appear on general election ballot.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>		
<p>Council Members Four Year Terms Vote For Two</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Greg Scott</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Barbara E Frye</p> <p>Write-in</p> <p>Write-in</p>	<p>Referred to the People by the Legislative Assembly</p> <p>87 Amends Constitution: Permits employment of state judges by National Guard (military service) and state public universities (teaching)</p> <p>Result of "yes" vote: "Yes" vote amends constitution to permit state judges to be employed by Oregon National Guard for military service purposes, state public universities for teaching purposes.</p> <p>Result of "no" vote: "No" vote retains existing constitutional restrictions on employment of Oregon state court judges by the Oregon National Guard and by the state public university system.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p>Proposed by Initiative Petition</p> <p>91 Allows possession, manufacture, sale of marijuana by/to adults, subject to state licensing, regulation, taxation</p> <p>Result of "yes" vote: "Yes" vote allows possession, authorizes in-state manufacture, processing, sale of marijuana by/to adults; licensing, regulation, taxation by state; retains current medical marijuana laws.</p> <p>Result of "no" vote: "No" vote retains laws classifying cannabis as a controlled substance; prohibiting most sale, possession, manufacture of cannabis; permitting production, possession of cannabis for medical use.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>		
<p>Lincoln County Soil and Water Conservation District</p> <p>Director, Zone 1 Four Year Term Vote For One</p> <p>No Candidate Filed</p> <p>Write-in</p>	<p>Referendum Order by Petition of the People</p> <p>88 Provides Oregon resident "driver card" without requiring proof of legal presence in the United States</p> <p>Result of "yes" vote: "Yes" vote directs Department of Transportation to issue "driver card" to Oregon resident meeting specified eligibility, without requiring proof of legal presence in United States.</p> <p>Result of "no" vote: "No" vote rejects law directing Department of Transportation to issue "driver card" to eligible Oregon resident without requiring proof of legal presence in United States.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p>Proposed by Initiative Petition</p> <p>92 Requires food manufacturers, retailers to label "genetically engineered" foods as such; state, citizens may enforce</p> <p>Result of "yes" vote: "Yes" vote requires the labeling of raw and packaged foods produced entirely or partially by "genetic engineering," effective January 2016; applies to retailers, suppliers, manufacturers.</p> <p>Result of "no" vote: "No" vote retains existing law, which does not require "genetically engineered" food to be labeled as such.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>		
<p>Director, Zone 2 Four Year Term Vote For One</p> <p>No Candidate Filed</p> <p>Write-in</p> <p>Director, At Large (2) Four Year Term Vote For One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Mark Saelens</p> <p>Write-in</p>	<p>Proposed by Initiative Petition</p> <p>89 Amends Constitution: State/political subdivision shall not deny or abridge equality of rights on account of sex</p> <p>Result of "yes" vote: "Yes" vote amends state constitution, prohibits state and any political subdivision from denying or abridging equality of rights under the law on account of sex.</p> <p>Result of "no" vote: "No" vote retains current prohibition on laws granting/denying privileges or immunities on account of sex, unless justified by specific biological differences between men/women.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p>Lincoln County Library District</p> <p>21-156 Local Option Tax For Library Services</p> <p>Question: Shall Library District renew levy of 9¢ per \$1,000 assessed value for five years, beginning 2015-2016, to fund your library?</p> <p>This measure renews current local option taxes.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>		
<p>Central Lincoln People's Utility District</p> <p>Director - Subdivision 1 Four Year Term Vote For One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Ron Benfield</p> <p>Write-in</p> <p>Director - Subdivision 2 Four Year Term Vote For One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Larkin Kaiher</p> <p>Write-in</p>				

STATE MEASURES

Referred to the People by the Legislative Assembly

86 Amends Constitution: Requires creation of fund for Oregonians pursuing post-secondary education, authorizes state indebtedness to finance fund

Result of “yes” vote: “Yes” vote amends constitution and requires legislature to establish fund for Oregonians pursuing post-secondary education, career training; authorizes state to incur debt to finance fund.

Result of “no” vote: “No” vote rejects authorization for state to extend credit and incur debt to create dedicated fund for Oregon students pursuing post-secondary education and career training.

Summary: Amends Constitution. Oregon constitution generally prohibits the state from extending credit or incurring debt. Measure requires the legislature to create dedicated fund for exclusive benefit of Oregon students pursuing post-secondary education, including technical, professional and career training. Measure authorizes state to lend credit and incur debt to finance fund. Indebtedness incurred may not exceed one percent of real market value of all property in state. Moneys in fund not subject to constitutional limitations on investment. Generated earnings must be retained by fund, unless used to provide financial assistance to Oregon students pursuing post-secondary education. If governor declares an emergency, legislature may pass a bill to use the fund’s money for any lawful purpose, provided the legislature also has approved a plan to repay the fund.

Estimate of financial impact: There is no financial effect on either state or local government expenditures or revenues.

Referred to the People by the Legislative Assembly

87 Amends Constitution: Permits employment of state judges by National Guard (military service) and state public universities (teaching)

Result of “yes” vote: “Yes” vote amends constitution to permit state

judges to be employed by Oregon National Guard for military service purposes, state public universities for teaching purposes.

Result of “no” vote: “No” vote retains existing constitutional restrictions on employment of Oregon state court judges by the Oregon National Guard and by the state public university system.

Summary: Article III, section 1, of Oregon Constitution (“separation of powers” clause) prohibits person from serving in more than one branch of government at the same time; Oregon Supreme Court has ruled that provision prohibits state court judges from teaching at institutions of public education. Article II, section 10, prohibits state court judges from being compensated for military service in National Guard. Measure amends constitution to authorize any public university as defined by law to employ state court judges for purpose of teaching at Oregon public universities. Measure also authorizes employment of state court judges by Oregon National Guard for purpose of military service. Measure provides that such educational or military employment shall not preclude person from serving as state judge at same time. Other provisions.

Estimate of financial impact: There is no financial effect on either state or local government expenditures or revenues.

Referendum Order by Petition of the People

88 Provides Oregon resident “driver card” without requiring proof of legal presence in the United States

Result of “yes” vote: “Yes” vote directs Department of Transportation to issue “driver card” to Oregon resident meeting specified eligibility, without requiring proof of legal presence in United States.

Result of “no” vote: “No” vote rejects law directing Department of Transportation to issue “driver card” to eligible Oregon resident without requiring proof of legal presence in United States.

Summary: Current law requires any applicant for an Oregon driver license or permit to provide proof of legal presence in the United States. Measure

directs the Department of Transportation to issue a “driver card” to an applicant who does not provide proof of legal presence in the United States, but who has otherwise complied with all Oregon requirements for the type of driving privileges sought, has provided proof of residence in Oregon for more than one year, and has provided proof of identity and date of birth. The driver card may not be used as identification for air travel, to enter a federal building, to register to vote or to obtain any government benefit requiring proof of citizenship or lawful presence in United States. Other provisions.

Estimate of financial impact: This measure will require the

Oregon Department of Transportation (ODOT) to issue an Oregon Driver Card to an applicant without requiring the applicant to provide proof of legal presence in the United States, if that individual complies with all the requirements for the driving privileges to be sought; provides proof of identity and date of birth; (3) provides proof of residing in Oregon in excess of one year as of the date of the application; (4) provides a Social Security number (SSN) assigned to that individual by the United States Social Security Administration (SSA) or provides a written statement that the individual has not been assigned a SSN; and (5) pays any fees associated with the type of driver card being sought. The cost to provide these cards is estimated at \$2,794,802 in the 2013-15 biennium and \$2,677,144 in the 2015-17 biennium, but revenues are expected to be sufficient to offset these costs to ODOT. The revenue in excess of the costs will be deposited within the State Highway Fund.

The referendum establishes the following fees: (1) \$64 for issuance of a Class C driver card; (2) \$5 for the knowledge test for a Class C driver card; (3) \$9 for the skills test for a Class C driver card; (4) \$64 for issuance of a restricted Class C driver card; (5) \$44 for renewal of a Class C driver card; (6) \$30 for replacement of a Class C driver card; (7) \$6 for the Student Driver Training Fund; (8) \$75 for reinstatement of revoked driving privilege; (9) \$75 for reinstatement of suspended driving privileges; and (10) fee for reinstatement

of the right to apply for driving privileges after a delay under ORS 809.280 (10) (1997 Edition), which is the same as the fee for reinstatement of suspended driving privileges.

The referendum provides that the fees charged for an Oregon Driver Card would be used for administrative purposes and distributed to the Highway Fund in the same manner as fees charged for an Oregon Driver License. It is anticipated that this measure will generate \$3,510,437 of revenue in 2013-15 and \$4,333,562 in 2015-17.

There are no anticipated effects on local government.

Proposed by Initiative Petition

89 Amends Constitution: State/political subdivision shall not deny or abridge equality of rights on account of sex

Result of “yes” vote: “Yes” vote amends state constitution, prohibits state and any political subdivision from denying or abridging equality of rights under the law on account of sex.

Result of “no” vote: “No” vote retains current prohibition on laws granting/denying privileges or immunities on account of sex, unless justified by specific biological differences between men/women.

Summary: Under Article I, section 20, of the Oregon Constitution, laws granting privileges or immunities must apply equally to all persons. The Oregon Supreme Court has held that that provision prohibits laws treating people differently based on sex unless justified by specific biological differences. No current provision in constitution expressly states that prohibition. Measure amends Article I by creating new section 46, which provides that equality of rights under the law shall not be denied or abridged by the state or any political subdivision on account of sex. Measure authorizes legislature to enforce that provision by appropriate legislation. Measure provides that nothing in section 46 “shall diminish a right otherwise available to persons under section 20 of this Article or any other provision of this Constitution.”

Estimate of financial impact: There is no financial effect on either state or local government expenditures or revenues.

Proposed by Initiative Petition

90 Changes general election nomination processes: provides for single primary ballot listing candidates; top two advance

Result of “yes” vote: “Yes” vote replaces general election nomination processes for most partisan offices; all candidates listed on one single primary ballot; two advance to general election ballot.

Result of “no” vote: “No” vote retains current general election nomination processes, including party primaries for major parties; separate primary ballots; multiple candidates can appear on general election ballot.

Summary: Currently, each major party has a separate primary election ballot. Major party’s registered voters nominate party’s candidates; others’ primary ballots include only nonpartisan candidates; all vote for one candidate per office. General election ballot may include multiple candidates per office: unaffiliated, major, minor party candidates. Measure replaces that system for most partisan offices, including many federal (not Presidential), all state, county, city, district offices. Single primary ballot lists all candidates for each office. Voters may vote for any candidate, regardless of voter’s or candidate’s party affiliation. Only top two candidates per office appear on general election ballot; may be from same party. Primary, general election ballots must contain candidates’ party registration/endorsements. Eligible person, regardless of party, may be selected to fill vacancy. Other provisions.

Estimate of financial impact: This measure changes statutes relating to primary elections. Except for the office of President, it requires that the two candidates receiving the highest number of votes advance to the general election regardless of party affiliation. The measure provides criteria for listing candidates on ballots. It establishes procedures for filling vacant Congressional offices through special elections and allows appointment to vacant state offices regardless of party affiliation. The initiative contains statutory criteria for establishing minority parties and retaining their status. It requires the Legislature to pass implementing statutes.

The Secretary of State Elections Division estimates start-up costs of \$362,640 to modify computer systems. The most likely funding source would be revenues from the General Fund.

Because of the estimated mix of costs and savings, the financial impact to counties is indeterminate.

Proposed by Initiative Petition

91 Allows possession, manufacture, sale of marijuana by/to adults, subject to state licensing, regulation, taxation

Result of “yes” vote:

“Yes” vote allows possession, authorizes in-state manufacture, processing, sale of marijuana by/to adults; licensing, regulation, taxation by state; retains current medical marijuana laws.

Result of “no” vote: “No” vote retains laws classifying cannabis as a controlled substance; prohibiting most sale, possession, manufacture of cannabis; permitting production, possession of cannabis for medical use.

Summary: Currently, cultivation, possession, delivery, sale of marijuana are unlawful, excepting regulated production, possession, use of medical marijuana. Measure allows production, processing, delivery, possession, sale of marijuana to adults, licensed, regulated by Oregon Liquor Control Commission (OLCC). Marijuana producer, processor, wholesaler may deliver “marijuana items” (defined) only to/on licensed retail premises. OLCC collects tax imposed on marijuana producer at different rates for marijuana flowers, leaves, immature plant. “Homegrown marijuana” (defined) not regulated, taxed. Tax revenues, fees fund OLCC suspense account, Oregon Marijuana Account distributed: 40% to Common School Fund; 20% for mental health/alcohol/drug services; 15% for state police; 20% for local law enforcement; 5% to Oregon Health Authority. “Marijuana paraphernalia” (defined) excluded from “drug paraphernalia” laws. Other provisions.

Estimate of financial impact: This measure legalizes, regulates and taxes the manufacture, sale and use of marijuana in Oregon. State and local expenditures and revenues

will be impacted by passage of this measure.

The measure requires the Oregon Liquor Control Commission (OLCC) to license and regulate the distribution of marijuana. The revenue estimate from taxes when fully implemented may range from \$17 million to \$40 million annually.

The OLCC estimates that the start-up costs are about \$300,000 in state fiscal year 2015, about \$2.5 million in state fiscal year 2016, and \$1.0 million in 2017. OLCC annual operating expenses are estimated to be \$3.2 million per year. New revenues are expected to be sufficient to offset these costs.

The remaining revenue beyond expenses would be distributed as follows: 40% to the Common School Fund, 20% to the Mental Health Alcoholism and Drug Services Account, 15% to the State Police Account, 10% to cities for law enforcement, 10% to counties for law enforcement, and 5% to the Oregon Health Authority for alcohol and drug abuse prevention, early intervention and treatment services.

The Oregon Health Authority estimates \$200,000 per year in additional expenditures for two positions to license marijuana facilities that test marijuana products. This estimate assumes 20 such facilities. New revenues are expected to be sufficient to offset these costs.

The Oregon Department of Agriculture estimates \$100,000 per year in additional expenditures for one position to provide rulemaking related to marijuana-infused food products, engage in outreach to the food industry, and assist members of the food industry to achieve compliance with rules. New revenues are expected to be sufficient to offset these costs.

Oregon State Police estimates that passage of the initiative would create a need for three additional Highway Interdiction Team detectives as well as training of all sworn members in Advanced Roadside Impairment Driving Enforcement and training of some members to join the existing pool of Drug Recognition Experts. The associated start-up costs for additional staffing and training are estimated at \$400,000 in state fiscal

year 2016 and ongoing expenses of \$400,000 per year beginning in fiscal year 2016. New revenues are expected to be sufficient to offset these costs.

The Oregon Judicial Department expects additional court costs to address OLCC rulemaking and licensing authority of between \$21,417 and \$55,902 in the 2015-17 biennium and between \$13,068 and \$47,190 per year in later biennia.

Passage of the initiative may result in the reduction in the number of persons entering the public safety system for marijuana-related violations, thereby reducing state General Fund expenditures on community corrections. Passage of the initiative may result in a reduction in the dollar value of fines collected by state and local governments for convictions of marijuana-related violations. Therefore, the impact for state and local governments, district attorneys, and the courts is indeterminate.

New jobs created will generate an indeterminate amount of income tax revenue.

Proposed by Initiative Petition

92 Requires food manufacturers, retailers to label “genetically engineered” foods as such; state, citizens may enforce

Result of “yes” vote: “Yes” vote requires the labeling of raw and packaged foods produced entirely or partially by “genetic engineering,” effective January 2016; applies to retailers, suppliers, manufacturers.

Result of “no” vote: “No” vote retains existing law, which does not require “genetically engineered” food to be labeled as such.

Summary: Current law does not require labeling of “genetically engineered” food. Measure requires retailers of genetically-engineered raw food to include “Genetically Engineered” on packages, display bins, or shelves; suppliers must label shipping containers. Requires manufacturers of packaged food produced entirely or partially by genetic engineering to include “Produced with Genetic Engineering” or “Partially Produced with Genetic Engineering” on packages. Defines “genetically engineered” food as food produced

from organisms with genetic material changed through in vitro nucleic acid techniques and certain cell-fusing techniques; exempts traditional plant-breeding techniques like hybridization. Does not apply to animal feed or food served in restaurants. Directs agencies to implement law. Permits state, injured citizen to sue manufacturer, retailer for knowing/intentional violation; attorney fees for prevailing citizen. Other provisions.

Estimate of financial impact: The measure requires the State Department of Agriculture and/or the Oregon Health Authority to prescribe, enact, and enforce rules necessary to ensure that food manufacturers and retailers properly label raw and packaged food that is entirely or partially produced with genetic engineering. The measure is expected to result in direct expenditures by State agencies for initial one time start-up costs estimated at between \$550,000 and \$600,000. Costs associated with ongoing enforcement have variable assumptions about the level of administrative oversight. There are potential indirect economic effects that may be offsetting. Therefore, the direct financial impact and indirect economic impact is indeterminate.

There is no anticipated effect on local government.

COUNTY MEASURES

LINCOLN COUNTY LIBRARY DISTRICT

21-156 Local Option Tax For Library Services

Question: Shall Library District renew levy of 9¢ per \$1,000 assessed value for five years, beginning 2015-2016, to fund your library?

This measure renews current local option taxes.

Summary: This measure will renew the expiring local option tax. Approval of this measure continues providing funding at its present level for the Lincoln County Library District and the funding it provides to libraries in Lincoln City, Newport, Siletz, Toledo and Waldport.

It is estimated that this measure would raise approximately \$326,281 in tax revenues for 2015-2016, \$332,807 in tax revenues for 2016-2017, \$339,463 in tax revenues for 2017-2018, \$346,252 in tax revenues for 2018-2019, and \$353,177 in tax revenues for 2019-2020. 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.



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8 pm, November 4, 2014

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