

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 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 2015
 Original Statement Amended Statement

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

Filing for the Office of (what's applicable):
District: Portland School Board Position: 3 Zone #:

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

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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.

Signature redacted

3/23, 2015

Signature of Candidate or Agent on behalf of Candidate

Date signed

Jake Weigler

503-432-6580

(If applicable) Printed name of Agent

Phone number

For Office Use only:

County: Multnomah

Cash receipt #: 23492

Check #: 1002

Amount \$ 25.00

Required Info? Yes No

Signed? Yes No

Optional Info? Yes No

Endorsements? Yes # 17 No

Portrait?

Print? # _____

Email?

Copy? Yes No

None

Intake Staff Initials: JWR

Word Count (325 max):

325

Digital copy? Yes No

Review Staff initials:

Occupation: Community Leader/Volunteer/Parent

Occupational Background Senior Community Relations Officer, Mercy Corps;
Community Relations Specialist, Tri-Met

Educational Background: B.A., Macalester College; Lincoln High School;
Bridlemile & Ainsworth Elementary Schools

Prior Governmental Experience: PPS Bond Advisory Committee; Multnomah
County Youth Commission

Community Leadership: Portland Schools Foundation/All Hands Raised (board
chair); Open Meadow schools (board chair); Board member Planned Parenthood
Columbia-Willamette and Mercy Corps NW

New Leadership. Clear Vision. Voice for Students and Families.

I am running for the school board to ensure excellent schools in every neighborhood. I've been a volunteer, advocate, and champion for equity. I've fought for students, leading the effort to pass the 2012 bond to repair schools and successfully pushing to require more class time for PPS high school students.

We need smart leadership and independence if we are to meet the needs of all students. As a parent leader, I see what works, what doesn't and where the opportunities are to improve our district. I will:

- **Be Hungry For Results**
- **Engage Parents, Teachers, Students, and the City**
- **Provide a Great Principal in Every Building**
- **Better Support for At-Risk Students**
- **Support for English Language Learners**
- **Offer More Career and Technical Education Opportunities**

"Amy Kohnstamm has been in the trenches, working for our public schools. She is exactly the community leader we need on our school board."

Congressman Earl Blumenauer

"Amy focuses on students and their success. I appreciate her commitment, enthusiasm and innovative problem solving."

Jose Olavarrieta, Teacher

"Amy is a strong leader who believes in accountability and results, what we need if our children are to succeed. "

John Watzke, Dean of Education, University of Portland

"Amy's commitment to ensuring success for all students makes her our choice for school board, District 3."

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Additional Endorsements:

Tom Koehler and Matt Morton, PPS Board Members
Stand for Children Oregon
Eddie Sherman
Bryon Beck
Stan Amy
Eileen Brady
Tom Walsh
Christine Vernier
Warren Rosenfeld
Susan Hammer
Elizabeth Casson-Taylor
Eliza Erhardt-Eisen

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