

Candidate's Statement for County Voters' Pamphlet

Important! Please read all instructions before completing this form. This form is to be used when filing a 'Candidate's Statement for County Voters' Pamphlet' 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 'Candidate's Statement for Voters' Pamphlet' form must be filed and the fee paid to each county where the statement is to be printed.

FILING INFORMATION

Election: Primary 20____ General 20 14 Special _____
 Original Statement Amended Statement

Name of Candidate (as it will appear on ballot):

Nellie McAdams

Filing for the Office of (what's applicable):

District: East Multnomah SWCD Position: Director, At-Large Zone #: 2

"This Information Furnished by" (required: name of Candidate or Committee as should appear in Voters' Pamphlet):

Nellie McAdams

CONTACT INFORMATION

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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 (2); 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 Statement is true to the best of my knowledge;
- I am the author of this Statement (ORS 251.415);
- I have read and understand the instructions for submitting this 'Candidate Statement'; and
- The portrait provided, if any, is less than four (4) years old.

Signature redacted

Signature of Candidate or Agent on behalf of Candidate

Date signed 9/8

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Required info? Yes No

Signed? Yes No

Optional Info? Yes No

Endorsements? Yes # _____ No

Portrait?
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 Email?
Copy? Yes No
 None

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Word Count (325 max): _____

Digital copy? Yes No

Review Staff Initials: _____

**Candidate's Statement for Voters' Pamphlet
'Required Information'**

(Candidate name)

TOTAL maximum of 325 hand-counted typewritten words/numbers for 'Required' and 'Optional Information', excluding bolded headings already printed on this form. All sections of the 'Required Information' must be completed. If there is not relevant information for a required section the word "None" should be inserted. If attaching a typewritten document with either the 'Required' and/or 'Optional Information' write "See Attached" in the appropriate section of this form.

Occupation (Present paid or unpaid employment):

Staff Attorney and Next Generation Program Director; Friends of Family Farmers, an advocacy organization and resource hub for family-scale farmers in Oregon; 2011-2014

Occupational Background (Any previous paid or unpaid employment):

Store Manager; Urban Farm Store in Portland; 2010-2011
Farmworker; Dancing Roots Farm in Troutdale; 2008-2009

Educational Background: (relevant schools attended)

Name of School	Educational study - Major/minor	Diploma/Degree/Certificate
Lewis & Clark Law School	Env. & Natural Resources Law	JD ;
Dartmouth College	Philosophy	BS ;
Wilson High School		Graduate ;

Prior Governmental Experience (Elected or appointed):

Legislative Assistant; Representative (now Speaker) Tina Kotek; 2007-2008
Legal Assistant; Oregon Department of Justice Family Law Section; 2006-2007

'Optional Information'

See attached for 'Optional Information'

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Candidate () checklist for 'Candidate's Statement for County Voters' Pamphlet (VP) Information

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Typewritten & signed 'Candidate's Statement' for County VP | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Optional) 'Optional Information' |
| 'Required Information': | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Optional) Portrait |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Occupation; | <input type="checkbox"/> (If applicable) Endorsement Statement #: |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Occupational Background; | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fee provided |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Educational Background; | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Word Count (325 words/numbers MAX) |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Prior Governmental Experience. | |

EMSWCD At Large #2, Nellie McAdams, Voter Statement

As someone who has dedicated my work to land stewardship, I have the passion and ability to serve as a Director of the East Multnomah Soil and Water Conservation District (EMSWCD).

I grew up part-time on a farm in Gaston, Oregon, where I continue to work and help farm my family's land. My agricultural background helped inspire my commitment to the preservation of working lands and prime soils near Urban Growth Boundaries. Permanently preserving such land from development via conservation easements is a priority project for me as Staff Attorney at Friends of Family Farmers (FoFF) and for EMSWCD through their easement program.

As FoFF's Next Generation Program Director, I also assist future farmers. I coordinate the iFarm landlink program, which connects farmers to land, and the FarmON! program, which connects beginning farmers to continuing education and community. EMSWCD's Headwaters Incubator Program readies the next generation of farmers for success. As an EMSWCD Director, I would help ensure that this program continues to recruit and prepare our district's beginning farmers.

I am also dedicated to natural resource conservation and would help guide EMSWCD's programs that enable district landholders to protect their water, soil, and natural habitats. And I would strongly support EMSWCD's education programs for landholders, visitors, and youth - especially socially-disadvantaged community members.

It would be an honor to serve in this position. Thank you for your consideration.

Endorsements:

Oregon League of Conservation Voters

Laura Masterson, EMSWCD

Michael Guebert, Associate Director, EMSWCD

Allison Hensey, Associate Director, EMSWCD

Jill Kuehler, Former Director, East Multnomah Soil and Water Conservation District

Amanda Osborne, Regional Food System Advocate

Jason Miner