

Candidate's Statement for County Voters' Pamphlet

Important! Please read all instructions before completing this form. This form is to be used when filing a 'Candidate's Statement for County Voters' Pamphlet' with your County Elections office. Please note that each county produces a separate County Voters' Pamphlet. If the jurisdiction or district is located in more than one county a separate 'Candidate's Statement for County Voters' Pamphlet' form must be filed and the fee paid to each county where the statement is to be printed.

FILING INFORMATION

Election: Primary 20 _____ General 20 _____ Special May 16, 2017

Original Statement Amended Statement

Name of Candidate (as it will appear on ballot):

Sara Grigsby

Filing for the Office of (what's applicable):

District: Corbett Water District Position: Commissioner Zone #: Position 4

"This Information Furnished by" (required: name of Candidate or Committee as should appear in Voters' Pamphlet):

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Note: Language which violates any provision of ORS 251.415 will be excluded from the Voters' Pamphlet.

By signing this document, I hereby state:

- That all information provided by me on this form and in this Statement is true to the best of my knowledge;
- I am the author of this Statement (ORS 251.415);
- I have read and understand the instructions for submitting this 'Candidate Statement'; and
- The portrait provided, if any, is less than four (4) years old.

Sara Grigsby

Signature of Candidate or Agent on behalf of Candidate

3/16, 2017
Date signed

(If applicable) Printed name of Agent

Phone number

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SARA GRIGSBY

OCCUPATION: Business Development.

OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND: Training and Management: Northwest Natural Gas, Health Care Coalition, Rudi Foods.

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: Masters Degree Business Administration, Harvard University.

PRIOR GOVERNMENTALEXPERIENCE: Corbett Water District Budget Committee, Multnomah County Land Use and Transportation Committees, Columbia Gorge Commissioner.

The Corbett Water District is a success story, having corrected many problems within our modest means.

Although, I'm proud of what has been accomplished, we have had notable issues over the last year. These need to be addressed if we are to continue supplying some of the best quality and safest drinking water anywhere.

While our water source (Gordon Creek) is similar to Portland's Bull Run, we filter and chlorinate our water and deliver it to you in a closed system for less cost. However, unlike Portland, we do not have wells for backup. I support efforts to develop a backup supply.

To keep rates low, we need to continue system improvements begun more than a decade ago. District Staff installed new high-quality pipe that will last a century and only contracted big jobs like a new reservoir and modern filtration plant.

More needs to be done to keep ahead of the decaying infrastructure that remains. Our least-cost approach requires steady effort over many years. We are fortunate to have excellent staff, well paid for quality work. We are proud of them.

As a businesswoman and manager, I understand the need to balance improvements and cost to keep rates low. My fundamental job as a Commissioner is to protect the public's safety and money by supporting wise decisions and ensuring accountability.

Water is a precise resource. Safe, abundant water is critical to our well-being. It would be an honor to serve as Commissioner and to support an efficiently and effectively run Board and Water District.

With your support, we can continue improving our water system within the constraints of a small district.

Thank you for your vote.