

Joint County Voters' Pamphlet Candidate Statement

Important! Read all instructions before completing this form.

Use this form when filing a 'JCVP-01 Joint County Voters' Pamphlet Candidate Statement' 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 JCVP-01 form must be filed and the filing fee paid to each county where the 'Candidate Statement' is to be printed.

Filing Information

Election Date: 11/8/2022 Amended Statement

Name of Candidate (as it should appear on the ballot):

Michael Guebert

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

District/Position: **East Multnomah Soil & Water Conservation District Zone 3**

"This information furnished by" (Required: Name of Candidate or Committee as it should appear in the Voters' Pamphlet):

Michael Guebert

Contact Information:

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

Signature of Candidate or Agent on behalf of Candidate

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(If applicable) Printed name of Agent

For Office Use Only:

County: EMSWCD Zone 3

Cash-receipt #: 24807

Check #: _____

Amount \$: 25

Intake Staff Initials: PVP

- Required Info? Yes No
- Optional Info? Yes No
- Signed? Yes No
- Endorsements? Yes # _____ No
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Review Staff Initials:

Occupation: Farmer/Owner Terra Farma, Corbett, OR 2001-present

Occupational Background: Environmental Specialist and Supervisor, Metro, 2001-2021

Educational Background: Humboldt State University, Geology, Bachelor's; Sierra College, Geology

Prior Governmental Experience: Associate Director, EMSWCD 2012-2014; Director, Zone 3 EMSWCD 2015-present; Board Chair EMSWCD 2021-present

I am excited to continue my service to the residents of EMSWCD to continue turning my passion for this place we all call home into good policy that both improves soil and water health and the quality of life for the people we serve.

I've been a farmer in the district for two decades, practicing regenerative agriculture before that term was even coined, using my educational and occupational background as a scientist to continually improve pasture quality, water retention, and carbon sequestration. I take this same thought process with me to my board position to evaluate continuous improvement to our programs and policies.

Board members must also practice good governance, which means enacting fair internal policies, practicing fiscal responsibility, program evaluation, and ensuring that our services are available to all that live in our district. I am proud of my work towards all of those in my 10 years on the EMSWCD board.

We are currently in the midst of our strategic planning process, which will guide the work of the district for the next five years and beyond. I hope that you will re-elect me so I can complete that process and implement the outcome.

My goals are:

- Continue our work to protect farmland and provide access to the next generation of farmers
- Support our grants program to fund conservation partners
- Ensure our internal and external operations are equitably focused
- Promote practices that increase: soil carbon, water retention, and tree canopy
- Modeling a workplace culture where people want to work

Endorsed by:

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