

voters' pamphlet

Oregon Vote-by-Mail General Election | **November 5, 2024**



Attention

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Translation Information

Selected portions of this county voters' pamphlet are available in Simplified Chinese, German, Korean, Russian, Spanish, and Vietnamese. These translations can be found online at oregonvotes.gov/YamhillVP

本县选民手册的部分内容提供简体中文版本。可以访问 oregonvotes.gov/YamhillVP 获取译本。

Bestimmte Teile dieser Bezirks-Wahlbroschüre sind auf deutsch verfügbar. Diese Übersetzungen finden Sie online unter oregonvotes.gov/YamhillVP

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In 2021, the Oregon Legislature passed the Voter Language Access Bill (HB 3021) requiring the Secretary of State to translate portions of state and county voters' pamphlets in Oregon's and the county's most spoken languages. The law seeks to remove barriers to voting for those who are not fully proficient in English. The bill's requirements were implemented for the first time in the 2022 General Election.

To help in this effort, the Translation Advisory Council was created. The Council is made up of volunteer community members who represent the ethnic, linguistic, and cultural diversity of Oregon voters. Council members make sure state and county translations are accurate and retain the original tone and meaning in a culturally appropriate manner.

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Yamhill County Voters:

This is your November 5, 2024 General Election Voters' Pamphlet. It has been prepared to provide impartial information and educate voters about the local candidates and measures. All candidate statements, ballot measures and arguments that appear in this pamphlet were submitted along with the applicable filing fees. Candidates are not required to submit a picture and statement regarding their candidacy.

The November 5, 2024 General Election, as all elections in the State of Oregon, will be conducted by mail. Ballots will be mailed beginning October 16th to each registered voter. Here are a few things you should know:

- The **registration deadline** for citizens who are not currently registered to vote in the State of Oregon for the November 5, 2024 General Election is **Tuesday, October 15, 2024**.
- This Voters' Pamphlet includes all measures and contests in Yamhill County for this election. Voters' pamphlets are mailed to each household in Yamhill County regardless of registration status. Not all candidates or measures will be on your ballot. Your official ballot will only include those candidates and measures for which you are eligible to vote based on your residence address.
- Vote-by-Mail ballots cannot be forwarded. Visit oregonvotes.gov/myvote or in person at the Yamhill County Clerk's Office at 414 NE Evans St, McMinnville, OR 97128 to verify or update your address. If a ballot was delivered to your residence for someone who should no longer be receiving a ballot at your address, please write "RETURN" on the envelope and place it back in your mailbox or drop it in one of our Official Ballot Drop Boxes.
- **Remember to sign your ballot return envelope.** The signature on each voter's ballot return envelope is verified against the voter's signature on file. The signatures must match before a ballot can be accepted and counted. If your signature has changed, please update your voter registration.
- The deadline to return your voted ballot in your signed ballot return envelope is **8:00 p.m., Tuesday, November 5, 2024**. Ballots may be returned by mail (no postage required). Ballots mailed on or before Election Day must have a postmark (or USPS indicator) and must arrive by the 7th day after Election Day. Ballots may be placed in an Official Ballot Drop Box or returned to the Yamhill County Clerk's office. A complete list of Official Ballot Drop Boxes is included in this pamphlet or visit our website at yamhillcounty.gov for locations nearest you.

Keri Hinton
Yamhill County Clerk

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Voting Information

REGISTERING TO VOTE

To be eligible to vote in the November 5, 2024 General Election, a completed voter registration card must be received at the Yamhill County Clerk's Office or postmarked by October 15, 2024.

To register to vote in Oregon, you must be:

- A resident of Oregon
- A United States citizen
- At least 18 years of age by Election Day

Update your registration if:

- Your residence or mailing address changes
- Your name changes
- You wish to change your party affiliation

You may **register to vote** or **update your registration** at www.oregonvotes.gov

VOTERS WITH DISABILITIES

If you need assistance with voting or casting your ballot, call the Yamhill County Elections Office at (503) 434-7518 (503) 554-7850 (Newberg toll-free) or TTY (800) 735-2900. We will provide staff to assist you in voting or you may authorize a friend, family member, or other trusted person, who is not affiliated with your employer or union, to assist you. (ORS 254.445)

REQUESTING A REPLACEMENT BALLOT

If you make a mistake on your ballot, spoil it in any way, or lose it, please contact the Yamhill County Clerk's Office at (503) 434-7518 or (503) 554-7850 (Newberg toll-free) to request a replacement ballot.

Original ballot packets are prepared 30 days before the election. Any registration changes (address, name, party affiliation) that occur after the original ballot packet is prepared will inactivate the original ballot packet, and a new ballot packet will be issued. The new ballot packet will have the word "reissued" or "replacement" printed on the ballot return envelope between the barcodes above the address. Always vote the most recent ballot packet you receive. All inactivated ballot packets will be rejected.

VOTING INSTRUCTIONS

Examine your ballot packet to ensure it contains the following items:

- Printed ballot
- Postage-paid, purple-trimmed envelope to sign and return your voted ballot
- Ballot measure insert. You are not eligible to vote on all measures; only those you are eligible to vote on will be printed on your ballot.
- **Don't forget to sign the ballot return envelope!**

Return and sign your voted ballot:

- Insert your ballot in the postage-paid ballot return envelope that includes the secrecy weave. Election staff will maintain the secrecy of your ballot.
- Remember to **sign** your ballot return envelope. Read the voter's statement on the return envelope and sign in the signature box. Your ballot will not be counted if the ballot return envelope is not signed. Every signature is verified against the voter's registration signature on file, and the signature must match for the ballot to be counted. If your signature has changed, please update your voter registration.
- Return your voted ballot by mail (no stamp required) or place the ballot return envelope in an Official Ballot Drop Site no later than 8:00 p.m. on Tuesday, November 5, 2024. Ballots that are mailed, postmarked by the United States Postal Service (USPS) by 8:00 p.m. on Election Day must be received by the Clerk's Office within seven days.
- To track the status of your ballot you can sign up for Ballottrax at: <https://yamhillcounty.ballottrax.net/voter/> or you can access this information through My Vote at: <https://sos.oregon.gov/voting/pages/myvote.aspx?lang=en>

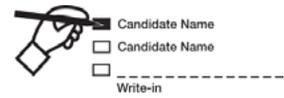
How To Cast Your Vote

Complete your ballot

To vote, completely fill in the box next to your choice with a pen (blue or black ink). Do not use a felt tip pen.

To vote for a person not on the ballot, fill in the box next to the “write-in” line, then neatly write the name of the person on the line provided.

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



Check for errors

If you vote for more options than are allowed, your vote **will not count** for that contest.

If you would like to change your choice on a contest, draw a solid line through your original choice, then make your next selection.

If you think you made a mistake, call the Yamhill County Elections Office.



Sign your ballot return envelope

You must sign your ballot return envelope or **your vote will not count**.

We verify every signature on every envelope against the voter files.

Insert your ballot into your ballot return envelope (not another person’s ballot). If we receive an envelope with more than one ballot inside, all ballots enclosed will be rejected.



Return your ballot

- By mail - stamps are no longer required (*ballot return envelopes in Oregon now use prepaid postage*).
 - Postmarks can count! Ballots mailed on or before Election Day must have a postmark (or USPS indicator) and must arrive by the 7th day after Election Day to be processed.
- At any Official Ballot Drop Site.
- At the Yamhill County Elections Office at 414 NE Evans St., McMinnville.

Track your ballot with ballottrax[★]

Sign up today to receive Ballot Status Alerts!

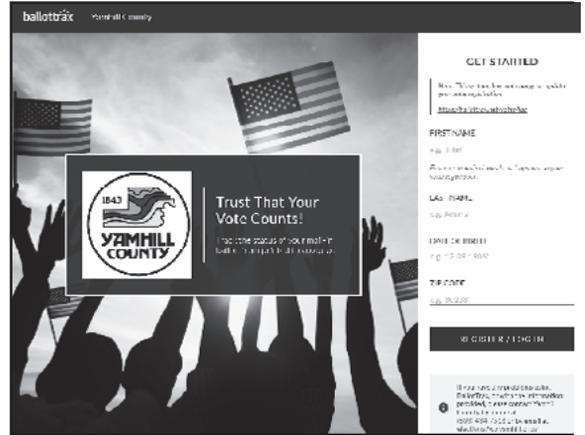
Would you like to receive a text or e-mail message when your ballot has been received by our office?

The Yamhill County Clerk, in partnership with i3Logix, offers Yamhill County voters a service that provides notifications regarding their ballot status.

Participating voters will receive alerts at different points on their ballot's journey. Text, e-mail, or voice alerts will notify voters when the Yamhill County Elections Office has mailed their ballot and when a voted ballot has been received.

Alerts will indicate that your ballot has been accepted, or whether it has a non-matching signature or another defect that requires further action by you, the voter.

There is no charge to Yamhill County voters to sign up for this service. Voters will have the option of receiving text, e-mail, or voice alerts. Sign up today to begin receiving messages. *Text message charges from your phone service carrier may apply.*



To sign up for this service visit:

<https://yamhillcounty.ballottrax.net/voter/>

(link is external)

If you have any questions about this service, please call Yamhill County Elections at (503) 434-7518 or (503) 554-7850 (Newberg toll-free), TTY (800) 735-2900 or e-mail: elections@yamhillcounty.gov

Scan this QR code to sign up today!



Ballot Title

36-233

Prohibits psilocybin-related businesses within the City of Sheridan.

QUESTION: Shall the City of Sheridan prohibit psilocybin-related businesses?

SUMMARY: State law allows for the manufacturing, transportation, delivery, sale and purchase of psilocybin, the psychedelic drug found in certain mushrooms. State law provides that a local government may adopt an ordinance to be referred to the voters to prohibit the establishment of licensed psilocybin product manufacturers and/or psilocybin service centers. The Sheridan City Council adopted an ordinance to refer to the voters that prohibits psilocybin related businesses in Sheridan.

Approval of the measure would prohibit the establishment of psilocybin product manufacturers and psilocybin service centers within the Sheridan city limits.

Explanatory Statement

Approval of this measure would prohibit the establishment and operation of psilocybin-related businesses within the City of Sheridan. A city council may adopt an ordinance prohibiting the establishment of psilocybin related businesses within the city, but the council must refer the ordinance to the voters at a statewide general election. The Sheridan City Council has adopted an ordinance prohibiting the establishment of psilocybin related businesses within the City of Sheridan and, as a result, has referred this measure to the voters.

If approved, this measure would prohibit psilocybin-related businesses within the City of Sheridan.

(This information furnished by Heidi Bell, City of Sheridan.)

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MEASURE**

Ballot Title

36-234

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

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

SUMMARY: Under state law, a city council may adopt an ordinance to be referred to the voters of the city imposing up to a 3 % tax or fee on the sale of marijuana items in the city by a licensed marijuana retailer.

Approval of this measure would impose a 3 % tax on the sale of marijuana items in the city of Amity by a licensed marijuana retailer. The tax would be collected at the point of sale, remitted by the marijuana retailer, and distributed to the City's Street Fund.

Explanatory Statement

Approval of this measure would impose a 3 % tax on the sale of marijuana items by a marijuana retailer within the city. The revenues generated by this tax would be directed to the City's Street Fund.

Under Measure 91, adopted by Oregon voters in November 2014, codified in ORS chapter 475B and amended by the Legislature in 2016, 2017, and 2018, the Oregon Liquor Control Commission must license the retail sale of recreational marijuana. ORS 475B.491 provides that a city council may adopt an ordinance imposing up to a 3 % tax on the sale of marijuana items (which include marijuana concentrates, extracts, edibles, and other products intended for human consumption and use) by retail licensees in the city, but the council must refer that ordinance to the voters at a statewide general election. The City of Amity city council has adopted an ordinance imposing a 3 % tax on the sale of marijuana items by a retail licensee in the city, and, as a result, has referred this measure to the voters.

(This information furnished by Nathan Frarck, City Administrator, City of Amity.)

**NO ARGUMENTS
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SUPPORT OF OR IN
OPPOSITION TO THIS
MEASURE**

Ballot Title

36-235

Prohibits psilocybin-related businesses within Amity.

QUESTION: Shall Amity prohibit psilocybin-related businesses in the city of Amity?

SUMMARY: State law allows the manufacture, distribution and possession of psilocybin. State law provides that a city council may adopt an ordinance to be referred to the voters to prohibit the establishment of any of those registered or licensed activities. Voter approval of this measure would prohibit the establishment of psilocybin manufacturers and psilocybin service center operators within the city of Amity.

Explanatory Statement

Voter approval of this measure would prohibit the establishment and operation of psilocybin-related businesses within the city of Amity.

A city council may adopt an ordinance prohibiting the establishment of psilocybin related businesses within the city, but the council must refer the ordinance to the voters at a statewide general election. The City of Amity city council has adopted an ordinance prohibiting the establishment of psilocybin-related businesses within the city in order to refer this measure to the voters.

If voters approve, this measure will prohibit psilocybin-related businesses within the city of Amity.

(This information furnished by Nathan Frarck, City Administrator, City of Amity.)

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Measure 24-507 Chemeketa Community College

Ballot Title

24-507

Bonds to Upgrade and Enhance CTE, Technology, Facilities, and Safety

QUESTION: Shall Chemeketa issue up to \$140,000,000 in bonds to improve career technical education spaces and upgrade technology, facilities, and safety? If the bonds are approved, they will be payable from taxes on property or property ownership that are not subject to the limits of sections 11 and 11b, Article XI of the Oregon Constitution.

SUMMARY: Chemeketa Community College proposes a bond measure in a principal amount not to exceed \$140,000,000 which would allow the College to receive an additional \$8,000,000 state grant. The bonds are expected to finance capital costs, including:

*Expanding Career and Technical Education and Improving Teaching and Learning Spaces

*Increase CTE capacity in healthcare, trades, and emergency services

*Modernize technology

*Improve classroom and learning spaces

*Extend useful life of buildings, HVAC, roof, elevator improvements

*Renovating a Wellness / Resiliency Center and Leveraging an \$8,000,000 State Grant to Provide:

*Community disaster resource site, with seismic improvements

*Health and wellness facilities

*Promoting Student Access and Success

*Building renovations, upgrades, and improvements to student activity and student support spaces

*Community athletic fields

*Improving Safety

*Cameras, lighting, parking lot improvements to enhance safety

*Site improvements, demolition, furnishings, equipment, bond issuance costs

Bonds may be issued in multiple series; each maturing within 21 years from issuance. Bonds are estimated to cost \$0.27 per \$1,000 of assessed value. Actual levy rate may differ due to final interest rates and changes in assessed value.

function as a community resource site during disasters, such as the wildfires of 2020. Bond funding would allow access to an additional \$8 million in state grants for this project.

- **Enhance Opportunities in Outreach Areas:** Renovate existing spaces in Woodburn for a science laboratory; in Brooks for emergency services training; and in Polk and Yamhill counties to improve teaching and study spaces.

Promoting Student Access and Success

Chemeketa intends to use bond proceeds to improve safety and provide educational and workforce training that will prepare students for careers now and in the future.

- **Modernize Technology and Classroom Facilities:** Ensure that students have access to updated learning environments that will allow them to interact and use technology to be successful in the workforce.
- **Improve Safety:** Upgrade interior and exterior lighting, improve parking lot and sidewalk accessibility, and enhance campus security including cameras and access controls for doors.
- **Upgrade Community Athletic Fields:** Renovate existing fields, including installation of lighting, to increase availability and usage for the College and the community.

Preserving and Extending College Facilities

The bond will fund renovations that preserve the community's investment in College infrastructure by:

- **Extending Building Lifespans:** Renew outdated heating and cooling systems, enhance energy conservation, upgrade elevators, and replace roofs.
- **Aging Infrastructure Upgrades:** Keep College buildings functional and safe for future generations through targeted repairs.

Conserving Public Resources

The College has a track record of responsible financial management, as demonstrated by the execution of the 2008 bond measure. With the expiration of the previous bonds, this new measure aims to:

- **Maximize Existing Resources:** Renovate rather than replace aging buildings to save on operational costs and improve energy efficiency.
- **Promote Equitable Cost Distribution:** Structure bond payments to include contributions from new district residents, ensuring fairness in tax levies.

Financing the Bonds:

If approved, the bonds are estimated to have the same levy rate as the total original estimate for the expiring 2008 bonds.

The estimated tax rate to repay the bonds is approximately \$0.27 per \$1,000 of assessed value. For a residence assessed at \$275,000, the annual cost would be approximately \$74.25. Bonds will be repaid in a period not to exceed 21 years.

(This information furnished by Jessica Howard, President, Chemeketa Community College.)

Explanatory Statement

Chemeketa Community College's bond measure aims to enhance educational opportunities, upgrade aging facilities, and improve safety across the College's campuses.

Expanding Educational Opportunities

Chemeketa serves over 17,000 students annually across seven locations, providing education and career training. This bond measure will allow the College to:

- **Establish a New CTE Trades Center:** Address the region's workforce needs by training workers in skilled trades essential to local industries, including HVAC, Sheet Metal, and other apprenticeship programs.
- **Create a Community Health and Wellness Center:** Renovate and modernize a key facility, to meet contemporary health education needs. The facility will also be upgraded to

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Measure 24-507 Arguments

Argument in Favor

Continuing a Legacy: Support the Chemeketa Bond to Reinforce our Workforce and Community

Every day your life and ours are touched by Chemeketa Community College. It might be the firefighter or EMT who helped in a time of crisis, or the mechanic who repaired your truck. Chemeketa's Career Technical Education (CTE) programs are fueling our region's economy and serving you in so many ways! Many of our, and probably your, friends, family and neighbors have earned certificates or degrees from one of the 94 CTE programs Chemeketa offers.

This Chemeketa Bond is not a new bond – it is a continuation of the bond passed in 2008. The best news is that it's at the same rate as 2008 – only .27 cents per thousand. This measure merely replaces the 2008 bond. After 16 years, it is time to reinvest in Chemeketa's facilities located in four different counties and the systems throughout Chemeketa's service area to maintain secure, safe and technologically current campuses.

From a new Science Lab in Woodburn, to application of new digital and equipment technologies in multiple locations, this bond supports the changing demands of our future workforce. Industrial, public safety, business and healthcare programs will each benefit. In addition, a portion of the monies will be matched by federal funds to make seismic upgrades so Chemeketa can continue to serve as a catastrophe response center and meet federally required guidelines for public facilities.

You can learn more about Chemeketa and this bond online at go.chemeketa.edu/bond or chemeketavoteyes.com.

We are proud to stand up and volunteer for Chemeketa as Co-Chairs of Friends of Chemeketa. We invite you to join us and vote YES to pass this important bond. There is no better way to say thank you to the many students and graduates who help us every day, and there is no better time than now to invest in our region and our workforce.

Sincerely,

Theresa Haskins and Dick Withnell
Friends of Chemeketa

(This information furnished by Theresa A Haskins, Friends of Chemeketa.)

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Argument in Favor

Advancing Healthcare Excellence: Measure No. 24-507 Will Strengthen our Community

As someone who has long supported Chemeketa Community College and its mission to serve students and the community, I can confidently say that the college plays a crucial role in preparing the healthcare professionals our region depends on. Chemeketa's nursing program is consistently rated among the top in the state, and it's no wonder that graduates often have jobs waiting for them upon graduation—hospital administrators know they are hiring top-notch nurses trained to the highest standards.

But it's not just nursing. Chemeketa's health programs, including dental assisting, pharmacy tech, anesthesia technology, behavioral health, health information management, and many others, are equally exemplary. These programs produce professionals who are well-prepared to meet the demands of the healthcare industry, ensuring that our community's health needs are met by skilled, compassionate caregivers.

To maintain this level of excellence, it is imperative that Chemeketa's facilities remain state-of-the-art. This bond measure is critical to ensuring that our students continue to receive the best possible education, so they can continue to meet the workforce needs of our community. I strongly support this bond measure and encourage others to do the same.

Sincerely,

Bud Pierce, MD, Ph.D

(This information furnished by Bud Pierce.)

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Measure 24-507 Arguments

Argument in Favor

Measure No. 24-507 Will Enhance Campus Facilities and Strengthen Local Economic Development

As the voice of the business community in McMinnville, we understand the vital role that education plays in fostering a strong local economy. Chemeketa Community College's Yamhill Valley Campus in McMinnville is a key asset in our community, providing the education and training that our residents need to secure living-wage jobs and contribute to the growth of our local economy.

The upcoming bond measure is important to ensuring that the Yamhill Valley Campus continues to serve our community effectively. Enhanced safety and security measures, including parking lot improvements, are critical for creating a safe and welcoming environment for students. Upgrades to existing buildings and infrastructure will ensure that our campus remains a modern, efficient space where students achieve and grow. Improvements to classrooms and the renovation of student activity and support spaces are necessary to provide the up-to-date facilities and technology that students need to succeed in their studies and, ultimately, in their careers.

Supporting this bond measure means investing in the future of the greater McMinnville Area. When students have access to quality education in well-equipped facilities, they are better prepared to enter the workforce, earn a living wage, and support their families. This, in turn, strengthens our local economy and contributes to the overall prosperity of our community.

We encourage voters to support this bond measure which will ensure that our Chemeketa Yamhill Valley Campus remains a cornerstone of education and economic opportunity in our region.

Sincerely,

John Olson, President
McMinnville Area Chamber of Commerce

(This information furnished by John Olson, McMinnville Area Chamber of Commerce.)

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Yamhill County Commissioner, Position 2



(Bubba) David King

Occupation: Owner/Dairy farmer, Godspeed Hollow

Occupational Background: Restaurant Owner, Youth Pastor, Cellar Master, Concrete Finisher

Educational Background: Sherwood High School, Graduate

Prior Governmental Experience: Newberg Urban Renewal Citizens Advisory Committee; Newberg System Development Charges Subcommittee

Community Service: Board President, Chehalem Valley Chamber of Commerce; Board Member, Chehalem Valley Soccer Club

A Stronger, Safer, And Prosperous Yamhill County
Yamhill County's future is bright. We need leadership to rebuild relationships with our cities and state—keeping communities safe and creating opportunities for future generations. I would be honored to earn your vote.

Economic Prosperity

Our county is built on hard work, yet we are missing opportunities to strengthen key industries. I will:

- Incentivize business growth
- Attract investment, promote business-friendly policies, supporting family-wage jobs
- Encourage development that strengthens our economy while protecting our rural character

Community Safety

A safe community addresses the root causes of crime. I will:

- Expand efforts to address addiction, mental health, and homelessness, while supporting law enforcement with the resources they need

Accessible Housing

Housing is critical. I will:

- Connect local businesses and developers with state programs to increase housing options while safeguarding property rights

Infrastructure Investment

Our infrastructure needs attention. I will:

- Secure capital investments for essential infrastructure that our taxes have already paid

Effective County Services

We need to ensure our services work for all residents. I will:

- Pursue state and federal funding to support courts, corrections, transportation, and public health
- Ensure county employees are treated fairly, recruiting and retaining the best people

Endorsements

Independent Party of Oregon; Oregon CARES PAC; Yvette Potter, Mayor, City of Yamhill; Linda Watkins, Mayor of Carlton; Annette Frank, Mayor of Dayton; Remy Drabkin, Mayor of McMinnville; Brian Rake, Former Carlton Mayor; Kitty Mackin, Jim Maguire, Dayton City Councilor; Zack Geary, Sal Peralta, Jessica Payne, McMinnville City Councilors; Elise Yarnell Hollamon, Newberg City Councilor; David Samuel Hill, Carolyn L. Thomas-Rizer, Shirley Ward-Mullen, Carlton City Councilors; David Adelsheim; James Wolfer, Aubrey Nichols, Newberg-Dundee School Board Directors; Miriam Vargas Corona, Community-Based Nonprofit Leader

(This information furnished by Bubba King.)

The above information has not been verified for accuracy by the county.
Printed exactly as submitted.

Yamhill County Commissioner, Position 2



Lindsay Berschauer

Occupation: Yamhill County Commissioner; Business Owner

Occupational Background: Business Owner

Educational Background: Arizona State University, Criminal Justice, B.S.

Prior Governmental Experience: County Budget Committee; Newberg Rural Fire Protection District Board

WITH UNCERTAINTY IN OUR WORLD, LET'S KEEP HOLDING THE LINE HERE AT HOME

Yamhill County's pro-freedom policies make it more affordable to live here than in METRO-area counties, keep families safe, and give our businesses a leg up. Let's VOTE to protect that!

YAMHILL COUNTY SHERIFF SAM ELLIOTT ENDORSES LINDSAY

"Commissioner Berschauer has poured her time into supporting my team and she's demonstrated her commitment to public safety by protecting us from budget cuts. With the fentanyl crisis at our doorstep, she is the person I trust to lead Yamhill County." **-Sheriff Elliott**

TAX WATCHDOGS TRUST LINDSAY

"Lindsay is the only candidate to HOLD THE LINE against new taxes." **-Taxpayers Association of Oregon**

OREGON FIREARMS PAC ENDORSES LINDSAY

"Lindsay has never compromised her belief that the Second Amendment shall not be infringed. This election, if you care about your gun rights, keep her in office."

-Oregon Firearms PAC

MAYORS & MAIN STREET SUPPORT LINDSAY

"Recently, I challenged PGE's shocking rate increases that will harm our residents. Lindsay elevated my voice and the concerns of our shared constituents. She has been a true partner!"

-Hilary Malcomson, Lafayette Mayor

FARMERS VOTE LINDSAY

"Lindsay protected our property rights by stopping a Portland light rail 'crime train' that would have severely impacted family farms. We trust Lindsay." **-Oregon Family Farm Association**

VETERANS SUPPORT LINDSAY

"Lindsay protected veterans services in recent budget changes. She deserves your vote." **-Ret. Sergeant Chris Sieber, Oregon National Guard, Former USMC**

See all Lindsay's Community Endorsements:
www.lindsayforyamhillcounty.com

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Yamhill County Sheriff



Sam Elliott

Occupation: Yamhill County Sheriff

Occupational Background: Police Officer/Detective, McMinnville Police Department; Deputy Sheriff/Sergeant/Captain/Sheriff, Yamhill County Sheriff's Office.

Educational Background: Pierce Community College, General Arts and Sciences, Associates Degree 2005; Yamhill-Carlton High School, Diploma 1997.

Prior Governmental Experience: Local Alcohol and Drug Planning Committee; Local Public Safety Coordinating Council.

My name is Sam Elliott and I bring 23 years of law enforcement experience in Yamhill County to the office of Sheriff. Our family lives on a small farm outside Carlton.

We are fortunate in Yamhill County to enjoy beautiful scenery, a sense of community, and tremendous cooperation between county and city agencies.

As Sheriff I will continue to serve and lead by example with the utmost integrity, dedication and professionalism.

Since My Appointment, I Have Worked Diligently to:

- Fill vacancies within the organization
- Evaluate and streamline the budget
- Update the policy manual
- Provide support to partner agencies

Priorities As Sheriff:

- Accountability for those who take advantage of others and victimize society, as well as for law enforcement professionals and public servants.
- Navigating the recriminalization of drugs to address the fentanyl epidemic and the accompanying rise in property crimes, overdoses, and impaired driving.
- Increasing our training and equipment to deal with low-frequency, high-liability incidents, independent of assistance from outside agencies.
- Repairing or replacing our aging jail facility. It is not efficient in its layout or function to serve individuals suffering from addiction-related complications or behavioral health diagnoses.
- Scaling our office to meet the needs of the growing population, and to continue to provide professional and transparent service, through all divisions.

Endorsements:

Yamhill County District Attorney Brad Berry
Yamhill County District Attorney Elect Kate Lynch
Tim Svenson, Retired Sheriff
Chief of Police Matt Scales
Chief of Police Jeff Kosmicki
Police Captain Ryan Simmons
Cameron Ferguson, Police Captain
Yamhill County Commissioner Kit Johnston
Yamhill County Commissioner Mary Starrett
Yamhill County Commissioner Lindsay Berschauer

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Yamhill County Treasurer



Paulette Alexandria

Occupation: Yamhill County Treasurer

Occupational Background: Registered Financial Consultant – Citigroup/Smith Barney; Department Manager - Oregonian; Business Instructor

- Southern Oregon University, Rogue Community College, and Northwest Christian College

Educational Background: Master of Business Administration (MBA), cum laude; Business Administration, Bachelor of Science; Association of Public Treasurers of the US and Canada, Advanced Certified Public Funds Investment Manager, certified; Government Investment Officers Association, Certified Government Investment Officer; Investment training for Series 7, 31, 63, 65 investment licenses

Prior Governmental Experience: Yamhill County Local Investment Advisory Committee; Yamhill County Planning Commission; Marion County Planning Commission; Marion County Soil and Water Conservation District

The only candidate endorsed by:
Taxpayer Association of Oregon

As your current Yamhill County Treasurer, I know County taxpayers rely on the Treasurer to protect and grow assets.

I see my role as Treasurer as steady, conservative and risk averse.

The residents of Yamhill County depend on the assets of the county to provide county services. I am dedicated to applying my 30+ years of financial, investment and business management experience to work for Yamhill County. As a financial professional, I will manage the preservation and growth of county funds in accordance with the County Investment Policy Statement with a focus on risk management and asset preservation.

Yamhill County benefits from a Treasurer who is a financial investment professional with verifiable experience and a history of managing assets through challenging market cycles. My credentials are verified by the following associations:

- Advanced Certified Public Funds Investment Manager Certified by the Association of Public Treasurers of the US and Canada
- Government Investment Officer certified by the Government Investment Officers Association

Endorsements:

Mary Starrett, Yamhill County Commissioner
Lindsay Berschauer, Yamhill County Commissioner
Kit Johnston, Yamhill County Commissioner
Jason Williams, Taxpayer Association of Oregon

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City of Carlton Mayor



Linda Watkins

Occupation: co-owner: Ridenbaugh Press Publishing

Occupational Background: Public Information, Idaho State Controller

Educational Background:

Boise State University, Communication, BA

Prior Governmental Experience: 2 terms Mayor - City of Carlton, Oregon

How long you've lived in the town you seek to serve: Lived in Carlton since March 2004.

Serving as Mayor of Carlton has been one of the most enjoyable and challenging experiences of my life. Managing our changes while keeping the character of Carlton as a small, closely-knit community is something I want to be part of.

Our growth is our greatest challenge: keeping Carlton a thriving city, while retaining our small, closely-knit community. I'm working to ensure citizens have a voice in, and are kept informed and updated on new projects and proposals such as updating our Comprehensive Plan, which is the blueprint for how we grow. I have encouraged staff and our City Councilors to keep our citizens informed of all new activity.

In the last four years we have replaced the failing, mostly original main water transmission line, and are now working to ensure adequate water supply for the next several decades. In the last years, we've obtained close to \$10 million in state and federal funding to replace water and wastewater lines, money that otherwise would have come our local taxpayers

Our new Civic Building, which replaces a dangerously crumbling old building, is open and available to all of Carlton and has space for community meetings and activities as well as city services. We're planning for library services, and community events, both private and public: from exercise classes to potlucks.

I work every day at connecting with and listening to my neighbors, and I will always be available to our citizens to answer questions or help with problems. I may not always be able to give you the answer you want to hear...(I don't always get the answers I want to hear either), but I will tell you the truth.

(This information furnished by Linda Watkins.)

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City of Carlton City Council, At-Large



Guilherme Brandao

Occupation: Business Owner; Carlton City Councilor

Occupational Background: Accounting professional with experience in various roles, ranging from ownership and leadership in private companies

to public accounting. Strong foundation in accounting principles and diverse skill set, including advanced financial management, auditing, tax preparation, and business advisory services.

Educational Background: Idaho State University, Accounting, Masters; Brigham Young University, Accounting, Bachelors

Prior Governmental Experience: City Council; Planning Commission; Budget Committee

I am deeply honored to call the City of Carlton my home and to have the opportunity to serve this vibrant community. As someone who has long been involved in various aspects of our town's development, I understand the challenges and opportunities that lie ahead. I am passionate about creating a Carlton that will continue to thrive for future generations.

I am particularly passionate about ensuring the responsible management of our town's resources. Water conservation is essential for our community's sustainability, and I support initiatives that protect this vital resource. In the past years, we have improved and replaced old pipes in town, and transmission line replacement has dramatically decreased the amount of water lost between the reservoir and our houses. I will continue to support those improvements.

Furthermore, I am deeply passionate about our parks. I believe in their importance in enhancing the quality of life for all residents. As a strong advocate for prudent budgeting, I am committed to making data-driven decisions that support sustainable growth without compromising our financial health. We have successfully secured grants for sewer, revitalization, transportation plan updates, and others, significantly contributing to the city's improvement. I am dedicated to continuing to support such initiatives and many more that will enhance our city's infrastructure without burdening our citizens.

I am deeply grateful for your consideration of my candidacy for the City Council. Your support is invaluable to me, and I am eager for the opportunity to serve our community. Thank you.

(This information furnished by Guilherme Brandao.)

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**City of Carlton
City Council, At-Large**



**Susan
Turrell**

Occupation: Educational Assistant; Hillsboro School District

Occupational Background: 21 years as a Title 1 educational assistant reading instructor at Wascher Elementary. Previous to my husband and I starting

our family, I was a horticultural assistant at an Oregon wholesale tree nursery.

Educational Background: University of Idaho, Plant Science, Bachelor of Science

Prior Governmental Experience: Planning Commission, City of Carlton

Our family moved to Carlton over 25 years ago simply for its proximity to my husband's job. We soon realized we had stumbled into a "great little town." As newcomers, we felt lucky to have a park, doctor, drugstore, pool, hardware store, grocery, restaurant and a dentist all within walking distance of our home. Families who had been here for generations welcomed us with kindness and generosity. Our three kids grew up happily walking or cycling to friends and school. Nearby Hawn Creek invited exploration of their natural world.

We are now experiencing explosive growth that is rapidly changing our little town. Serving on the planning commission taught me that growth cannot be avoided but it can and it should be managed. Growth can and should add value while preserving what's best in our community. City Council has the power to shape the policies that would add value to our town. My motivation to join the City Council is simple: I want established families as well as newcomers to enjoy our community as much as our family has. I want to prioritize safe, affordable and reliable water, sewer and stormwater management; preserve, expand, and make accessible to every resident green places and neighborhood parks; support well planned neighborhood development with walkable, safe streets for all users; and participate in a City government that welcomes and encourages citizen involvement, Oregon's Statewide Land Use Planning Goal #1. Please support me in a community effort to leave our little corner of the world a better place for future generations.

(This information furnished by Susan Turrell.)

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**City of Carlton
City Council, At-Large**



**Kevin
Skipper**

Occupation: Customer Engineering Supervisor, McMinnville Water & Light

Occupational Background: Electric Engineering Tech, Public Purchasing, Inventory Management, Logistics, Emergency Services

Educational Background: Yamhill Carlton High School, Chemeketa Community College

Prior Governmental Experience: Carlton City Councilor 2020-Present, Carlton City Council President Jan 24-Present, New Carlton Fire District Budget Committee Member 2024

Community Volunteerism:

- Former Carlton Volunteer Firefighter/EMT
- Youth Sports Coach
- School Advisory Council Member
- St. Johns Pastoral Council
- Walk in the Park Volunteer
- With Courage Volunteer
- Yamhill Carlton Together Cares Volunteer

VOTE TO RE-ELECT KEVIN SKIPPER

It has been an honor and pleasure to serve as your City Councilor for the past four years. My commitment to Carlton and its residents has remained unwavering, even when faced with challenges. As a lifelong resident, I deeply understand and share the values, priorities, and concerns of our community. I am dedicated to ensuring that every voice is heard and that we address the tough questions together.

Our city has seen significant progress thanks to the collective efforts of the City Council, City Staff, and our community members. While we have achieved much, we must continue to tackle the challenges and seize the opportunities that lie ahead.

Carlton is more than just a place to me—it's home. I am deeply rooted here, and it would be a privilege to continue serving you as your City Councilor.

If re-elected, I pledge to bring a fresh perspective, innovative ideas, and transparency to the City Council. I am committed to preserving the livability and charm of our wonderful town and would be honored to have your continued support.

(This information furnished by Kevin Skipper.)

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**City of Dayton
City Council, At-Large**



**Robin Y
Pederson**

Occupation: Retired
Occupational Background: Public school music teacher 1982-2022
Educational Background: Pacific Lutheran University, Tacoma, WA, Bachelors of Arts and Education, BAE, 1982; Portland State University, Masters of Choral Conducting, MME, 2007

Prior Governmental Experience: None

After 40 years of teaching music in northwest public schools, Robin Pederson retired from McMinnville High in June of 2022. She is an experienced educator, instructional coach, performer, and sought after music clinician. Her mission has always been to create beauty from chaos, and she has achieved that by creating community, encouraging students to show empathy and kindness for others, and instilling in them a desire to serve. Robin served in many positions at MHS including secretary of the POWER team, department head, instruction coach, GSA club advisor, and a trained mentor for new teachers.

Robin is currently a member of the Yamhill Enrichment Society board, is a founder of Junior Orchestras of Yamhill County, and has served as a member of the Arts Alliance of Yamhill County board. She currently is a consultant for building the arts in the Dayton School District. Robin has directed church choirs and community choirs her whole life, including Yamhill County Singers, Community Choir Celebration, Gallery Theater, and McMinnville Cooperative Ministries.

Most recently, Robin and her husband have started the non-profit called Performing Arts of Dayton, whose mission is to enrich the cultural fabric of our small town through diverse and vibrant performing arts experiences. Robin feels that being a contributing member of the community where we live is important to us. Having moved here in 2019, we spent much of covid figuring out how to give to Dayton. PAD is a great avenue for this connection.

Robin is passionate about education, the arts, helping with food and housing insecurity, and creating a community that is diverse and welcoming to all people. She hopes to use her organizational and community building skills to help the citizens of Dayton in any way she can.

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**City of Dayton
City Council, At-Large**



**Drew
Hildebrandt**

Occupation: Director of Sales & Hospitality at Furioso Vineyards
Occupational Background: Wine Business
Educational Background: VCU, GIS Graduate Certificate; Virginia Tech, Geography, B.A.

Prior Governmental Experience: Dayton City Councilor; January 2023-present

I want to thank the community of Dayton for your support these last two years. In January of 2023 I was appointed to an empty seat on City Council, and it has been an honor to serve as a Councilor for the remainder of this term.

We have accomplished great work over the last two years – from infrastructure goals like the overlay projects and 221 lift station replacement, to community projects like establishing the Fireworks Committee and the Urban Renewal District, and much more. I look forward to the tasks that coming years will bring.

On a more personal note, my wife and I welcomed our first child to the world in May of this year. I was absolutely amazed at how immediately life changed and how my perspective of the future shifted. In the sleepless nights that followed, her future is what occupies my thoughts the most and is the reason I am running for office.

Dayton is a unique place in its bountiful resources for families, its neighborhood safety, and its camaraderie. My goal is to contribute to building the best possible version of Dayton for our daughter, and for every child in our city, to live in.

In the future, my hope is for our daughter to be proud of the good I was able to do for our town. I would be honored to have your vote, and I pledge to do my part in growing our community to be even better for the next generation who inherits it to appreciate and love.

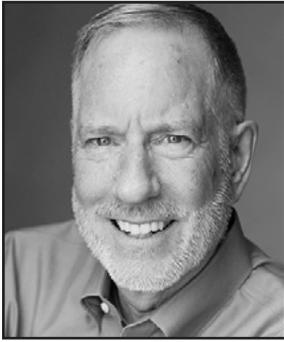
Endorsements:

- Annette Frank – Mayor of Dayton
- Beth Wytoski – Former Mayor of Dayton
- Trini Marquez – Former Mayor of Dayton
- Luke Wildhaber – Dayton City Council President
- Rosalba Sandoval-Pérez – Former Dayton City Councilor
- John Collins – Former Dayton City Councilor
- Darrick Price – Former Dayton City Councilor

(This information furnished by Andrew Hildebrandt.)

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City of Dundee Mayor



**David
Ford**

Occupation: Business Owner, Forester

Occupational Background: Business owner, non-profits representing forest owners, forest manufacturers and buyers of forest-based products, and U.S. Forest Service

Educational Background: University of Illinois, Bachelor of Science

Prior Governmental Experience: Dundee: Urban Renewal Advisory Committee, Budget Committee, and City Councilor (elected 2020); Yamhill Parkway Committee; Oregon Climate Action Commission

Oregon has been my home for the past 33 years, with the last 11 years spent in Dundee. As a business owner and professional forester, Oregon has provided me countless opportunities. I'm committed to giving back through public service.

As your mayor, I will focus on everyday concerns that matter. I believe that an effective and efficient government is one that is close to the people, creating opportunities for us to listen to each other and work together to find innovative, cost-effective solutions to our challenges.

Delivering City Services on Time and on Budget

My priority will be ensuring quality and cost-efficient city services are consistently delivered on time and on budget. Increasing fees and taxes should only be considered as a last resort.

Ensuring Public Safety

As Dundee grows, public safety services must adapt to new and emerging needs. I will prioritize finding fair and sustainable solutions for funding our fire department and other critical services.

Managing Growth that Works for our City

While change is inevitable, we can guide it in ways that benefit our community. I will advocate for attracting businesses where our residents can work and prioritizing housing opportunities for teachers, police officers, firefighters, and other essential service providers.

Leading through Listening and Collaboration

The role of a leader is to listen, engage, and seek common ground whenever possible to inform their actions. As your mayor, I will hold regular listening sessions with residents and business owners and work closely with neighboring communities and government officials to advance our city's priorities and shared goals.

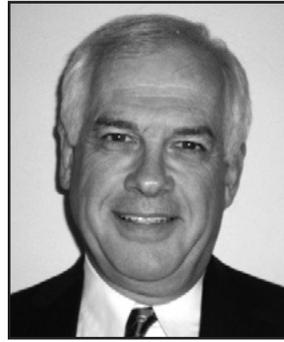
***I humbly ask for your vote for Dundee Mayor
David Ford***

www.DavidFordforDundee.com

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City of Dundee City Council, At-Large



**Tim
Weaver**

Occupation: Semi-retired, small business owner.

Occupational Background: Owner, "Chehalem Safe Drive, LLC," a traffic safety and drug abuse education program, presenting traffic safety diversion

courses for violators, conducting drug education and recognition presentations for professional groups and private parties. Currently, a contract instructor for "UTurn180," an Oregon based traffic safety education and training company. Currently employed as a first-call/response for Attrell's Newberg Funeral Chapel, 2020-present. Retired career police officer/sergeant, Newberg-Dundee Police Department, 33-years fulltime and reserve; involved with department since 1974, remains a member of the honor guard.

Educational Background: George Fox University, Bachelor of Science, 1976; University of Portland and Portland State University, graduate work in administration; graduated Omak (WA) High School, 1972; Management Certification, Oregon Board on Public Safety Standards and Training; court recognized expert in Drug Recognition Expert/Evaluator, certified by the International Association of Chiefs of Police; several other public safety certifications and recognition. Certified driving instructor

Prior Governmental Experience: Dundee City Council, 2013-present; Council president, 2018-2020; Dundee Budget Committee, 2012-present; Oregon Community Foundation, 2019-present; Newberg Community Foundation, 2003-2020; Newberg Old Fashioned Festival committee, 1985-2011; Oregon DUII Multi-Disciplinary Training Task Force, 1995-2015.

I am honored to serve as a Dundee City Councilor the last eight-years. This council continues its focus on controlling growth to meet current needs, deal with local improvements to foster proper and responsible economic development and keep costs of services down. Dundee is entering an important period of growth and development set to help our community for decades to come. I ask for your support to continue this important work in our community.

(This information furnished by Tim Weaver.)

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**City of Dundee
City Council, At-Large**



**Randall
Glahn**

Occupation: Chief Domestic Officer

Occupational Background: U.S. Army Indirect Infantry (11C30); Literacy Tutor; Horticulture; Construction & Landscaping; Restaurant & hospitality services.

Educational Background: Newberg High School; Orion-Gillingham Academy

Prior Governmental Experience: Military Service

Community Service: Habitat For Humanity

As a dedicated public servant with a military background, I bring a wealth of experience in leadership, team building, and problem-solving, complemented by a “lead by example” attitude. My military service has instilled in me a deep commitment to discipline and integrity which I apply to every aspect of public service.

I understand the importance of transparency in how your tax dollars are spent, and I believe in maintaining high ethical standards in order to foster trust within our community.

- I promise fiscal responsibility and advocate for limited government intervention by managing resources efficiently and streamlining bureaucratic processes.
- I aim to promote economic growth while also protecting property rights.
- I will focus on delivering practical solutions that bolster public safety and enhance overall quality of life.
- I believe in a proactive approach that will ensure city improvements and development projects are meticulously planned, managed, and executed on time and within budget.

I will work tirelessly to ensure that your voice is heard in shaping the decisions that affect Dundee. I will work to enhance the livability and safety of our town.

I’m asking for your support and your vote. Together, we can build a brighter future for our community by implementing common-sense solutions and upholding conservative values. With your trust, we can work to enhance livability, ensure safety, and foster a thriving environment for all residents.

Values

Integrity, persistence, results

Endorsed by:

Yamhill County Republican Party;
Matthew Smith, President CPRD;
Bruce Starr, Dundee City Council;
David Ford, Dundee City Council;
Charles and Lynn Lamping

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**City of Dundee
City Council, At-Large**



**Michael
Caruso**

Occupation: Partner at Caruso Produce

Occupational Background: Sales, purchasing and warehouse management – Caruso Produce

Educational Background:

Dundee Elementary, graduated; Newberg High School, graduated; Portland State University, Business-Supply Chain Management, BS

Prior Governmental Experience: none

I’m running for City Council because I care deeply about the future of our town. Having grown up here and now raising my own family in Dundee, I know firsthand what makes this community special. Our town is a great place to live, and I’m committed to keeping it that way.

As your representative, I will work to ensure that the development of Dundee reflects the wants and desires of the people who live here. I believe our growth should align with our community values, not just outside interests.

One of the most important challenges we face is ensuring access to the cleanest possible water as we grow. Right now, Dundee is tapped for water, and we’ll need to make some crucial decisions on how we source more water responsibly. I’ll work hard to make sure these decisions are made with care and with our community’s best interests in mind.

I’m also passionate about protecting our parks and green spaces from overdevelopment. Did you know currently only one of our city parks is zoned as such? These areas are part of what makes Dundee feel like home, and I’ll fight to preserve them for future generations.

I love this community, and I want to hear from you about how we can shape its future together. With your support, I’ll make sure your voice is heard on City Council.

(This information furnished by Michael P Caruso.)

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**City of Dundee
City Council, At-Large**



**Alex
Chiper**

Occupation: Technology Research and Manufacturing Engineering Technician at INTEL. Small Business Owner

Occupational Background: U.S. Army Paratrooper; Real Estate; Construction and Land-

scaping; Farming; Restaurants and Hospitality Services; Entrepreneurship.

Educational Background: Cahul State University, Management Business & Administration, B.S.

Prior Governmental Experience: Dundee Planning Commission, 2021-present; Dundee Budget Commission, 2022-present.

Community Service: Volunteered for Dundee Elementary School Design Team.

Integrity and selfless service are values I hold dear, and I believe they form the cornerstone of effective public service.

I am committed to leading by example - with honesty, transparency, and a dedication to doing what is right; always putting the needs of our community above personal interests.

I believe in the power of teamwork. By working collaboratively with fellow council members, local leaders, and, most importantly, with you, we can achieve meaningful progress.

The decisions we make today will shape the future for our children and generations to come.

As a father of two wonderful girls, husband to a talented and supportive wife, and your neighbor, I am dedicated to successfully accomplishing the following:

- Improving infrastructure
- Supporting local businesses
- Encouraging new enterprises
- Enhancing public safety

I will approach every challenge with determination and a commitment to excellence. My goal is to ensure our city remains a great place to live, work, and raise a family.

Dundee needs a strong, community-oriented City Council that listens to your voice. I will work to ensure that city improvements and development projects are planned, managed, and executed on time and within budget, with a focus on improving the livability, quality, and safety of the town we call home.

I humbly ask for your support and your vote.

Together, we can build a brighter future for our community and restore common-sense solutions and conservative values.

Integrity, Persistence, Results.

Endorsed by:

David Ford, Dundee City Council
Bruce Starr, Dundee City Council
Matthew Smith, President CPRD
Yamhill County Republican Party

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**City of Dundee
City Council, At-Large**



**Robert
Daykin**

Occupation: Retired - Unemployed

Occupational Background: See Prior Governmental Experience

Educational Background: University of Northern Iowa; Mathematics; BA

Prior Governmental Experience: City of Dundee, Oregon; City Administrator; 2007 – 2021; City of Hubbard, Oregon; Finance Officer; 1998 – 2007; City of Chelan, Washington; Finance Director; 1983 – 1998

Laurie and I moved to Dundee after I accepted the position of Dundee City Administrator in 2007 and we continued to reside in this special city following my subsequent retirement in 2021. I enjoyed serving the community and appreciated the opportunity to become better acquainted with needs and desires of our residents. While retirement has fulfilled me in every way, I now look forward to serving the community as a member of the city council. If elected, I hope to bring my experience and abilities to the benefit of the residents of our community. I believe Dundee has a very bright future, however, the following issues are a concern to me:

- **Budget:** Resolve the deficit spending in the General Fund and have the budget document clearly communicate the services provided and how expenditures and their funding sources are determined.
- **Fire Department:** Engage stakeholders to find a path forward in securing sufficient funding to augment the volunteer firefighters and ensure acceptable levels of coverage desired by our constituents.
- **Water Supply:** Ensure relevant information on developing future water supply be provided to the residents on an ongoing basis and that residents have opportunities to have their concerns addressed in a timely manner.
- **Street Maintenance:** Get the City back on track with routine pavement maintenance based on best practices for asphalt preservation and not permit deferred maintenance to adversely degrade the overall pavement condition.
- **Parks:** Advocate CPRD to upgrade the facilities at Billick Park and provide assistance in the development of new parks and their interconnecting trails proposed in the Riverside District Master Plan area.
- **Urban Renewal:** Balance the goals of economic development with improvements that specifically benefit the residents of Dundee.

(This information furnished by Rob Daykin.)

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**City of Lafayette
Mayor**



**Hilary
Malcomson**

Occupation: Site Coordinator, Afterschool Enrichment Program

Occupational Background: Early Childhood Education: Program and staff development, communication/marketing and teaching.

Educational Background: AAS Administrative Office Professional; ORO Step 6

Prior Governmental Experience: Mayor, City of Lafayette, Oregon

Dear Lafayette,

You have endured a lot and you have persevered!

Last year we went through a challenge. You went to your mailbox and opened your water bill trusting that it would be accurate and make sense. I hope we as a community never experience the stress that put on you again, but I am so proud of how much we grew as a town and community because of it.

Last election I declared that we deserve accountability and we need to be part of the change together. I hope you saw the accountability and action your council took. Your council stood with you and said you are right, something was not right. Immediately after becoming aware of the new rates going awry over the holiday weekend, I jumped into action and days later hosted with our council president a town hall that many of you attended. Within the week following, armed with the information your testimonies provided water rates were rolled back with a new responsible, easier to calculate solution in place and implemented by your council. You deserved accountability and YOU were part of that change together.

This coming year we will be seeing substantial repair work started on Bridge Street, but the work has just begun on the uphill climb to fund, repair and maintain the street responsibility.

Let's keep the momentum going, let's keep strengthening our town, let's keep persevering.

It has been a privilege to serve as our town's mayor and with your support it would be an honor to continue. It has been a messy but beautiful journey and I see nothing but a bright future for us as a community.

WE are Lafayette and WE are moving forward!

(This information furnished by Hilary Malcomson.)

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**City of Lafayette
City Council, At-Large**



**Jessica
Kitt**

Occupation: Healthcare

Occupational Background: Work experience since moving to Oregon from California; -8 years as an Onsite Property Manager; -5 years in Healthcare, as a CNA (facilities and hospital)

MA (Internal Medicine), Hospice and facility management.

Educational Background: The Art Institute of Portland; College of the Redwoods; Mt. Hood; Chemeteka. Licenses: CNA, Phlebotomy, IV training certificate, Fair Housing.

Prior Governmental Experience: One year on the City Council for the city of Lafayette.

Other Boards, Committees, and Volunteering :

8 years on Board of Directors for Virginia Garcia

2 years Secretary for Finance committee for Virginia Garcia

4 years on Patient Council for Virginia Garcia

-Outreached with patients, including face painting at events.

-Helping with VG's food boxes

-Helping with VG's Christmas boxes and wrapping presents for pts children.

Volunteered for LCAT

-Helped with the 2023 Harvest Festival.

-Helped setting up and taking pictures of the families with Santa.

Volunteered at the schools for fundraisers and field trips.

SMART program reading to kindergarteners.

Volunteered at the public library reshelving books.

3 years as a Soccer coach for girls' soccer under the directions of Parks and Recs for McMinnville.

As a single parent who is concerned with the rising cost of everything from utilities to groceries. I understand the frustration with local and national governments not working within the budgets they have. Will promote responsible spending by the city with the maxim results. Supports the use of grants instead of asking for levies, bonds and raising taxes. Have worked in healthcare for the last five years in Yamhill County and understands the impact that policies and raising costs have on the elderly and aging population in our community.

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**City of Lafayette
City Council, At-Large**



**Lee
Gilgan**

Occupation: Attorney

Occupational Background: Attorney, Business advising and management

Educational Background: Willamette University, Philosophy, B.A.; Western Oregon University, Criminal Justice, M.A.; Willamette University College of Law, J.D.

Prior Governmental Experience: Lafayette Planning Commission, 2015-2020; Lafayette City Council, 2020-Present

Demonstrated Success: As the only City Council member to vote against the water rate increase that took effect in 2023, I saw the potential for unreasonable water bills in Lafayette. When those bills came out, I looked at the city debt obligations and worked out the math to create a solution that our citizens could handle – a surcharge that will fall off of bills once the debt obligation is satisfied. This saved many citizens hundreds of dollars per month.

I have also successfully negotiated lower interest rates for city debt and found ways to cut excessive spending in the city budget.

Transparent and Principled: As many constituents know, I am always happy to discuss where I stand on various council matters. I announce conflicts and sit out discussions and votes when there is the slightest possibility that I have a conflict of interest on agenda items.

More Work to Do: My goal is to provide continuity on projects and goals that are supported by the citizens and to accomplish those goals in a manner that is cost effective to the citizens of Lafayette. Every dollar of taxpayer money should be expended in a way that benefits the greatest number of citizens. Those are our dollars – not the dollars of bureaucracy.

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**City of Lafayette
City Council, At-Large**



**Sheila
Neuman**

Occupation: Self employed – small business - European imports

Occupational Background: I have owned & operated several small businesses over the last 30 years.

Educational Background: Forest Grove high School, high school diploma; Portland Community College, early childhood edg.

Prior Governmental Experience: Served 4 year term city council Lafayette, OR

I have lived in Lafayette for 8 years. I live in a century home, preserving our town history is important to me. Through preservation, education, and activities.

I have been a small business owner for over a decade. Small business is fundamental to our city's growth. Making use of the Urban renewal district over the next few years will set our city up to grow in a positive way.

Public safety and our parks are top priority for me. To provide safe, clean, and maintained public parks for families and children. Having safe streets and crosswalks for our families and children to use is vital for a small town like Lafayette.

These are the reasons I would like to serve as a city council member. I have previously served a four-year term and have the knowledge of our city government and the experience to continue public service. Thank you for considering me.

(This information furnished by Sheila Neuman.)

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**City of Lafayette
City Council, At-Large**



**Kayla
Paulsen**

Occupation: Attorney at law.
Occupational Background: Early childhood education
Educational Background: Mc-Minnville High School, Diploma; University of Phoenix, Health

Care Administration, Associates Degree; University of Phoenix, BSHCA with a concentration in Business Management; Willamette University College of Law, Juris Doctorate.

Prior Governmental Experience: Lafayette City Council – 6 years.

I am honored by your trust and faith shown to me over the past six years as I served as your Lafayette City Council member and council president. I want to continue serving you and continue my work to make Lafayette a great place to live and raise a family.

Our city has faced serious challenges over the past four years requiring proven leadership. During these challenging times, I did not turn my back on our city. I acted, listened, then made sound decisions that benefited the citizens of Lafayette. You elected me to serve you, and that is exactly what I have done and will continue to do if I am reelected.

As our community faces future challenges, we need to approach these challenges with common sense, fortitude, and fiscal responsibility. I encourage fresh faces and perspectives to get involved, but we also need the appropriate experience to address these challenges. If re-elected after this election cycle, I would be the only councilor with more than five years of experience.

Police, fire, water systems, roads, affordability, fiscal responsibility and providing a safe community are my top priorities. At the same time, I will make sure the citizens are fully supported and protected from governmental interference. I believe our city council needs to work as a team providing oversight and dissecting each aspect of government to remove any waste of money and/or resources. I am committed to seeing this happen.

I take my role as a City Councilor very seriously. I hope I have earned your vote to continue serving a new term.

Thank you!

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**City of Lafayette
City Council, At-Large**



**Tom
Reed**

Occupation: Retired. HOA President.
Occupational Background: Life long financial manager. 14 years working for Deloitte, one of the leading accounting firms in the nation, as a Sr Financial

Analyst. 16 years with Avery, a leading manufacturing company, in various accounting, analysis and financial management roles.

Educational Background: Cleveland State University, Masters in Business Administration; Cleveland State University, Mathematics, Bachelors

Prior Governmental Experience: None

I have been a Lafayette resident for 10 years. During 2023, the city council had a major fiasco when determining the billing for the water system. The new bills were 3X what the existing water bills had been. The residents reacted, appropriately, with fear and anger. There were large meetings at the fire station to address the issue and I was quite vocal toward the city council as to their failure to the residents in this matter and their refusal to provide an apology for the egregious error. Some of you may remember me. I promised to run for city council. I am keeping that promise.

I studied the situation, determined the error in the rates, met with the mayor and provided her with corrected information which was then implemented by the council. This experience showed me that financial management expertise was missing from the city council. I was also able to identify several other areas where financial management questions and opportunities existed.

I believe I can use my financial management experience and skills to help improve the management of the city and reduce the taxes and costs to the minimal level. To do so, I need your help. I need your vote to put me on the council. I will be a full-time city councilor and am excited to improve the financial performance of the city. I hope you will vote for me and let me get to work.

Thank you.

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City of McMinnville Mayor



**Kim
Morris**

Occupation: Business Owner, Designer, Real Estate Investor, Banking Management

Occupational Background: 36 Years Small Business Owner

Educational Background: McMinnville High School; Portland

Community College Interior Design Degree

Prior Governmental Experience: None

Community Involvement:

Volunteer of the Year McMinnville Downtown Association 2023
Distinguished Service Award Junior Citizen of the Year
President of Northwest Society of Interior Designers 2013-2014
President of Non-Profit With Courage 2019-2024
Founder of The McMinnville Community Task Force
Protected School Children with Safe Zones 4 Kids Initiative
Initiated Changes to City Parks, McDaniel, Marsh and Dustin
Volunteer for Point In Time National Unsheltered Count
Advocate to Reverse Measure 110

Unite for a Safer, Better Community - Your Vote Counts!

As a lifelong resident, I've witnessed our town's challenges and successes. I'm motivated as a business owner, leader, volunteer, and advocate to unite our community for a prosperous future. Now is the time for action, and I'm ready to work with you and for you. Your vote and voice will make a difference!

- Safe Streets, Better Livability, Strong Community
- Restore safety to our parks, library, schools and streets
- Prevent unnecessary new taxes burdening our citizens
- Accountability, Transparency and Smarter Budgeting
- Strengthen Mental Health Outreach Programs
- Unite our community, repair partnerships, eliminate divisions
- Ensure that every business and resident is able to thrive

Endorsements:

McMinnville Professional Firefighters Local 3099
Jason Bizon, McMinnville School Board Chair
Dan Tucholsky, Vice-Chair Planning Commission
City Councilor Chris Chenoweth
County Commissioner Kit Johnston
Newberg Mayor Bill Rusacker
Lafayette Mayor Hilary Malcomson
Diane Reynolds, Provoking Hope
Dan Davison, Davison Auto Parts
Becky Simpson, Serendipity Ice Cream
Andrew Anderson, Anna Bergum, Sandi and Mike Colvin, Mo Durocher, Chaz Gibbins, Elizabeth and Scott Hinchcliff, Cindy Johnson, Leigh Ann Jones, Cindy Lorenzen, Jon Johnson, Dean Klaus, Olivia Jade Kuehn, Diane Massey, Leah Moore, Anne Nash, Chelsea Paterson, Steve Patterson, Mike Riddle, Jill Scales, Lacey Summers, Tim Wilson, Leslie and Carl Thompson, Kathleen and Les Toth, Lindsay Woodard, Jeff Zumwalt

MorrisforMayor.org

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City of McMinnville Mayor



**Remy
Drabkin**

Occupation: Small Business Owner; Winemaker; Mayor

Occupational Background: 18 Years Small Business Owner

Educational Background: McMinnville High School; Linfield College; Harvard Fellow

Prior Governmental Experience: Mayor, Council President, City Councilor, Planning Commissioner, Chair McMinnville Affordable Housing Commission

Rooted in Our Community's Future

I'm honored to serve as McMinnville's Mayor, and seek re-election to keep moving our city forward by:

Addressing Our Housing Needs

Secured funding for the city's first emergency drop in shelter and 175 affordable housing units

Will keep working with state and local partners to provide housing for all income levels

Investing in Our Local Economy

- Won federal investments for Third Street infrastructure improvements
- Combating climate change by supporting local businesses and nonprofits

Ensuring Good Governance

- Modernizing city government to increase accessibility and transparency
- Building strong partnerships with State, Federal and Tribal governments.

"Mayor Remy forged the partnership between the Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde and the Housing Authority. Her leadership led to our \$7 million dollar investment in McMinnville housing. I'm supporting Remy because she's the only candidate with a track record of making a real, positive impact on access to housing."

Kathleen George

Tribal Councilwoman, Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde
09/08/2024 on REMYFORMAYOR.ORG

"As a fellow small business owner in McMinnville, I'm proud to support Remy for Mayor. As a lifelong resident, business owner, and public servant, she has the leadership, experience, and values we need to keep our city moving forward."

Chelsey Nichol

Local Business Owner 09/05/2024 on REMYFORMAYOR.ORG

Endorsements:

Andrea Salinas, U.S. Congresswoman; Tobias Read, State Treasurer; Courtney Neron, State Representative; Ben Bowman, State Representative; Mary Stern, Former Yamhill County Commissioner; Stan Primozych, Former Yamhill County Commissioner; Scott Hill, Former McMinnville Mayor; Steve Callaway, Hillsboro Mayor; Mayor Yvette Potter, City of Yamhill; Zack Geary, McMinnville Councilor; Sal Peralta, McMinnville Councilor; Kellie Menke, McMinnville Councilor; Erin Stephenson, Business Owner; Lisa Macy-Baker, Community Leader; Miriam Vargas Corona, Community Leader; Ramsey McPhillips, Community Leader; Solid Carbon Inc; Home Builders Association; Basic Rights PAC

Complete list of support: remyformayor.org

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**City of McMinnville
City Council, Ward 1**



**Chris
Chenoweth**

Occupation: Owner, Acupro Oregon for 28 years, IT Support

Occupational Background: IT Support

Educational Background: Chemeketa Community College, Advanced IT Training; McMinnville High School

Prior Governmental Experience: City Councilor 4-years Member, McMinnville Economic and Vitality Leadership Council Member, Historic Landmarks Committee Member, Parkway Committee Member. Mid-Willamette Valley Area Commission on Transportation Member, Chamber of Commerce Government Affairs Committee

As a business owner, active community member, husband, father, and grandfather, I am deeply invested in McMinnville.

As your Ward 1 representative on the McMinnville City Council you can expect me to-

Take a fiscally responsible approach: Hold the line on taxes and fees. Government at all levels should live within its means. As a long-time business owner, I'll apply a business-like approach to the budgeting and expenditure of your tax dollars.

Speak for you: As a resident of McMinnville for more than 35 years I understand the importance of having a voice on the City Council.

Be ethical: There's a difference between what you have a right to do and what is right to do. I will be guided by the U.S. and Oregon State Constitutions, and City Ordinances when casting a vote on the City Council.

Listen: to issues currently facing our residents including but not limited to, the Urban Growth Boundary, expansion of job opportunity through the Innovation Campus, issues with criminal elements within our community, as well as the unknowns ahead. I look forward to working with you as your representative from Ward 1.

Collaborate: The City Council will serve most effectively when Councilors put aside divisive agendas and act as a team. Our Ward 1 neighbors hold a variety of viewpoints; I will listen to all concerns and strive to take all perspectives into account in my decisions as a City Councilor.

Support our first responders: Police personnel must be provided with the resources they need to keep our community safe.

I have served FOR THE LOVE OF MAC And look forward to continuing!

Chenoweth4mac@outlook.com

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**City of McMinnville
City Council, Ward 2**



**Dan
Tucholsky**

Occupation: Engineer and Reserve Police Officer

Occupational Background: Director of Engineering at A-Dec; Reserve Officer at McMinnville Police Department

Educational Background: Forest Grove High School; Oregon State University, Manufacturing Engineering, B.S., Industrial Engineering, B.S; Portland State University, Project Management Certification

Prior Governmental Experience: Vice-Chair McMinnville Planning Commission, 2021 – Present

Protecting McMinnville: I am a sixth-generation Oregonian and resident of McMinnville where I reside with my family. By day, I'm the Director of Engineering at A-Dec, a global company, where I navigate challenges with precision. At night, I serve as Vice-Chair on the Planning Commission and volunteer as the only Solo-qualified Reserve Law Enforcement Officer for the McMinnville Police Department.

With a steadfast dedication to public safety, a proven track record of effective governance, and a strong vision of a thriving future for all, I stand ready to lead with transparency, compassion and innovation. I'm eager to continue to serve and advocate for the voters of McMinnville. I humbly ask for your vote to ensure your ideas and voices are heard!

Vice Chair Planning Commission: I have actively contributed toward new affordable housing, serving on the Planning Commission. I advocate for land use initiatives that prioritize safe and affordable housing for the well-being of citizens within our community.

As your Councilor, I plan to:

- Ensure Transparent & Accountable City Budgeting
- Strengthen Community Safety & Wellness Support
- Support Law Enforcement & Fire Services & Equipment
- Upgrade Strategic Infrastructure: Roads, Parks, Court System
- Advocate for Affordable & Accessible Housing
- Encourage Local Job Growth & Business Success
- Bring our Community Together & Boost City Worker Morale

Endorsements:

McMinnville Professional Firefighters Local 3099

Former Mayor Ed Gormley

President of City Council Adam Garvin

City Councilor Chris Chenoweth

City Councilor Kellie Menke

City Councilor Jessica Payne

City Councilor Zack Geary

Planning Commissioner Beth Rankin

Local Business Owners: Chaz Gibbins, Kim and Mike Morris, Mike Riddle, Erin Stephenson, Les and Kathleen Toth, Simone Weyand, Lindsay Woodard

DanForMac.org

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**City of McMinnville
City Council, Ward 3**



**Chaz
Gibbins**

Occupation: Business Owner;
Designer & Craftsman

Occupational Background:
Owner of Imago Furniture;
Co-Owner of Doves & Tails
Furniture

Educational Background: Arizona State University, Philosophy,
B.A.

Prior Governmental Experience: None

Why I want to be your City Councilor:

My love for McMinnville, our people, and the dream of raising my family here drive my commitment to serve as your City Councilor. I bring strong leadership focused on public safety, reducing crime, protecting your wallet, and ensuring your voice is ALWAYS heard!

Local Business Owner:

As the owner of Imago Furniture, I've spent the past decade crafting high-quality, custom pieces. My wife Elena and I own and operate Doves & Tails, a non-toxic furniture brand for children. I'm committed to supporting local businesses, the cornerstone of our community.

Protecting Children, Families & Businesses:

I serve as one of 25 core leaders on the McMinnville Community Task Force. Our initiatives have prevented encampments near schools, improved Parks/Marsh/Dustin/McDaniel, and supported police with Trespass Enforcement Agreements safeguarding local businesses.

Budget Accountability & Transparency:

I'll advocate for efficient budgeting and ensure your hard-earned money is spent wisely. We need transparency and accountability to build a sustainable financial future that benefits ALL residents.

Safer Neighborhoods, Parks, Schools & Library:

Our town's charm is fading due to rising crime and deteriorating infrastructure. I will work to make public areas safer and address potholes, poor sidewalks, and inadequate lighting that hinder emergency services in Ward 3.

Vote for a committed leader who values community, transparency, and safety. Let's build a better McMinnville together!

Endorsements:

City Councilor Jessica Payne
City Councilor Chris Chenoweth
Vice-Chair Planning Commission, Dan Tucholsky
Local Business Owners: Kory Knutz (and Local Historian),
Cindy Lorenzen, Kim and Mike Morris, Ray Reimer, Mike
Riddle, Kathleen and Les Toth, Brian Wicks, Lindsay Woodard
Community Leaders: Stacey and Dave Mayhew, Cindee and
Steve Paulsen, Susie Peterson, Leslie and Carl Thompson,
Ryan Zollinger

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**City of McMinnville
City Council, Ward 3**



**Scott
Cunningham**

Occupation: Restaurant Owner

Occupational Background: 25
years in the hospitality industry

Educational Background:
University of Redlands, Govern-
ment, BA

Prior Governmental Experience: McMinnville Budget
Committee; Third Street Improvement Project PAC

Long time resident of McMinnville. I love where I live. Successfully operated Community Plate restaurant for more than 10 years. Currently partnered in Pizza Capo. My wife and I became foster parents and now permanent guardians in 2019. Served over seven years, including as president, on the McMinnville Downtown Association Board.

PRIORITIES

- McMinnville Police Association contract negotiations begin next year. We must show our Officers and the Public our **COMMITMENT TO THE SAFETY** of our community. McMinnville should be a desirable place to live and work, while remaining budget conscious.
- **MEASURABLE APPROACHES** to houselessness
 - Align ordinances with repeal of Measure 110.
 - Work with the County to expand the Mental Health Teams ability to meet people experiencing crisis before the public is forced to call for help.
 - Encourage County investment in mobile health services. Helping people in their hometowns.
 - Direct the opioid settlement to additional services and shelter beds.
 - Increase density housing by guiding and incentivizing builders.
- **MAINTAIN** Budget at **BASE LEVEL** or Higher for departments
 - Tighten the budget, Invest in infrastructure avoiding costly crises and seek State and Federal grants.
- Ward 3 Projects
 - Redevelop the RB Rubber property into something that benefits the city. Addressing housing and includes a business incubator.
 - Three Mile Lane development. Ensure mixed uses that take advantage of Highway 18.
 - New Parks and Rec Center, worthy of our active community.
- Explore every avenue to improve **COMMUNICATION** of city business to the public. We must get more community involvement at every level.

ENDORSEMENTS

Current City Councilors: Kellie Menke, Sal Peralta, Zach Geary
Former Mayor, Scott Hill
Former County Commissioner, Mary Stern
Former School Board President, Carson Benner
Business Owners: Ricardo Antunez, Chelsey Nichol, David and
Jami Queener, Erin Stephenson
Farmers: Marvin and Georgia Bernards
Visit cunninghamforcouncil.org

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**City of Newberg
City Council, District 1, At-Large**



**Elise
Yarnell Hollamon**

Occupation: Small business owner, healthcare administrator

Occupational Background: Athletic coach, business, healthcare

Educational Background:

Aloha High School; Eastern University

Prior Governmental Experience: City of Newberg: City Councilor, 2018-current, Budget Committee 2018-current, Urban Renewal Agency Commission, Affordable Housing Commission, Taste Newberg, Newberg Downtown Coalition

Community Service: Current: Community Wellness Collective. Prior: Juliette's House, Young Professionals of Yamhill County

ABOUT ME:

I believe in the present and future of Newberg. The Newberg I know, and love has far more to unite around than to divide on. Without requiring a purity test by both major parties, **all voices and perspectives can be heard and considered by local, nonpartisan leaders.**

The price of running water, safe streets, accessible sidewalks, a vibrant and livable town, and a welcoming community matters to all people.

I hold true relationships and friendships across the political spectrum and value the opinions of those that differ from mine. **The strongest leaders are willing to come to the table and work together for solutions that work for everyone – I am that leader.**

WHAT WE'VE ACCOMPLISHED:

- Reducing city debt to keep taxes low
- Initiation and support of economic development tools
- Expanded the Newberg Enterprise Zone for light industrial
- Supporting our most vulnerable residents through local partnerships
- Implementation of affordable housing tools

WHY I'M RUNNING:

- Keep taxes low
- Attract new businesses and support existing business growth
- Responsible growth supporting individual property rights
- Connect vulnerable residents to community resources
- Ensure safety and livability

ENDORSEMENTS:

- **Newberg Former Mayors:** Bob Stewart, Bob Andrews, Rick Rogers.
- **Newberg Current and Former Elected Leaders:** Sol Allen, James Wolfer, Aubrey Nichols, Lisa Rogers, Patrick Johnson, Molly Olson, Ines Pena, Polly Peterson, Rebecca and Gene Piro
- **Business Leaders:** Loni Parrish, Dean Werth, David Adelsheim, Dennis Lewis, Philip and Katrina Higgins, Kayt Ebor, Mary Peterson, Terry Emery.
- **Community Leaders:** Patricia Werth, Bubba King, Heather Lewis, Gabrielle Humlie, Miriam Vargas Corona, Community-Based Nonprofit Leader
- **Political Action Committees:** Oregon Cares PAC, Independent Party of Oregon.

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**City of Newberg
City Council, District 1, At-Large**



**Britta
Mansfield**

Occupation: Executive Director of the Willamette Falls & Landings Heritage Area Coalition; local history author

Occupational Background: Nonprofit leadership. Hoover-Minthorn House Museum, Executive Director; Newberg Downtown Coalition, Associate Director

Educational Background: George Fox University, History, Bachelor's degree

Prior Governmental Experience: Newberg Historic Preservation Commissioner, a NEWberg community visioning facilitator.

Community Involvement

Current board member of the Newberg Area Historical Society and Taste Newberg (Newberg's destination marketing organization).

Reasons for Seeking Election

I am a lifelong Oregonian who has lived in Newberg for 10 years. I care deeply about my community and am eager to use my leadership skills to serve Newberg.

I'm running for City Council because I love Newberg and want to see it flourish. I have a strong professional background in nonprofit leadership and heritage tourism. I have spent years studying Newberg's past and working with local nonprofits which has given me an informed perspective of the City's unique needs. I currently work with various local governments along the Willamette River, familiarizing me with how cities of various sizes operate, what sets Newberg apart, and the importance of Councilors acting as servant leaders. I will bring a Newberg focused approach to Council and usher our traditions into tomorrow. As we continue to grow, I will ensure that Newberg's core characteristics are not lost.

Leadership Goals

Balance growth and livability while maintaining a high level of transparency and fiscal responsibility. Responsibly manage infrastructure. Ensure information about city projects, processes, and budget is accessible. Cut unnecessary taxes and fees.

For more information visit brittafornewberg.com

Endorsed By

Lindsay Berschauer, Yamhill County Commissioner
Kit Johnston, Yamhill County Commissioner
Mary Starrett, Yamhill County Commissioner
Glenn Cloyd, Newberg City Councilor
Robyn Wheatley, Newberg City Councilor
Jason Fields, Chehalem Parks and Recreation District
Matt Smith, Chehalem Parks and Recreation District
Anna Danese, Newberg Area Historical Society
Steve Paulson, Community Member
Community Oriented Public Servants PAC

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**City of Newberg
City Council, District 3, At-Large**



**Jeri
Turgesen**

Occupation: Psychologist
Occupational Background: Director of Behavioral Health Services
Educational Background: Amity High School, Oregon State

University (BA), George Fox University (PsyD)

Prior Governmental Experience: None

Community Service: Community Wellness Collective, Medical Training Academy

**Paging Dr. Jeri for Newberg City Council
Compassion In Action!**

Having grown up in rural Yamhill County, I share your values of community, collaboration, caring for others, and financial mindfulness. As a community leader with proven experience delivering critical services to Newberg's vulnerable populations, I will work for your family with my unyielding spirit of service.

Through representing community-based organizations and local stakeholders, I have developed strong relationships in Yamhill County to improve quality services. I feel called to run for City Council to use these relational skills to serve our entire city. This distinguishes me as **your best selection for Newberg's District 3 City Councilor.**

Caring for Our City

We can elect leadership who will show enthusiastic support for our city's small businesses and prioritize keeping our community's economy local. I want my neighbors to have the opportunity to work in Newberg where they live. When we commute out of town for work, our local economy loses workforce revenue. We must focus on relationship-building to attract large employers, with living wage jobs.

Caring for Our Neighbors

We can overcome our city's housing crisis with compassion and collaboration. Building a healthier community with greater access to healthcare and mental health support, while providing diverse housing stock for all income levels.

Caring for Our Future

We need to grow well. I'm committed to supporting individual property rights and considering intentional expansion of our community, in a way that balances development and maintains character. Local infrastructure is struggling to keep pace with the growth of Newberg. We must elect leadership who will support the critical work of Public Works by maintaining and expanding services in an innovative, cost-effective way.

Endorsed by Oregon CARES PAC. For a full list of endorsements, visit pagingdrjeri.com

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**City of Newberg
City Council, District 3, At-Large**



**Glenn
Cloyd**

Occupation: Hazelnut Processing Maintenance Manager (15 years)

Occupational Background: Newberg papermill laborer and equipment operator, AWPP

member (18 years); High Angle Rope & Confined Space Rescue

Educational Background: Newberg High School, Clackamas Community College, EMT License

Prior Governmental Experience: Newberg City Councilor (current); Yamhill County Parks Board (2023-Present)

Community Service: CPR and first aid trainer for Newberg PD, Newberg Fire, and the Newberg Mill; Church building maintenance; City Councilor

About Glenn: I have been a Newberg resident for over 50 years, working and raising a family here, and I simply love this town. I want to help give a voice to the average Newberg resident, and make sure we maintain a sense of community and unity that makes this town a great place to live.

Since becoming a city councilor, my approach has been to find common ground with my colleagues. I believe our City of Newberg staff have made tremendous strides in recent months, and I wish to give them the support they need.

Small Business Vibrancy:

We need to make sure we are supporting our local employers, and doing everything the City can to reduce the costs of living, shopping, and home ownership for our local workers and families.

Cooperation With Leaders:

Over the years I have worked closely with our state legislators, local boards and task forces, and churches. Working together is a key component for our town as we continue to be tested with challenges.

Budget Responsibility:

Core services such as our local law enforcement must continue to receive the resources they need. I will always promote wise budgeting and seek ways to reduce or freeze increases on taxes and fees.

Endorsers:

- Taxpayer Association of Oregon
- Oregon Small Business Association
- COPS PAC
- Oregon Sportsmen's Association
- Matt Smith, CPRD President
- Newberg City Councilor Robyn Wheatley
- Chief Brian Casey Newberg Dundee Police (retired)
- Sargent Mark Cooke Newberg Dundee Police (retired)
- Yamhill County Commissioner Mary Starrett
- Steve Paulson

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City of Newberg City Council, District 5, At-Large



Tyson Butler

Occupation: Senior Content Advisor

Occupational Background: Professional Services, Non-profit, Inpatient Mental Health

Educational Background: PSU

(Public Administration, Masters); OSU (Political Science, B.S.); Tualatin High School

Prior Governmental Experience: Northwest Power and Conservation Council Internship, City of Tualatin Internship

Community Leadership: Emerging Leaders Council, Columbia Land Trust (2016-2019); Lents Tree Team Co-Founder (2016-2017)

About Me: I am a proud husband and father of three young children, and we intentionally settled in Newberg. With 10 years of experience in an intentional Christian community, I emphasize consensus processes, community development, and conflict resolution. I am also an ultramarathoner, songwriter, gardener, and woodworker.

Why I'm Running: This nonpartisan city council seat is about meeting the community's needs for decades to come. I offer my emphatic "yes" to Newberg and aim to leave a legacy for our children and grandchildren, ensuring they don't bear the responsibility of deferred action.

Core Policy Values:

Create a Thriving Place: A high quality of life is essential. When people love where they live, they're inspired to improve it. Our parks, streets, and public spaces are crucial for our health and well-being. A community that meets residents' needs becomes more attractive for living, working, and doing business. Quality of life isn't a luxury – it's a necessity.

Grow Opportunities for All: Creating opportunities for residents across all income levels leads to broad economic growth and social cohesion. By supporting local business expansion and attracting new private investments, we can bring living wage jobs and increase collective prosperity. City government must use its levers to create more housing options, especially for cost-burdened residents, through public-private partnerships.

Build Community Resilience: A resilient city can withstand challenges like economic downturns, social upheavals, and extreme weather events. Most importantly, it's about community – knowing your neighbors and looking out for one another. We need relationships stronger than divisive forces and unforeseen challenges, focusing on neighborliness and mutual respect to solve problems together.

Endorsements:

Oregon Cares PAC

For full list of endorsements, visit tysonfornewberg.com

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City of Newberg City Council, District 5, At-Large



Mike McBride

Occupation: Self-employed Farmers Insurance agent, proudly serving our community for 42 years.

Occupational Background: Insurance Agent

Educational Background: Newberg High Alumni

Prior Governmental Experience: Chehalem Parks and Recreation Board of Directors – 35 years; Newberg City Council – Elected in 2021

- **As Your City Councilor, I've:**
 - **Eliminated the local construction excise tax**, reducing the cost of new homes.
 - **Lowered construction and system development charges by 20-30%**, making housing and business development more affordable.
 - **Cut building fees by 75% for new homes 1,000 square feet or less**, helping to increase affordable housing options.
 - **Streamlined city priorities with clear, actionable plans**, driving tangible results for our community.
 - **Balanced the city budget** with a 22% reduction in overall expenses.

Looking Forward:

I plan to continue making Newberg more livable by:

- **Cutting water and sewer bills down to size.**
- **Expanding land within city limits for light industrial use**, bringing back well-paying local jobs lost when the mill closed.
- **Optimize the city's permit services** to ensure better protection and alignment with citizens' property rights.
- **Incentivize developers to collaborate with local contractors and businesses** during the permitting process and support them as new development projects are established.

Born and raised here, I'm committed to our community and **look forward to continuing to serve as your City Councilor.**

Proudly Endorsed by:

Robyn Wheatley, Newberg City Councilor; Mary Starrett, Yamhill County Commissioner; Lindsay Berschauer, Yamhill County Commissioner; Don Clements; Don Loving

"As a lifelong friend of Mike McBride, I appreciate that he cares about Newberg and making it a better place to live & raise a family & work. He has made this a priority by his public service and openness to talk with anyone about what helps to develop Newberg responsibly without burdening citizens by demanding more but providing less. I support Mike because he is a man who takes a stand on his beliefs for a better society."

- Bob Hampton

<https://MikeforNewberg.com>

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**City of Sheridan
City Council, At-Large**



**James R (Jim)
Buckles**

Occupation: Retired

Occupational Background: (1975-1989) Active Duty, US Air Force; (1989-2015) Civil Service (GS10) Meteorological Technician US Air Force;

Educational Background:

(1974) Sheridan High School, graduate; (1975) Willamette University, general studies, no diploma; (1976,1982) Community College of the Air Force, certificates;

Prior Governmental Experience: Sheridan City Council, Sheridan, OR (2021-2024);

My connection to Sheridan is strong. I lived here from 1972 to 1975 and always hoped to return. When I retired in 2018, I was able to fulfill that dream. Sheridan is my home, and I profoundly love this city.

My unwavering commitment to enhancing Sheridan is demonstrated through my involvement in the Sheridan Rotary, Sheridan Chamber of Commerce, Sheridan Revitalization Committee, Sheridan Museum of History, Sheridan Hometown Days Committee, and Sheridan Christmas Committee. These platforms allow me to engage with community members and gain insights into Sheridan's needs. My 2020 City Council candidacy marked the beginning of my focused efforts to restore Sheridan to the more vibrant city I remember from 1975.

The Council is frustrated by the long delays in vital maintenance and the need to update primary planning documents required by the state. The City Water Master Plan is almost completed, but we must update other plans. We still have a lot of work to do.

The City Council is working hard to improve Sheridan. Due to limited funds, we closely monitor spending and are resourceful in covering the costs, often using grants. I encourage everyone to attend our meetings to witness our work firsthand. You can access meetings live, using Zoom. Videos of our sessions are available on YouTube and Facebook. Meeting minutes and recordings are available on the City of Sheridan website. We want to ensure everyone is informed about our work and encourage you to share your ideas. City government should be transparent and inclusive.

My City of Sheridan email is jbuckles@cityofsheridanor.com. I invite your comments and questions. I would appreciate your vote to continue working with you and the Council to improve Sheridan.

(This information furnished by James R (Jim) Buckles.)

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**City of Sheridan
City Council, At-Large**



**Christina
Avila**

Occupation: homemaker, volunteer, home school teacher

Occupational Background: 2002-2010 property management; 2009-2021 caregiver

Educational Background: high school: Horizons Santa

Ana, CA; some college: Orange County Community College, Costa Mesa, CA

Prior Governmental Experience: attended Sheridan city council meetings since May 2023

Sheridan is the first place that feels like home to me. Within months of moving here I planned and organized a Christmas dinner for our residents from Riverside; and volunteered at Sheridan Days. I have attended council meetings since I arrived in Sheridan; I thoroughly read the council packets and reach out to council members. I am not afraid to ask tough questions on behalf of friends and strangers alike.

I have spoken to so many people who are eager to see Sheridan once again become a lively, safe, and family-friendly town. This will take a team effort with new leadership and a lot of time and hard work. I am ready and excited to undertake these tasks for my family and friends here in Sheridan. I am very organized and motivated to be a voice for transparency and a balanced budget with no wasteful spending. My ultimate focus would be to spend the council's energy on those projects that bring residents the most positive change: better and safer roads, an updated website and phone system at city hall, bringing our downtown to life again, and truly listening to our citizens. I would be honored to have the privilege of being a voice for you.

(This information furnished by Christina Avila.)

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**Nicole
Mirabito**

Occupation: I am currently employed with the Sheridan School District as their newly appointed Middle School Science Teacher. I am in the classroom half days which still allows me to work with our Student Information System and coordinate data. Previously,

I filled the role of Student Services Secretary at Faulconer Chapman School. Due to my new position, I recently had to step down from fulfilling the duties of President of the Classified School Employees Union, OSEA Chapter 98. I was an executive board member of the Classified Union for five years.

Occupational Background: In addition to my work at the school district, I am the Vice President of A.G.I.L.E. a local non-profit youth organization, and their Club Director for Girls Volleyball. I am also a volunteer coach for Sheridan Youth Volleyball.

Educational Background: Central State University, Educational Studies, BS; Eastern Gateway Community College, Teacher Education, AA

Prior Governmental Experience: None

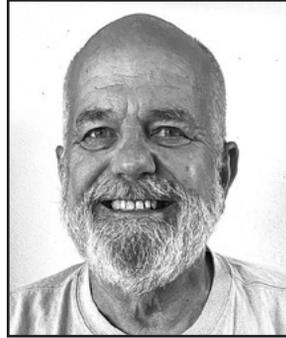
I am running for the Sheridan City Council to serve our community with dedication, accountability, and integrity. I am committed to listening to your concerns, acting on your behalf, and ensuring that every resident's voice is heard and valued.

I believe in the importance of hard work and will bring this ethic to the City Council, tackling issues with diligence and perseverance. I will strive to represent you with ethical governance, honesty, and transparency.

Together, we can build a stronger, more united Sheridan. I humbly ask for your support and your vote.

(This information furnished by Nicole Mirabito.)

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**Dennis
McElroy**

Occupation: retired (combine operator seasonally)

Occupational Background: Heavy equipment operator, charter boat captain, industrial site cleanup

Educational Background: high school diploma, various college courses

Prior Governmental Experience: Sheridan City Council, appointed, served three years

I am running for the Sheridan City Council to provide leadership and transparency to the people of Sheridan. I will focus on ensuring fair treatment and honest representation for all citizens. It is important for the council to listen to the people of Sheridan and communicate that information to other council members and the city manager. If elected, I will work towards developing Stoney Mountain Reservoir and ensure that Sheridan becomes a clean, safe, and family-friendly town that encourages the growth of existing businesses and attracts new ones.

(This information furnished by Dennis McElroy.)

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City of Sheridan City Council, At-Large



Peter T Flynn

Occupation: Chief Technology Officer (CTO) at Van Markl Investment Management

Occupational Background: Legal Assistant at Flynn Law Offices; Residential Construction at Andrew Designer Homes; Seafood Clerk at WinCo Foods

Educational Background: Sheridan High School, Graduated

Prior Governmental Experience: None

Sheridan is where I grew up, and it's where I'll raise my kids. I love this town, and I feel a duty to preserve what makes it special by taking an active role in its future.

The next twenty years will see more change in our lives than the last hundred. We'll have to deal with a host of new challenges, and that will require a great deal of practical problem solving. It's easy for State and Federal governments to forget that rural, working families are the bedrock of any good nation, and it's our responsibility to see that their needs are met. Local government is more important than ever – nothing else will advocate for us when the going gets tough.

I'm no-nonsense, I treasure honesty, and I value transparency. I love challenge, I love solving problems, and I love people. I'd be honored to put my time and energy toward making Sheridan a place where people love to live.

(This information furnished by Peter T Flynn.)

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Vickie Hernandez

Occupation: Retired; Small home based business owner; Part time Executive Administrative Assistant; Current City Councilor

Occupational Background: I worked for the Confederated

Tribes of Grand Ronde for 25 years in the HR department as the corporate trainer. My focus was providing new employee orientation and creating training classes in leadership development, guest service, professional/career growth, teambuilding, ethics, and much more. I am able to speak in front of large or small groups with ease and I feel that all of my areas of training have given me a well rounded wealth of knowledge and skills.

Educational Background: Silverton Union High School, High School Diploma; Langevin Learning, Master Trainer Certification; Chemeketa Community College, general studies

Prior Governmental Experience: City Councilor – Nov, 2022 – present

Hi Neighbors & Friends,

My name is Vickie Hernandez and with great enthusiasm and a deep sense of responsibility that I announce my candidacy for Mayor of our beloved town. Over the past 2 years I have served on the City Council and I have enjoyed it tremendously. I have had the privilege of working alongside many of you as we strive to grow and build our city into one that we can all be proud of. It is this shared experience that fuels my commitment to our community and drives my vision for our future.

As a city councilor I have learned so much about how a city operates and what it takes to make everything run smoothly. As Mayor my duties will include supporting the city council in all of their decision making and supporting our amazing city staff when and where needed. I will always listen to your concerns, comments, and suggestions and take each one seriously and I will make sure to do my best to be fair, honest, and act with integrity as I help to make the best decisions for our community.

(This information furnished by Vickie K Hernandez.)

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Jennifer Eckels

Occupation: Licensed Clinical Social Worker

Occupational Background: Home Health and Hospice

Educational Background: University of Hawaii at Manoa, M.S.W; State University of

New York Institute of Technology, Sociology A.A.S., Social Work (Gerontology) B.A.; Mohawk Valley Community College, Business Management

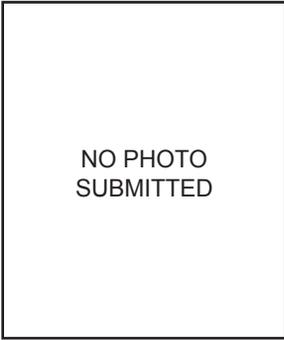
Prior Governmental Experience: Willamina Planning Commission – 2022-Present, Willamina Library Board – 2023 – Present

Willamina is a community that is strong and nurturing. I believe that it is our duty as residents to grow on the work done by those who came before us. It is our responsibility to continue the work to secure a robust future for our city. If elected, I hope to listen to all residents and work toward goals that will ensure a safe and prosperous community for all.

(This information furnished by Jennifer Eckels.)

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**City of Yamhill
Mayor**



**Shea
Corrigan**

Occupation: Food and Beverage Director, Co-Owner of Three Old Guys Distilling

Occupational Background: Over 30 years of management in the service industry. Small business owner.

Educational Background: Mt. Carmel High School in San Diego; San Diego State University; Portland Community College.

Prior Governmental Experience: Current City Councilor, Yamhill, Oregon. City of Yamhill Planning Commissioner.

My journey into local government came when I was appointed as a planning commissioner for the City of Yamhill. Shortly after my appointment to the planning commission, I chose to run for an open city council position. I believe that my thirty plus years of experience in the service industry has allowed me the ability to not only hear, but really listen to what the citizens of Yamhill need and want. I feel that my time and experience has been well served as a planning commissioner and city councilor, and I am hoping to extend my service as the next mayor of Yamhill. As a current City Councilor for the City of Yamhill, I pride myself on the thoughtful process of decision making when I cast my vote with the best intentions for the citizens of Yamhill. My family and I are invested in the city and its future. My small business is in Yamhill, my children go to our schools, and my wife and I volunteer with local youth sports programs. We, as citizens, need to plan for our community and make decisions that will benefit the future generations.

(This information furnished by Shea Corrigan.)

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**City of Yamhill
City Council, At-Large**



**Tim
Askey**

Occupation: Buyer, A-dec

Occupational Background: Avionics, US Navy

Educational Background: Portland State University, BusinessAdmin: Supply and Logistics Management, BA *Cum Laude*

Prior Governmental Experience: Yamhill City Council: 2019 – Present; Yamhill Budget Committee: 2019 - Present

It has been a privilege to serve with my fellow city council members over the course of my current term. Together, City Council has worked as a team with city staff, committees and community members to face our challenges head-on, while always keeping the best interests of our Yamhill community at heart. Our collaborative efforts over the last four years have produced meaningful progress for Yamhill, and I am honored to have played a role in shaping what has become a bright future for our community.

Community engagement is one of my top priorities, and I believe true progress comes from listening to all voices and utilizing their unique perspectives and experience to better understand our community. I am running to continue in my position on city council because I want to follow through with the research and work that I have focused on by increasing community engagement and connecting with residents who are not able to attend council meetings. It is imperative that the perspectives, ideas, and opinions of the community members that are not as vocal are valued in our small city, and I believe that it is critical to tap into that information.

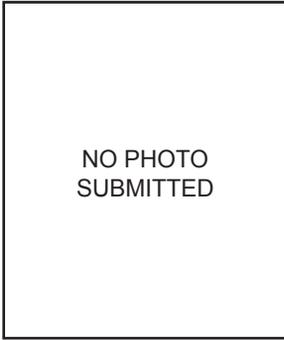
I am committed to advancing the strategic goals we have established during the current term. I want to work towards establishing a more accessible method of communicating those goals to the public in a way that would allow us all to track progress, review timelines, and learn about current and upcoming projects within our city.

Transparency and open communication will remain at the core of my approach to serving on city council. Together, we can continue building on the foundation that we currently have in place, by creating a stronger, more connected Yamhill.

(This information furnished by Tim Askey.)

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**City of Yamhill
City Council, At-Large**



**Patty
Pairan**

Occupation: Retired in 2016
Occupational Background:
None
Educational Background:
None
**Prior Governmental
Experience:** None

I started working midway through my senior year of high school at the age of 17. My mom helped me find my first apartment which happened to be in a building she lived in when she was younger. I worked, raised my 2 children and retired in 2016 after working for the State of Oregon for 15 years as a Child Support Case Manager. I now watch my 2 great grandchildren when my granddaughter works.

My husband and I moved to Yamhill and bought our 1913 Craftsman in 2002. For years after work, we would come home and work on restoring the home to what it may have been with what we could afford. Recently we were able to finish the outside with siding appropriate to the age of the home. We are proud of what we have accomplished over the years with the restoration.

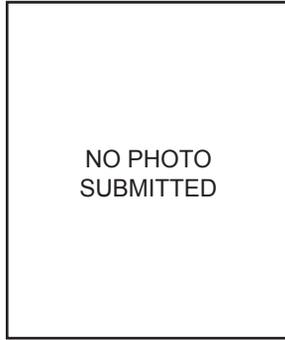
I am not a political person by no means. I am very much a common-sense person and say it like I see it.

There has been a lot of "good ole boy" history and attitude over the years and that's why I want this seat on the City of Yamhill City Council. I want very much to help make positive outcomes to Yamhill. To make decisions that will benefit the city as a whole not a few financially. I am tired of the Good Ole Boy way of doing things. I have heard this many times from many Yamhill residence. I am a logical thinker not an impulse doer. We must move forward with things that will benefit our residents for the long term. I want to work to get our community involved and informed about common sense growth within Yamhill. I hope I can count on your support and your vote.

(This information furnished by Patty Pairan.)

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**City of Yamhill
City Council, At-Large**



**Chris
Featherston**

Occupation: 9-1-1 Dispatcher, Volunteer Firefighter / EMT
Occupational Background:
Yamhill Communications Agency, 18 years, City of Newberg 6 years, Yamhill Fire Protection District volunteer 29 years.

Educational Background: Yamhill Carlton School District K- 12; Chemeketa and Clackamas Community Colleges.

Prior Governmental Experience: None.

I was born and raised in Yamhill. My parents graduated from YC, and my children now attend the same schools.

I have served on the volunteer fire department since age 16 (29 years). After high school, I took EMT courses and Emergency Management classes and then started my career as a 911 dispatcher. I have been a 911 dispatcher for 24 years, all of which have been here locally in Yamhill County. I understand and have worked with various civic leaders and committees both in volunteer and professional capacities.

I grew up outside of town, we were in a water district. I understand the basics of how the districts work. I can remember many times having boil water orders and even coming to city hall and getting water from the National Guard water truck. People are all too eager to get upset about new houses and some water restrictions without knowing and understanding how much improvement there has been. With the growth of the community, we need to remember the past and continually work on making things better in all aspects of city government. We must continually ask why and seek answers and understanding to make the best decisions for our community.

I have lived in town for about 12 years now. Fortunately for us we currently have great neighbors and feel blessed to be in a town where people still talk to their neighbors and care about each other. I am hoping to give back to the community in a new and different way through the city council.

(This information furnished by Chris Featherston.)

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Yamhill Soil & Water Conservation District Director, Zone 4, At-Large



Michal A Wert

Occupation: Retired

Occupational Background: Over 35 years of experience managing environmental and transportation projects and programs in both the private and public sectors.

Educational Background: University of Connecticut, Natural Resource Conservation, Bachelor of Science

Prior Governmental Experience: Director, Yamhill Soil & Water Conservation District; Chair, Yamhill County Roadside Vegetation Management Technical Advisory Committee; Vice-Chair, Yamhill County Road Improvement Advisory Committee

It has been a privilege to represent NE Yamhill County since 2023 on the Board of Directors of the Yamhill Soil & Water Conservation District.

Managing District properties and conservation easements, meeting increasing landowner needs and requests for assistance, and outreach to make District resources more readily available to County residents will be important opportunities over the next several years.

Thank you for your vote to continue this interesting and important work.

(This information furnished by Michal A Wert.)

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Amity

Amity City Library
Parking Lot
307 S Trade Street

Carlton

Carlton City Hall
191 E Main Street

Dayton

Dayton City Hall
416 Ferry Street

Dundee

Dundee City Hall
620 SW 5th Street

Lafayette

Lafayette City Hall
486 3rd Street (99W)

McMinnville

Chemeketa - McMinnville Campus
288 NE Norton Lane

Courthouse (Inside lobby)
535 NE 5th Street
Accessible during normal business hours

Courthouse Drive-Through Drop Box
(East end of Courthouse parking lot,
enter on 5th and Ford Streets)

McMinnville Library
225 NW Adams Street

Yamhill County Clerk's Office
(Ballot box located outside and inside lobby)
414 NE Evans Street

Newberg

Newberg Public Safety
401 E 3rd Street

Jaquith Park – West
1215 N Main Street

PCC - Newberg Center
135 Werth Boulevard

Sheridan

Sheridan City Hall
120 SW Mill Street

Willamina

Willamina City Hall
411 NE C Street

Yamhill

Yamhill City Hall
205 S Maple Street

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