

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 2016 Special _____
 Original Statement Amended Statement

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

Filing for the Office of (what's applicable):
District: Multnomah County Position: County Commissioner Zone #: 1

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

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 \$5,000, 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

9/1, 2016
Date signed

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<input type="checkbox"/> County: _____	Optional Info? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Intake Staff Initials: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Cash receipt #: _____	Endorsements? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes # _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	Word Count (325 max): _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Check #: _____	Portrait? <input type="checkbox"/> Print? # _____	Digital copy? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
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Signed? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> None	

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

(Candidate name Sharon Meieran)

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):

(See Attached)

Occupational Background (Any previous paid or unpaid employment):

(See Attached)

Educational Background: (relevant schools attended)

Name of School	Educational study - Major/minor	Diploma/Degree/Certificate
(See Attached)	,	;
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Prior Governmental Experience (Elected or appointed):

(See Attached)

'Optional Information'

Please attached a separate sheet for your optional information – remember, both your required and optional information count toward the 325 word limit.

Candidate (Sharon Meieran) checklist for 'Candidate's Statement for County Voters' Pamphlet (VP)' information:

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| <input checked="" 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> (If applicable) Endorsement Statement #: <u>18</u> |
| <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. | |

Occupation: Emergency room doctor

Occupational Background: Child abuse crisis line counselor; Children's advocate; Lawyer; Medical Director, Oregon Foundation for Reproductive Health

Educational Background: UC Berkeley; Hastings College of Law; UCSF Medical School

Prior Governmental Experience: Portland Police Community Oversight Advisory Board, Mental Health Crisis Subcommittee Co-Chair; Prescription Drug Monitoring Program Advisory Commission

"Multnomah County is where public health, safety, and human services intersect. This is where I've dedicated my life's work, and where I see the incredible potential to make our limited dollars help the most people." -Sharon Meleran

"Sharon is smart, caring and effective. I'm proud to support her because she's in it for all the right reasons." -Multnomah County Chair Deborah Kafoury

As a public health advocate, PTA president and mother, Sharon Meieran will be a champion for:

- Finding effective solutions to our housing crisis
- Coordinating mental health and addictions services
- Advocating for growing local businesses
- Protecting our natural resources, especially air and water quality
- Keeping our neighborhoods safe, diverse and affordable
- Providing critical services to children, seniors and those who are most vulnerable

"As an ER doctor, Sharon knows how to set priorities and make tough decisions. She'll make the most out of our county's limited resources." -US Senator Ron Wyden

"I have never seen anyone more qualified to be our County Commissioner." -Congressman Earl Blumenauer

Endorsers:

NARAL Pro-Choice Oregon PAC

Oregon Working Families Party

Oregon Nurses Association

SEIU Locals 49 & 503

Oregon State Council for Retired Citizens

Basic Rights Oregon Equality PAC approved

US Senator Ron Wyden

US Senator Jeff Merkley

Congressman Earl Blumenauer

Congresswoman Suzanne Bonamici

Multnomah County Chair Deborah Kafoury

Mary Nolan, Executive Director, Planned Parenthood Advocates of Oregon

Mel Rader, environmental health advocate

Dick and Jeanne Roy, environmental advocates

Richard Harris, former director, Central City Concern

Stephen Aiguier, CEO and Founder, Green Hammer

Jim Davis, senior advocate

www.VoteSharon.com

Sharon was named Oregon Medical Association Doctor-Citizen of the Year (2015) and lives in SW Portland with her husband and two children.