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## NATIONAL

#### UNITED STATES PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT

Your vote for the candidates for United States President and Vice President shall be a vote for the electors supporting those candidates.

### VOTE FOR ONE TICKET

#### **LIBERTARIAN**

U.S. President, HARRY BROWNE U.S. Vice President, ART OLIVIER

#### **INDEPENDENT**

U.S. President, **PATRICK J. BUCHANAN** U.S. Vice President, **EZOLA FOSTER** 

#### **REPUBLICAN**

U.S. President, **GEORGE W. BUSH** U.S. Vice President, **DICK CHENEY** 

#### PACIFIC GREEN

U.S. President, **RALPH NADER** U.S. Vice President, **WINONA LADUKE** 

#### REFORM

U.S. President, JOHN HAGELIN U.S. Vice President, NAT GOLDHABER

### CONSTITUTION

U.S. President, **HOWARD PHILLIPS** U.S. Vice President, **J. CURTIS FRAZIER** 

### DEMOCRAT

U.S. President, **AL GORE** U.S. Vice President, **JOE LIEBERMAN** 

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> BETH A. KING Libertarian

DAVID WU Democrat

CHARLES STARR Republican

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UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS, 3RD CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT VOTE FOR ONE

> EARL BLUMENAUER Democrat

WALTER F. (WALT) BROWN Socialist

BRUCE ALEXANDER KNIGHT Libertarian

JEFFERY L. POLLOCK Republican

TRE ARROW Pacific Green

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# STATE

SECRETARY OF STATE VOTE FOR ONE

BILL BRADBURY Democrat

LLOYD MARBET Pacific Green

LYNN SNODGRASS Republican

E. J. (ED) POLE, II Libertarian

> STATE TREASURER VOTE FOR ONE

LEONARD ZACK Reform

RANDALL EDWARDS Democrat

CARLOS F. LUCERO Constitution

JON KVISTAD Republican

MITCHELL T. SHULTS Libertarian ATTORNEY GENERAL VOTE FOR ONE

HARDY MYERS Democrat

KEVIN L. MANNIX Republican

THOMAS B. COX Libertarian

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STATE SENATOR, 6TH DISTRICT VOTE FOR ONE

GINNY BURDICK Democrat

STATE SENATOR, 7TH DISTRICT VOTE FOR ONE

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KATE BROWN Democrat

CHARLEY J. NIMS Socialist

STATE SENATOR, 8TH DISTRICT VOTE FOR ONE

MARGARET CARTER Democrat

Pacific Green

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#### STATE SENATOR, 10TH DISTRICT VOTE FOR ONE

ROY BURKETT Constitution

AVEL LOUISE GORDLY Democrat

STATE SENATOR, 11TH DISTRICT VOTE FOR ONE

JOHN MINNIS Republican

ARTHUR J. (ART) SCARBOROUGH Socialist

CHRIS GORSEK Democrat

STATE SENATOR, 28TH DISTRICT VOTE FOR ONE

VERN COOK Democrat

TED FERRIOLI Republican

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STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 7TH DISTRICT VOTE FOR ONE

> BILL WITT Republican

MITCH GREENLICK Democrat

#### STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 10TH DISTRICT VOTE FOR ONE

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JAN LEE Republican

MIKE SMITH Democrat

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 11TH DISTRICT VOTE FOR ONE

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MARY NOLAN Democrat

JOAN GARDNER Republican

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 12TH DISTRICT VOTE FOR ONE

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CHRIS BECK Democrat

H. JOE TABOR Libertarian

JEANNE SCHOEL Republican

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 13TH DISTRICT VOTE FOR ONE

> DAN GARDNER Democrat

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 14TH DISTRICT VOTE FOR ONE

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JOHN MCENROE Libertarian

DIANE ROSENBAUM Democrat

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 15TH DISTRICT VOTE FOR ONE

> STEVE MARCH Democrat

SCOTT LUTZ Republican STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 16TH DISTRICT VOTE FOR ONE

> JEFF MERKLEY Democrat

DAVID TILLEMANS Pacific Green

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 17TH DISTRICT VOTE FOR ONE

> GARY D. HANSEN Democrat

THOMAS W. ALBRIGHT Socialist

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 18TH DISTRICT VOTE FOR ONE

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DEBORAH KAFOURY Democrat

BARRY JOE STULL Pacific Green

ROGER SHIPMAN Constitution

VICTORIA P. GUILLEBEAU Socialist

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STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 19TH DISTRICT VOTE FOR ONE

> JO ANN A. BOWMAN Democrat

IVARS BITANS Republican

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STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 20TH DISTRICT VOTE FOR ONE

> KAREN MINNIS Republican

MIKE WEATHERBY Democrat

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 21ST DISTRICT VOTE FOR ONE

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RANDY LEONARD Democrat

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 22ND DISTRICT VOTE FOR ONE

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EDWIN GOLOBAY Republican

LAURIE MONNES ANDERSON Democrat

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STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 56TH DISTRICT VOTE FOR ONE

> PAUL ZASTROW Democrat

PATTI SMITH Republican

NONPARTISAN STATE JUDICIARY

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JUDGE OF THE SUPREME COURT, POSITION 2 VOTE FOR ONE

PAUL J. DEMUNIZ

GREG BYRNE

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JUDGE OF THE COURT OF APPEALS, POSITION 6 VOTE FOR ONE

DAVID V. BREWER

JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT,

4TH DISTRICT, POSITION 21 VOTE FOR ONE

RONALD E. CINNIGER

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## COUNTY

COUNTY COMMISSIONER DISTRICT 4 VOTE FOR ONE

LONNIE ROBERTS

FRANK SHIELDS

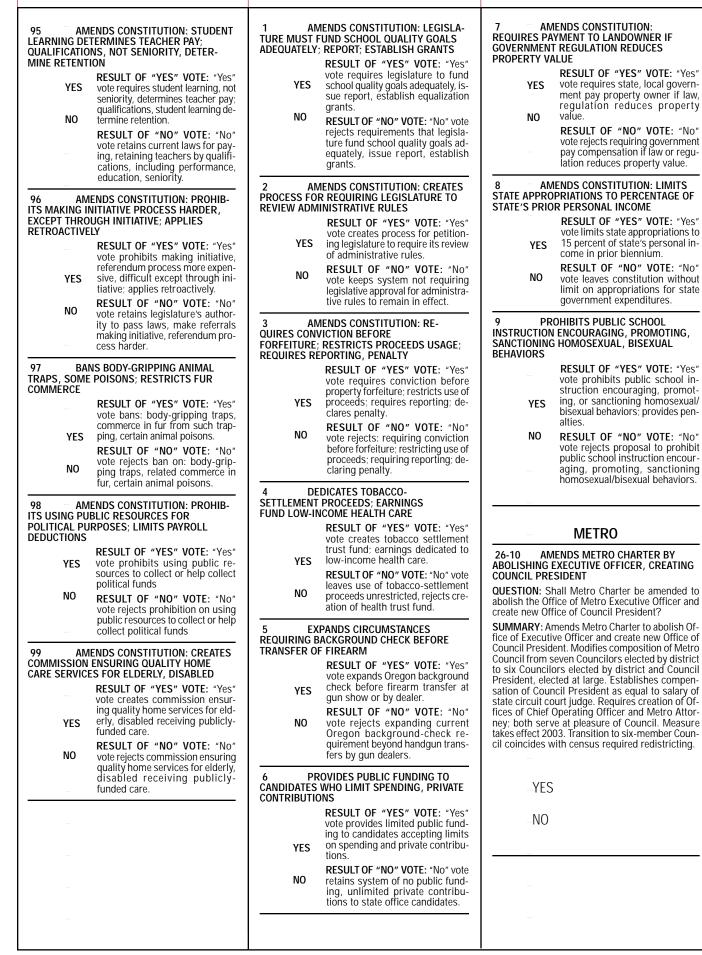
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CITY OF FAIRVIEW	CITY OF GRESHAM	CITY OF LAKE OSWEGO
COUNCILOR, POSITION NO. 1	COUNCIL POSITION NO. 1 VOTE FOR ONE	MAYOR VOTE FOR ONE
4 YEAR TERM VOTE FOR ONE	ARLENE EASLY	TOM LOWREY
JAMES R. RAZE	JACK HORNER	JUDIE HAMMERSTAD
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COUNCILOR, POSITION NO. 2 4 YEAR TERM	COUNCIL POSITION NO. 3 VOTE FOR ONE	CITY COUNCIL VOTE FOR FOUR
VOTE FOR ONE	JOHN A. LEUTHAUSER	ELLIE MCPEAK
SHERRYL DEE LILLARD	JACK HANNA	KARL W. ROHDE
·	DAVID M. PEERY	JOHN TURCHI
COUNCILOR, POSITION NO. 3 4 YEAR TERM	KIM LOUISE PENWELL	GAY GRAHAM
VOTE FOR ONE		JEFF GUDMAN
LEN EDWARDS	COUNCIL POSITION NO. 5 VOTE FOR ONE	
·	JOHN W. DILLOW	·
COUNCILOR, POSITION NO. 6 UNEXPIRED 2-YEAR TERM	LARRY HAVERKAMP	·
VOTE FOR ONE		·
BARBARA E. JONES		CITY OF MAYWOOD PARK
		CITY COUNCIL VOTE FOR THREE
		(The two candidates receiving the most votes will be given four-year terms; the remaining candidate will serve a two-year term)
		ARTHUR J. WINSLOW, JR.
		BENJAMIN V. HARRISON
		JAMES S. AKERS
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CITY OF PORTLAND		WEST MULTNOMAH SOIL & WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT
MAYOR VOTE FOR ONE	CITY COUNCIL, POSITION NO. 2 2 YEAR TERM VOTE FOR ONE	DIRECTOR, ZONE 1, 4-YEAR TERM VOTE FOR ONE
VERA KATZ	KENNETH B. FLETCHER	KIMBERLY PETERSON
COMMISSIONER POS. 1 VOTE FOR ONE	CITY COUNCIL, POSITION NO. 3 4 YEAR TERM	DIRECTOR, ZONE 2, 4-YEAR TERM VOTE FOR ONE
JIM FRANCESCONI	VOTE FOR ONE	(NO CANDIDATE FILED)
·	DAVID M. FULLER	·
COMMISIONER POS. 4 VOTE FOR ONE		DIRECTOR, ZONE 3, 4-YEAR TERM VOTE FOR ONE
CHARLIE HALES	CITY COUNCIL, POSITION NO. 5 4 YEAR TERM VOTE FOR ONE	GEORGE SOWDER
CITY OF TROUTDALE	PAMELA SCHMELTZER-SPRADLING	DIRECTOR, ZONE 5, 2-YEAR TERM VOTE FOR ONE
4-YEAR TERM VOTE FOR ONE		NANCY KELLEY PARK
PAUL A. THALHOFER	EAST MULTNOMAH SOIL & WATER CONSERVATION	·
PAT SMITH	DISTRICT	DIRECTOR, AT LARGE, 4-YEAR TERM VOTE FOR ONE
	DIRECTOR, ZONE 1, 4-YEAR TERM VOTE FOR ONE	ELIZABETH CALLISON
COUNCIL, POSITION NO. 2 4-YEAR TERM	HAROLD WILLIAMS	KARIN HUNT
VOTE FOR ONE		
ROB K. KLEVER	DIRECTOR, ZONE 2, 4-YEAR TERM VOTE FOR ONE	INTERLACHEN WATER
		PEOPLE'S UTILITY DISTRICT
DAVID RIPMA	JAMES G. (JIM) BARRETT	DIRECTOR, SUBDISTRICT NO. 1 VOTE FOR ONE
		ROB D. JOHNSON
COUNCIL, POSITION NO. 4 4-YEAR TERM	DIRECTOR, AT LARGE, 2-YEAR TERM VOTE FOR ONE	·
VOTE FOR ONE JIM KIGHT	CLIFTON E. DEAL	DIRECTOR, SUBDISTRICT NO. 5 VOTE FOR ONE
NORMAN D. THOMAS		JEAN M. RIDINGS
	DIRECTOR, AT LARGE, 4-YEAR TERM	
··	VOTE FOR ONE	
COUNCIL, POSITION NO.6 4-YEAR TERM	ADAM MAYER	
VOTE FOR ONE	ALEXANDER PATTERSON	
DOUG DAOUST		**
STEVEN L. ELLIS		
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ROCKWOOD WATER PEOPLE'S UTILITY DISTRICT	85 AMENDS CONSTITUTION: MODIFIES POPULATION, MINIMUM AREA REQUIREMENTS FOR FORMATION OF NEW COUNTIES	REFERENDUM ORDER BY PETITION OF THE PEOPLE
DIRECTOR, SUBDISTRICT NO. 1 VOTE FOR ONE	YES RESULT OF "YES" VOTE: "Y vote modifies population a minimum area requirements formation of new counties.	for RETIRED PROPERTY RESULT OF "YES" VOTE: "Yes"
HERB BROWN	NO RESULT OF "NO" VOTE: "N vote retains current constitutic requirements for minimum a	nal vestments in certain retired utility
TOM LEWIS	of counties, population of r counties.	RESULT OF "NO" VOTE: "No"     vote rejects authorizing rates giv-
FRANK CLEYS	86 AMENDS CONSTITUTION: REQUIRES REFUNDING GENERAL FUND REVENUES EXCEEDING STATE ESTIMATES T TAXPAYERS	0 ing utilities return on undepreciated investments in cer- tain retired property.
	RESULT OF "YES" VOTE: "Y	
DIRECTOR, SUBDISTRICT NO. 3 VOTE FOR ONE	YES vote establishes constitutional quirement to refund general fu revenues exceeding state es mates to taxpayers.	Ind 91 AMENDS CONSTITUTION: MAKES
MEL EDWARDS	NO RESULT OF "NO" VOTE: "I vote rejects constitutional requ	re- vote makes federal income taxes
STEVE D. MCELROY	ment to refund general fund r enues exceeding state estima to taxpayers.	tes sonal, corporate income tax re- turns.
DIRECTOR, SUBDISTRICT NO. 4	87 AMENDS CONSTITUTION: ALLOW REGULATION OF LOCATION OF SEXUALLY ORIENTED BUSINESSES THROUGH ZONING	ing federal income tax deduction on Oregon income tax returns.
VOTE FOR ONE	RESULT OF "YES" VOTE: "Y vote allows zoning of sexually	
SANDRA K. RAMAKER	YES ented businesses without show threatened or actual neighborh harm.	Did PROHIBITS PAYROLL DEDUCTIONS FOR POLITICAL PURPOSES WITHOUT SPECIFIC WRITTEN AUTHORIZATION
PAT STALLINGS	RESULT OF "NO" VOTE: "N vote retains ban on zoning bu nesses based on content speech, expression presen there.	of <b>VES RESULT OF "YES" VOTE:</b> "Yes" vote prohibits payroll deductions
STATE MEASURES	88 INCREASES MAXIMUM DEDUCT- IBLE IN OREGON FOR FEDERAL INCOME TAXES PAID RESULT OF "YES" VOTE: "Y	NO RESULT OF "NO" VOTE: "No" vote retains current laws govern- ing authorization of payroll deduc-
SEE TEXT OF MEASURES ON SEPARATE SHEET	YES ible on Oregon income tax refu for federal income tax setu	Price 93 AMENDS CONSTITUTION: VOTERS MUST APPROVE MOST TAXES, FEES;
REFERRED TO THE PEOPLE BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY	NO RESULT OF "NO" VOTE: "No" v retains current cap on amo	RESULT OF "YES" VOTE: "Yes"
83 AMENDS CONSTITUTION: AUTHORIZES NEW STANDARDS, PRIORITIES FOR VETERANS' LOANS; EXPANDS	deductible in Oregon for fede income taxes paid.	YES fees by certain approval percent- age; may repeal recent increases.
QUALIFIED RECIPIENTS RESULT OF "YES" VOTE: "Yes"	89 DEDICATES TOBACCO SETTLEME PROCEEDS TO SPECIFIED HEALTH, HOUSIN TRANSPORTATION PROGRAMS	G, vote retains current rules for approving, increasing taxes, fees;
YES vote authorizes new standards and priorities, and expands quali- fied recipients for veterans' loans.	RESULT OF "YES" VOTE: "Y vote creates fund from toba settlement proceeds dedicated	taxes, fees.
NO RESULT OF "NO" VOTE: "No" vote retains current standards, priorities, and qualifications for	specified health, housing, tra YES portation programs. RESULT OF "NO" VOTE: "N	SENTENCES FOR CERTAIN FELONIES, REQUIRES
veterans' loans.	NO vote rejects creating fund from bacco settlement dedicated specified health, housing, tra	to- to YES vote repeals mandatory minimum
84 AMENDS CONSTITUTION: STATE MUST CONTINUE PAYING LOCAL GOVERN- MENTS FOR STATE-MANDATED PROGRAMS.	portation programs.	NO ther felonies, requires resen- tencing. RESULT OF "NO" VOTE: "No"
<b>RESULT OF "YES" VOTE:</b> "Yes" vote retains requirement that state pay local governments for costs		vote retains mandatory minimum sentences for certain violent and other felonies, maintains existing
YES of state-mandated programs. RESULT OF "NO" VOTE: "No" vote repeals requirement that		sentences.
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## PORTLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE

26-7 PCC GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS: IMPROVING CLASSROOMS AND BUILDINGS, UPGRADING TECHNOLOGY.

QUESTION: Shall PCC be authorized to issue general obligation bonds for capital construction, technology upgrades and building improvements, not exceeding \$144,000,000? 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: The cost to property tax payers is an estimated average of 11 cents per thousand dollars of assessed value over a maximum of 23 years (\$16.50 per year for a home valued at \$150,000). This bond measure was approved by voters in May 2000, but did not receive the required voter turnout to pass.

The measure would provide Portland Community College funds for construction of new classrooms and labs, technology upgrades, bond issuance costs and building improvements to meet increased enrollment over the next 10 years. The measure will enable the college to continue to provide educational opportunities for thousands of students each year. In 2000-2001, PCC will educate more than 90,000 students. Enrollment has increased for the past 15 consecutive terms.

Projects include:

- Additional classroom and lab space at all campuses to meet enrollment increases
- Library and science labs at the Rock Creek Campus in Washington County
- Technology upgrades to meet students' needs and job requirements
- Property acquisition
- Facility improvements to meet safety requirements and prolong building life





# **CITY OF FAIRVIEW**

## 26-14 FIVE YEAR LOCAL OPTION TAX FOR POLICE SERVICES

QUESTION: Shall Fairview be authorized to levy \$1.1608 per \$1,000 of assessed value for 5 years for police services beginning 2001-02? This measure may cause property taxes to increase more than three percent.

SUMMARY: If approved, the proposal authorizes the City to levy up to \$1,1608 per \$1,000 of assessed value for five years beginning in tax year 2001-02.

Currently, the City has eight officers including the Chief. This would add 2 new patrol officers and 1 new sergeant (a 37.5% increase in personnel). Items covered by the levy are wages, benefits, computers, office equipment, supplies, training, uniforms and other items for five years. In addition, the levy would allow over five years the purchase, maintenance and operation of three vehicles.

This will allow the Department to keep pace with the added law enforcement duties arising from Fairview's increased population which stands at approximately 6370 and achieve the statewide average of 1.7 sworn police personnel per 1000 in population. Fairview continues to move toward full twenty-four-hour police coverage.

A home with an assessed value of \$100,000 would pay \$116.08 per year. It would raise an estimated \$303,664 in 2001-02, \$327,957 in 2002-03, \$354,193 in 2003-04, \$382,529 in 2004-05, and \$413,131 in 2005-06, for a total estimate of \$1,781,474

YES

NO

# CITY OF TROUTDALE

# 26-24 FOUR YEAR GENERAL OPERATING LOCAL OPTION TAX

QUESTION: Shall City of Troutdale impose \$980,000 for four years for general operating purposes beginning 2001-2002? This measure may cause property taxes to increase more than three percent.

cause property taxes to increase infore than three percent. **SUMMARY:** The taxes needed for four years total \$3,920,000 which will be imposed in equal amounts of \$980,000 each fiscal year commencing 2001-2002 and ending 2004-2005. The taxes will support general operating purposes including but not limited to police, fire, building and parks maintenance, and recreation programs. This levy will maintain current levels of service to Troutdale citizens. This levy will provide funding to maintain current levels of service which have experienced significant cost increases over a five-year period from 1996-1997 to 2000-2001 including total General Fund expenditures of 23% with individual increases of 42.6% for total police costs, 56.5% for 9-1-1 emergency services and 24.9% for contracted fire protection. The fire services contract is expected to increase of \$326,000 over current budget year costs. It is estimated that the proposed tax levy will result in a rate of approximately \$1.36 per \$1,000 of assessed value in the first fiscal year. The estimated tax cost for this measure is an ESTIMATE ONLY based on information available from the county assessor at the time of the estimate.

YES

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# CITY OF GRESHAM

#### 26-19 GRESHAM FIRE FACILITIES GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS

QUESTION: Shall Gresham issue General Obligation Bonds in the amount of \$5,775,000 for fire 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.

SUMMARY: A "Yes" vote on this measure is a vote to increase taxes.

These bonds would fund the relocation of two fire stations, remodeling or reconstruction of two other fire stations, the costs of borrowing, land acquisition, design, construction, fixtures, furnishings and related costs. Bonds mature in 20 years or less.

The City Hall and Kane Road stations would be relocated. Response time to emergency fire and medical calls in Gresham would improve to a citywide average of 4.5 minutes. The relocated stations would meet all current standards.

The Pleasant View Dr. (190th) and the 192nd & Halsey fire stations will be remodeled or reconstructed, if necessary, to meet earthquake and Americans with Disabilities Act standards.

The estimated cost is seven cents per \$1,000 based on the information available for the 2001-2002 fiscal year. This leavy would cost the owner of a home with a tax assessed value of \$150,000 about \$10.50 in additional property taxes. A projection of the total cost of the bonds, including interest, is \$9,952,148 and the average annual revenue is \$497,608

YES

NO

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#### 26-20 GRESHAM PARKS AND RECREATION OPERATIONS FIVE-YEAR LOCAL OPTION TAX

QUESTION: Shall Gresham levy 8¢ per \$1000 tax assessed value for five years starting 2001-2002 to fund Parks and Recreation?

This measure may cause property taxes to increase more than three percent.

**SUMMARY:** A "Yes" vote on this measure is a vote to increase taxes.

All of the City's existing property taxes are dedicated to police and fire. Citizen committees and City Council have determined that additional funding is needed to maintain and restore parks and recreation operations and offer related programs and services. This levy would serve the recreation needs of the community including youth, teens, adults, seniors, and families.

This five-year local option tax would start July 1, 2001 and is computed each year at a rate of eight cents for each thousand dollars of tax assessed value.

An estimate of the total amount to be raised each fiscal year is:

2001-2002	\$ 401,188
2002-2003	423,846
2003-2004	447,820
2004-2005	473,583
2005-2006	490,278
Total	\$ 2,236,715

This levy would cost the owner of a home with a tax assessed value of \$150,000 about \$12 per year. This levy is subject to the local government \$10 rate limit of Section 11b, Article XI of the Oregon Constitution.

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NO

#### 26-21 GRESHAM COMMUNITY CENTER CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FIVE-YEAR LOCAL OPTION TAX

**QUESTION:** Shall Gresham levy 20¢ per \$1000 tax assessed value for five years starting 2001-2002 for a Community Center?

This measure may cause property taxes to increase more than three percent.

**SUMMARY:** A "Yes" vote on this measure is a vote to increase taxes.

Citizen committees and City Council determined a Community Center is needed. The Center would be a central gathering place serving youth, teens, adults, seniors and families

This levy funds capital improvements including borrowing costs, land and/or building acquisition, site improvement, design, construction and/or renovation, furnishings, and costs related to the Community Center.

This five-year local option tax would start July 1, 2001 and computed each year at a rate of 20 cents for each thousand dollars of tax assessed value. The City would only use this levy if the Community Center Operations levy is approved. Gresham may issue bonds or other obligations payable from this levy for the Center.

An estimate of the total amount to be raised each fiscal year is:

2001-2002	\$ 1,002,971
2002-2003	1,059,616
2003-2004	1,119,550
2004-2005	1,183,958
2005-2006	1,225,695
TOTAL	\$ 5,591,790

This levy would cost the owner of a home with a tax assessed value of \$150,000 about \$30 per year. This levy is subject to the local government \$10 rate limit of Section 11b, Article XI of the Oregon Constitution.

YES

NO

#### 26-22 GRESHAM COMMUNITY CENTER OPERATIONS FIVE-YEAR LOCAL OPTION TAX

**QUESTION:** Shall Gresham levy 11.75¢ per \$1000 tax assessed value for five years starting 2001-2002 to operate a Community Center?

This measure may cause property taxes to increase more than three percent.

**SUMMARY:** A "Yes" vote on this measure is a vote to increase taxes.

Citizen committees and City Council have determined that a Community Center is needed in Gresham. This levy only funds operation of a Community Center. The City would only use this levy if the Community Center Capital Improvement levy is also approved.

The Community Center would serve the needs of the community, including youth, teens, adults, seniors, and families. User fees would help pay operational costs.

This five-year local option tax would start July 1, 2001 and is computed each year at a rate of 11.75 cents for each thousand dollars of tax assessed value.

An estimate of the total amount to be raised each fiscal year is:

2001-2002	\$ 589,245
2002-2003	622,525
2003-2004	657,736
2004-2005	695,575
2005-2006	720,096
Total	\$ 3,285,177

This levy would cost the owner of a home with a tax assessed value of \$150,000 about \$17.63 per year. This levy is subject to the local government \$10 rate limit of Section 11b, Article XI of the Oregon Constitution.

YES

NO

## CITY OF MAYWOOD PARK

#### 26-15 MAYWOOD PARK DEBT AUTHORIZATION

**QUESTION:** Shall the City borrow up to \$30,000.00 from the State to fund a sewer feasibility study?

**SUMMARY:** To fulfill commitments made to the Oregon Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) and to the Department of Land Conservation and Development (DLCD), the City Council desires to commission a study on the feasibility of constructing and financing sewers within its borders. It is expected that such a study will cost between \$25,000 and \$30,000. At present, the City does not have the funds in its treasury to pay for this study. However, a low interest loan from the State is available. The City Council would like to avail itself of this loan but is prohibited by section 7 of the City charter from incurring debt over \$1,000.00 without voter approval. This ballot measure if passed would grant such approval and would allow the City to borrow up to \$30,000.00 from the State to be used to fund a sewer feasibility study.

YES

## **CITY OF PORTLAND**

### 26-6 AMENDS CITY CHARTER; EXEMPTS BUREAU DIRECTORS FROM CIVIL SERVICE

QUESTION: Shall the Charter be amended to exempt from classified civil services City bureau directors appointed after December 31, 2000?

**SUMMARY:** Section 4-101 of the City Charter places City employees under a civil service system. There are certain exceptions, however. "All officers chosen by popular election or by appointment by the Council, the members of all boards and commissions, the deputies of the City Attorney, the City Engineer, the Superintendent and Chief Engineer of the Bureau of Water Works, the Secretary of the Civil Service Board and of the Auditor, the Chief Deputy City Auditor, the secretary and administrative staff of each Council member, and the Chief of Police." This measure adds to the list of exempted personnel all bureau directors appointed after December 31, 2000. Employees exempted from civil service are not subject to civil service requirements for selection and dismissal. Exempt employees are appointed and serve at the pleasure of the appointing authority designated by the Charter or City Code. The appointing authority is either the Council, a Council member, or the Auditor.



NO

#### 26-8 AMENDS CHARTER; CHANGES POLICE FIRE DISABILITY AND RETIREMENTBOARD COMPOSITION.

**QUESTION:** Shall the composition of disability and Retirement Board be changed to add three citizen positions and delete three beneficiary positions? **SUMMARY:** Section 5-201(a) of the City Charter defines the composition of the Board of Trustees for the Fire and Police Disability and Retirement Fund. The Board is composed of eleven members: the Mayor, the City Auditor, the City Treasurer, the Police Chief, the Fire Chief, three active members from the Fire Bureau and three active members from the Police Bureau.

This measure would change the composition of the FPD&R Board while maintaining the current size of the Board. Three citizen members would be added. The two positions held by the Police Chief and Fire Chief would be combined into one position they would share on a rotating basis. The active members elected from the Police Bureau would be reduced from three to two and the active members elected from the Fire Bureau would be reduced from three to two. The citizen members would be appointed thus: the Mayor to appoint one member; the elected members from the Police and Fire Bureaus to appoint one member; and the members of the FPD&R Board to appoint one member.



NO

#### 26-9 AMENDS CHARTER; PROHIBITS DISABILITY PAYMENTS TO INCARCERATED BENEFICIARIES AFTER CONVICTION.

**QUESTION:** Shall Fire Police Disability and Retirement Board be prohibited from making disability payments to incarcerated members convicted of a crime?

**SUMMARY:** Section 5-306(c) of the City Charter places limits on the amount of disability benefits to members of the Fire and Police Disability and Retirement Fund may receive.

This measure would add to Section 5-306(c). It would prohibit the payment of disability benefits to any member while incarcerated after conviction of a crime. The member's spouse would receive 50% of the disability payment while the member was incarcerated, unless the spouse was also incarcerated. Minor children would receive 50% of the disability payment if there was no spouse or spouse was incarcerated.

YES

NO

## BEAVERTON SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 48J

#### 34-22 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS TO RELIEVE OVERCROWDING BY CONSTRUCT-ING, UPGRADING SCHOOLS

**QUESTION:** Is Beaverton School District 48J authorized to issue general obligation bonds not exceeding \$149,780,000 to expand and approve its 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.

SUMMARY: If approved, this measure provides funds for capital construction and improvements including: adding classroom space to keep pace with enrollment growth, renovating and improving existing facilities, making site improvements, and purchasing land for future use. Specifically, this measure would:

- Construct and furnish two elementary schools and one middle school addition to relieve overcrowding in the elementary and middle schools.
- Renovate, upgrade and expand existing buildings to support the educational program and protect the community's investment in these facilities. Funds are expected to allow the following:
  - Construct, furnish, and renovate classrooms and related educational facilities at many existing elementary, middle and Aloha, Sunset and Westview High Schools.
  - Upgrade electrical wiring and improve student access to technology.
  - Replace leaking roofs, outdated heating, ventilation, plumbing systems and make other health and safety improvements.
  - Replace portable buildings and expand support facilities.
- Purchase land for future school building use and make site improvements.

Pay associated building and issuance costs.
 Bonds would mature in 21 years or less from issuance date and may be issued in one or more series.

YES

NO

## CENTENNIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 28JT

#### 26-17 CENTENNIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND AUTHORIZATION

**QUESTION:** Shall Centennial School District be authorized to issue general obligation bonds not exceeding \$31,000,000 to expand and improve its 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 Section 11 and 11b, Article XI of the Oregon Constitution.

**SUMMARY:** If approved, this measure provides funds to add classroom space to keep pace with student enrollment growth and renovate and expand Centennial High School's aging facilities. Specifically, this measure will:

- Construct, equip and furnish a new elementary school building to house approximately 600 students and relieve overcrowding in the district's other elementary schools.
- Renovate and expand the high school to protect the community investment in that facility and extend the life of the school for approximately 30 years. Improvements will:
  - Upgrade electrical wiring to improve student access to technology.
  - Replace outdated heating, ventilation, plumbing systems and make other health and safety improvements.
  - Construct, equip and furnish new class-rooms.

Bonds will mature in 21 years or less from the date of issuance and may be issued in one or more series.

YES

NO

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## DAVID DOUGLAS SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 40

#### 26-16 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS TO EXPAND AND IMPROVE DAVID DOUGLAS SCHOOLS

**QUESTION:** Shall David Douglas School District be authorized to issue general obligation bonds not exceeding \$39,900,000 to expand and improve facilities? If the bonds are approved, they will be payable from taxes on property or property own ership that are not subject to the limits of sections 11 and 11b, Article XI of the Oregon Constitution.

SUMMARY: David Douglas schools have an immediate need for additional classrooms to ease overcrowding, to renovate and improve existing school facilities, and to upgrade safety and security. If approved, bonds would provide funds to finance the costs of capital construction and improvements to:

- Renovate, upgrade and expand existing school facilities to maintain the educational program, protect the community's investment in these facilities, and to increase safety and security. Improvements include, but are not limited to:
  - constructing, equipping, and furnishing approximately 20 additional classrooms at existing elementary and secondary schools.
  - upgrading wiring to improve student access to technology and communication.
  - replacing outdated roofs, heating, ventilation, plumbing and other safety/health related improvements.
- updating safety and security of educational facilities.
- Construct, equip and furnish a school on district-owned property to relieve elementary school overcrowding and reduce class size.
- Construct, equip and furnish a facility for students needing alternative instruction. Purchase land for future needs. Pay all associated building, site improvements and bond issuance costs.

Bonds would mature in 21 years or less.

YES

NO

## GRESHAM-BARLOW SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 10JT

#### 26-18 GRESHAM-BARLOW SCHOOL DISTRICT 10JT GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND AUTHORIZATION

**QUESTION:** Shall Gresham Barlow School District 10Jt be authorized to issue general obligation bonds in an amount not to exceed **\$40,200,000**? If the bonds are approved, they will be payable from taxes on property or property ownership that are not subject to the limits of section 11 and 11b, Article XI of the Oregon Constitution.

SUMMARY: If approved, bonds will finance:

- Essential renovation and expansion at Gresham High School; improvements will prolong the useful life of the school and add instructional space.
- The construction, equipment, and furnishing of a new elementary school to relieve overcrowding at all elementary schools.
- The construction, equipment, and furnishing of an advanced skills center and another small facility for alternative high school programs to relieve overcrowding at the Gresham and Sam Barlow High Schools.
- Additional capital improvements to renovate instructional space, property, lighting, heating, ventilation, and electrical systems, and improve safety at the majority of district schools and provide a central warehouse/office structure that would result in operational efficiencies and savings.
- Added technology connections and capabilities for all schools.

Associated building and bond issuance costs are included.

Bonds would mature over a period not to exceed 21 years with repayment structured so that new taxpayers will assist in paying for the bond measure.

YES

NO

## HILLSBORO SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1J

34-18 --- HILLSBORO SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1J GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND AUTHORIZA-TION

QUESTION: Shall the District be authorized to issue general obligation bonded indebtedness in an amount not to exceed \$98,000,000? 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:** If approved, bonds will finance:

- One high school and two elementary schools: construction, equipment, and furnishings.
- Land for future school sites.
- Safety, security, seismic, ADA renovations and upgrades.
- School support facilities.

A new high school built on District-owned land north of Highway 26 will relieve overcrowding in our current high schools. Enrollment exceeds current capacity and is projected to increase by 900 students in five years.

Two elementary schools will provide space for growing elementary enrollment. The District expects 1,150 more elementary students within five years.

Provide security-related improvements: lighting, locks, fencing, safety and security systems.

Provide handicap access and seismic and facility upgrades.

Purchase land for future school sites.

Consolidate maintenance, warehouse, and grounds-keeping facilities for growing District.

Associated building and bond issuance costs are included.

Bonds would mature over a period not to exceed 20 years. New taxpayers will assist in paying for the bond measure.

YES

## LAKE OSWEGO SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 7J

#### 3-8 LAKE OSWEGO SCHOOL DISTRICT GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND AUTHORIZATION

QUESTION: Shall the District be authorized to issue general obligation bonds not exceeding \$85,000,000 to expand and improve its 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.

**SUMMARY:** A Yes vote on this measure is a vote to increase taxes. Proceeds would fund:

- Substantially rebuilding 50-year old Lake Oswego High School.
- Significantly remodeling Lakeridge High School, built in 1971, constructing new science classrooms, larger gymnasium, replacement auditorium, remodeled music/arts facilities, and other improvements.
- At both junior highs, adding a new gymnasium and two classrooms, performing various remodels.
- At all elementary schools, various remodeling projects, additional classrooms as needed.
- Improvements to aging infrastructure at all schools, including as needed: roofing, plumbing, electrical, lighting, security and technology systems.
- Swimming pool improvements, other district construction and improvement projects.

The total cost of the bonds consists of principal of \$85,000,000 and estimated interest of \$98,670,000. The average amount of tax revenue this measure would produce annually is estimated at \$7,064,000 at an estimated tax rate of \$1.20/\$1,000.

Bonds will mature over a period not exceeding 25 years from issuance date and may be issued in multiple series, with repayment structured so future taxpayers assist in paying the bonds.

YES

NO

## REYNOLDS SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 7

26-12 REYNOLDS SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 7 GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND AUTHORI-ZATION

**QUESTION:** Shall Reynolds School District be authorized to issue general obligation bonds not exceeding \$45,000,000 to expand and improve its 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.

**SUMMARY:** If approved, the bonds will provide funds:

- To create safer, more efficient schools, capital repairs are needed district-wide, including replacing aging roofs, electrical and plumbing systems, improving air quality, constructing cafeterias, and other upgrades for special needs students.
- To relieve elementary overcrowding, creating an elementary school from the existing Administration Building.
- To relieve middle school overcrowding, adding 12 classrooms at Reynolds Middle School.
- To accommodate increasing enrollment, building 16 classrooms for alternative high school students.
- Adding 12 classrooms at the high school through remodeling and constructing 16 new classrooms and an auditorium.
- Purchasing the forestry property for the Springdale Natural Resources Academy.
- To assist in relieving high school overcrowding, partnering with east county schools in the Center for Advanced Learning.
- Upgrading and expanding computer network connections for all schools.

Bond issuance costs are included.

Bonds will mature over a period not exceeding 20 years with repayment structured so that new tax-payers will assist in paying for the bond.

YES

NO

# RIVERDALE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 51JT

# 26-25 GENERAL OPERATION FOR FIVE YEARS

**QUESTION:** Shall the district impose 0.6550 per thousand dollars of assessed value for five years to support general operations beginning in 2001/2002? This measure may cause property taxes to increase more than three percent.

**SUMMARY:** The district will use the tax revenues from this measure to maintain current programs and student/teacher ratios.

A rate of 0.6550 per thousand dollars of assessed value is estimated to raise \$228,000 in 2001/02, \$234,840 in 2002/03, \$241,885 in 2003/04, \$249,142 in 2004/05, \$256,616 in 2005/06 for an estimated total of \$1,210,483.

YES

NO

## CLACKAMAS COUNTY FIRE DISTRICT NO. 1

3-89 BONDS FOR FIRE DISTRICT STATIONS, FACILITIES AND EMERGENCY VEHICLES

**QUESTION:** Shall Clackamas County Fire District No. 1 be authorized to issue general obligation bonds to construct, refurbish and upgrade 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 section 11 and 11b, Article XI of the Oregon Constitution.

**SUMMARY:** This measure authorizes the district to issue general obligation bonds in an amount not exceeding \$9 million dollars to construct, refurbish and upgrade its facilities, and to purchase emergency vehicles. If approved, the measure would provide funds to:

- Build three new fire stations to serve the Pleasant Valley, Mt. Scott and Beavercreek communities;
- Provide major refurbishments at the Redland, Happy Valley and Holcomb stations.
- Purchase new fire engines, ladder trucks and additional emergency response vehicles;
- Upgrade district fire stations, facilities and infrastructure as needed;
- Possibly acquire land for new stations and district facilities;
- Pay the costs of issuing the bonds.

The bonds will mature over a period not exceeding fifteen (15) years from the date of issuance and may be issued in one or more series.

YES

## SAUVIE ISLAND R.F.P.D. NO. 30J

### 26-23 FIVE-YEAR LOCAL OPTION TAX.

**QUESTION:** Shall Sauvie Island Fire District #30J impose \$11,000.00 for five years for operations beginning 2000-01? This measure may cause property taxes to increase more than three percent.

**SUMMARY:** The total amount to be raised by this levy is \$55,000.00, which will be imposed over five years at \$11,000.00 each year. The purpose of this levy is to retire interim financing used during the construction of the new fire station. A Special District Association of Oregon, FlexLease Loan in the amount of \$52,000.00 was secured to complete the office and training room. The proceeds of this levy will be used to retire the FlexLease Loan and to update firefighting and rescue equipment. It is estimated that the proposed tax levy will result in a tax rate of eleven cents per thousand of assessed valuation. As an example, a property valued at \$100,000.00 will result in an increase of \$11.00. This levy expires in five years and is then eliminated. The estimated tax cost for this measure is an ESTIMATE ONLY based on the best information available from the county assessor at the time of estimate.

YES

NO

# SCAPPOOSE R.F.P.D.

# 5-68 FIVE-YEAR LOCAL OPTION TAX FOR EQUIPMENT AND PERSONNEL

**QUESTION:** Shall the Scappoose Fire District impose \$.80 per \$1,000 assessed value for 5-years for equipment and personnel beginning 2001-2002? *This measure may cause property taxes to increase more than three percent.* 

**SUMMARY:** A "yes" vote on this measure is a vote to increase taxes.

The approval of this tax would allow for additional paid firefighter/medical positions and funds needed for fire and ambulance equipment. The Scappoose Fire District's goal is to have 2 paid firefighter/paramedics on duty at the fire station 24-hours per day. This staffing would allow for one ambulance to respond to emergencies immediately. The District currently waits for off-duty and volunteer personnel to respond to the station prior to answering the emergency call for help.

The Scappoose Fire District's tax rate of \$1.1145 per \$1,000 assessed value is deemed to be inadequate to properly insure fire and ambulance service. The Fire District's goal is to maintain the 38 volunteer firefighters to operate fire and ambulance service with the assistance of paid staff. Emergency alarms have increased due to the continuing growth in the community. This growth has become demanding for a volunteer force.

The tax on a \$100,000 home would be \$80.00 per year for 5 years. The proposed rate will raise approximately \$446,427 in 2001-2002, \$459,819 in 2002-2003, \$473,614 in 2003-2004, \$487,822 in 2004-2005, and \$502,457 in 2005-2006. The estimated tax cost for this measure is an ESTIMATE ONLY based on the best information available from the county assessor at the time of the estimate.

YES

NO

## TUALATIN VALLEY FIRE & RESCUE

# 34-38 FOUR-YEAR OPERATING LOCAL OPTION TAX

QUESTION: Should the District impose \$.25 per \$1,000 of assessed value for operations for four years beginning 2001-2002? This measure may cause property taxes to increase more than three percent.

SUMMARY: If approved, the proceeds will be used by Tualatin Valley Fire and Rescue to pay the cost of:

- Emergency services and support personnel;
- Purchasing and/or upgrading emergency services technology; and
- Purchasing equipment, furnishings, and other tangible property in support of operations

The levy is not to exceed the rate of \$.25 per thousand dollars on the assessed value of all qualifying property within the District, commencing with the 2001-2002 fiscal year and continuing for a period of four (4) years. The total amount of money to be raised by the proposed local option tax levy over the four-year period is estimated to be as follows:

• 2001-2002:	\$5,901,044
• 2002-2003:	\$6,284,611
• 2003-2004:	\$7,266,806
• 2004-2005:	\$7,739,149
For a total of	\$27,191,610

YES

NO

## CORBETT WATER DISTRICT

# 26-13 GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND AUTHORIZATION

QUESTION: Shall the District be authorized to contract a general obligation bonded indebtedness in an amount not to exceed \$2,950,000? If the bonds are approved, they will be payable from taxes on property or property ownership that are not subject to the limits of Section 11 and 11b of Article XI of the Oregon Constitution.

SUMMARY: This measure authorizes the Corbett Water District to issue general obligation bonds of not to exceed \$2,950,000, to construct and equip additional water storage facilities, improve the water treatment plant, make related improvements and to pay all costs incidental thereto. Bonds would mature over a period of not to exceed 21 years.

YES