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# 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: November 3, 2020

Amended Statement

Name of Candidate (as it should appear on the ballot):

Paul Wilcox

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

District/Position: Troutdale City Councilor, Position 4

"This information furnished by" (Required: Name of Candidate or Committee as it should appear in the Voters' Pamphlet):

Paul Wilcox

### 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; 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

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(If applicable) Printed name of Agent

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### Candidate checklist for 'JCVP-01 Joint County Voters' Pamphlet Candidate Statement' information:

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#### 'Required Information':

- Occupation
- Occupational Background
- Educational Background
- Prior Governmental Experience

#### (Optional) 'Optional Information'

- (Optional) Portrait
- (If applicable) JCVP-02 Endorsement Statement #: \_\_\_\_\_
- Fee/Petition Provided
- Word Count (325 words/numbers MAX)

**Occupation:** Retired

**Occupational Background:** Commercial truck driver

**Educational Background:** Beloit College; B.A.; Anthropology

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Parks Advisory Committee; Citizens Advisory Committee; Planning Commission (current)

Greetings Troutdale voters,

I have been consistently attending City Council meetings since 2014. As indicated above, I have served on three of the five city committees/commissions. While on the CAC I promoted the Troutdale Municipal Code revision to allow public comment on every Council meeting agenda item. I do not identify or align with a particular bloc of Council members. This ensures an independent voice for the citizens of Troutdale. My guiding principle is "the greatest good for the greatest number."

My opponent, incumbent Councilor Glenn White, has occupied Position 4 since 2009, having taken office his first two terms unopposed. For those of you who support term limits, returning him to office for a fourth term wouldn't allow for that. When a Council vacancy needed to be filled in 2009, Councilor White stated "Dave Ripma is such a valuable person; my only reason for not choosing him is because I think that term limits are important in government". (Council Work Session minutes, 1/22/09)

Councilor White proposed reducing the fee in lieu of abated property taxes by over \$2 million for the Troutdale Energy Center project.

Councilor White voted against eliminating the storm water rate cap, which prior to being removed allowed the owners of large developed properties to pay a fraction of their proportional share of that system.

Councilor White was a major supporter of the effort to burden Troutdale taxpayers with the ill-conceived bond measure for the Old City Hall reconstruction project at a cost of over \$7 million.

Councilor White voted against referring Measure 26-212 to the voters, which will greatly expand voter choice and minimize the likelihood of unopposed candidates, which denies you choice entirely. I fully support Measure 26-212.

Vote for independence and change. Vote for Paul Wilcox for Position 4.