

2001 General Election  
**Official Local Voters'  
Pamphlet for Clark  
County**

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*Vote.  
Let your  
voice  
be heard.*

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## Dear Clark County Voters

On September 11, 2001 our country was attacked and thousands of innocent people were killed. The best way to honor the victims of that horrific act and send a message to our enemies that we are resolved as never before to defend our representative democracy is to cast your ballot. I hope you will join me in making informed decisions and voting in this General Election.

Sincerely,



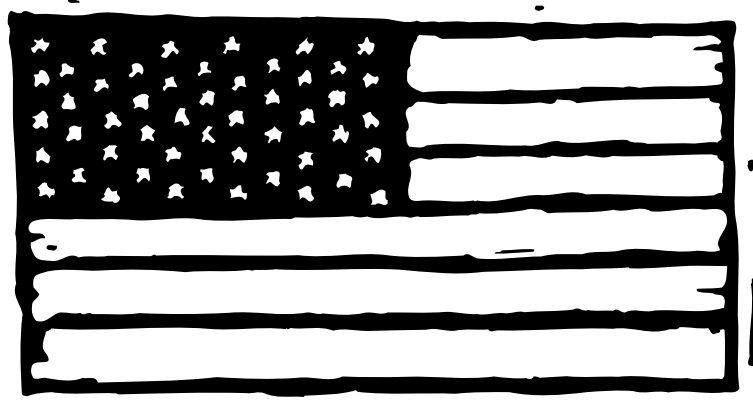
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Ridgefield No. 122, Green Mountain No. 103; Fire Protection Districts, No. 1, No. 2, No. 3, No. 5, No. 6, No. 9, No. 10, No. 11, No. 12, No. 13; Hazel Dell Sewer District; and Port Districts, Vancouver, Camas-Washougal, Ridgefield.

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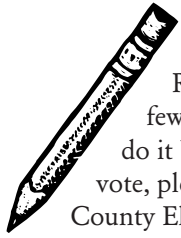
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# A reminder to vote: It's really simple



## Registering to vote

Registering takes only a few minutes and you can do it by mail. To register to vote, please call the Clark County Elections Department at (360) 397-2345.

## Who is eligible to vote

The requirements for registering to vote are simple. You must be a United States citizen, 18 years or older, and live in Clark County 30 days prior to the election.

## How to vote

### At the polls

The actual voting process is easy. Upon registration, the Elections Department issues each registered voter a card that states his or her precinct number and place to vote.

With few exceptions, most of the polls are located in area schools. Arriving at the polls – they open at 7 a.m. and close at 8 p.m. – you'll be asked to sign the registration book. In Clark County, voting is done by punch card. Just punch in your choices. The entire process takes only a few minutes.

### By absentee ballot

If you're voting by absentee ballot, you just drop your ballot in the mail or at the Elections Department.

## A word about the General Election

The November 2001 General Election will *not* be a mail-in ballot election. Polling places will be open for this election. You will need to go to your polling place to vote in the November election, unless you are

an absentee voter. (See below).

Permanent absentee voters will still receive their ballot by mail.

## Absentee ballots

To obtain an absentee ballot, please call the Elections Department at (360) 397-2345. Or you can fill out the form below, cut it out, and either mail it to the Elections Department or drop it by. Our address is 1500 "D" Street, Vancouver. Mail to PO Box 8815, Vancouver WA 98666-8815.

## Permanent absentee ballots

You can vote by absentee ballot on a permanent basis. Any voter is eligible to receive an absentee ballot by mail for every election. If you would like a permanent absentee ballot, please mark the appropriate box on the form below.

## Absentee ballot application

I hereby declare that I am a registered voter

Print name: Last First Middle initial

Residence address as registered

City or town State Zip code

Birth date Phone number

This application is being made for an Absentee Ballot for the

2001 General or  Permanent absentee ballot

X

Signature

Street

City or town State Zip code

### OFFICE USE ONLY

Reg# \_\_\_\_\_

Precinct \_\_\_\_\_

Code \_\_\_\_\_

Date issued \_\_\_\_\_

Date returned \_\_\_\_\_

Voted

or Taken by \_\_\_\_\_

Format \_\_\_\_\_

*To be valid, your written signature must be included.*

*Fill in address where you wish absentee ballot to be sent.*

### Directions:

1. Fill out your name and address as you are registered.
2. Be sure to print your name on the appropriate line.
3. Sign your name at the 'X'.

4. If you wish to have your ballot sent to an address other than where you are registered, indicate that address below your signature.
5. Mail to: Greg Kimsey, Clark County Auditor, Elections Department, P.O. Box 8815, Vancouver WA 98666-8815.



# Poll locations

Unless you vote absentee, you must vote at the polling place assigned to your precinct. If you're not sure about the location of your polling place or what your precinct number is, you will find the information on your voter registration card. Your precinct number is the last three digits of the number printed on your card. You can also contact the Clark County Elections Department at 397-2345 to obtain this and other voting information over the phone.

<b>Polling place</b>	<b>Address</b>	<b>Precinct number</b>
All Saints Episcopal Church	2100 NW 99th St, Vancouver	451, 454, 455, 458
Amboy Middle School	22115 NE Chelatchie Rd, Amboy	535, 537, 542
Battle Ground High School	416 W Main (East Gym), Battle Ground	583, 584, 585, 586, 587
Ben Franklin Elem. School	5206 Franklin St, Vancouver	050, 053, 055, 057
Burnt Bridge Creek Elem. School	14619-A NE 49th St, Vancouver	688, 692, 784, 786, 788
Burton Elem. School	14015 NE 28th St, Vancouver	689, 778, 780, 782
Camas Police Station	210 NE 3rd Ave, Camas	980, 983
Camas/Washougal Port Comm. Cen.	89 'C' St, Washougal	985
Cape Horn-Skye School	9731 Washougal River Rd, Washougal	945
Capt Strong Elem. School	1002 NW 6th Ave, Battle Ground	593, 594, 596, 598
Cascade Park Church of the Nazarene	2202 SE Bella Vista Rd, Vancouver	668, 676, 680, 750
Chinook Elem. School	1900 NW Bliss Rd, Vancouver	443, 445, 446, 449
Crestline Elem. School	13003 SE 7th St, Vancouver	679, 681, 699, 774
Dorothy Fox Elem. School	2623 NW Sierra St, Camas	915, 955, 960, 963, 964, 965
Early Childhood Ed. Center (Lieser)	301 S Lieser Rd, Vancouver	250, 265, 270, 275
Eisenhower Elem. School	9201 NW 9th Ave, Vancouver	415, 420, 422, 423, 456
Eleanor Roosevelt Elem. School	2921 Falk Rd, Vancouver	165, 167, 170, 175, 177, 180, 182
Ellsworth Elem. School	512 SE Ellsworth Ave, Vancouver	285, 665, 670, 672, 675
Felida Elem. School	2700 NW 119th St, Vancouver	447, 448, 450, 457
Fern Prairie Fire Station #1	905 NE 267th Ave, Camas	927, 930
Fircrest Elem. School	12001 NE 9th St, Vancouver	667, 682, 683, 776
Fire Station No. 3	18209 NE 259th St, Battle Ground	595, 597
Fire Station No. 11	21609 NE 72nd Ave, Battle Ground	543, 545, 547
First Congregational Church	1220 NE 68th St, Vancouver	373, 375, 390
Fisher's Landing Elem. School	3800 SE Hiddenbrook Dr, Vancouver	696, 740, 742
Fruit Valley Community Center	3203 Unander Ave, Vancouver	085, 090, 475
Gaiser Middle School	3000 NE 99th St, Vancouver	370, 372, 425, 428
Glenwood Heights School	9716 NE 134th St, Vancouver	570, 571, 572, 573, 575
Grace Foursquare Gospel Church	717 SE Everett Rd, Camas	917, 920, 925
Green Mountain School	13105 NE Grinnel Rd, Woodland	530
Harmony Elem. School	17404-A NE 18th St, Vancouver	646, 695, 698, 794
Harney Elem. School	3212 E Evergreen Blvd, Vancouver	200, 205, 210
Hathaway Elem. School	630 24th St, Washougal	933, 935, 940, 947
Hazel Dell Elem. School	511 NE Anderson Rd, Vancouver	395, 400, 405, 410, 465
Hearthwood Elem. School	801 NE Hearthwood Blvd, Vancouver	658, 659, 684

<b>Polling place</b>	<b>Address</b>	<b>Precinct number</b>
Helen Baller Childhood Center	1954 NE Garfield, Camas	967, 968, 970, 975
Hockinson Hts Intermediate School	19912 NE 164th St, Brush Prairie	610, 613
Hockinson Middle School	15916 NE 182nd Ave, Brush Prairie	615, 617, 619, 620
Hough Elem. School	1900 Daniels St, Vancouver	105, 110, 115, 120, 125
Hudson's Bay High School	1206 E Reserve St, Vancouver	185, 190, 195
Illahee Elem. School	19401 SE 1st St, Camas	644, 645, 648
Image Elem. School	4400 NE 122nd Ave, Vancouver	282, 284, 286, 287, 657, 687, 691
LaCenter Community Center	1000 E 4th St, LaCenter	515, 520, 522, 523, 525, 528
Lakeshore Elem. School	9300 NW 21st Ave, Vancouver	460, 467, 468, 470
Lewisville Middle School	406 NW 5th Ave, Battle Ground	540, 541, 580, 581
Lincoln Elem. School	4200 Daniels St, Vancouver	060, 065, 070, 080
Maple Grove School	12500 NE 199th St, Battle Ground	577, 578, 590, 591, 592
Marrion Elem. School	10119 NE 14th St, Vancouver	260, 267, 280, 655, 660, 661, 663
Marshall Elem. School	6400 MacArthur Blvd, Vancouver	247, 255, 305, 310
Martin Luther King Elem. School	4801 Idaho St, Vancouver	215, 220, 225, 227, 230
McLoughlin Middle School	5802 MacArthur Blvd, Vancouver	235, 237, 240
Mill Plain Elem. School	400 SE 164th Ave, Vancouver	694, 790, 792
Minnehaha Elem. School	2800 NE 54th St, Vancouver	147, 153, 157, 355, 360, 363, 365
Orchards Methodist Church	11000 NE Fourth Plain Blvd, Vancouver	640, 641, 647, 690
Peter S. Ogden Elem. School	8100 NE 28th St, Vancouver	257, 290, 292, 297, 298
Pioneer Elem. School	7212 NE 166th Ave, Vancouver	624, 625
Pleasant Valley Elem. School	14320 NE 50th Ave, Vancouver	550, 555, 557, 560, 562, 563, 565
Pleasant View Nazarene Church	801 NE 194th St, Ridgefield	480, 482, 483, 485, 488, 495
Ridgefield Nazarene Church	747 Pioneer Ave, Ridgefield	490, 497, 500, 501, 503, 505
River City Assembly	13400 NE 28th St, Vancouver	685, 686
Riverview Elem. School	12601 SE Riveridge Dr, Vancouver	669, 673, 677, 678, 768, 772
Sacajawea Elem. School	700 NE 112th St, Vancouver	430, 432, 433, 439, 452, 453
Saint John's Presbyterian Church	1206 NE Birch St, Camas	950, 957
Salmon Creek Elem. School	1601 NE 129th St, Vancouver	436, 437, 440, 441, 442, 444
Salmon Creek Grange #849	15417 NE Union Rd, Vancouver	551, 553
Salmon Creek Methodist Church	12217 NE Hwy 99, Vancouver	434, 435
Sarah J. Anderson Elem. School	2215 NE 104th St, Vancouver	424, 426, 427
School of Arts and Academics	3101 Main St, Vancouver	075, 095, 100, 130, 135, 140
Sifton Elem. School	7301 NE 137th Ave, Vancouver	623, 626, 627, 628, 629, 633, 634, 693
Silver Star Elem. School	10500 NE 86th St, Vancouver	630, 632, 635, 636
Sunset Elem. School	9001 NE 95th St, Vancouver	637, 638, 642, 643
Truman Elem. School	4505 NE 42nd Ave, Vancouver	335, 340, 343, 345, 350
Van Mall Retirement Community	7808 NE 51st St, Vancouver	294, 295, 296, 326
Walnut Grove Elem. School	6103 NE 72nd Ave, Vancouver	325, 327, 330, 332
Washington Elem. School	2908 "S" St, Vancouver	145, 150, 155, 160
Washougal Community Center	1681 'C' Street, Washougal	900, 905, 907, 910, 912, 914
Waterford at Fairway Village	2911 SE Village Loop, Vancouver	674, 697, 770
Woodland Mobile Park	6307 NW Pacific Hwy, Woodland	510
Yacolt Masonic Hall	202 W Cushman, Yacolt	600, 605, 606
Mail ballot	Ballot mailed to voter	493



# Candidate statements

## City of Vancouver – Mayor

Royce E. Pollard  
*Non-Partisan*



I seek your support for another term as Mayor of America's Vancouver. I believe that I have provided government that is even-handed and assures that all points of view are fairly considered.

One key goal during this past term was to unite our *east* and *west* sides into one community. By continuing to nurture the development of our east side while maintaining established levels of service to our west side, we have accomplished a sense of one community.

Significant issues require our focused attention. With your vote I will continue to work hard for you over the next two years.

*Telephone: 360 693-7526; E-mail: mayorroyce@aol.com*

Jeanne Lipton  
*Non-Partisan*



*Taxpayers' wallets are not the pot of gold at the end of the rainbow.*

Please extend your confidence in my candidacy and promote me to the esteemed position of Vancouver's Mayor so I can work on a higher level to provide fire, police, roads and other basic services for all citizens.

As in my 1999 election, I shall say *no* to campaign contributions. My decisions shall continue to be based on need and fiscal responsibility rather than paying back political *power debts*.

I shall continue to oppose private citizens operating taxing districts, developer tax incentives, duplicative services, and light rail.

*Address: 2614 I Street, Vancouver 98663; Telephone: 360 737-3676;  
E-mail: jlipton@pacifier.com; Fax: 360 695-8281*

## City of Vancouver – Council Position No. 1

Pat Jollota  
*Non-Partisan*



It has been my good fortune to find three careers that I've loved. The first was working for law enforcement, the second in the world of history, and the third in public service to Vancouver. Of these, working for the citizens of this community has been the most fulfilling.

My experience in Public Safety and preservation of history have combined to influence my perspective of this city. Our town is growing and changing at a rapid pace. We must preserve its unique flavor and maintain the safety of its citizens. I look forward to the next four years of service.

*Address: 1204 NW 53rd Street, Vancouver 98663; Telephone: 360 695-3262*

## City of Vancouver – Council Position No. 2

**Jeanne E. Stewart**  
*Non-Partisan*



Residing in Vancouver for 32 years, Stewart has served on the Vancouver Planning Commission, the Solid Waste Advisory Commission, Vancouver School District committees, and neighborhood leader. As a small business owner with education in accounting and finance, she understands budgets and financial priorities.

Four critical areas need to be addressed. Major decisions affecting citizens must be made with citizen consent. Police and Fire must be returned to full staffing levels and must be fully equipped. We must stabilize and protect the quality of life in neighborhoods and form partnerships to develop permanent, full time jobs in commercial, industrial, and manufacturing.

*Address: Stewart for City Council, PO Box 383, Vancouver 98666*

**Alex Veliko**  
*Non-Partisan*



Alex Veliko is the choice for Vancouver because “There is so much to be done.” Alex has already contributed significantly to our city. From his service on the Police Advisory Board, to the Charter Review Commission, to Parks commissioner, to Chairing the Vancouver Neighborhood Alliance, Alex makes positive changes improving our lives. But he has only scratched the surface of what he can do for us.

Alex will work for crime control, public safety, safe affordable transportation and parks.

His commitment and values are needed on our City Council to ensure a high quality of life.

*Vote for Alex Veliko.*

## City of Vancouver – Council Position No. 3

**Jeanne Harris**  
*Non-Partisan*



I’ve worked hard and enjoyed serving you as Councilmember, doing my homework, looking for balance and fairness, respecting people’s time, listening and speaking clearly my thoughts and opinions. We’ve seen tremendous changes in Vancouver from a new downtown and waterfront to 22 new parks to much needed transportation and traffic improvements. All of this and we are still among the lowest taxing districts in the state. I understand the need to be efficient and cost conscious while still providing great service to you the citizens and taxpayers of Vancouver. I’m so proud of what we’ve done... together as a community.

*Address: People for Jeanne Harris, PMB 543, 1901 NE 162nd Avenue, Ste D-105, Vancouver, 98684; Telephone: 360 896-0422; E-mail: jeanne@pacifier.com; Campaign Coordinator: Maureen Gallegos; Telephone: 360 253-9276*

**Martyn D. Butler**  
*Non-Partisan*



Can taxpayers afford business as usual at City Hall? Martyn Butler believes not. Vancouver expects to have a \$2.77 million operating *deficit* in 2003.

Businesses face layoffs because of the economic slowdown yet City Hall is adding staff. An example of this increase is the new position of Human Rights Specialist at a proposed \$54,405 per year. Butler views this as a lack of commitment to government efficiency.

Butler will respond to challenges by seeking input from all citizens. Martyn will not accept campaign contributions from special interests.

Veteran U.S. Marine Corps. Elected 10 years schoolboards. Married 37 years.

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## City of Camas – Council Ward No. 1

**Paul Dennis**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph or statement was submitted*

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## City of Camas – Council Ward No. 3

**Scott Higgins**  
*Non-Partisan*



In the twenty years I have lived in the community of Camas we have seen amazing growth. I am running for city council to ensure my children can take advantage of the same small town environment that I experienced. I am for controlled growth, wanting Camas to expand in a way that remains family friendly yet provides a thriving downtown area that both young and old will enjoy. Camas can always have a safe, non-congested park or walking trail close by. If elected I will continue to compliment our rapid development with a strong sense of community, home, and conscience.

*Address: 2726 NW 34th Circle, Camas 98607; Telephone: 360 833-9511;  
E-Mail: friendsofscotthiggins@home.com*

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**Peter Nicholls**  
*Non-Partisan*



My goal on the council has been, and will be, to preserve the unique small town character of Camas, while providing high levels of services to our citizens.

Over the past four years, I have enjoyed serving on various community committees: Skateboard Park; Zoning Revision; Camas Library Design Review; Lacamas Lake Restoration; Grass Valley Park. I regularly attended Parks Board and Planning Commission meetings. I look forward to continuing to be actively involved in our community.

I pledge that each time an issue comes before the city council, I will approach in impartially, study it thoroughly, and vote reasonably.



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## City of Camas – Council Ward No. 5

**Mary Kufeldt-Antle**  
*Non-Partisan*



I have truly enjoyed serving as your Councilperson from Ward 5 and am proud to have led and been involved in many of the efforts that have contributed to the success of our City.

My main priority will continue to be sustaining a high quality of life for all citizens by balancing growth and meeting the needs of the community. As your representative, I will continue my involvement, at all levels of government, promoting the values that are the strength of our community.

Working together, we can maintain our uniqueness and vision for the future of the City of Camas.

*E-mail: [mkantle@earthlink.net](mailto:mkantle@earthlink.net)*

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## City of Battle Ground – Council Position No. 1

**Pam Hereford**  
*Non-Partisan*



Pam Hereford has lived in Battle Ground for twenty-five years and has watched this small town become a thriving community.

Pam has been on the city council for the past five years. These five years have seen many positive changes: a manager form of government, more water and storage, development of legacy standards, land acquisition for future parks and activities, and a fiscal budget.

With changes come challenges. Pam would like the opportunity to continue to solve problems facing our community, especially in these areas: public safety, transportation, economic development, and facilities and activities for youth, families, and seniors.

*Address: 708 NW 6th Avenue, Battle Ground 98604; Telephone: 360 687-4576*

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**Michael J. Ciraulo**  
*Non-Partisan*



I am running for city council because I have a vision for the city that I wish to share. My family has been blessed to be a part of the Battle Ground community for the last eight years and we believe the city is ready for new leadership.

My vision for Battle Ground: a city committed to public safety; a city that is attractive to both its citizens and to visitors; a revitalized east Main street; quality parks and recreational activities for kids; and a city that has a logical, well defined plan for dealing with the growth it's facing.

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## City of Battle Ground - Council Position No. 2

**Sandra Barnes**  
*Non-Partisan*



Being born and raised in Battle Ground, my ties run deep. I have been involved in community events for many years. I support growth management, public safety, education, and building a better tax base for the city. I will be accountable to citizens for decisions made and money spent. I will support the citizens and businesses of Battle Ground and will seek their ideas and opinions.

I have worked for large corporations, have been employed by local government, and have been a small business owner. I will bring to the Council the ability to look at issues from several perspectives.

*E-mail: sandyleab@hotmail.com*

**Marleen Cords**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph or statement was submitted*

## City of Battle Ground - Council Position No. 4

**Robert Romito**  
*Non-Partisan*



Building a simple fence recently, I was informed that the city required a permit for this. Visiting City Hall, I received a form requiring a detailed drawing indicating location, size, and dimension of lot, and all existing and proposed structures; and \$20. I decided that this was not the type of bureaucratic tax collecting that I wanted from my city. I hope to represent you guided by two principals: 1) city regulation of and involvement in our lives should be kept at a minimum; 2) city collection of taxes and subsequent spending should be with interests of the taxpayer paramount.

*Email: ip077@earthlink.net*

**Lisa Walters**  
*Non-Partisan*



As your representative, I would like to see citizens take responsible ownership over our community. I have been active in local politics, a coordinating member of the Onsdorff Neighborhood Watch Group, a community volunteer and a current member of the Park Advisory Board. My priorities are public safety, fiscal accountability and responsible economic growth and development. I care about the future of our town! As Margaret Mead stated, "Never doubt that a small group of committed citizens can change the world; indeed, it's the only thing that ever has."

*Address: 1809 NW 7th Court, Battle Ground 98604: Telephone 360 666-3005:  
E-mail: lwaltersbg01@aol.com*

These statements are submitted by the candidates and are not checked for accuracy by any government agency.

## City of Battle Ground - Council Position No. 5

**Cheryl Kreinbring-Yarwood**  
*Non-Partisan*



Raised in Clark County, I have many ties to this area. I want to act as the ears and the voice for the people and businesses of Battle Ground.

Having children, I support the school systems they will learn in as well as the parks they will play in. I support Growth Management, currently a member of the Economic Growth Committee.

Though I work full time as a Sales Representative in the title and escrow industry, I will be committed to attending council meetings and getting involved in Regional issues. I believe in making Battle Ground a livable, viable community.

**Alex Reinhold**  
*Non-Partisan*



Being a Battle Ground resident for 10 years, I have seen many changes. I feel I can bring two great assets to this city.

The first asset is my city involvement. I have been involved in the Chamber of Commerce, Lucky Dog Adoptions, Second Chance Companions and PDC. I was nominated for citizen and business person of the year.

The second asset is my courage and my curiosity. I am not afraid to make a change in things or to voice my opinion. I naturally question the way things are done and see if they can be done better.

## City of Battle Ground - Council Position No. 6

**William J. Ganley**  
*Non-Partisan*



The city has taken important steps in the last five years that makes our community stronger today. The city council hired a city manager to bring professional management to our city, acquired of over 100 acres of land for parks, developed new neighborhood standards for future housing developments, controlled utility costs, and provided quality and efficient services while the property tax rate lowered. I'm looking forward to tackling the challenges of building a new I-5 interchange, completing the West Main Street improvements, improving our park facilities, developing a new comprehensive plan, and promoting economic development. Thank you for your support.

*Address: 505 NW 10th Street, Battle Ground 98604; Telephone: 360 687-7505;  
E-mail: bganley@e-z.net*

## City of Washougal - Mayor

**George Jeffrey Guard**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph was submitted*

The city of Washougal is on the brink of some exciting growth opportunities. While economic growth is welcome and needed, the physical realities of growth often cause the most serious livability issues. Careful planning for public safety and infrastructure is critical. With my nine years of city council experience and my role as a manager for a Fortune 500 company, I feel I have the ability to help guide Washougal through our growing experiences. There is an evolution occurring in Washougal. I want to be your leader in ensuring that the communities needs are met during this evolution.

*Address: PO Box 47, Washougal 98671; Telephone: 360 696-5691 Work/Day, 360 835-7448 Home/Night; E-mail: guardj@aol.com*

**Charles Crumpacker**  
*Non-Partisan*



I have had the opportunity as mayor to provide guidance on a variety of issues affecting our city. I am proud to say that with help of the city council members, the city has afforded a sound and consistent level of services that is affordable and of high quality. Examples include our wastewater treatment facility with water purification to protect fish, Steamboat Landing Park, 30 acres of parks and open space, and initiating a downtown revitalization program. Our work is not done. We must concentrate on the future, complete a downtown revitalization plan and provide more industrial land and jobs.

## City of Washougal - Council Position No. 1

**Clifford A. Johnstun**  
*Non-Partisan*



Clifford and his wife Kathy have seven children ages 18 - 24.

His past community service includes Scoutmaster, Explorer Advisor, Little League, basketball, and soccer coach and referee.

He owns Silver Star Consulting and has 23 years software development experience.

Clifford *will listen to and respect city residents*, maintain Washougal's small-town family orientation, and *keep the existing anti-gambling ordinance*. He will *promote a Public Safety Bond* that meets voter expectations, and *improve relations with Fire District #1*. He will encourage redevelopment of downtown, seek additional youth recreation options, demand wise fiscal management of City funds, and continued planning for future growth.

*Address: Johnstun Campaign Committee, PO Box 248, Washougal 98671; Telephone: 360 835-8217; E-mail: info@johnstuncampaign.org*

**Jason Earl Scott**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph was submitted*

My name is Jason Earl Scott. I have been a Volunteer Firefighter for the City of Washougal for two years, also I have been working at Southwest Washington Medical Center in the Emergency Room as a Par Tech. I am a graduate of Washougal High School class of 1999. In high school I was A.S.B Parliamentarian and A.S.B President. I have lived in Washougal 90% of my life and I love this town and I hope that Washougal stays a great place to raise my soon to be child.

Sincerely, Jason Earl Scott

*Address: 531 27th Street, Washougal 98671; Telephone: 360 335-8053; E-mail: jescott316@aol.com*

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## City of Washougal - Council Position No. 2

**Rodney P. Morris**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph was submitted*

I was appointed to the City Council in 1991 and served until January, 1998. I have since served on the civil service commission for two years and was then selected to fill the vacancy on city council in May, 2001.

The current issues facing city council are a definitive action with the gambling ordinance, a decision regarding a city manager form of government, and addressing 20 year growth by identifying future light industrial areas. My major focus is to ensure that this community is an enjoyable place to live and a city that we can be proud of.

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## City of Washougal - Council Position No. 3

**Derek Hoyte**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph or statement was submitted*

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**Darrell Alder**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph was submitted*

I believe government that serves the citizens best is local government. I am proud to have been elected to City Council and want to continue my role as the Citizens' representative. I am particularly concerned about efficiency in government and getting the "biggest bang for the buck" from our limited resources to benefit our citizens with the public safety they deserve and pay for. I am concerned that our tax base needs to be stronger which means attracting new businesses to our community with family wage jobs, not jobs that merely pay a minimum wage or are only part time.

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## City of Washougal - Council Position No. 6

**Lou Peterson**  
*Non-Partisan*



Let's work together to make Washougal both a thriving and stable community. Our town is a place of many strong assets. We need to capitalize on these resources. We need to make Washougal a place that people will remember, a place of vision.

I, as your city council member, will work with business, civic groups, and all community members. This is a vision of working to keep our current businesses going while drawing more to Washougal, of pulling our community together as a whole, and of communicating with our citizens to achieve a common goal. Please vote for Lou Peterson.

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**David C. Lacey**  
*Non-Partisan*



While serving 12 years in the military, I spent many years working in government contracting where I gained knowledge on ways to make the taxpayer dollar stretch and avoid fiscal waste.

If elected to the council I will fight the introduction of casinos, and will vote to overturn any initiative allowing them. I will bring forth proposals to: limit bond initiatives to once a year; revitalize downtown; hinder pornography; work with our library and schools to abide by the Children's Internet Protection Act; and support expanding youth activities. I vow to stand by our republic and not dictate, but represent.

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## City of Washougal - Council At-Large

**Brian Beecher**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph was submitted*

I have spent most of my life in Washougal. I am a graduate of Washougal High School. Since graduating, I have gone back to Jemtegaard Middle School and Washougal High School as a volunteer wrestling coach. Sports programs in our schools give our children great after-school activities. If elected to the Washougal City Council, I will work to provide our youth with more activities and places to go.

Along with providing activities for our children, we need to strengthen our downtown area. If elected, I will do my best to make sure all of these things happen.

**Don Jandreau**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph or statement was submitted*

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## City of Ridgefield - Council Position No. 1

**Tim Thompson**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph or statement was submitted*

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## City of Ridgefield - Council Position No. 4

**Fran Kemper**  
*Non-Partisan*



Ridgefield is a community with a rich history and a challenging future. It has been an honor to serve this community for the last three years. I have worked hard to be well-informed on issues facing the citizens of Ridgefield.

During the hearings on the gambling issue, I was pleased to see that Ridgefield stands for family values. It is the reason most people choose to live here. I will continue to stand for these values.

I have lived in Ridgefield most of my life and understand the issues facing the community because I have been here.

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**Gary Holmberg**  
*Non-Partisan*



I am a native of Ridgefield and want to help ensure a positive direction for its future. I currently serve on the Park Board, the High School Improvement Committee, and am active in the Ridgefield Lions Club.

The City of Ridgefield is on the verge of making decisions that will greatly affect the quality of life for its citizens.

I believe that my training and experience will help me be a productive councilman. As a retired school superintendent, I have in-depth experience in the following areas: budget management, construction, personnel management, and work with state and federal agencies.

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## City of La Center - Council Position No. 1

**Richard L. Curtis**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph was submitted*

My marriage of fifteen years has blessed us with two children and we have enjoyed living in La Center for the past three years. I have been employed for sixteen years in public service and currently serve as a Fire Captain/Paramedic with the Vancouver Fire Department.

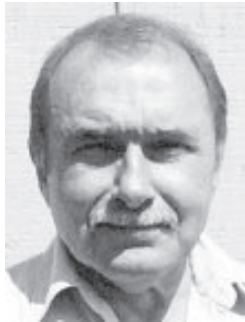
I enjoy coaching my children's soccer and baseball teams and currently serve on the La Center Little League Board of Directors.

Our small community is changing and this change requires leadership. With my many years of experience in public service, I feel that I am qualified to assist and lead us through these changes.

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**E.A. (Gino) Reynolds**  
*Non-Partisan*



I have been a resident of Clark County for 21 years. I ran my own business as an auctioneer between 1972 and 1998 where I worked sales all across the country. I love the Clark County area and chose to reside in La Center. I served my country as an airborne ranger in the mid 50's and now I would like to serve my community as a city council member. I feel I can make a difference by keeping the community informed as to what is going on, so that they can participate in decisions that affect them.

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## City of La Center - Council Position No. 2

**Robin Dee Merrell**  
*Non-Partisan*



I was born and raised in Clark County. I am a working mother with two young children. I chose a small town to raise my family. I would like to be informed and involved in making decisions that affect the city we live in. I would like to see our schools provide superior education with all the tools available that our children need to be ready for what awaits them in the future while still retaining the small town, family values we enjoy now.

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**Russell Marshall**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph or statement was submitted*



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## City of La Center - Council Position No. 3

**Laurabeth Dewell**  
*Non-Partisan*



Laurabeth Dewell has been a resident of LaCenter since 1992 and is currently serving her first four-year term as city councilor. Laurabeth is the sole owner and operator of a landscape maintenance and consulting business. Laurabeth serves on the LaCenter City Council Police Advisory Committee; the LaCenter-North County Chamber Board of Directors; as the LaCenter Grange Secretary and as Secretary of Southwest Washington Children's Art and Cultural Center.

Laurabeth is a very strong advocate for responsible growth planning on the part of city governments. She prides herself on being accessible to the needs and concerns of each resident of LaCenter.

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**Janice M. Fowler**  
*Non-Partisan*



Having lived and worked in LaCenter for the last 24 years, I have witnessed many changes. I have 2 children who have, or are attending the LaCenter school system, and have been an active member of the community for numerous functions, events, social causes, and town celebrations. It's my desire to become a City Council member to get more involved in the future of LaCenter. We have been moving in the right direction; however, with my background and caring for what happens here in LaCenter, I believe I am the right candidate for the years to come.

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## Town of Yacolt - Council Position No. 2

**Judy Mason**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph was submitted*

I have served on the Yacolt Town Council for the last year and a half. I grew up in Yacolt returning with my husband and children in 1989. Living in Yacolt 30 years, I have seen many changes and enjoy being actively involved in representing the Town and community. I have learned a great deal serving on the council and have been involved in several projects and decisions, seeking the best for the Town and people of Yacolt. With your support I will continue to serve the Town and people that make Yacolt such a great place to live.

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## Town of Yacolt - Council Position No. 3

**Ronette (Ronnie) Tindall-Ellis**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph or statement was submitted*

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## City of Woodland - Council Position No. 1

**Robin S. Jones**  
*Non-Partisan*



I am dedicated to serving the citizenry of Woodland to enhance the quality of life in our community. It is my hope that we can work together to maintain our small town atmosphere with a strong economy and beautiful natural surroundings.

My professional experience includes 20+ years serving the Woodland School District and Kaiser Permanente Health Plan. I also served as Mayor - City of Woodland. My educational background includes certification in Non Profit Management and from the WSU Lower Columbia Leadership Academy. My daughter, Jaime, currently attends WSU.

I seek your support for Position 1 on the Woodland City Council.

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**John J. Burke**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph or statement was submitted*

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## City of Woodland- Council Position No. 2

**Mike Kruse**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph or statement was submitted*

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**Lonnie Sargent**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph was submitted*

I, as a member of the Woodland Community, grew up here and have seen this close-knit logging community, where everyone seemed like one big family, turn into a freeway fed metropolis, that is still growing. I, as a Council Member, would attempt to bring the council members together and go to the individuals in the community who are being affected by the growth and progress of their town. *Get their opinions and ideas* on issues brought up at meetings!!! Then take their opinions to the council meetings and express the feelings of the people being affected, along with my own.

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## City of Woodland - Council Position No. 3

**Bruce Summers, Jr.**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph or statement was submitted*

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**Irene O. Armstrong**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph or statement was submitted*

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## City of Woodland - Council Position No. 5

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**James Tone**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph or statement was submitted*

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## Vancouver School District No. 37 - Director Position No. 2

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**Sam B. Gunn**  
*Non-Partisan*



During my nine years on the Vancouver School District Board, I have worked hard to improve learning for all students, including my own six children, all of whom have attended Vancouver Schools. Great progress has been made toward achieving the Board's long-range goals of revitalizing the curriculum and assessment system, developing a quality staff, modernizing facilities and technology, and creating and sustaining supportive community partnerships.

I am committed to high standards and a rigorous curriculum, within a learning environment that promotes well-being, safety, and security.

The challenge now is to personalize education for each student. I seek your vote.

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**Jeff Lines**  
*Non-Partisan*



I am running for the Vancouver School Board because I have high passion for the quality of education our kids receive since they are the future for us all. I want to do something with the passion I possess and be involved and make a difference in how our kids are educated. Whether we have children or not, I feel it is our obligation and responsibility to ensure the quality of public education is the best possible because our kids are the key to the future.

I ask for your vote on September 18.

*E-mail: jlines4@home.com*

## Vancouver School District No. 37 – Director Position No. 3

**Edward H. Rankin**  
*Non-Partisan*



Educators from around the country recognize Vancouver School District as a model of excellence. The National School Board Association honored the district for its leadership. Former Secretary of Education William Riley made a special visitation to observe the district operations. Hewlett-Packard teams with the District in the development of educational materials. Vancouver voters support the district's programs with the passage of bonds and levies. Since I began serving on the board in 1989, the District has been involved in 500 million dollar building efforts. Your School Board provides the best public education possible. I seek your vote.

*Telephone: 360 573-1607; E-mail: ehrankin@home.com*

**Bill Harrell**  
*Non-Partisan*



The Vancouver School District is one of the best in the nation. We must provide our children the best educational services we can. No student must be neglected. We must find ways to serve all of our students, including the most needy. I ask for your vote, in return I promise that I will strive to improve the educational experience for all the youth of our community. I will share your opinions and desires with the school board members. If I am elected please contact me if you have any questions about the schools or your children's education.

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## Evergreen School District No. 114 – Director District No. 1

**Dave Chamberlain**  
*Non-Partisan*



The Evergreen School District has steadily moved toward higher levels of academic performance in the face of decreasing funding and greater accountability. We continue to face the challenges of growth in east Clark County, while striving to maintain or improve teaching quality and service performance.

Our community must elect a school director that understands these issues and will lead to their solutions. My performance during the last two terms of service have shown that I'm committed to providing the best education possible for all of our children, in a way that responsibly manages the resources of all our district residents.

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## Evergreen School District No. 114 - Director District No. 5

**Holly Williams**  
*Non-Partisan*



As current school board director, I am committed to the district's new strategic plan developed with the community, staff and parents. It sets a cohesive direction for the district that will better ensure responsible use of taxes and higher student achievement. I'd enjoy sharing our plans at your neighborhood, business or service club meeting.

On the board, I am considered a team player and recognized for my willingness to invest the time to do the job well.

Former HP engineer and manager. Six year active school volunteer. Vancouver resident since 1980. Married 16 years with two children in Evergreen schools.

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E-mail: hollyjander@juno.com*

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**Thomas G. Erickson**  
*Non-Partisan*



My wife, a teacher, and I grew up in Vancouver, and have/had children in district schools. I am a graduate of the University of Washington and an electrical contractor. For over a decade, I have worked on public school issues to benefit *all* youth; locally, in Olympia and nationally. If elected, I will work cooperatively to implement strategic changes within current state laws to: reduce central administration costs; drive extra state categorical funding for 'under-achieving/targeted' students to their schools; and establish unique middle-school pioneering learning centers in non-traditional school sites. This will reduce the tax burden for constructing new schools.

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## Battle Ground School District No. 119 - Director District No. 1

**Frederick Striker**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph or statement was submitted*

## Battle Ground School District No. 119 – Director District No. 3

David Sonntag  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph or statement was submitted*

## Battle Ground School District No. 119 – Director District No. 5

Mark E. Pelletier  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph or statement was submitted*

## Camas School District No. 117 – Director District No. 1

Sean Guard  
*Non-Partisan*



As the parent of two middle school students in Camas schools and a lifelong area resident, I am personally committed to assuring that our schools are the most effective available to our children.

This commitment includes advancing technology in all levels, hiring the most capable staff, providing continuing education for our teachers, and building new schools to meet the demands of a growing community.

Camas has always been known for quality schools. With your support, I pledge to help keep that tradition going.

*Address: 1710 SE 266th Avenue, Camas 98607; Telephone: 360 834-2533*

Casey O'Dell  
*Non-Partisan*



I am a lifelong area resident of Camas, married with three children. I graduated from Camas Schools and received a B.S. in Construction Management from Washington State University.

My oldest child attends Lacamas Elementary. I am committed to assuring that the children of Camas enjoy an excellent education and are prepared for success. Currently, I serve on the Camas Educational Foundation Board, Camas Chamber Board, Camas Design Review Committee and the Camas Citizens Advisory Committee for the comprehensive plan review. I believe my experience and my commitment to public service qualify me to serve you on the Camas School Board.

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**Camas School District No. 117 - Director District No. 2**

Mel Cardon  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph or statement was submitted*

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**Washougal School District No. 112-6 - Director District No. 2**

Vern McCray  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph or statement was submitted*

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**Washougal School District No. 112-6 - Director District No. 3**

Garry Alexander, Sr.  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph or statement was submitted*

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## Washougal School District No. 112-6 - Director District No. 5

**Richard G. Sweet**  
*Non-Partisan*



My family and I have lived in Washougal for 15 years. We have two boys who attend public schools in Washougal. We are active in Scouting, and I am a coach for Little League and Soccer. This is my first time running for an elected position. I believe I am a team player and that elected officials should do a better job listening to the members of their communities. I feel the bond improvements have helped the surface of our schools and now I would like to be part of further growth within the Washougal School District.

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**Karen Lee Rollins**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph or statement was submitted*

## Hockinson School District No. 98 - Director District No. 1

**Erik O. Mattson**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph or statement was submitted*

## Hockinson School District No. 98 - Director District No. 2

**Deborah Stavig**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph or statement was submitted*

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## Ridgefield School District No. 122 - Director District No. 1

**Joseph B. Leadingham**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph or statement was submitted*

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## Ridgefield School District No. 122 - Director District No. 4

**Mark Dawkins**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph or statement was submitted*

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**Kathy Koller**  
*Non-Partisan*



I have been an active volunteer in Ridgefield schools for the past six years. Being involved with different aspects of education in all school levels, I am aware of the challenges that face our students. I am committed to insuring that our children receive the best education for their future success.

I have three children, two of which have already graduated from Ridgefield High School. I believe that our schools are the best anywhere. My goals for our school district would be to make certain we are prepared for the expected growth in Ridgefield. I look forward to the challenge.

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**Green Mountain School District No. 103 - Director Position No. 2**

**David Rochelle-Stephens**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph or statement was submitted*

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**Green Mountain School District No. 103 - Director Position No. 3**

**Sandra Ferneding**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph or statement was submitted*

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## Fire Protection District No. 1 - Commissioner Position No. 1

**James J. Schmid**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph or statement was submitted*

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**George F. (Jack) Hooper**  
*Non-Partisan*



I previously served Fire District One as a Commissioner from 1993-97, including 3 years as Chairman. I was Clark County Fire Commissioners Association's representative to the CRCA Advisory Board. During my term as a Commissioner, I helped place the District on a sound financial footing, and oversaw the purchase of new equipment as well as the expansion and remodeling of the Mount Norway Station.

My aims are to offer the best possible fire protection and emergency medical services to the district's residents and to promote the best interests of Fire District One, doing so in a fiscally responsible manner.

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## Fire Protection District No. 1 - Commissioner Position No. 3

**Roger D. Daniels**  
*Non-Partisan*



We who live in Fire District #1 are fortunate to be served by a well-trained staff who are supported by new equipment and sound financial footing. If elected, my goal will be to support our fire fighters so that they can accomplish three things: 1) Maintain a fast response time to fire and other emergencies; 2) Have access to the most current training programs to maintain a highly skilled staff; and 3) Try to provide these services in the most cost-effective manner.

If elected, I will be honored to serve my community as a Fire District #1 commissioner.

## Fire Protection District No. 2 – Commissioner Position No. 2

**Richard M. Tellvik**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph was submitted*

I have been a resident of Clark Co. for 30 years. I worked at Pacific NW Bell and AT&T, retiring in 1986. I was a fire commissioner for Fire Dist. #2 for twelve years until 1995. During this time, the Dist. was able to purchase property, build a fire station and purchase a first response vehicle.

Now that I have retired, I am able to devote more time to the work of the Fire Dist. With my past experience, I know I would be an asset to the Fire Dist.

**John M. Cooper**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph was submitted*

For the past six years, I have been the Fire Commissioner for Clark County Fire District #2. During this time, I have never missed a monthly meeting and have attended several multi commissioner county fire meetings. I believe it is important to make these meetings to improve services to the county and surrounding counties. In the past six years, we have updated the safety equipment for our fire fighters without raising taxes. We still have a lot to accomplish and would like the opportunity to be involved with this process.

*Telephone: 360 263-2614*

## Fire Protection District No. 3 – Commissioner Position No. 1

**Marty James**  
*Non-Partisan*



As a professional in the Fire Service for over 30 years with a successful background in administration and budget, I am dedicated to make the right decisions for our community. Currently I am the administrator and oversee the budget of the NW Regional Training Center.

As a Clark County resident my entire life and homeowner in this rural community, I don't want to see an excessive tax burden placed on the homeowner, but support a reasonable tax rate we can all live with that provides us with exceptional coverage. My invaluable knowledge will support future planning of our community.

**Stephen F. Koenekamp**  
*Non-Partisan*



Worked for Forest Service, held positions up to Captain, then with Los Angeles Fire Department as an Apparatus Operator and retired. Owned a business and currently work part time for a delivery company.

My short term goals, to work with the District to enhance its good standing with the public and current projects. Long term goals, to work on improving Medical Service, Paramedics, Ambulance Service, hiring more personnel, elementary school visitation, training, Fire Prevention and most important, the safety of Firefighters and the Public.

With my previous experience I feel I can be a very good asset to the District.

## Fire Protection District No. 5 - Commissioner Position No. 1

**Michael J. Lyons**

*Non-Partisan*



Mike is a retired Vancouver Fire Department captain and lifelong local resident, currently residing in Proebstel. He first worked as a firefighter for Fire District #5 and later for Vancouver Fire during the consolidation of services. His knowledge of operations and consolidation history, together with his mechanical engineering background, are valuable assets. He wants to maintain and improve the level of fire protection, prevention and emergency medical services delivered to the residents of Fire District #5. As the District's representative on the Vancouver Fire Department's business planning team, Mike has helped plan the future of your fire services.

## Fire Protection District No. 5 - Commissioner Position No. 2

**Conrad Geiger**

*Non-Partisan*



As the Incumbent Candidate with 5 years experience as Volunteer Fire Fighter and 18 years as Fire Commissioner, I believe Fire Service progressed under my leadership.

Rapid growth caused the merger of Fire district 4 and 5 and later consolidation with Vancouver Fire Department, resulting in improved Services without increasing Taxes, also savings for many property owners on Insurance Premiums. As Chairman of Fire District 5, I initiated the donation of Corporate Property on which we built a Fire Station. I was instrumental in building another Station and the formation of the Northwest Regional Training Center.

Keep my Leadership working.

## Fire Protection District No. 6 – Commissioner Position No. 2

**Jim Jakubiak**  
*Non-Partisan*



I am committed to preserving our community's quality fire and emergency medical services. As your current Fire District 6 Commissioner and as an experienced hazardous materials professional, I'm very aware of the unique challenges facing our department and the overall impact on our community.

In the recent past, I've worked hard on the department's Long Range Strategic Plan and supported the continuation of emergency medical/paramedic services without raising taxes. With your vote, I pledge to continue to work hard to provide high quality emergency and fire services at the lowest possible cost.

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**Mike Greene**  
*Non-Partisan*



Mike Greene respects the high level of Fire District 6 Emergency Services. His interest in being Fire Commissioner is to continue to provide a high level of service that keeps our community safe, while keeping costs down.

Population growth, traffic congestion, commercial and residential development will negatively impact future response times.

Tax limitation will test the district's capacity to do what's needed within available revenues.

These challenges demand clear thinking and broad community perspective.

Mike Greene's familiarity with present Fire District 6 operations, coupled with strong management, budget, and community volunteer experience, give him the right qualifications.

Vote Mike Greene

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## Fire Protection District No. 9 – Commissioner Position No. 2

**Victor N. Rasmussen**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph or statement was submitted*

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## Fire Protection District No. 10 – Commissioner Position No. 1

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**Richard L. Johnson**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph or statement was submitted*

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## Fire Protection District No. 11 – Commissioner Position No. 1

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**Roy A. Butler**  
*Non-Partisan*



Dear fellow citizens of Fire District 11. I am Roy Butler and I am seeking your vote for Fire Commissioner. I have over 23 years of public service in law enforcement. My wife and I have lived here since 1993. I have recently finished my education at Clark College and I have a Bachelors degree in Law Enforcement. We are growing as a community and we face important issues in the next six years such as annexations, paramedic coverage, staffing, and consolidations. I believe we lack professional leadership in Position #1 of the Fire Commission and I will change that.

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**Linn (Penny) Dollar**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph was submitted*

He has lived in Clark County all his life. Has been active with the fire district for over 40 years. As a board member he oversaw the creation of the Cadet Program, and was on the building committee for the New Safety Complex at the Fairgrounds. He also served on the Risk Management Board which provides insurance coverages for six fire districts in Clark County.

Goals: If re-elected to the position of Fire Commissioner, I want to continue to enhance the working relationships with other fire agencies in Clark County to help reduce costs to the taxpayers of the community.

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## Fire Protection District No. 12 – Commissioner District No. 1

**Michael J. Lambrecht**  
*Non-Partisan*



I am currently a Commissioner with District 12. I have served as Fire Commissioner for Fire District 14 for over 7 years with the merging of the two districts in March 2001. I have lived in the La Center area for 20 years and served as a volunteer firefighter and first responder. Since Fire District 12 has formed Commissioner Districts, I want to represent the taxpayers of La Center for a 6 year term. My goal, as always, is to oversee that your tax dollars are spent wisely and to provide the highest level of emergency protection possible.

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**Frank Mazna**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph was submitted*

As a commissioner with fire district #14, I helped guide the district towards a smooth and successful consolidation with neighboring district #12. The end result being that we were able to hire a Chief of Emergency Medical Services and start local paramedic service. I would like to continue to represent the La Center area for the consolidated department. My goals include hiring more full time personnel to provide continuous 24 hour local paramedic coverage, continue to work with neighboring districts, to standardize training and response to all areas, and continue to be fiscally responsible to the community.

*E-mail: fmazna@aol.com*

## Fire Protection District No. 13 – Commissioner Position No. 1

**Erv Beard**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph or statement was submitted*

## Fire Protection District No. 13 – Commissioner Position No. 3

**Louis A. Ferreira**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph or statement was submitted*

## Hazel Dell Sewer District - Commissioner Position No. 1

**Neil Kimsey**  
*Non-Partisan*



It has been my privilege and honor to serve as your representative on the Hazel Dell Sewer District board of commissioners for the past six years. I have worked hard to *keep rates as low as possible*.

If re-elected, I will apply the lessons learned from 35 years of operating my own business to provide the *best possible service at the lowest possible cost*.

*Excellent customer service* is very important. I will reply to all inquiries and concerns in a timely manner.

I appreciate your confidence six years ago. I hope you will honor me with your vote this year.

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## Vancouver Port District- Commissioner District No. 3

**Arch Miller**  
*Non-Partisan*



I have served and represented the citizens of Southwest Washington for the past twelve years. Your Port has grown through the development of “state of the art” facilities and infrastructure, including new docks, roads and buildings; through the creation of additional family wage jobs and expansion of international, regional and local trade.

I will continue working toward creation of jobs and economic development throughout Southwest Washington. Studies show 5,500 jobs at our Port with hundreds of millions of dollars flowing throughout the region from salaries, benefits and purchasing power of tenants and customers.

I appreciate your trust, confidence and vote.

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E-mail: nmiller@pacifier.com*

## Camas-Washougal Port District - Commissioner District No. 1

**John P. Hagensen**  
*Non-Partisan*



John Hagensen is the most qualified candidate because of his business, legal, and personal background.

A third generation Camas/Washougal resident, John is an attorney dealing with real estate, business, employment, and environmental issues - the same facing the Port - on a regular basis. He has also been a successful area businessman for over 23 years.

With his leadership, John will make certain that Port taxes are kept to a minimum, while promoting the development of industry that generates family wage jobs.

John and wife Dawn have four children and are involved in numerous community and family activities.

**Carl H. Larson**  
*Non-Partisan*



I believe that the current Port tax levy is too high and will work on your behalf to lower this tax. "I *do not* support a casino in Washougal."

Living here for 29 years, married to Terry with 3 children.

My background includes 35 years in management. I wish to *continue on* as your Port Commissioner.

Having a 100 ton USCG Captain/Masters license has given me experience to better serve the marina. Working this past year with Mark Para's airport knowledge, Allen Hargrave's industrial park knowledge and my marina knowledge would continue to give you a strong Port commission.

*Address: 2302 NE 292nd Avenue, Camas 98607; Telephone: 360 834-1456*

## Camas-Washougal Port District - Commissioner District No. 3

**Alan F. Hargrave**  
*Non-Partisan*



I was born and raised in Clark County, attended Evergreen High School, Walla Walla Community College and the University of Portland. After college, I returned to the Camas/Washougal area and have been involved in the business community for the past twenty-nine years. The Camas/Washougal area has been good to my family, so I am running for re-election to the Port Commission to give something back to my community. I offer the citizens and the Port of Camas/Washougal a well-rounded person with good listening, communication and business skills.

*Address: 3408 B Street, Washougal 98671; Telephone: 360 835-2916;  
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## Port of Ridgefield - Commissioner District No. 2

**R. Roy Randel**  
*Non-Partisan*

*No photograph or statement was submitted*



# Ballot measures

## CITY OF VANCOUVER REFERRED BY REFERENDUM PETITION ORDINANCE M-3557

AN ORDINANCE providing for the establishment and operation of a Human Rights Commission.

FOR THE ORDINANCE . . .

AGAINST THE ORDINANCE . . .

### Statement for:

America today is moving from times of confrontation in domestic race and ethnic relations, into times of dialogue and conciliation.

The proposed Human Rights Ordinance recognizes this. It is a moderate approach, designed for Vancouver. Human relations are important. Our City is changing, facing new challenges and opportunities.

Seattle, Tacoma, Spokane, Renton, Kent and Olympia, for examples, all have such Commissions.

These other cities recognize that human relations issues don't always require formal State proceedings, with hearings, costs and delays. Problems can be better dealt with in discussions locally, and end with handshakes. We all will learn from each other.

Because it's a moderate approach, the ordinance has been criticized, by some as too little and by some as too much.

"Too little"? It's true that there are no new regulations. The Commission won't have any enforcement role. All actions under the ordinance will be voluntary, and depend upon cooperation. But this is the Vancouver tradition, and the ordinance is a practical approach.

Are even these voluntary provisions "too much"? Some urge we do nothing about human relations or, "leave all this to the state."

Please reject both criticisms! Voluntary measures do work, and local people deal better with local issues.

The Ordinance offers local conciliation services and provides a forum in which people will work together to identify issues, make recommendations to elected officials, and sponsor events.

Costs? Fifty thousand dollars, forty cents from each of us. This investment can save us much more!

Vote For the Ordinance!

Written by: Committee FOR Human Rights Ordinance  
Jerry F. King, Chair; Bruce E. Hagensen, Val Joshua

### Rebuttal of statement against:

The Board will be nine local residents, publicly appointed by elected officials; like Youth Commission and Urban Forestry Commission.

The Ordinance was created in public meetings. Council responded and made changes after public hearings and testimony.

City taxpayer cost is capped at \$50,000 a year. This is local money for services the State doesn't provide.

State HRC Director quotation is misrepresented. See [WWW.yes-on-human-rights.com](http://WWW.yes-on-human-rights.com) to learn more.

Vote FOR, for making our City better for all.

Written by: Committee FOR Human Rights Ordinance  
Jerry F. King, Chair; Bruce E. Hagensen; Val Joshua

## Explanatory Statement of the ballot measure

### CURRENT LAW:

The City of Vancouver has no existing ordinance or body that addresses human rights issues on the local level. Activity under a 1968 city unfair housing practices enforcement ordinance ceased in the late 1970's.

### RESULTS OF PASSAGE OF ORDINANCE M-3557

Ordinance M-3557 replaces the 1968 ordinance with a legal

framework for a new human rights advisory commission; authorizes the new commission to address local issues of discrimination under existing state and federal anti-discrimination laws through information, education and volunteer programs; allows for a joint City/County commission; and provides for oversight of the commission's annual workplan and budget by City Council.

## Statement against:

Another arm of government will never be able to change how each of us responds to the thoughts and actions of others because we are all different.

Because of our unique color, cultural, and personality differences, we must individually accept responsibility to do to others what we would have others do to us. Should this responsibility be forced on citizens by ten lawmakers hand-picking nine appointees to interpret this ill-conceived HRC?

Human voices of all colors must be heard, and their rights defended. Our State Constitution declares that we, the people, should decide how we should be governed. The Constitution was "established to protect and maintain (our) individual rights." Contrary to these constitutional rights elected officials, plus a select few, met in secret to decide what they think is best for us.

Taxpayers already pay for referral, education and mediation services: \$6,600,000 for Washington State HRC; \$518,876 for our local Community Mediation Services; and \$20,000 for our local YWCA Diversity Task Force. This totals \$7,138,876 taxpayers give to these agencies biennially.

HRC proponents now demand you, the taxpayer, give over another \$200,000 while city officials admit there is inadequate funding for fire, police, roads, senior programs, parks for our children, etc.

Finally, the State HRC Director warned, "A patchwork of local ordinances can easily result in confusion about rights and responsibilities." "...multiple layers of civil rights protections can prove burdensome for employers and landlords..."

Don't create another arm of government to socially engineer our lives. Vote "No."

Written by: Voices for Fairness Committee  
Lee Hemen, Chair; Wendall Farny; Joan Schrader

## Rebuttal of statement for:

Taxpayers pay \$7,138,876 for human rights referral, education, mediation and enforcement services.

According to HRC proponents, Vancouver taxpayers need to pay another \$200,000 to create a "moderate ordinance" which results in "handshakes", "voluntary discussions", "cooperation", "recommendations to elected officials", and "sponsor events" without "any enforcement role."

Your constitutional rights were violated by officials who met secretly and withheld vital information to avoid public scrutiny. See [www.Iamfree.org](http://www.Iamfree.org).

Vote "No" to foolish spending of our tax dollars.

Written by: Voices For Fairness Committee

Lee Hemen, Chair; Wendell Farny; Joan Schrader

# Complete text of local measures

## RESOLUTION NO. M-3358

A RESOLUTION providing for the submission to the qualified electors (voters) of the City at the municipal general election to be held on November 6, 2001, of a referendum measure to determine whether the City should establish a Human Rights Commission, pursuant to Ordinance M-3557; providing for certification of such referendum measure; and approving a ballot title therefor.

WHEREAS, by Ordinance M-3557, the City Council provided for the establishment and operation of a Human Rights Commission; and

WHEREAS, by a petition duly filed and now certified by the City Clerk under City Charter Article X, a sufficient number of registered voters have proposed repeal of Ordinance M-3557; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has considered such petition and on September 4, 2001, declined to repeal such referred ordinance, and the referred ordinance should now be submitted to the voters for their approval or rejection pursuant to Sections 10.07 and 10.08 and 10.09 of the City Charter.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY OF VANCOUVER:

Section 1. That pursuant to Section 10.08 of the Vancouver City Charter and Ch. 29.13 RCW, Ordinance M-3557, which was approved by the Council and signed by the Mayor on July 16, 2001, and which was referred by a duly certified referendum petition, is hereby placed on the ballot at a special election hereby called to be held on November 6, 2001, in conjunction with the General Municipal Election to be held on said date, for its adoption or rejection by the qualified electors (voters) of the City of Vancouver.

Section 2. Pursuant to Section 10.09 of the Vancouver City Charter and the following ballot title for said ordinance prepared by the City Attorney is hereby approved by the City Council, and the City Clerk is directed to forthwith certify

to the Auditor of Clark County, as Supervisor of Elections, said measure in the following form:

Referred by Referendum Petition  
Ordinance M-3557

AN ORDINANCE providing for the establishment and operation of a Human Rights Commission.

FOR THE ORDINANCE [ ]  
AGAINST THE ORDINANCE [ ]

Section 3. Every qualified elector (voter) at such election desiring to vote in favor of such ordinance and in favor of establishing a Human Rights Commission shall vote "For the Ordinance." Every qualified elector (voter) desiring to vote for the rejection of such ordinance and against establishing a Human Rights Commission shall vote "Against the Ordinance."

Section 4. The City Clerk shall forthwith transmit a certified copy of this resolution to the Clark County Auditor and shall arrange for publication pursuant to law.

ADOPTED at regular session of the Council of the City of Vancouver, this 4th day of September, 2001.

Royce E. Pollard, Mayor

Attest: Sylvia G. Costich, Interim City Clerk

Approved as to form: Ted H. Gathe, City Attorney

## CERTIFICATION

I, Sylvia Costich, Interim City Clerk of the City of Vancouver do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original Resolution No. M-3358, as on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Vancouver.

Sylvia Costich, Interim City Clerk

## ORDINANCE M-3557

AN ORDINANCE relating to human rights and discrimination; adding a new chapter 2.90 to the Vancouver Municipal Code providing for the establishment and operation of a human rights commission; repealing Ordinance M-1006, codified as Chapter 8.44 VMC; establishing a new position of Human Rights Specialist; establishing a "Human Rights Commission Fund"; providing for severability; and setting an effective date.

WHEREAS, as set for in SR 2001-144-01, the City Council has received testimony addressing the need for a local human rights commission; and

WHEREAS, based on such testimony and the record before it, Council recognizes human rights as a significant societal concern within the City of Vancouver; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of Council to establish a human rights commission singly or in cooperation with other jurisdictions in Clark County to address such concerns;

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF VANCOUVER:

Section 1. There shall be added to the Vancouver Municipal Code a new Chapter 2.90 to read as follows:  
**Chapter 2.90 HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION**

**Sections:**

**2.90.010 Findings.**

**2.90.020 Purpose.**

**2.90.030 Definitions.**

**2.90.040 Establishment-Singly or through interlocal cooperation.**

**2.90.050 Commission.**

**2.90.060 Duties and functions.**

**2.90.070 Actions or claims against city.**

**2.90.080 Severability.**

**2.90.010 Findings.**

The city of Vancouver finds that the foundation of a free democratic society is a community where human dignity is the standard and where freedom from unlawful discrimination is the law. The city deems it necessary and proper to adopt an ordinance establishing a human rights commission to address the issues of

discrimination and human rights on the local level.

**2.90.020 Purpose.**

The purpose of this chapter is to establish a human rights commission structure for the city of Vancouver by which the city of Vancouver, singly or in cooperation with other general purpose local governments in Clark County, will foster for all people a safe, humane community where human dignity is the standard, where all people have equal access to housing, employment, and public accommodation, and where freedom from unlawful discrimination is the law.

**2.90.030 Definitions.**

For purposes of this chapter the following terms, phrases, words and their derivations shall have the meaning given herein. When not inconsistent with the context, words used in the present tense include the future, words in the plural number include the singular number, and words in the singular number include the plural number. Words not defined shall be given their common and ordinary meaning.

- (1) "Commission" means the human rights commission established pursuant to this ordinance.
- (2) "Human rights" means the right to be free from discrimination, unlawful practices and harassment as prohibited by the provisions of Washington state and federal constitutions and laws including but not limited to the following:
  - (a) Article I § 11 of the Washington Constitution (Religious Freedom);
  - (b) Article I § 12 (Special privileges and immunities prohibited);
  - (c) Article XXXI § 1 of the Washington Constitution (Equality Not to be Denied Because of Sex);
  - (d) RCW 49.60 RCW (Washington State Law Against Discrimination);
  - (e) RCW 9A.36.078 et seq (Malicious Harassment);
  - (f) Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended, 42 USC 2000e;
  - (g) The Age Discrimination in Employment Act of 1967, as amended, 29 USC 621;
  - (h) The Equal Pay Act, 29 USC 201 et seq;
  - (i) The Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, as amended;
  - (j) The Pregnancy Discrimination Act of

1978, 42 USC 2000 et seq.; and

(k) The Fair Housing Act, as amended, 42 USC 3604 et seq.

**2.90.040 Establishment - Singly or through interlocal cooperation.**

(1) A human rights commission is hereby established to be appointed to carry out the purposes of this chapter under either of the following methods:

(a) The mayor, with the approval of the city council, may appoint the commission members to focus on human rights issues within the city of Vancouver; or

(b) The city council may by interlocal agreement with one or more general purpose governmental jurisdictions within Clark County establish a human rights commission to focus on regional and cross-jurisdictional human rights issues. Commission members shall be appointed in accordance with such interlocal agreement.

(2) The members of the commission shall be selected through a formal application process and public interview process with the mayor and Vancouver city councilmembers, or through a comparable process with the members of the legislative bodies of other participating jurisdictions.

(3) The composition, qualifications, compensation, terms of office, vacancies and removal of commission members for a commission established under this section shall be consistent with the provisions of VMC 2.90.040.

**2.90.050 Commission.**

(1) Size. The human rights commission shall consist of nine (9) members.

(2) Qualifications. Members shall be residents of Clark County who have an interest in and commitment to human rights.

(3) Initial appointments. Of the nine initial appointees, three shall serve a two year term, three shall serve a three year term, and three shall serve a four year term.

(4) Subsequent appointments. After the initial appointments, the term for appointees shall be three years.

(5) Term limitations. No appointee shall serve for more than two full consecutive terms.

(6) Vacancies. Any vacancies which may come to exist shall be filled by the appointing authority for the remainder of

the unexpired term.

(7) Removal. Any member may be removed by the appointing authority; provided that no member shall be removed during his or her term of office unless for incapacity, incompetence, neglect of duty or malfeasance in office or for a disqualifying change of residence.

(8) Compensation. Members shall serve without pay; provided that their reasonable travel and other expenses may be paid in accordance with the policies of the appointing authority or as authorized by interlocal agreement.

**2.90.060 Duties and functions.**

A human rights commission appointed in accordance with this chapter shall have the authority and duty to:

- (1) Establish and adopt rules of governance for its own affairs;
- (2) Hold regular meetings in conformity with the open public meetings act, Ch. 42.30 RCW;
- (3) Keep written records of its proceedings;
- (4) Convene work groups and committees to achieve a coordinated focus on human rights education;
- (5) Seek funding for human rights programs;
- (6) Recruit volunteers to assist in human rights programs;
- (7) Develop a budget for submittal to City Council or in accordance with such human rights commission interlocal agreement as may be entered into pursuant to VMC 2.90.040; and
- (8) Develop an annual work plan for submittal to the City Council or in accordance with such human rights commission interlocal agreement as may be entered into pursuant to VMC 2.90.040.

**2.90.070 Actions or claims against the city.**

Nothing in this chapter is intended to create a cause of action or claim against the city of Vancouver or its officials, employees or agents running to specific individuals. Any duty created by the ordinance codified in this chapter is a general duty running in favor of the public.

**2.90.080 Severability.**

If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or other portion of this ordinance, or its application to any person is, for any reason, declared invalid,

in whole or in part by any court or agency of competent jurisdiction, said decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions hereof.

Section 3. Ordinance M-1006, codified as Ch. 8.44 VMC, is hereby repealed.

Section 4. There is hereby established a "Human Rights Commission Fund" to maintain funds contributed by the City or other parties to any interlocal agreement entered into in conformity with this ordinance and to carry out the functions of a human rights commission established under this Ordinance. An account shall be established within the Human Rights Commission Fund and all funds that are raised through contributions to the City or other

signatories to such interlocal for the support of the human rights commission shall be deposited into said account.

Section 5 that as recommended in SR 144-01 there is hereby established a new position designated Community Relations Specialist B.

Section 6. To effectuate Section 4, sufficient funds have already been budgeted, appropriated and are available within the 2001-2002 Budget.

Section 7. Effective date. This ordinance shall go into effect thirty days after final passage. Acts taken in conformity with this ordinance prior to its effective date are hereby ratified and affirmed.

Read first time: July 2, 2001

Ayes: Councilmembers Tonkovich, Jollota, Moeller, Harris, and Mayor Pollard

Nays: Councilmembers Lipton

Absent: Councilmembers Burkman

Read second time: July 16, 2001

PASSED by the following vote:

Ayes: Councilmembers Tonkovich, Jollota, Moeller, Burkman, and Mayor Pollard

Nays: Councilmembers Lipton

Absent: Councilmembers Harris

SIGNED this 16th day of July, 2001.

Royce E. Pollard, Mayor

Attest: Sylvia Costich, Interim City Clerk

Approved as to form: Ted H. Gathe, City Attorney

## *Be an informed voter. Here's how.*

There are many sources of information for citizens wishing to know more about candidates, issues, and coverage of the upcoming November 6 General Election.

### Read all about it.



- The Columbian.

Web site:

[www.columbian.com](http://www.columbian.com)

- The Oregonian.

Web site: [www.oregonlive.com/metronorth/oregonian/index.ssf](http://www.oregonlive.com/metronorth/oregonian/index.ssf)

- The Camas/Washougal Post Record.

Web site: [www.camaspostrecord.com](http://www.camaspostrecord.com)

- The Battle Ground Reflector.

### Join Clark County residents and candidates on election night.

On election night gather at Gaiser Hall at Clark College to hear and see election results. The college is located at 1800 East McLoughlin Blvd., Vancouver.

### Surf the Internet.

- Election coverage can be found on the Clark County Elections Department web site: [www.co.clark.wa.us/auditor/election/homepage.html](http://www.co.clark.wa.us/auditor/election/homepage.html).

- The Fort Vancouver Regional Library has computers with Internet connections available for public use.

