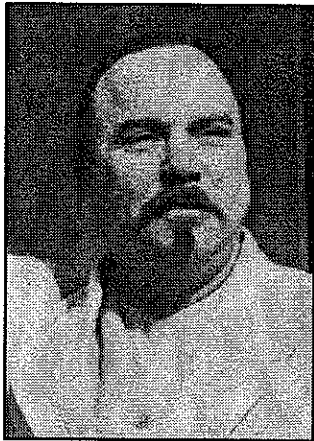


## CITY OF PORTLAND

Mayor

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MICHAEL  
BEAUDIN

**OCCUPATION:** President, Flatlander Corp.

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Social Worker, Bar Manager, Community Activist, Bar & Restaurant Owner, Lumberjack, Cab Driver, Truck Driver, Army Vet., Medic.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** (everything from entry level to graduate work) UNLV; Portland Comm. College (Guest Speaker Portland State Indian Studies); Mills College Oakland, CA; Medical training, Fort Sam Houston Tx; Adv. med training Fort Knox Kent. (Too many to list)

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** The whole point of this campaign is that too many people whose only job they've ever had is government. I'm from the real world I understand real problems. Gov't experience NONE!

I'm here for people who work, who've been put out of a small business by govt. Regulation. People who are tired of learning we can't run our schools on 350 million dollars. A govt that fires hands on people and leaves high paid administrators alone.

A govt. that sells our raw logs at rock bottom prices instead of finished wood products. Tax breaks for giant corporations while property taxes and fees rise. So until they give us voters a way to vote NO Confidence, or None of the Above, Vote for Michael Beaudin. At least I know what it's like to buy none name brand clothes, work with my hands and stand up for regular people. No more suits deciding what real working peoples needs. If our budget demands we let people go, let's start the layoffs at the top.

*(This information furnished by Committee to Elect Beaudin Mayor, Simple Solutions to Complex Problems)*

TOM  
CROPPER

**OCCUPATION:** Community producer of cable television series focused on public issues, education, and the arts in the community.

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Tax auditor for the State of Oregon; Public affairs for various groups in the arts and in political affairs area.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Portland State University, Portland, Oregon B.S. Business Administration, B.S. Economics.

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Elected 3 times as Precinct Committeeperson in Multnomah County.

A camel stuck his nose into a tent. Then he crawled in. He ended pushing the owner out the back door like corrosive growth that pushes long established residents out of their homes and neighborhoods. Stop government from giving away millions of your tax dollars to corporations who give nomadic jobs paying low wages. Competing in the global economy means competing with workers who may make 25 cents an hour. Vote out politicians who sell out their own citizens.

Portland should own the rights to Bull Run. We want to keep it clean and pure. I will challenge the way the city of Portland has been running the Water Bureau.

Internationalizing Greater Portland is the current mayor's foreign policy. It was produced behind closed doors by international corporations. Meetings went on for two years with the media excluded. They want you to drink dirty Willamette River water, and give clean Bull Run water to things like computer chip plants. Stop these secret deals. This water and our natural resources belong to our people, not to international cartels.

The sex industry has been growing explosively since 1987 when the Oregon Supreme Court decided that free speech includes nude dance bars and sex shops. This is a morals problem. This is a health threat. What message does this give kids? Regulate obscenity. Sexploitation is greed. Vote out politicians who accept campaign money from the sex industry.

Public schools teach low morals. Children are killing. Dropouts approach one out of four during high school years. Give parents control of values being taught.

*(This information furnished by Tom Cropper for Mayor)*

# CITY OF PORTLAND

Mayor



**VERA  
KATZ**

**OCCUPATION:** Mayor of Portland.  
**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Director of Development, Portland Community College.  
**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** B.A., M.A. studies, Brooklyn College.  
**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** State Representative (1973-1992); Speaker, Oregon House of Representatives (1985-1991).

**MAYOR VERA KATZ**

**Effective Leadership for All Portland**

*"Mayor Vera Katz makes me proud to be from Portland."*  
 Neil Goldschmidt, former Oregon Governor and Portland Mayor  
 For the last four years, Mayor Vera Katz has concentrated on the most critical issues facing our city—and she has gotten results. It's why she has earned our support for another term as Mayor.

**A Safer Community**

- 1000 Sworn Police Officers • New Domestic Violence Police Unit • Improved Neighborhood Police Facilities
- Auto Theft Task Force • Prostitution-free Zones

*"On behalf of all the neighborhood watch volunteers I work with in crime prevention, we want to thank Mayor Katz for her support."*  
 Kathy Kendrix, Century Terrace Neighborhood Watch

**A More Livable Future**

- City Funds to Reduce Cuts to Schools • Leadership to Stop Urban Sprawl • \$30 Million for New Affordable Housing
  - Expanded After-School Recreation Programs • New Community Plans in North/Northeast and Outer Southeast Portland
- "The Mayor's plan to rescue schools shows leadership..."*  
 The Oregonian 3/23/96

**Quality Wage Jobs**

- Adopted City Economic Development Strategy • Increased Minority Contracting • Quality Jobs Initiative • Recruited New Jobs to the City • Help for Neighborhood Businesses
- "Vera Katz has done a great job increasing the number of quality wage job opportunities for the entire community."*  
 Gail Castillo, Hispanic Metropolitan Chamber of Commerce

**More Confidence In Government**

- Set Benchmark Results for City Services • Eliminated "No Bid" Contracts • Created Ombudsman's Office • "Meet The Mayor" Meetings • Cut Proposed Utility Rate Increases
- "Vera Katz asks tough questions and makes tough decisions that make government more efficient, effective and affordable."*  
 Craig Berkman, former chair of the Oregon Republican Party

**Leadership That's Working For All Portland**

**Re-Elect Mayor Vera Katz**

*"Thank you, Portland, our work together has just begun." Vera Katz*  
 (This information furnished by Friends of Vera Katz Committee)

Mayor



**LEX  
LOEB**

**OCCUPATION:** Museum director/curator; Office Manager.  
**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Real Estate Agent; Designer; Farm Manager; Award winning Artist.  
**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** University of Chicago—BA 1981; Stints at Princeton University; University of Oregon (Architecture/Urban Planning respectively).  
**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Ran for US Senate 1995. Many Bad Experiences.

**I AM THE BACK TO BASICS CANDIDATE.**  
 Its time your get your TAX-DOLLAR'S WORTH.

Here's how it works:  
 A 20% pay cut for Mayor and Commissioners.

- ACCOUNTABILITY.**
- Free Parking in all city-Owned Parking lots.
- NO MORE PARKING METERS.**
- Respect for PRIVATE Property Rights.
- Free Admission to the ZOO; FREE GOLF. (you already paid for it!)
- Helpful, fast, friendly service with a smile.
- Privatization of Private acting Public agencies—Get your fair share—Equitable asset distribution to citizens expands tax rolls.
- Relocation of Skid Row with voluntary incentives.
- (Free Beer/improved consolidated services)
- A Climate of Choice and opportunity for all.
- A Street Ban on shopping carts.

**ZERO TOLERANCE FOR CRIME-victims do not get a second Chance.**

- Hiring a new class of police deputies.
- Repeal of Cruising Ban. (and create quality alternatives for youth activity.)

Earthquake Proof Fire Stations.  
 Competition for cable TV, trash, taxi, and Ambulance services for consumer savings.

- Franchise fees on Lawyers and ex-cons to pay for no-fault insurance/parole officers respectively.
- World-class park program.

An end to sidewalk/sewer assessment rackets.  
 Government that allows real wealth creation.  
 An end to run away Government.

Are your high taxes for making somebody else's business thrive?  
 What if those businesses really belong to you as public property worth Billions of dollars? What is your fair share?

The city spends almost \$800 per year on every resident. Are you getting your money's worth? The city has over 626 million dollars in cash and its growing. Average employee earns over 60K per year including benefits. The City grosses over Nine million dollars a year from parking fines and coins! For more amazing facts—

Call Lex Loeb for more information 503-227-2975  
**VOTE LEX FOR XELLENC!**

(This information furnished by Lex Loeb)

## CITY OF PORTLAND

Mayor



PAUL H.  
SHENE III

**OCCUPATION:** Security officer.

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Security officer 1993-present; Unpaid teacher's assistant 1992-1993; Relief Manager 1991-1992; Laborer 1986-1991; Military (Reserve) 1986-1995; Activated in Desert Shield/Storm 1990-1991.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Portland Community College 1988-1989; Mount Hood Community College 1986; University of Miami, FL 1984-1985; Long Island University (Southampton NY) 1983-1984 (at same time as was still in high school).

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** None.

In any free society, the citizens can peacefully change leaders as the need arises. It is my firm belief that time has come. I propose to be the positive alternative on this mayoral ballot.

The mayor's role in our society is to be the steward and representative of Portland, an excellent city of almost a half million people; a city in crisis. A steward, the mayor reveals the city's priorities by the budget. Therefore my platform begins there:

1. The Neighborhood budgeting plan:  
75% of the city budget would be allocated by the city council. 25% would be divided among the neighborhoods to allocate for most pressing needs.  
The neighborhood would, additionally, be given limited levy authority within the neighborhood for neighborhood needs.
2. Neighborhood districting plan:  
For police/fire, the hierarchal structure would be completely scrapped in favor of each neighborhood equals one police/fire station with all needed facilities for neighborhood service.

This is not a complete listing of my platform. For more call 235-2853 or Email at pshene@teleport.com

For real change vote Paul Shene III for Mayor

(This information furnished by Paul Shene for Mayor)

Mayor



BILL  
SPIDAL

**OCCUPATION:** Owner/Manager of "Community Resources" (A \$1.2 million investment company with both domestic and international holdings) (1986-current).

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Oregon Air National Guard (1973-retired); Portland Police Officer (1977-1985).

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** A.A. Criminal Justice (Portland Community College); B.S. Philosophy (Portland State University).

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** None.

"WHY DO WE PAY TAXES?"

Our streets are not safe; Our schools are not funded and our fish are "mutating" due to pollution in our rivers.

Our taxes go up "every" year and we waste it on higher salaries for our elected officials and \$25 million to remodel city hall.

"THIS MUST END!"

My name is Bill Spidal ("MR. BILL"); and from 1977 to 1985 I was a Portland police officer. In 1985 I resigned and returned to college and graduated with a degree in Philosophy and started my own company (Community Resources) in 1986. Community Resources (an international investment company currently has over \$1.2 million under management).

I know we can freeze tax-rates and focus our tax dollars on making our streets safe, funding our schools at \$319 million and protect our rivers. With your vote on May 21; we will "STOP GOVERNMENT GREED" and if we stop "special interests" we can make government work for everyone. This is the reason I have accepted no financial contributions and if elected, will donate my salary as mayor to Portland food-banks where the majority of people are women and children.

In 1995 we paid over \$900 million dollars in city taxes. We have the money to make government work; and on May 21st; Portland's future is "UP TO YOU!"

Thank-you and God Bless;  
"Mr. Bill" Spidal

Endorsements:

Ms. Colleen Sue Spidal	Mrs. Lorena Spidal
Mr. Carl Royer	Mrs. Marilyn Behrends
Mr. Mathew Levi	Mr./Mrs. Tom & Linda Miller
Mr. Samuel Sanders	Mrs. Debe Sanders
Ms. Pam Perry	

(This information furnished by "Mr. Bill" Spidal)

# CITY OF PORTLAND

## Commissioner Position 1



**BOB  
BENNETT**

**OCCUPATION:** Radio/Television Broadcaster.  
**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Radio & Television Broadcasting; Teacher, Manager, News Manager, Talk Show Host; Foreign Exchange Counselor AYUSA; Talent Manager, Public Relations, Business Owner.  
**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Orange Coast College; LaSalle Law School.  
**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** None.

Dear Portland Voter:

I have entered the race for Portland City Commissioner because I believe in the future of Portland. As a radio and television broadcaster, I have been in touch with our community.

Portland citizens are concerned about jobs. Over 90% of the jobs in our city are created by small business. We must set a climate that will help them survive. The increased cost of permits, added complications and restrictions make it difficult for many small companies to do business here.

We are concerned about crime. Community police programs are beginning to work. The gang task force is also making an impression. On the other hand, police have not been able to respond to many personal property damage and theft complaints. We need to get the most out of our police dollar. That means more officers working for us and less administration.

We are concerned about money. As a Portland voter, you have a basic right to expect good money management and elimination of waste. We cannot continue to spend more than we take in. If you vote for me on May 21st, I can save you money!

Sincerely,  
Bob Bennett

*(This information furnished by Citizens to Elect Bob Bennett)*

## Commissioner Position 1



**BOB  
BLOODGOOD**

**OCCUPATION:** Consulting Engineer.  
**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Twenty five years in electronic technology. Technical and engineering work in medical electronics, broadcast engineering, industrial/consumer maintenance/repair, electronic circuit/systems design consulting, and community college instructor.  
**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** 3 1/2 years college coursework towards BSEE degree.  
**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Former precinct committeeperson.

**TAXES:** Local taxes are too high and there is too much waste and frivolous spending. I will work to lower your taxes, then examine each proposed expenditure with a microscope and make a very loud noise at the first sign of waste.

**CRIME:** We must have zero tolerance for drug dealers and gangs. We need to spend as much as it takes to make our streets safe. Most importantly, we need to get every concerned citizen involved in the process, since government will never be able to do the job alone.

**SCHOOLS:** Within the limits of state law, we must work for a viable local school system. But spending city funds to alleviate the current crisis is not a real, long-term solution. A good place to start is less waste, more parental/community involvement, and a clear message to all parties involved that school funding does not come from a bottomless barrel of money.

**CITY GOVERNMENT:** The current city council is overstocked with radical progressive, tax and spend, career politicians. Portland needs a fiscally and socially conservative city commissioner who will bring a sense of balance back to the city council. As a fiscal and social conservative, I will also bring a much needed "diversity" to city hall which has been noticeably absent for over fifteen years.

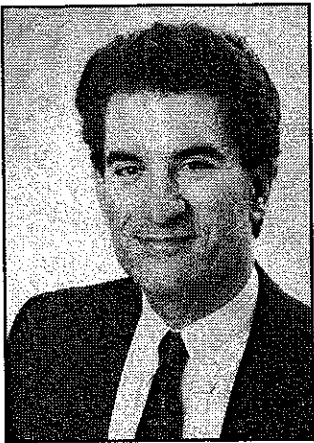
My training as an electronic engineer lets me bring a rare technical background to the tasks at hand.

My love for the City of Roses and my desire to improve its livability are unsurpassed.

I am ready to begin work as the next new Commissioner on the city council of my home town.

*(This information furnished by Bloodgood for  
Portland Committee)*

## CITY OF PORTLAND

Commissioner  
Position 1

**JIM  
FRANCESCONI**

**OCCUPATION:** Small Business Owner, Attorney.

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Co-founder of Youth Employment and Empowerment Project, Portland Organizing Project, Jesuit Volunteer Corp.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** University of Oregon, J.D. Law-1978, Stanford, B.A. History-1974.

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Chairman, Oregon Juvenile Justice Commission; Member, Workforce Quality Council, Task Force on Workers' Compensation Reform.

**FAMILY:** Jim and his wife Shelley live in NE Portland and have three children, Bryan, Micah and Brett.

#### Crime Prevention in Our Neighborhoods

"Too many of our citizens don't feel safe on their streets and in their homes. Jim Francesconi will work closely with Portland police, neighborhood patrols and my office to keep criminals off the streets." Mike Schrunk, Multnomah County District Attorney

#### Committed to the Best Schools

"Jim Francesconi understands schools are the heart of our community. He will work to build a strong partnership between our schools and the City of Portland." Avel Gordly, State Representative.

#### Involving Citizens

"Jim Francesconi's grassroots approach to involving different communities, especially senior citizens, will be a tremendous asset to our City Council." Susan Emmons, Senior Citizen Advocate.

Dear Friend:

Preventing juvenile crime and bettering our schools are my highest priorities. I have spent 20 years working to bring citizens, business and government together to find solutions to our most pressing problems.

When a drug house next to my church opened I learned the importance of involving neighbors in the successful shutdown of the drug house.

That's how I started the Youth Employment and Empowerment Coalition—placing over 600 gang-affected youth with 200 Portland businesses. This is the problem-solving ability I will bring to our City Council. I ask for your vote.

**Vote Jim Francesconi for City Council**

*(This information furnished by Jim Francesconi)*

Commissioner  
Position 1

**DALE E.  
SHERBOURNE**

**OCCUPATION:** Utility worker for the City of Portland.

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Postal worker; school bus driver; self-employed knife sharpener; U.S. Army Sargent; 12 yrs. City of Portland Wastewater Treatment Plant Operator.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Associate Degrees in Water Technology and Wastewater Technology from Clackamas Community College; Wastewater Treatment short schools; Backflow Prevention Certification School; Graduated from Cleveland High School, Portland Or. 1968.

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** C.T.L.H. Neighborhood Association Renters Representative.

As your next utilities commissioner I will work for repeal of the surcharge on your water and sewer bills that goes to the general fund. The fees for these services should go for services provided and not for commissioners pay raises.

I will work for a drip tax on all fluids that drip from cars and trucks to pay for the Combined Sewer Overflow treatment facility and wastewater treatment plant expansion.

Storage on the Little Sandy River, in the Bull Run Reserve, should be our next water source, if needed, and not the Willamette river.

I believe the people of Portland should be able to vote on any expansion of our infrastructure.

I will as your Utilities commissioner:

Work to acquire the Bull Run Reserve to protect our watershed.

Have chlorine removed from our drinking water, sewage, and CSO treatment and replace with ozone.

Work for the return of monies illegally collected by the city of Portland from Mid-Mult. Co. residents, compensate them for expenses incurred for unnecessary sewer hook ups, and have an election to see if they want to annex.

Propose a building moratorium on all new office buildings over 3 stories, residential, and apartment buildings to preserve the quality of life in Portland

Strive for city council, elections by districts, and term limits  
Propose a residential property tax decrease after 7 yrs. to be paid for by real estate tax of property sold before 7 yrs.

Portland doesn't need to rely on growth for there to be a viable and self sustaining economy. There are more than enough people here now.

*(This information furnished by Committee to elect Dale E. Sherbourne)*



# CITY OF PORTLAND

**Commissioner  
Position 1**



**GAIL  
SHIBLEY**

**OCCUPATION:** Traffic Safety Manager - City of Portland.  
**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Business-to-business marketer; dislocated worker advocate; constituent services director.  
**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** B.A., UO; Hebrew University, Jerusalem; West Albany (OR) High School.  
**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** State Representative, 1991-present.

PORTLAND NEEDS EXPERIENCED, EFFECTIVE LEADERSHIP TO BRING COMMON SENSE SOLUTIONS TO THE PROBLEMS OF GROWTH, CRIME AND AT-RISK SCHOOLS.

**PORTLAND NEEDS GAIL SHIBLEY ON OUR CITY COUNCIL.**

Gail's plan to improve Portland:

- **Gail's Campaign - It's About Kids.**  
Support our schools; provide real opportunities for young people to succeed in school and work; partner with higher education to ensure access to life-long learning.
- **Gail's Work-Protecting Our Environment.**  
Keep the UGB firmly in place; don't log Bull Run; invest in parks and open spaces; protect watersheds.
- **Gail's Vision-Improve Neighborhood Livability.**  
Invest in home ownership; reclaim vacant lots; calm neighborhood traffic; expand community policing.
- **Gail's Record-Ensure Real Economic Opportunities.**  
Process permits efficiently; leverage financial clout with lending institutions; support living wage jobs; recognize the arts as an integral part of Portland's infrastructure.
- **Gail's Goal-Reform Government.**  
Break out of bureaucratic tunnel vision; model regional leadership; guarantee meaningful public participation.

**GAIL SHIBLEY has the proven ability to get things done. She's our elected leader, a city-wide manager, and a community activist for affordable housing and economic development.**

*Dear Portlander:*

*I'm running for City Council because my vision for Portland is a safe, livable, 21st Century city.*

*As a native Oregonian, I understand what makes us special, and I'm committed to protecting and improving our enviable quality of life. Working for private and public employers, for small and large businesses, has taught me the value true partnerships can bring. It's the same commitment to collaboration we need leading Portland into the 21st Century.*

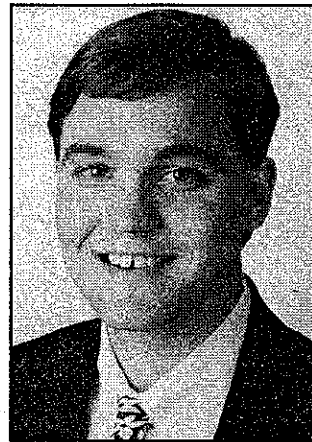
*I ask for your vote May 21.*

GAIL

Endorsed by: • Right to Privacy PAC • Oregon Women's Political Caucus, Portland Chapter • Bike PAC of Oregon,

*(This information furnished by Gail Shibley)*

**Commissioner  
Position 1**



**ERIK  
STEN**

**OCCUPATION:** Chief of Staff, Commissioner Gretchen Kafoury.  
**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Community Organizer; Board Member, HOST (Home Ownership One Street at a Time); Board Member, Portland Community Reinvestment Initiatives; Freelance Journalist.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Attended Portland Public Schools; Graduate, Grant High; BA, Stanford University; National Merit Scholarship Winner.

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Chief of Staff, City Commissioner Gretchen Kafoury. Assistant, Intergovernmental Affairs Office, DC City Council.

**EXPERIENCE**

Erik Sten's record of accomplishment with Portland's City Council guarantees he can hit the ground running:

- Organizer, Albina Community Bank;
- "Excellence in Housing Award", Oregon Department of Housing and Community Development;
- "Ma Curtis Award for Social Justice" for work on behalf of Portland's homeless.

"Erik Sten...might be the best example of the old Neil Goldschmidt theorem, **It's amazing what you can get done if you don't care who gets the credit.**"

-Steve Duin, *The Oregonian*, 2/1/96

**NEW LEADERSHIP**

**Better Schools.** Quality schools are essential to our economy, jobs and public safety. Erik believes we must:

- Work with our public schools, parents, teachers, civic leaders and the Oregon State Legislature to create long-term solutions;
- Make schools safer and provide after-school activities.

**Affordable Housing.** Portland's housing used to be affordable. That's changed. And it affects our children's lives, our commuting times, our neighborhoods and traffic in our streets. When a loan company went bankrupt, Erik found a way to help 350 families keep their homes—**without taxpayer money.** That's the leadership and experience we need to protect Portland's neighborhoods.

Dear Voter:

In the last 20 years, strong leaders brought us important projects like light rail and a revitalized downtown. Now Portland is changing and we need new leadership with the experience to fight for our schools, affordable housing and Portland's future. Together we can work to build our vision of a better community.

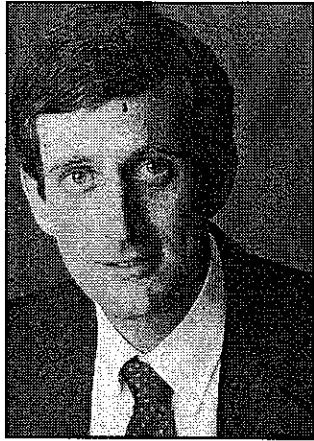
**Better Schools**

**Affordable Housing**

**ERIK STEN**

*(This information furnished by Friends of Sten)*

## CITY OF PORTLAND

Commissioner  
Position 4CHARLIE  
HALES

**OCCUPATION:** Portland City Commissioner (first term).

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Staff Vice-President for Home Builders Association of Metropolitan Portland; Oregon Lodging Association; small business owner.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Studies toward Masters in Public Administration, Lewis and Clark College; BA, University of Virginia.

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Chair, Hayhurst Neighborhood Association; Metro Charter Committee; Portland-Vancouver Solar Access Project; Chair, Metro Policy Advisory Committee on Urban Growth Management; Portland representative, Governor's Transportation Initiative; Board of Directors, League of Oregon Cities.

**CHARLIE HALES: GETTING RESULTS FOR PORTLAND**

**FOR NEIGHBORHOOD SCHOOLS:** Helped schools cope with budget cuts, using city resources for sports, school police and after-school activities. Expanded community schools to all city school districts.

**FOR PARKS AND GREENSPACES:** Worked with citizens from every neighborhood to pass the first city parks bond in 50 years, with 114 local park improvements.

**FOR PUBLIC SAFETY:** Worked with Chief Moose to improve community policing and put more resources into neighborhood crime prevention.

**FOR FAMILY & SENIOR HOUSING:** Worked with Livable City Housing Council to build 1700 new homes. Streamlined the permit process—today, permits take HALF the time, with TWICE the new home construction.

**FOR CITY TAXPAYERS:** Successfully blocked construction of Water Avenue ramp—saving taxpayers \$23 million.

**FOR SMALL BUSINESS:** Worked with Multnomah County to consolidate the city-county business tax system—today, there is one tax code, one form and one office for Portland businesses.

**FOR EQUAL OPPORTUNITY:** Worked to open the Portland Fire Bureau to qualified women and minorities through recruitment and apprenticeship.

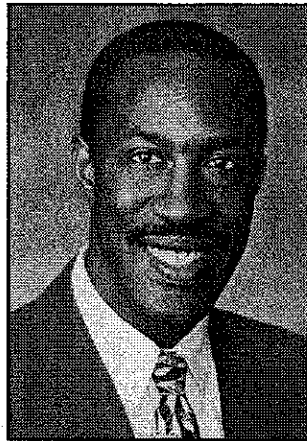
**CHARLES HALES: FOR PORTLAND'S FUTURE**

**SCHOOLS & CHILDREN:** Portland's future depends on strong public schools. Working with parents, teachers and community leaders, city government must do its part to maintain our high standards and make our schools the best they can be.

**A LIVABLE CITY:** Portland needs better city and neighborhood planning to manage growth and develop resources for police, parks, streets and other services.

**NEIGHBORHOOD CITIZENSHIP:** Portland is a city where people get involved. We must refresh this tradition through increased involvement and new ideas for Portland's future.

*(This information furnished by Charlie Hales  
for City Commissioner)*

Commissioner  
Position 4PAUL  
McCOY

**OCCUPATION:** Business owner.

**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** President, transportation and parking management company. Oregon Senate Legislative Aide; Special Projects Administrator, Portland City Council; and Sergeant at Arms, Oregon House of Representatives.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Willamette University, BS, 1984; Catlin Gabel H.S.

**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** See above.

**Paul McCoy's Goals for a Better Portland:**

- **Enhance the participation of our citizens in City government.** Elected officials have an obligation to listen to and understand the concerns of our citizens. Their input and ideas are vital to City government making sound, responsible decisions.

- **Make the renewal of Portland's schools a priority.** Education is the single most important investment our City can make. As the City seeks ways to finding a long-term, viable funding source for our schools, we must also ensure that the quality of our children's education does not suffer further.

- **Ensure the quality of our environment is of the highest standards.** Clean water, fresh air, and our magnificent trees have been the hallmark of Portland. We can not put them at risk for the sake of hastily planned development or special interests.

- **Maintain the readiness of City services.** As Portland grows, it will be more essential that City departments be able to efficiently meet the needs of our citizens, especially in areas of public safety.

Paul McCoy has a history of serving the community, Portland, and Oregon. He believes that solving problems begins with listening to what our citizens have to say. Paul knows that it is from the voices of citizens that the most reasonable answers to our problems will come.

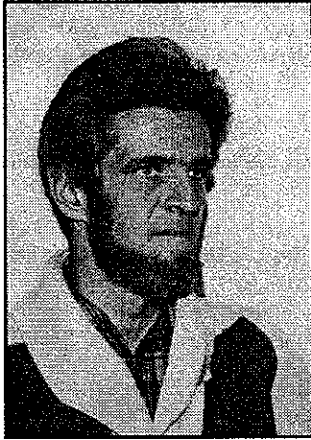
"I will do my best to keep you informed about the business of City government. You have a right to know how the City Council's policies may affect you. You also have the right to participate in shaping those decisions. As a City Council member, my commitment will be to serve and represent the citizens of Portland."—Paul McCoy.

**Elect Paul McCoy for Leadership that listens.**

*(This information furnished by Friends of Paul McCoy)*

# CITY OF PORTLAND

**Commissioner  
Position 4**



**TOM  
O'CONNOR**

**OCCUPATION:** Mechanic.  
**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Const. Mech.  
**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Mech. Eng & Math, Grade 13.  
**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** None.

I believe the primary function of government is to protect personal and property rights, including the right to trim your trees.

My intention is abide by the oath of office instead of forcing public to bear the burden of court. Many annexation complaints are legitimate and are now a large liability.

With the recent Edu. Board action we now have the opportunity to vastly improve our schools. I will not hold still for one student being victimized.

Government should recognize the reduction in traffic that will occur due to electronic commerce.

Population increases will cause housing prices to rise, displacing retired, young, and working poor. I've seen nothing from current council that addresses this inherent instability. The interests of persons who own a home for living in as compared to speculation is not currently represented. Actual spending income is going down and housing costs are going up, a recipe for chaos.

Crime - Currently we're close to the top of the list on property crimes. What passes for justice here is the cause of many problems. Chief Justice Don Londer attempts to make prospective jurors ignore their rights and responsibilities as per Oregon Constitution Art. 1, Sec. 16. Most of our judicial races are single candidate, which insures control by a judicial elite as compared to the people. Michael Schrunck (D.A.) being campaign manager and the statements of Rep. Kate Brown show the need for new blood.

Regulation of business makes hiring of temporary help unviable.

Rights - everyone should have equal rights. This is the glue that holds a multicultural society together.

*(This information furnished by Tom O'Connor)*

**Mayor**

**ROBERT L. FORTHAN**

**OCCUPATION:** State Employee for 19 years, also Security Guard, and by law legalized drug dealer or patsy.  
**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** None.  
**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** High School only.  
**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** None.

**Commissioner, Position 1**

**JADA MAE LANGLOSS**

**OCCUPATION:** Advisor, Lecturer, Counselor, Researcher, Inquirer, Student, Teacher, Cook, Dishwasher, Odd Jobs, Listener, Etc. Etc.  
**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Real Estate Agent, Insurance and Security Sales, Fuller Brush Dealer, Journeyman Painter, Entertainer, Singer, Dancer, Homemaker, Referee, Instigator, Inspirator, Home and Farm Labor, Driver.  
**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Self taught after emancipation at age 16. Attended business classes, architecture studies, no degree. GED acquired at college Alaska, 1957. Excelled in Science.  
**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** Have 20 years as an experienced unelected candidate.

**PETER S. NILSSON**

**OCCUPATION:** Cab Driver.  
**OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND:** Radar Repair USAF, President Portland S.CA, Bartender.  
**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:** PSU-1 yr.; PCC-6 mos.  
**PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE:** None.