

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 16, 2017
 Original Statement Amended Statement

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

Filing for the Office of (what's applicable):
District: Beaverton School Board Position: Director Zone #: 7

"This Information Furnished by" (required: name of Candidate or Committee as should appear in Voters' Pamphlet):
Thomas Colett for Beaverton School Board

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.

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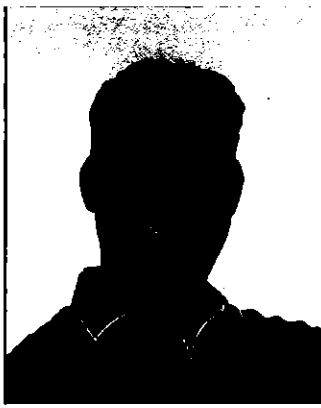
Tom Colett
Signature of Candidate or Agent on behalf of Candidate

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Tom Colett
(If applicable) Printed name of Agent

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Tom Colett

OCCUPATION: Contract Negotiator & Local Government Liaison, LiUNA

OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND: Legislative Assistant, Oregon State Legislature; Classroom Volunteer, Fir Grove Elementary

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND: Bard College, MFA in Writing
Oregon Public Schools K-12

PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE: Co-Facilitator, Beaverton School District Music Task Force (2013-2014)

★ **BEAVERTON PARENTS AND TEACHERS SUPPORT TOM COLETT** ★

Tom Colett is recommended by Beaverton Teachers' Political Action Committee (BPAC).

"Tom Colett has a **proven track record of effective leadership** in our district. As Music Task Force Co-Facilitator, he brought together parents, teachers, community members, and administrators to improve **equity and student access to a well-rounded education**. Tens of thousands of students have already benefited."

—Nancy PeBenito, Parent, Sunset HS

"Tom has worked side-by-side with me and other parents to **advocate for school funding**. He really cares about all of our kids."

—Ivonne Renderos Rivas, Parent, Fir Grove Elementary

★ **TOM COLETT'S PRIORITIES FOR BEAVERTON STUDENTS** ★

Beaverton students deserve a well-rounded education. Tom will prioritize taxpayer dollars where they best serve students — in the classroom.

- Work with community and state leaders for **adequate public school funding**
- Support **small class sizes** to reach all learners
- Provide solid **math, science, and literacy** instruction along with **arts, music, PE and Career & Technical Education**
- Listen to and **act on community priorities**

"In our work together, Tom Colett impressed me with his focus on **fiscal responsibility and making the most of tight school budgets**."

—Doug Garnett, Aloha HS Parent, Owner of Atomic Direct, LTD

★ **COMMUNITY LEADERS ENDORSE TOM COLETT** ★

Beaverton School Board Members:

Anne Bryan
Becky Tymchuk
LeeAnn Larsen
Donna Tyner
Susan Greenberg
Eric Simpson
Linda Degman (former)
Mary VanderWeele (former)

Oregon State Legislators:

Mark Hass
Jeff Barker
Ken Helm
Sheri Malstrom
Susan McLain
Margaret Doherty
US Rep. Suzanne Bonamici

Mayor Denny Doyle
THPPD Board Chair Jerry Jones
County Commissioner Dick Schouten
PCC Zone 3 Trustee Michael Sonnleitner

Beaverton City Councilors:
Lacey Beaty Mark Fagin
Betty Bode Marc San Soucie
Cate Arnold

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