

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____ Special May 2017
 Original Statement Amended Statement

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

Filing for the Office of (what's applicable):
District: Portland Public Schools Position: Director Zone #: 4

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

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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.

Rita Moore
Signature of Candidate or Agent on behalf of Candidate

3/20, 2017
Date signed

(If applicable) Printed name of Agent

Phone number

For Office Use only:

① County: Mult
② Cash-receipt #: 23898
③ Check #: 1966
Amount \$ 25

Required Info? Yes No
Signed? Yes No

Optional Info? Yes No
Endorsements? Yes # 15 No
Portrait?
 Print? # 1
 Email?
Copy? Yes No
 None

Intake Staff Initials:
KV
Word Count (325 max):
319
Digital copy? Yes No
Review Staff Initials:
KV

Occupation:
Policy Analyst, Oregon Health Authority

Past Employment:
Program Manager, CASA for Children; Assistant Professor, Portland State University

Education:
Boston College, BA; Columbia University, PhD

Prior government and community experience:
PPS 2012 Bond Campaign; PPS Community Budget Review Committee; Superintendent's Advisory Committee on Enrollment and Transfer; Jefferson Cluster Visioning Committee; Bureau Advisory Committee, Portland's Office of Neighborhood Involvement

The first in my family to go to college, education was my ticket out of poverty. For 15 years, as a **single mother, advocate for foster children**, and volunteer on **advisory committees**, I have fought to improve Portland Public Schools because all our children deserve a chance to thrive.

Last year's crises highlighted the need for effective leadership. Our children need Board members prepared to help the new Superintendent transform PPS into a district we can be proud of:

- **Careful stewardship of taxpayer dollars**
- **Equitable access to enriched educational opportunities** for all students
- **Healthy, safe schools** serving the whole community
- **Partnership with the City and County on housing and social services**, providing children the stability they need

"I endorse Rita Moore. For 15 years she's worked directly with parents and students demanding a well-rounded education for ALL children. She challenges issues like over-testing with a knowledge of the changes needed and clear understanding of the actions needed to create an effective, equitable school district." - Lew Frederick, Oregon State Senator

"At \$690 Million, PPS's general fund budget is bigger than the city's or the county's. As a finance professional, I trust Rita to ensure PPS spends its resources wisely to benefit and protect Portland's children and defend public education." - Paul Anthony, PPS School Board

WE STRONGLY ENDORSE RITA MOORE:

Portland Association of Teachers -
Portland Federation of School Professionals -
BerniePDX -
Steve Buel, PPS Board -
Siobhan Burke, MESD Board -
Juan Rogel, Milenio ✓
Greg McKelvey ✓
Ted Wolf, Parents for Earthquake Preparedness ✓
Jason Trombley ✓
Gabrielle Mercedes Bolívar. ✓
Neisha Saxena ✓
Mike Verbout ✓
Betsy Salter ✓

And countless other parents and teachers...