

MULTNOMAH COUNTY

CANDIDATE'S STATEMENT FOR COUNTY VOTERS' PAMPHLET

ELECTION DATE: <u>5/21/2013</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Original Statement <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amended Statement
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Name of Candidate (as it will appear on ballot) Ernie Butenschoen	Address 15611 S.E. Taggart Street Portland, Oregon 97236
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Filing for: Office of Position 7 at Large Director
 Name of County/City/District Multnomah/Portland/Centennial School District #40
 Number of Position/Zone if applicable Position 7

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

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

3/24/13
 Date Signed

Phone Number of Agent (if applicable)

WARNING: Any person who supplies information in the required portion of a voters' pamphlet statement, knowing it to be false, is subject upon conviction to imprisonment for up to five years or to a fine of \$100,000, or both. ORS 260.715 (1); 260.993 (2); 161.605; and 161.625.

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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)**

Retired Teacher

Occupational Background: (Previous Employment – Paid or Unpaid)

Middle School Teacher 31 years David Douglas School District
Middle School Coach and Athletic Director
David Douglas Community Sports Coordinator

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

Lewis and Clark College	1987	MAT
Oregon College of Education	1980	BS
David Douglas High School	12	

Prior Governmental Experience: (Elected or Appointed)

David Douglas Education Association President 1997
East County Bargaining Council Treasurer 2000-2011
Bargaining Team David Douglas Certified 7 different contracts
Centennial School Board 2011 to current
Multnomah Education Service District Budget Committee 2013

OPTIONAL INFORMATION

Dear Friends,

I'm asking for your vote to continue serving as your position 7 at-large School Board Director in the Centennial School District.

My wife and I have lived in the Centennial School District for over 20 years. Our two children attended Centennial Schools and were well prepared to pursue their goals and dreams after graduation. We love this community! With that said,

I'm committed to our district's 5 year non-negotiable academic goals that were enacted in the 2010-2011 school year.

- * Every child performs at grade level in reading, writing and math by the end of the 3rd grade.
- * Every child leaves 8th grade academically ready for 9th grade.
- * Every student finishes 9th grade with credits necessary to graduate on time.
- * Every student graduates ready for college and/or career.

It's vitally important to prepare our students for the competitive world that they will soon enter.

It's a pleasure to visit all school sites and see the commitment, dedication, focus and passion about education that our students, teachers, administrators, support staff and volunteer parents display on a daily basis.

I understand budgets and bargaining based on my past experience. I'm fair and work collaboratively to arrive at a budget or an agreement that is consistent, financially prudent and respectful of the needs of all.

I really enjoy working with this board and would love to continue for another four years. Thanks,

Ernie Butenschoen