## 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: May 18, 2021 Special District Election
Name of Candidate (as it should appear on the ballot):
Mayra Gomez
Filing for the Office of (complete what's applicable):
District/Position: Gresham Baylow School District, Position 6
"This information furnished by" (Required: Name of Candidate or Committee as it should appear in the Voters' Pamphlet):
Gomez for Kids
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Warning: Any person who supplies information in the 'Required' portion of a Voters' Pamphlet statement, knowing it to be false, is subject upon conviction of a Class C felony, to imprisonment for up to five years or to a fine of \$125,000, or both.  ORS 260.715 (1); 260.993; 161.605; and 161.625.
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.
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Signature of Candidate or Agent on behalf of Candidate  Date Signed
thigh E. Harns (202) 459-8688
(If applicable) Printed name of Agent Phone number
Candidate checklist for 'JCVP-01 Joint County Voters' Pamphlet Candidate Statement' information:
Typewritten & Signed JCVP-01
'Required Information':
Occupation (Optional) Portrait
Occupational Background (If applicable) JCVP-02 Endorsement Statement #:
☐ Educational Background ☐ Fee/Petition Provided
Prior Governmental Experience Word Count (325 words/numbers MAX)

Candidate Statement: Mayra L. Gómez

word count: 322 (not including the 8 bolded topics)

Occupation: Director of College & Career Readiness, West Linn-Wilsonville School District

Occupational Background: Federal Programs Coordinator: Centennial School District; Assistant Principal, Reynolds High School; Educator, Gresham High School; Migrant Education Summer School Teacher, Multnomah Education Service District; Summer Program Coordinator, Portland Parks and Recreation

Educational Background; Lewis & Clark College, PhD, Educational Leadership and Curriculum; University of California-Los Angeles, Master of Urban Education; University of Oregon, BA, BS

Prior Governmental Experience: Gresham-Barlow School Board Member

Dr. Mayra Gómez: Lifelong Commitment to Our Youth & the Power of Education

"Mayra is truly invested in the Gresham community. She is committed to supporting and collaborating with teachers who love their students. Her experience as an educator provides an understanding of our students' needs and what schools need to do to close opportunity gaps."

-Carla Piluso, Gresham-Barlow School Board

I have spent my entire career believing in our youth, and seeing how the power of education can affect them in life-changing ways. It was my own experience that led me down this path. I credit my success to the mentorship of family and community members who believed in me.

I strive to do the same for my students in Oregon public schools and as a Gresham-Barlow School Board Member. We have:

- Increased graduation rates
- Hired more school counselors & more diverse educators
- Passed a construction bond

I am running for re-election so I can continue to empower youth to finish high school, pursue education beyond graduation and inspire them to mentor younger generations in their communities.

## Community Leaders Endorse Mayra for Re-Election!

"Mayra sees education as the social equalizer. She feels responsibility to advocate and give a voice to our disenfranchised communities and address equity issues impacting our students."

-Gresham City Council President Eddy Morales

Ricki Ruiz, State Representative
Shirley Craddick, Metro Councilor
Multnomah County Commissioner Lori Stegmann
Annette Mattson, Mt. Hood Community College Board
Jessica Arzate, Multnomah Education Service District
Andrea Valderrama, David Douglas School Board
Sonja Mckenzie, Parkrose School Board
Yesenia Delgado, Reynolds School Board
East County Rising