

Official Ballot - Special Election  
Multnomah County, OR  
May 21, 2019

3806-1-S

**THIS IS NOT A REAL BALLOT. DO NOT USE TO VOTE.**

**Instructions To Voter**

Please Use A Blue or Black Ink Pen.  
Completely fill in the oval to the left of your choice to be sure your vote will be counted.

To add a candidate who is not on the ballot, fill in the oval to the left of the write-in line and write the candidate's full name on the line. See example below:



**Attention!**

Remember to inspect your ballot for mistakes! If you make a mistake or damage your ballot, call Multnomah County Elections Office at (503) 988-3720.

**Check for Errors**

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

**Warning**

Any person who, by use of force or other means, unduly influences an elector to vote in any particular manner or to refrain from voting is subject to a fine.  
(ORS 254.470)

**Education Service District**

Clackamas Education Service District,  
Director, At-Large  
Vote for One

- Linda Brown
- \_\_\_\_\_  
OR Write-in on line above

**School District**

Lake Oswego School District, Director,  
Position 1  
Vote for One

- Kelly Calabria
- John Wallin
- \_\_\_\_\_  
OR Write-in on line above

Lake Oswego School, Director, Position 5  
Vote for One

- Kirsten Aird
- \_\_\_\_\_  
OR Write-in on line above

**City of Lake Oswego Measure**

Referred to the Voters by the Lake  
Oswego City Council

**3-548 Bonds for Open Space, Parks and  
Recreation Land and Facilities**

**Question:** Shall Lake Oswego issue \$30 million in bonds for open space or park land, and for park and recreation facilities?

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.

This measure authorizes the City to issue up to \$30 million in bonds to acquire real property for open space or parks, or to renovate, replace or develop park and recreation facilities. Uses will be guided by the city's current and future parks and capital improvement plans. The bonds will be payable over a period of up to 20 years.

The bonds will be repaid from property taxes. The resulting tax rate is estimated to be not more than \$0.24 per \$1000 of assessed value. For a property with an assessed value (not real market value) of \$500,000, the annual cost would be \$120. This is the same rate as the current open space and parks bond portion of property taxes for three current bond series, which will be paid off over the next three years. It is expected that the newly-approved bonds will be issued in several series, allowing the open space and parks bond portion of city property tax rates to be maintained at no higher than the current rate.

- Yes
- No

**Review Both Sides** ➔

**City of Lake Oswego Measure**

**Lake Oswego School District Measure**

Referred to the Voters by the Lake Oswego City Council

**3-549 Charter Amendment Regarding Frequency of the City Manager's Budget Submittals**

**Question:** Shall the Lake Oswego Charter be amended to eliminate the requirement for the City Manager to submit annual proposed budgets?

Oregon Local Budget Law currently allows cities to adopt either one-year or two-year budgets. However, the duties of the City Manager listed in the Lake Oswego City Charter currently include, in Subsection 20.B.3, a requirement for the City Manager to "annually prepare and submit a proposed City budget for the ensuing fiscal year . . ."

Approval of this measure amends Subsection 20.B.3 of the Lake Oswego City Charter to require the City Manager to "prepare and submit proposed City budgets for budget periods specified by the City Council and authorized by state law..." instead of requiring annual budget submittals. This change would make the frequency of the City Manager's budget submittal duties under the Charter consistent with whatever budget periods may be chosen by the City Council under Oregon Local Budget Law: currently either annual or biennial budgets.

- Yes
- No

**3-547 Five Year Local Option Levy for Teachers and Educational Programs**

**Question:** Shall District expand, preserve programs, class sizes; levy \$1.64 per \$1000 assessed value for operations for five years beginning 2019-2020? This measure may cause property taxes to increase more than three percent.

The local option school levy was most recently renewed in 2013. It currently provides over 12% of Lake Oswego School District's annual operational funding. If approved, this levy would provide funds to preserve and expand current programs and operations, including:

- Preserve over 80 current teacher and other staff positions funded by the current levy.
- Maintain class sizes; increase individual instructional opportunities, enhance programs by hiring up to 20 additional teachers.
- Preserve and expand vocational, technical and STEM programs at all schools, including computer science education, to improve college and career readiness.
- Preserve and expand reading, early literacy, mental health support for all students.
- Fund enhanced safety and security on school campuses.

Spending would be subject to annual audits. This measure would supersede the current local option levy at a maximum rate of \$1.64 per \$1,000 of assessed value. The proposed rate is estimated to raise approximately \$13,000,000 in 2019-2020, \$13,390,000 in 2020-2021, \$13,790,000 in 2021-2022, \$14,200,000 in 2022-2023 and \$14,620,000 in 2023-2024, for a total of \$60,000,000 over five years.

- Yes
- No

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