

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):
Traci Flitcraft

Filing for the Office of (what's applicable):
District: Portland Public School #1JT Position: Director Zone #: 5

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

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.

Traci Flitcraft
Signature of Candidate or Agent on behalf of Candidate

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Date signed
(503) 913-5605
Phone number

Traci Flitcraft
(If applicable) Printed name of Agent

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PORTLAND SCHOOL DISTRICT – Director, Zone 5

Occupation: Senior Business Analyst – Salesforce; Board member – Portland Rugby Club; Marketing Consultant – Venture 2 Impact

Occupation Background: Senior Campaign Manager – ExactTarget; Volunteer Teacher – UgandaVenture; Coach – Bhubesi Pride, Rugby in Africa

Educational Background: University of Oregon, Strategic Communications, Masters; University of Oregon, Political Science, Bachelors; Brooks Institute, Visual Journalism, Associate; David Douglas High, Diploma.

Prior Governmental Experience: NEW Leadership of Oregon – 2005

Education is the center to any strong, productive community. I am a native Portlander, and was raised in a family of educators. I know and understand the significance that teachers and faculty provide every day to their students. I believe that in order to create an effective education system, teachers, parents and community members must have a voice at every table. Over the last decade, I have seen our community change and evolve with a growing population which has lost focus on public schools. I want to bring that focus back and put Portland Public Schools at the center of a strong, productive Portland, and be the standard for the nation.

My experience serving on nonprofit boards and committees across the world has taught me the many challenges and opportunities of engaging the community and creating a successful action plan. I have seen the benefits of representing many stakeholders and have advocated for those whose voices have not been heard. I have collaborated and worked with many cultures to find a common vision to drive success. We must involve our community to create a sustainable educational system that develops and nurtures the next generation Portlanders. As a Portland School District Board Member I will advocate, collaborate, and communicate a clear vision that encompasses community support and maximizes student achievement by allowing teachers and school facility to succeed.

A VOTE FOR TRACI FLITCRAFT IS A VOTE TO MAKE YOUR VOICE HEARD