



Joint County Voters' Pamphlet

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Candidate Statement

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Filing Information

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

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Candidate Information

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Occupation (Present Employment)

Senior Lender, Craft3

Occupational Background (Previous Employment)

Forester

Educational Background (Schools Attended)

Master in Forestry from Yale University

Master in Business Administration from University of North Carolina

Prior Governmental Experience (elected or appointed)

Currently serve as Director East Multnomah SWCD (Appointed in 2026)

Served as Budget Chair for Corbett School District

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Personal Background

I am a resident of Corbett and have lived in the community since 2019. My two children attend the Corbett School District and we own and manage a 5-acre forested property on a tributary of Big Creek.

I have a long-term personal and professional interest in sustainable farm and forest management and the need to target resources and education to private landowners. I also deeply believe in the need for more natural spaces in urban areas and increasing the opportunities for everyone to benefit from clean water and healthy soil.

I was appointed the Zone 3 Director and have been serving on the EMSWCD board since January of 2026.

Professional Background/Qualifications

- I currently work in Community and Conservation Finance and understand the importance of leveraging limited resources to maximize the District's impact on East County.
- Worked as a professional forester in Oregon and Washington. I have extensive experience in sustainable land management that ensures healthy soils and builds resilient watersheds.

Priorities for EMSWCD

- Protect and restore critical watersheds that support improved soil and water quality, healthy wildlife, and community well-being
- Protect farmland and provide farmers with the tools they need to be successful
- Increase investments in green space/parks and opportunities for access to nature for everyone in East County
- Collaborate with local partners to ensure resources

Endorsement

Jasmine Zimmer-Stucky, EMSWCD Board Chair/At Large Director 2

Laura Materson, Owner 47 Ave Farm, EMSWCD Director Zone 2

Michael Guebert, Owner Terra Farma/Former EMSWCD Director Zone 3

Kate Coppeleta, Owner Fiddlehead Farm

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Brad Hunter

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