



Joint County Voters' Pamphlet

Candidate Statement

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Candidate Information

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Occupation (Present Employment)

Technical Advisor at a SaaS Information Technology company

Occupational Background (Previous Employment)

Media Strategist at The Oregonian Media Group; President/Media Director, Ad Tactics; VP Account Services, Gard Strang

Educational Background (Schools Attended)

Tech Academy, Programming/Software Full Stack Developer Certificate; Portland State, Political Science

Prior Governmental Experience (elected or appointed)

Troutdale City Councilor, Planning Commissioner, Budget Committee

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Protecting Troutdale's Affordability

Like other Oregon cities, Troutdale faces significant budget shortfalls beginning next July and continuing for years. Residents already face higher "Safety Fee" charges on their water bills and rising household costs. We must distinguish between what our city needs and what it wants.

When considering city expenses, I ask: Would someone already cutting back on groceries consider this worth spending public money on? If it could affect whether a resident keeps or loses their home, is it truly necessary?

Our priorities must be police and fire services, reliable sewers, clean drinking water, and safe streets. Even essential expenses need detailed review. Every other expense deserves scrutiny.

Protecting Your Tax Dollars

During this year's budget process, I came to Budget Committee meetings with difficult and sometimes unpopular recommendations for cuts, including the city's \$14,000-per-night "Movies in the Park." It's a wonderful program, but it's a want, not a need. When money is tight, we should seek sponsors, reduce costs, or put programs like this on hold. Making thoughtful cuts now makes us less likely to burden residents later with higher taxes or fees.

Responsible budgeting is about more than balancing the books. Every unnecessary dollar the city spends ultimately comes from residents paying for housing, groceries, childcare, transportation, and medical care. Government affects affordability through taxes, utility rates, permit fees, development decisions, infrastructure maintenance, and more. Every decision should consider the cost of living.

Troutdale remains one of the more affordable communities in Multnomah County, but we cannot take that for granted. Protecting it requires disciplined budgeting, line-by-line review, and decisions made with the next decade in mind - not just the next budget.

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