

Sample Ballot - Recall Election - Lincoln County, Oregon - September 11, 2018

Instructions to Voter
Use a Pen (blue or black ink)

To ensure your vote counts, completely fill in the oval ● to the left of the response of your choice.

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 assistance.

City of Toledo

21-PR2018-01 Recall of Billie Jo Smith, City of Toledo Mayor

Reason for Demanding Recall as Provided on Recall Petition: Questionable personnel practices. Mayor Smith forced the termination of Municipal Judge Parsons and supported and participated in the hiring of Interim City Manager Craig Martin without disclosing his forced retirement from the City of Sweet Home to other City Councilors or the public. Illegally participated in the termination of Fire Chief Ewing.

Ethics Law violation. Routinely conducts City business in illegal and serial meetings with other Councilors.

Fiscally irresponsible. Mayor Smith has obligated the City to spend vital reserve funds to subsidize a new pool district after working to create it and to purchase and renovate an unsuitable bank building squandering reserve funds needed for public safety, vital public works facilities, and planned building improvements, putting the community's safety and financial security in jeopardy.

Failure to investigate the background and employment history of City Manager Martin and to properly supervise his unprofessional personnel practices exposing the City to civil lawsuits and liability for wrongful terminations and jeopardizing harmonious working relations with City Staff.

Incompetent evaluation and recommendation of a deeply flawed annual budget. Failed to recognize numerous errors in the proposed budget as presented by City Manager Martin and publicly insulted citizens who pointed out problems.

Statement of Justification as Provided by Billie Jo Smith: The actual goal of this recall is to replace three members of the City Council with supporters of three former city employees who want our City Manager fired. Formal investigations concluded that he is performing his duties correctly, and that the behavior and practices of the complaining employees were unacceptable.

What the petition claims as facts are untrue. All other claims are misrepresentations and only opinions.

Billie Jo Smith is serving her second term as Mayor of Toledo, and is running again in the November 2018 election. She and her husband, Peter Vince, were teachers at Toledo High School, and she served on the School Board for four years.

She values the history and traditions of Toledo, and WANTS TOLEDO TO CONTINUE MOVING FORWARD, NOT BACKWARD. Her leadership was crucial in preventing the closure of Toledo High School, the loss of the swimming pool, and the spraying of herbicides next to the City's Mill Creek water source.

As Mayor, she serves with integrity, listens to the ideas and concerns of citizens, does her homework on every issue, and has the courage to stand up for and act on what she knows is right for Toledo.

VOTE NO on the recall.

Do you vote to recall Billie Jo Smith from the office of City of Toledo Mayor?

- Yes, I Vote For the Recall
- No, I Vote Against the Recall

City of Toledo

21-PR2018-02 Recall of Terri Strom, City of Toledo City Councilor

Reason for Demanding Recall as Provided on Recall Petition: Ethics Law violation. Conspires and cooperates with Mayor Smith to routinely conduct City business in illegal closed and serial meetings with other Councilors.

Fiscally irresponsible. Supported Mayor Smith to obligate the City to spend vital reserve funds to subsidize a new pool district after working to create it and purchase and renovate an unsuitable bank building squandering reserve funds needed for public safety, public works facilities, and planned building improvements, putting the community's safety and financial security in jeopardy.

Failure to investigate the background and employment history of City Manager Craig Martin and to properly supervise his unprofessional personnel practices exposing the City to civil lawsuits and liability for wrongful terminations and jeopardizing harmonious working relations with City Staff.

Incompetent evaluation and recommendation of a deeply flawed annual budget. Failed to recognize numerous errors in the proposed budget as presented by City Manager Martin and public insulted the intelligence of citizens who pointed out problems.

Statement of Justification as Provided by Terri Strom: Terri L. Strom, Toledo City Council President, is serving her 6th year as a member of the Toledo City Council. She is running again in the November 2018 election.

Terri was born and raised in Toledo and has deep roots here. She is Toledo's ultimate volunteer, serving as a leader and doing the hard work that makes our community events, decorations, and organizations successful. She keeps the Toledo Downtown Association alive and active, while also serving as a longtime Board member of the Toledo Chamber of Commerce. Terri manages the family business, Toledo Ace Hardware, which has contributed thousands of dollars in support of the Toledo Summer Festival and other city events. She has served on the City's Planning Commission, Park and Recreation Board, Toledo Advisory Board, and other City committees.

Terri is proud to be involved in the progress the City is making and wants to continue moving forward. Her proven leadership skills, honesty, integrity and strong commitment to this entire community make her an outstanding member of the Toledo City Council. She bases her Council decisions on facts, listens to all concerns, and stands up for what she knows is right.

VOTE NO on the recall

Do you vote to recall Terri Strom from the office of City of Toledo City Councilor?

- Yes, I Vote For the Recall
- No, I Vote Against the Recall

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)

City of Toledo

21-PR2018-03 Recall of Deanne Dunlap, City of Toledo City Councilor

Reason for Demanding Recall as Provided on Recall Petition: Ethics Law violation. Allows Mayor Smith to routinely conduct City business in illegal closed and serial meetings with other Councilors.

Fiscally irresponsible. Supported Mayor Smith to obligate the City to spend vital reserve funds to subsidize a new pool district after working to create it and purchase and renovate an unsuitable bank building squandering reserve funds needed for public safety, public works facilities, and planned building improvements, putting the community's safety and financial security in jeopardy.

Failure to investigate the background and employment history of City Manager Craig Martin and to properly supervise his unprofessional personnel practices exposing the City to civil lawsuits and liability for wrongful terminations and jeopardizing harmonious working relations with City staff.

Incompetent evaluation, and recommendation of a deeply flawed annual budget. Failed to recognize numerous errors in the proposed budget as presented by City Manager Martin.

Statement of Justification as Provided by Deanne Dunlap: Deanne Dunlap did not provide a Statement of Justification

Do you vote to recall Deanne Dunlap from the office of City of Toledo City Councilor?

- Yes, I Vote For the Recall
- No, I Vote Against the Recall

This ballot must be RETURNED BY September 11, 2018 to be counted

Ballot Drop Off Locations
 For this election only

TOLEDO CITY HALL
 206 N Main; Toledo
 8am to 5pm M-Th
 (August 16 through September 10)
 September 11 ONLY (Election Day) 8am-8pm

LINCOLN COUNTY COURTHOUSE
 225 W Olive, Room 201; Newport
INSIDE BOX: 8:30am to 5pm M-F
 (August 16 through September 10)
 September 11 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 September 11 (beginning August 16)