

MULTNOMAH COUNTY

CANDIDATE'S STATEMENT FOR COUNTY VOTERS' PAMPHLET

ELECTION DATE: <u>May 21, 2013</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) Christine Larsen	Address 555 NE 127th Avenue Portland, OR 97006
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Filing for: Office of School Board Member
 Name of County/City/District Multnomah County, Portland, David Douglas School District
 Number of Position/Zone if applicable Position #3

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

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

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 DIRECTOR OF ELECTIONS

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 anv. is less than four (4) years old.

 Signature of Candidate or Agent on behalf of Candidate

3/25/13
 Date Signed

Phone Number of Agent (if applicable) _____

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NAME OF CANDIDATE:

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REQUIRED INFORMATION

(Maximum 325 words/numbers for Required and Optional Information excluding headings already printed.)

Occupation: (Present Employment – Paid or Unpaid)

Parent;
Project Coordinator at Oregon Health & Science University, 2006 - present;
Girl Scout Leader Troop 40847; 2010 - present

Occupational Background: (Previous Employment – Paid or Unpaid)

Program Manager at Arizona State University, 2003 - 2004;
Director of Student and Academic Services at Arizona State University, 2000 - 2003;
~~Student Services Coordinator at Arizona State University, 1999 - 2000;~~
~~Coordinator of Graduate Studies at Purdue University, 1997 - 1999~~

Educational Background (Schools attended; last grade completed; degrees, if any.)

Purdue University, Master of Science in Education - Higher Education Administration
University of Kansas, Bachelor of Science - Accounting and Business Administration
~~Ozark High School - Diploma~~

Prior Governmental Experience: (Elected or Appointed)

David Douglas School District Budget Committee 2008 - present

NAME OF CANDIDATE:

MCED 009 (01/2008)

OPTIONAL INFORMATION

I am a parent of two children in the David Douglas School District, one in high school and the other in elementary school. I believe that public education is valuable to my children and all of the children in our district, helping to put them on a path to becoming productive citizens for the rest of their lives. Successfully engaging all students in our district is important for our community to thrive in the future.

As a citizen member of the David Douglas School District Budget Committee for the past five years I have participated in the conservative fiscal practices that have allowed our schools to retain music and PE in our schools, while many districts around us have eliminated one or both. I would like to continue to work for the David Douglas community as a Board Member serving the students, teachers, and families of our district.

Over the past five years I have watched as state funding and federal grant money for schools has decreased. Funding is likely to decrease even more in upcoming years. Our school board is going to be called upon to help guide the district through challenging financial times while putting policies in place to improve our students' learning and increase graduation rates. I have good problem solving skills and want to be part of the team that helps David Douglas students excel.

I ask for your vote so that I can continue to give my best effort to our community schools.

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