

Candidate Statement for Voters' Pamphlet

Required Information

Candidate Name: **Gabriela Saldaña-López**

Total maximum of 325 hand counted typewritten words/numbers for the combined 'Required' and 'Optional Information', excluding the bold headings already printed on this form. All sections of the 'Required Information' must be completed. If there is not relevant information for a required section, the word "None" should be inserted.

Occupation (present paid or unpaid employment):
Community Organizer

Occupational Background (any previous paid or unpaid employment):
Americorp member College Possible, Bus Riders Unite Community Organizer, East County Rising Canvasser

Educational Background (relevant school(s) attended):

Name of School	Educational Study - Major/Minor	Diploma/Degree/Certificate
David Douglas High School		;
University of Oregon	Public Policy	B.A. ;
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Prior Governmental Experience (elected or appointed):
Portland Utility Board, David Douglas School Board Position 4 (November 2021-present)

Optional Information

Attach a separate sheet with your 'Optional Information'. **Remember: both your 'Required' and 'Optional Information' count toward the 325 word limit (excluding required information headings).**

Candidate checklist for 'JCVP-01 Joint County Voters' Pamphlet Candidate Statement' information:

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'Required Information':

- Occupation
- Occupational Background
- Educational Background
- Prior Governmental Experience

- (Optional) 'Optional Information'
- (Optional) Portrait
- (If applicable) JCVP-02 Endorsement Statement #: _____
- Fee/Petition Provided
- Word Count (325 words/numbers MAX)

Community Experience: East County Rising, Partnership for Safety and Justice, David Douglas alum.

As a first generation student, who was a former English Language Learner, I've experienced the challenges students face first hand. As an advocate and organizer for over 8 years of experience, I have a deep passion for education and ensuring that all students have a successful future.

As a member of the David Douglas School Board, I actively work towards building more equitable school systems including:

- Successfully passed Measure 26-227 that invests \$140 million-dollars in the health and safety of our schools.
- Current board Vice-Chair
- Advocate for restorative justice practices and policies to support students

"Gabriela, as a former Douglas student, is a passionate advocate for kids and committed to ensuring a quality education for all students" -Donna Barber, David Douglas School Board Chair

Together we will ensure that there are more policies and resources in place that support students and their families to thrive.

Proudly endorsed by:

- David Douglas Education Association
- Oregon School Employees Association Chapter 40
- Oregon Education Association Political Action Committee
- Stand for Children
- Planned Parenthood of Oregon PAC of Oregon
- United Food and Commercial Workers Local 555
- East County Rising PAC
- Kayse Jama, State Senator
- Andrea Valderrama, State Representative
- Hoa Nguyen, State Representative & David Douglas School Board Member
- Donna Barber, David Douglas Board Chair
- Stephanie D. Stephens, David Douglas School Board Member
- Heather Franklin, David Douglas School Board Member
- Sonja McKenzie, Parkrose School Board Member
- Katrina Doughty, Vice-chair Multnomah Educational Service District Board Director
- Ana del Rocio, Former David Douglas School Board Member
- Eddie Morales, Gresham City Councilor
- Kate Sherman, David Douglas School Board Candidate

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