

MULTNOMAH COUNTY

CANDIDATE'S STATEMENT FOR COUNTY VOTERS' PAMPHLET

ELECTION DATE: <u>MAY 15, 2012</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original Statement <input type="checkbox"/> Amended Statement
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Name of Candidate (as it will appear on ballot) <u>MICHAEL (MICRO) DURROW</u>	Address <u>4935 NE 13th AVE, PDX 97211</u>
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 Name of County/City/District MELO
 Number of Position/Zone if applicable #5

This information furnished by (Name of Candidate or Committee as it should appear in voters' pamphlet)

Attached to be included in the Candidate's Statement for the candidate listed above:

Required information
 Occupation (present employment paid or unpaid), or the word "None"
 Occupational Background (previous employment paid or unpaid), or the word "None"
 Educational Background, or the word "None"
 Prior Governmental Experience (elected or appointed), or the word "None"

Optional Information
 Statement(s) of Endorsement, if applicable (number filed: _____)
 Photograph

NOTE: Language which violates any provision of ORS 251.415 will be excluded from the voters' pamphlet.

By signing this document, I hereby state:
 All information provided by me on this form (MCED 009) is true to the best of my knowledge and the photograph I have provided, if any, is less than four (4) years old.

Signature of Candidate or Agent on behalf of Candidate: [Redacted]
 Date Signed: 3/8/2012

Phone Number of Agent (if applicable): 503.807.9023

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Staff Initials <u>LD</u>	Photograph: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Submitted	Statement(s) of Endorsement:
Cash or Check Number <u>211765</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Not Submitted	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes # _____
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Occupation: I am currently a paralegal student.

Occupational background: a photographer, a videographer, software developer and network-engineering consultant on a \$3.5M grant for the Portland Development Commission.

Governmental experience: multiple student councils at PCC, working elections (1984-present), election worker, unpaid poll watcher, a precinct committee-person and numerous local committees.

Educational background: Jefferson HS; Reed University and PCC. I earned two network-engineering certifications(CCNA+CCDA), and a real-estate license.

Optional Information:

My father's family settled in NE Portland just after WWII. An NCO in the USAF, he met my mum during a tour of duty in Germany. So, I was born American, but I started out speaking Danish. We first transferred stateside in October 1967: I was almost two and it was just after the Supreme Court ruling in "Loving v Virginia" made it unconstitutional to prohibit interracial marriages.

In 1980, we settled in Portland. Times haven't always been easy. My family has worked hard and been very fortunate. Today, my brother's a network security engineer, my sister became a lawyer and later an author; mum continues to work past retirement age out of love for her community.

Metro's charter is to manage the Urban Growth Boundary, urban-planning, waste, recycling, parks and transportation. These functions make Metro ideal to further promote conservation and sustainability.

I will work to maintain the current Urban Growth Boundry. I will speak up for the right of the occupants of North Portland NOT to be continually dumped upon with projects like the expanded waste-management project planned near Lents. I will fight to

scale down or stop the Columbia River Crossing. And I will fight for more green spaces, including: the Willamette Greenway.

Remember: These politicians aren't your bosses: they work for you. Just because we always did something one way doesn't mean we can't change tomorrow.

"Unless someone like you cares a whole awful lot, Nothing is going to get better." - Dr. Seuss , "The Lorax"