## Voice your Wolfe

## Community Voter Registration Workshop



#### **Questions to Answer**

- Who can register to vote in Oregon?
- How do I register to vote?
- How do I help someone register to vote?
- How does vote by mail work?
- Who do I ask when I have more questions?



This is not a political event and is entirely nonpartisan.

We do not discuss or endorse any candidates or measures.



Registering voters to vote at Wood Village Night Out in summer 2019.



New Citizen and First Time Voter, November 2014 Election, Multnomah County Elections

#### **Agenda**

- What is Multnomah County Elections?
- Civic Participation Ice Breaker.
- Facts to Know about Voting and Elections.
- Helping Citizens Register to Vote.
- Special Considerations.
- Questions?

#### What is Multnomah County Elections?



Elections staff helping a voter at the Voting Center Express in Gresham, 2018.

Multnomah County

**Department of Community Services** 

**Elections Division** 

Voter Education & Outreach Program

#### Ice Breaker: Civic Engagement and Participation

★ Share what civic engagement and participation mean to you? What are ways you are involved in the community?



Elections staff reaches out to veterans at Portland's Veterans Stand Down event in 2017.

#### Resources:

### Facts to Know about Voting and Elections



16 year old citizen signs up to vote for the first time at the Multnomah County Dunway-Lovejoy Elections Building.

#### **Multnomah County Elections**



https://youtu.be/241nLEpAyow

#### Who Can Register to Vote in Oregon?

- At least 16 years of age
- A citizen of the United States
- A resident of Oregon









## Register @ 16 VOTE @ 18

#Reg16Vote18

#### **How Do I Register to Vote?**

- Online at oregonvotes.gov/register
- 2. On paper with an <u>Oregon Voter</u>
  Registration Card
- 3. Automatically at the DMV Oregon Motor Voter Act



Elections staff attend a high school civics event in 2017.

#### **Registration Deadlines**

The Voter Registration
Deadline is always 21 days
before each election.
This is also the Party
Choice Deadline.

You can register to vote anytime but in order to vote in the next election you have to register at least 21 days before Election Day.

## Political Parties and Non-affiliated Voters

- Affiliated Voters select a party.
- Non-affiliated Voters choose not to select a party.

 The Party Choice Deadline is the same date as the Voter Registration Deadline.

political party						
Not a member of a party						
Constitution						
Democratic						
Independent						
Libertarian						
Pacific Green						
Progressive						
Republican						
Working Families						
Other						

#### **Closed Party Primary Elections in Oregon**

#### **Sample Ballots**

Official Primary Nominating Ballot for the Democratic Party Multnomah County, OR May 17, 2016  THIS IS NOT A REAL BALLOT. DO NO USE TO VOTE			Official Primary Nominating Ballot for the Republican Party Multnomah County, OR May 17, 2016 THIS IS NOT A REAL BALLOT. DO NO USE TO VOTE		
Instructions To Voter  Use a blue or black ink pen. To ensure your vote counts, completely fill in the oval to the left of the response of your choice.  Federal Offices	Attention!  Remember to inspect your ballot for mistakes! If you make a mistake or damage your ballot, call your County Elections Office to ask for assistance.  State Treasurer Vote for One	Gheck for Errors  If you vote for more options than allowed, your vote will not count for that candidate or measure.  Judge of the Court of Appeals, Position 7 yote for One	Instructions To Voter  Use a blue or black ink pen. To ensure your vote counts, completely fill in the oval to the left of the response of your choice.	Attention!  Remember to inspect your ballot for mistakes! If you make a mistake or damage your ballot, call your County Elections Office to ask for assistance.	Check for Errors  If you vote for more options than allowed, your vote will not count for that candidate or measure.
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US Senator Vote for One  Ron Wyden  Paul B Weaver  Kevin H Stine  OB Wite-inguler above	Ellen Rosenblum OR Write-In on line above  State Senator, 14th District Vote for One Mark Hass OR Write-In on line above	Judge of the Circuit Court, 4th District, Position 15 Vote for One	John R Kasich Donald J Trump  R Write-in on line above  US Senator Vote for One Sam Carpenter	Attorney General Vote for One  Daniel Zene Crowe  OR Wintern on line above  State Senator, 14th District Vote for One	Judge of the Circuit Court, 4th District, Position 15 Vote for One  Bronson D James Incumbent  OR Write-in on line above
US Representative, 3rd District Vote for One  Earl Blumenauer  OR Wited nor line above	State Representative, 27th District Vote for One  Darin Campbell Sheri Malstrom	Bronson D James Inscumbent OR Winterin on line above  Judge of the Circuit Court, 4th District, Position 17 Vote for One	Mark Callahan Faye Stewart Dan Laschober OR Wittedn on line above	No Candidate Filed  OR Write-Inon line above  State Representative, 27th District Vote for One	Judge of the Circuit Court, 4th District, Position 17 Vote for One  Kelly Skye Incumbent OR Write-In on line above

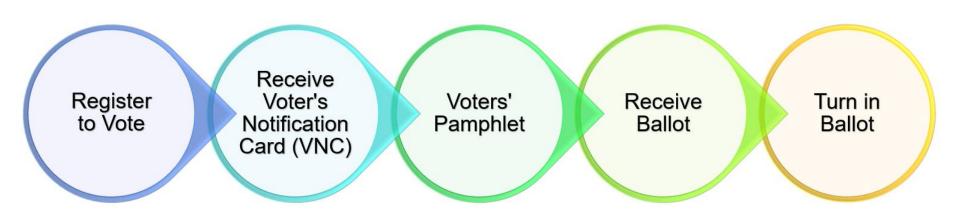
#### Voter Rights and Assistance Services



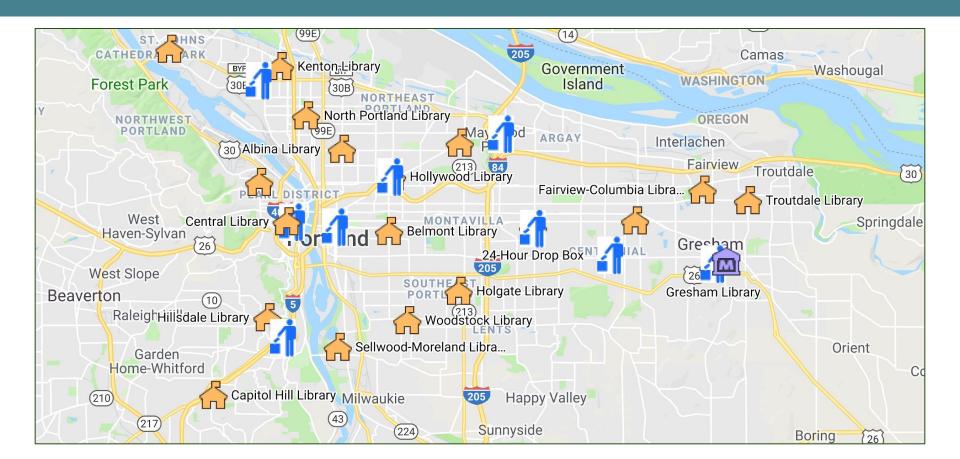
Elections staff work with an interpretation service to provide assistance in the voter's preferred language, 2018.

- Oregon Voter Bill of Rights
- Services for Voters with Disabilities
- Language Assistance Available
- Voters Experiencing Homelessness
- Voters with a Criminal Record
- Voter Registration and Privacy

#### How does vote by mail work?



#### Official Ballot Drop Sites in Multnomah County



#### Connect With Us Through Social Media



facebook.com/MultCoElections



instagram.com/MultCoElections



nextdoor.com



twitter.com/MultCoElections



youtube.com

#### Who do I ask when I have more questions?

Multnomah County Elections
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Oregon Secretary of State's Office | oregonvotes.gov/myvote

### Questions?



# Thank You!

