

ELECTION GUIDELINES FOR 2011

Enclosed is a copy of the "2011 Election Guidelines for Clark County." It contains information specific to the 2011 Primary and General election, as well as information relative to all elections.

Again this year in Clark County, candidates for elective office will have the option of filing their declaration of candidacy over the Internet. The online candidate filing system will be available at **<http://clarkvotes.org>** from 9:00 AM, Monday, June 6 and will stop being available at 4:00 PM, Friday, June 10. Candidates can save themselves a trip to the Elections Department and file on line.

Of major importance is the information provided by the Washington State Public Disclosure Commission. Be sure to familiarize yourself with the PDC requirements and filing deadlines which apply to the office you are seeking. All candidates would be wise to review the filing instructions even if you have run for office before.

A local voters' pamphlet, which will include candidates, will be published for both the 2011 Primary and General election. Specifications for the submission of candidate statements and photographs are included.

I encourage all candidates to review the information assembled here. If a candidate has further questions, please contact the Elections Department at (360) 397-2345.

Sincerely,

Greg Kimsey
Clark County Auditor

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2011 CANDIDATE FILING INFORMATION

OFFICES TO BE ELECTED:

STATE: 49th Legislative District Representative, Position No. 1

LOCAL: Cities and Towns, School Districts, Fire Districts, Port Districts, Cemetery Districts, Clark Regional Wastewater District and Woodland Swimming Pool & Recreation District (RCW 29A.04.321, RCW 29A.04.330)

WHERE TO FILE DECLARATIONS OF CANDIDACY:

State	County Auditor
Cities And Towns	County Auditor
Local Districts	County Auditor
(RCW 29A.24.070)	

FILING PERIOD:

STATE AND LOCAL OFFICES:

By Mail: Friday, May 20, 2011 through Friday, June 10, 2011

In Person: 8:00 AM, Monday, June 6, 2011 through 5:00 PM, Friday, June 10, 2011 (RCW 29A.24.050, 29A.24.081)

On Line: 9:00 AM, Monday, June 6, 2011 through 4:00 PM, Friday, June 10, 2011. Online candidate filings with the Secretary of State's Office can be made at <http://www.secstate.wa.gov/elections/> and filings with the County Auditor's Office can be made at <http://clarkvotes.org>. (RCW 29A.24.050, 29A.24.081)

FILINGS MADE BY MAIL:

Filings made by mail must be received by the filing officer no earlier than Friday, May 20, 2011 and no later than Friday, June 10, 2011. Mail-in filings for all offices must include any required filing fee. (RCW 29A.24.081)

WITHDRAWAL PERIOD:

For all offices, candidates may withdraw their candidacy in writing through Thursday, June 16, 2011. (RCW 29A.24.131)

FILING FEES:

The filing fee for an office is 1% of annual salary for positions paying over \$1,000 per year.

For positions with salaries paying under \$1,000 per year, the fee is ten dollars. If there is no annual salary, there is no fee.
(RCW 29A.24.091)

FILING FEES ARE NOT REFUNDABLE!
(RCW 29A.24.131)

A filing fee petition may be submitted in lieu of the filing fee. It must contain valid signatures of registered voters of the jurisdiction equal in number to the dollars of the normal filing fee. A candidate may only use this option if they are without sufficient assets or income at the time of filing to pay the filing fee.
(RCW 29A.24.091)

RESIDENCY REQUIREMENT:

All candidates must be an elector of their district and must, at the time of filing, possess the qualifications specified by law for persons who may be elected to the office.
(RCW 29A.20.021, 42.04.020)

There are length of residency requirements in the following cities:

- City of Battle Ground - Resident 1 year
 - City of Camas - Resident 1 year
 - City of La Center - Resident 1 year
 - City of Ridgefield - Resident 1 year
 - City of Vancouver - Resident 2 years
 - City of Washougal - Resident 1 year
 - City of Woodland - Resident 1 year
- (RCW 35A.12.030, Sec. 2.20-Vancouver City Charter)

Candidates must be residents of internal wards or districts in the following jurisdictions:

- City of Camas
 - All School Districts (except Vancouver and Green Mountain)
 - All Port Districts
- (RCW 28A.343.340, 35A.12.180, 53.12.010)

VACANCIES:

If a nonpartisan position is not filed for during the normal filing period, a special three day filing period will be called by the County Auditor.
(RCW 29A.24.141, 29A.24.171)

If, after both the normal and special filing periods, a position is not filed for, that position will not appear on either the Primary or General election ballot. The incumbent will continue to serve until the next odd year general election.
(RCW 29A.24.201)

POSITION NUMBERS:

Last day to assign position numbers is Monday, May 2, 2011.
Assignment of position numbers is made by the County Auditor.
(RCW 29A.24.010)

PUBLIC DISCLOSURE COMMISSION INFORMATION:

There are different Public Disclosure filing requirements depending on the number of registered voters in a jurisdiction. Pages 34 and 35 in this booklet lists which forms candidates from each jurisdiction need to complete.

Refer requests for information to:

State of Washington Public Disclosure Commission
711 Capitol Way, No. 206
PO Box 40908
Olympia, WA 98504-0908
Phone: (360) 753-1111 Toll Free: 1-877-601-2828
Website Address: www.pdc.wa.gov

**OFFICES OPEN FOR FILING
2011**

OFFICE	INCUMBENT	ANNUAL SALARY	FILING FEE	TERM OF OFFICE
STATE OFFICE (File with County Auditor)				
<u>49th LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT REPRESENTATIVE</u>				
Position No. 1	S. Wylie (D)	\$42,106	\$421.06	Unexpired 1 Year
CITIES AND TOWNS (File with County Auditor)				
<u>CITY OF BATTLE GROUND</u> - One Year Residency Requirement				
Council Pos. 2	P. Haberthur	\$4,800	\$48.00	Full 4 Year
Council Pos. 3	P. Zandamela	\$4,800	\$48.00	Full 4 Year
Council Pos. 7	C. Regan	\$4,800	\$48.00	Full 4 Year
<u>CITY OF CAMAS</u> - One Year Residency Requirement				
Mayor	S. Higgins	\$15,600	\$156.00	Short & Full 4 Year
Council Ward 1, Pos. 1	T. Hazen	\$6,000	\$60.00	Short & Full 4 Year
Council Ward 2, Pos. 1	L. Dietzman	\$6,000	\$60.00	Full 4 Year
Council Ward 3, Pos. 1	G. Anderson	\$6,000	\$60.00	Full 4 Year
Council Ward 3 Pos. 2	S. Turk	\$6,000	\$60.00	Unexpired 2 Year
Council At-Large	D. Chaney	\$6,000	\$60.00	Full 4 Year
<u>CITY OF LA CENTER</u> - One Year Residency Requirement				
Mayor	J. Irish	\$6,600	\$66.00	Full 4 Year
Council Pos. 1	K. Carmona	\$3,000	\$30.00	Unexpired 2 Year
Council Pos. 3	R. Williams	\$3,000	\$30.00	Unexpired 2 Year
Council Pos. 4	G. Thornton	\$3,000	\$30.00	Short & ull 4 Year
Council Pos. 5	L. Tracy	\$3,000	\$30.00	Full 4 Year
<u>CITY OF RIDGEFIELD</u> - One Year Residency Requirement				
Council Pos. 2	D. Taylor	No Salary		Full 4 Year
Council Pos. 3	L. Wells	No Salary		Full 4 Year
Council Pos. 5	D. Wertz	No Salary		Full 4 Year

**OFFICES OPEN FOR FILING
2011**

OFFICE	INCUMBENT	ANNUAL SALARY	FILING FEE	TERM OF OFFICE
<u>CITY OF VANCOUVER</u> - Two Year Residency Requirement				
Council Pos. 4	B. Hansen	\$21,372	\$213.72	Full 4 Year
Council Pos. 5	L. Smith	\$21,372	\$213.72	Full 4 Year
Council Pos. 6	P. Campbell	\$21,372	\$213.72	Full 4 Year
<u>CITY OF WASHOUGAL</u> - One Year Residency Requirement				
Council Pos. 2	R. Morris	\$6,000	\$60.00	Full 4 Year
Council Pos. 4	M. Delavar	\$6,000	\$60.00	Full 4 Year
Council Pos. 5	J. McDaniel	\$6,000	\$60.00	Full 4 Year
Council Pos. 7	M. Coston	\$6,000	\$60.00	Full 4 Year
<u>CITY OF WOODLAND</u> - One Year Residency Requirement				
Mayor	C. Blum	\$9,600	\$96.00	Full 4 Year
Council Pos. 4	A. Christopherson	\$1,800	\$18.00	Full 4 Year
Council Pos. 5	S. Humbyrd	\$1,800	\$18.00	Full 4 Year
Council Pos. 7	D. Rounds	\$1,800	\$18.00	Short & Full 4 Year
<u>TOWN OF YACOLT</u>				
Mayor	J. Weldon	No Salary		Short & Full 4 Year
Council Pos. 1	J. Robertson	No Salary		Short & Full 4 Year
Council Pos. 2	S. Benge	No Salary		Unexpired 2 Year
Council Pos. 4	D. Hancock	No Salary		Full 4 Year
Council Pos. 5	D. Ayers	No Salary		Short & Full 4 Year

**OFFICES OPEN FOR FILING
2011**

OFFICE	INCUMBENT	ANNUAL SALARY	FILING FEE	TERM OF OFFICE
SCHOOL DISTRICTS				
(File with County Auditor)				
(No Salary - No Filing Fee)				
<u>BATTLE GROUND SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 119</u>				
District No. 2	K. Root	No Salary		Full 4 Year
District No. 4	M. Nickels	No Salary		Full 4 Year
<u>CAMAS SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 117</u>				
District No. 3	C. Hennessey	No Salary		Full 4 Year
District No. 4	D. Quinn	No Salary		Full 4 Year
District No. 5	M. Tipton	No Salary		Full 4 Year
<u>EVERGREEN SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 114</u>				
District No. 2	J. Skelton	No Salary		Full 4 Year
District No. 3	V. Bradford	No Salary		Full 4 Year
District No. 4	T. Yuzuriha	No Salary		Full 4 Year
<u>GREEN MOUNTAIN SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 103</u>				
Position No. 1	R. Syring	No Salary		Full 4 Year
Position No. 3	J. Strong	No Salary		Unexpired 2 Year
Position No. 4	S. Hoffman	No Salary		Full 4 Year
Position No. 5	W. Arends	No Salary		Full 4 Year
<u>HOCKINSON SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 98</u>				
District No. 3	D. Olson	No Salary		Full 4 Year
District No. 4	G. Gospe	No Salary		Full 4 Year
District No. 5	E. Logan	No Salary		Full 4 Year
<u>LA CENTER SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 101</u>				
District No. 1	C. Yaw	No Salary		Full 4 Year
District No. 2	T. Jones	No Salary		Unexpired 2 Year
District No. 4	W. Chord	No Salary		Full 4 Year
District No. 5	J. Parsons	No Salary		Full 4 Year

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2011**

OFFICE	INCUMBENT	ANNUAL SALARY	FILING FEE	TERM OF OFFICE
<u>MT. PLEASANT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 029-93</u>				
Position No. 3	K. Kanthak	No Salary		Full 4 Year
Position No. 4	P. Caldwell	No Salary		Full 4 Year
<u>RIDGEFIELD SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 122</u>				
District No. 2	W. Morris	No Salary		Full 4 Year
District No. 3	S. Radosevich	No Salary		Full 4 Year
District No. 5	S. Gullikson	No Salary		Full 4 Year
<u>VANCOUVER SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 37</u>				
Position No. 1	D. Rice	No Salary		Full 4 Year
Position No. 4	E. Geiger	No Salary		Full 4 Year
Position No. 5	M. Greves	No Salary		Full 4 Year
<u>WASHOUGAL SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 112-6</u>				
District No. 1	T. Hutchins	No Salary		Full 4 Year
District No. 2	E. Pfeifer	No Salary		Full 4 Year
District No. 4	J. Gadberry	No Salary		Full 4 Year
<u>WOODLAND SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 404-102</u>				
District No. 1	J. Bays	No Salary		Full 4 Year
District No. 2	J. Watts	No Salary		Full 4 Year
District No. 3	T. Cayton	No Salary		Full 4 Year

**OFFICES OPEN FOR FILING
2011**

OFFICE	INCUMBENT	ANNUAL SALARY	FILING FEE	TERM OF OFFICE
FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICTS (File with County Auditor) (No Salary - No Filing Fee)				
<u>CLARK COUNTY FIRE & RESCUE</u>				
Position No. 3	G. Kolke	No Salary		Full 6 Year
Position No. 4	J. Babcock	No Salary		Full 6 Year
Position No. 5	R. Britschgi	No Salary		Unexpired 4 Year
<u>EAST COUNTY FIRE & RESCUE</u>				
Position No. 1	G. Larson	No Salary		Full 6 Year
Position No. 4	J. Clancy	No Salary		Short & Full 6 Year
Position No. 5	G. Hooper	No Salary		Unexpired 4 Year
<u>FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT NO. 2</u>				
Position No. 2	D. Lester	No Salary		Unexpired 2 Year
Position No. 3	F. Stanley	No Salary		Full 6 Year
<u>FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT NO. 3</u>				
Position No. 3	D. Deleissegues	No Salary		Full 6 Year
<u>FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT NO. 5</u>				
Position No. 1	M. Lyons	No Salary		Full 6 Year
<u>FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT NO. 6</u>				
Position No. 1	B. Lothspeich	No Salary		Short & Full 6 Year
<u>FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT NO. 10</u>				
Position No. 3	D. Walling	No Salary		Full 6 Year
<u>FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT NO. 13</u>				
Position No. 3	L. Ferreira	No Salary		Full 6 Year

**OFFICES OPEN FOR FILING
2011**

OFFICE	INCUMBENT	ANNUAL SALARY	FILING FEE	TERM OF OFFICE
CEMETERY DISTRICTS (File with County Auditor) (No Salary - No Filing Fee)				
<u>CEMETERY DISTRICT NO. 1</u>				
Position No. 1	W. Zalpys	No Salary		Full 6 Year
<u>CEMETERY DISTRICT NO. 4</u>				
Position No. 1	Vacant	No Salary		Unexpired 4 Year
Position No. 2	H. Zimmerman	No Salary		Unexpired 2 Year
Position No. 3	B. McClellan	No Salary		Full 6 Year
<u>CEMETERY DISTRICT NO. 5</u>				
Position No. 1	W. Hansen	No Salary		Short & Full 6 Year
Position No. 2	(vacant)	No Salary		Unexpired 2 Year
Position No. 3	M. Hepola	No Salary		Unexpired 4 Year
<u>CEMETERY DISTRICT NO. 6</u>				
Position No. 1	M. Falk	No Salary		Full 6 Year
CLARK REGIONAL WASTEWATER DISTRICT (File with County Auditor) (No Salary - No Filing Fee)				
Position No. 3	J. Kiggins	No Salary		Full 6 Year

**OFFICES OPEN FOR FILING
2011**

OFFICE	INCUMBENT	ANNUAL SALARY	FILING FEE	TERM OF OFFICE
PORT DISTRICTS (File with County Auditor)				
<u>CAMAS-WASHOUGAL PORT DISTRICT</u>				
District No. 2	B. Ward	\$4,200	\$42.00	Full 4 Year
<u>RIDGEFIELD PORT DISTRICT</u>				
District No. 1	R. Wiseman	\$2498.64	\$24.99	Full 6 Year
<u>VANCOUVER PORT DISTRICT</u>				
District No. 1	B. Wolfe	\$6,000	\$60.00	Full 6 Year

WOODLAND SWIMMING POOL & RECREATION DISTRICT
(File with County Auditor)
(No Salary - No Filing Fee)

Position No. 1	T. Dinehart	No Salary	Full 4 Year
Position No. 2	S. Crosby	No Salary	Unexpired 2 Year
Position No. 3	K. Zumstein	No Salary	Full 4 Year
Position No. 4	B. Hulett	No Salary	Unexpired 2 Year
Position No. 5	R. Orr	No Salary	Unexpired 2 Year

PRIMARY ELECTION 2011

PARTISAN OFFICE:

A Primary will be held for the State 49th Legislative District Representative, Position No. 1 office open for election in 2011, unless two or less candidates file for this position.

(RCW 29A.52.111)

Candidates who file a declaration of candidacy for 49th Legislative District Representative will be allowed to indicate which political party they prefer, using up to sixteen characters for the party name. The candidate's party preference will be printed on the ballot below the candidate's name. A candidate may also choose not to state a preference for a political party, which will also be indicated on the ballot below their name.

(Initiative 872, WAC 434-215-120)

The names of all candidates for 49th Legislative District Representative will be grouped together and will appear on the Primary ballot regardless of party preferred. The two top vote getters in the Primary will have their names printed on the General election ballot with the candidate receiving the most votes in the Primary being listed first. A candidate must receive at least 1% of the votes cast in the Primary in order to have their name printed on the General election ballot.

(Initiative 872, WAC 434-230-045)

The names of candidates for 49th Legislative District Representative will appear only on the ballots of the voters residing within that Legislative District.

(RCW 36.32.040)

Following the close of business, at 5:00 PM, Friday, June 10, 2011, a lot drawing will be conducted to determine the order in which candidate names will appear on the official Primary ballot. This drawing will be done publicly and may be witnessed by the news media, the public and by any candidate.

(RCW 29A.36.131)

PRIMARY ELECTION 2011

NONPARTISAN OFFICES:

If two or fewer candidates file for a nonpartisan office, no primary will be held for that office. If three or more candidates file for an office, a primary will be held. Candidates will be notified if no primary will be held for the office they are seeking. Regardless of the number of candidates filing, no primary will be held in any cemetery or park and recreation district.
(RCW 29A.52.220)

For all City of Camas council positions, except the at-large position, if a primary is required only the voters living within the Camas Ward will be eligible to vote on the elective office. Offices will be voted on city wide in the General election.
(RCW 35.18.020, 53.12.010)

For all port district positions, if a primary is required, only the voters living within the internal port commissioner district will be eligible to vote on the elective office. Offices will be voted on port district wide in the General election.
(RCW 35.18.020, 53.12.010)

A candidate must receive at least 1% of the votes cast in the Primary and be one of the two candidates receiving the most votes in the Primary in order to qualify to have their name appear on the General election ballot.
(RCW 29A.36.170)

On the Primary ballot, the names of candidates will appear in an order determined by lot drawing.
(RCW 29A.36.131)

Following the close of business, at 5:00 PM, Friday, June 10, 2011, a lot drawing will be conducted to determine the order in which candidate names will appear on the official ballot. This drawing will be done publicly and may be witnessed by the media, the public and by any candidate.
(RCW 29A.36.131)

**PRIMARY ELECTION DEADLINES
2011**

LAST DAY TO FILE A DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY

Friday, June 10, 2011
(RCW 29A.24.050)

LAST DAY TO FILE SPECIAL ELECTION RESOLUTIONS

Tuesday, May 24, 2011
(RCW 29A.04.321, 29A.04.330)

**LAST DAY TO SUBMIT BALLOT ISSUE "FOR" & "AGAINST" STATEMENTS
FOR PRIMARY LOCAL VOTERS PAMPHLET**

Thursday, June 9, 2011

LAST DAY TO SUBMIT CANDIDATE MATERIALS FOR LOCAL VOTERS' PAMPHLET

Thursday, June 16, 2011

SECRETARY OF STATE TO CERTIFY NOMINEES

Saturday, June 18, 2011
(RCW 29A.36.010)

29 DAY ONLINE REGISTRATION AND TRANSFER BY MAIL DEADLINE

Monday, July 18, 2011
(RCW 29A.08.140)

TARGET MAILING DATE FOR MILITARY & OVERSEAS VOTERS

Friday, July 1, 2011
(RCW 29A.40.070)

TARGET MAILING DATE FOR MAIL BALLOTS

Wednesday, July 27, 2011
(RCW 29A.40.070)

SPECIAL 8 DAY IN PERSON REGISTRATION DEADLINE

Monday, August 8, 2011 - (In person only at the Elections Department)
(RCW 29A.08.145)

ELECTION DAY

Tuesday, August 16, 2011
(RCW 29A.04.321, 29A.04.330)

CANVASS OF ELECTION

Wednesday, August 31, 2011
(RCW 29A.60.190)

GENERAL ELECTION

2011

PARTISAN OFFICE:

The names of the two candidates receiving the most votes in the Primary will appear on the General election ballot. The candidate receiving the most votes in the Primary will be listed first on the General election ballot.

(Initiative 872, WAC 434-230-045)

All candidates must receive at least 1% of the total votes cast for their office in the Primary to qualify to have their name appear on the General election ballot.

(Initiative 872, WAC 434-230-060)

NON-PARTISAN OFFICES:

The names of the two candidates receiving the most votes in the Primary contest will go on to the General election ballot. The candidate receiving the most votes in the Primary will be listed first on the General election ballot.

(RCW 29A.36.170)

Candidates must receive at least 1% of the total votes cast for their position in the Primary in order to go onto the General election ballot.

(RCW 29A.36.170)

All contests not appearing on the Primary ballot will appear on the General election ballot. If no Primary is required, candidate names will appear on the General election ballot in an order determined by lot drawing.

(RCW 29A.36.170, 29A.36.131)

**GENERAL ELECTION DEADLINES
2011**

**LAST DAY FOR CANDIDATES TO SUBMIT MATERIALS
FOR GENERAL ELECTION LOCAL VOTERS PAMPHLET**

Thursday, June 16, 2011

LAST DAY TO FILE SPECIAL ELECTION RESOLUTIONS

Tuesday, August 16, 2011
(RCW 29A.04.321, 29A.04.330)

**LAST DAY TO SUBMIT BALLOT ISSUE STATEMENTS
FOR GENERAL ELECTION LOCAL VOTERS' PAMPHLET**

Friday, August 26, 2011

SECRETARY OF STATE TO CERTIFY NOMINEES

Tuesday, September 6, 2011
(RCW 29A.60.240)

29 DAY ONLINE REGISTRATION AND TRANSFER BY MAIL DEADLINE

Monday, October 10, 2011
(RCW 29A.08.140)

TARGET MAILING DATE FOR MILITARY & OVERSEAS VOTERS

Friday, September 23, 2011
(RCW 29A.40.070)

TARGET MAILING DATE FOR MAIL BALLOTS

Wednesday, October 19, 2011
(RCW 29A.40.070)

SPECIAL 8 DAY IN PERSON REGISTRATION DEADLINE

Monday, October 31, 2011 - (In person only at the Elections Department)
(RCW 29A.08.145)

ELECTION DAY

Tuesday, November 8, 2011
(RCW 29A.04.321)

CANVASS OF ELECTION

Tuesday, November 29, 2011
(RCW 29A.60.190)

**POST ELECTION INFORMATION
2011**

WHEN NEWLY ELECTED OFFICIALS ASSUME OFFICE:

State Legislator	November 29, 2011 (44.04.021)
Cities & Towns	January 1, 2012 (RCW 29A.20.040)
School Districts	On certification (RCW 29A.20.040)
Other Districts	January 1, 2012 (RCW 29A.20.040)
Unexpired and Short Terms	On certification (RCW 29A.24.020)

WHERE OATHS OF OFFICE ARE FILED:

State Legislators	Take a verbal oath on convening of State Legislature
Cemetery Districts	County Auditor (RCW 68.52.260)
Cities & Towns	City/Town Clerk (RCW35.23.081,35.27.120)
Fire Districts	County Auditor (RCW 52.14.070)
School Districts	County Auditor (RCW 28A.343.360)
Other Districts	County Auditor

WHO MAY ADMINISTER OATHS OF OFFICE:

All Judges	(RCW 2.28.010, 5.28.010)
County Auditor	(RCW 36.22.030)
Notary Public	(RCW 5.28.010)
Mayors / mayors pro tempore	(RCW 35.23.191)
School Officials	(RCW 28A.343.360)

STATE MEASURES:

State ballot measures approved by the voters become law upon proclamation by the Governor. (RCW 29A.60.260)

RECOUNT OF BALLOTS:

An automatic recount applies to candidate races and statewide measures and will occur if less than 2,000 votes and also, less than one-half of 1% of votes cast separates candidates or issues. If separated by less than one-quarter of 1% and if the number of votes is less than 150 votes, a mandatory manual recount is required for a candidate race. (RCW 29A.64.021)

An officer of a political party or any person for whom votes were cast in an election can make written application for a requested recount. All requested recounts must be submitted no later than three (3) working days after the official election certification is completed. There will be a charge and deposit required for any requested recount. (RCW 29A.64.011, 29A.64.021)

LEGISLATURE CONVENES:

Sessions of the legislature shall be held annually, commencing on the second Monday of January. (RCW 44.04.010)

**LOCAL VOTERS' PAMPHLET
CANDIDATE STATEMENT SPECIFICATIONS
2011**

CANDIDATE PARTICIPATION

For the 2011 Primary and General election, the Clark County Auditor's Office will be publishing a Local Voters' Pamphlet. The local pamphlet for the General election will be published in conjunction with the State Voters' Pamphlet.

CANDIDATE STATEMENTS AND PHOTOGRAPHS

Deadlines for Submitting Statements and Photographs

Any official candidate, who wishes to have a statement and photograph appear in the "2011 Clark County Local Voters' Pamphlet" for the Primary and General election, must submit such material to the Elections Department no later than 5:00 P.M. **Thursday, June 16, 2011**. Only those candidates receiving sufficient votes in the Primary, in order to advance to the General election, will be included in the General election pamphlet. All statements will become public record five (5) days after submission. Statements and photographs submitted for the Primary Local Voters' Pamphlet will also be used for the General election Local Voters' Pamphlet. For any jurisdiction that has been granted a waiver from participating in the Local Voters' Pamphlet due to undue financial hardship, no candidate statements or photographs will be included in the local pamphlet.

Statement Length

Statements submitted by all candidates shall be limited to one hundred (100) words or less.

Each candidate must be certain that his/her statement does not exceed the limit on the number of words. If the statement exceeds the one hundred (100) word limit, the candidate will be notified of this fact by telephone. The candidate will have until the close of the next business day (5:00 PM), following notification by telephone, to submit a new copy of their statement that is within the one hundred (100) word limit. The new statement must be changed only to the extent necessary to reduce it to the one hundred (100) word limit. If the new statement contains new material, it will be rejected and the candidate's first statement will be used in the same manner as described in the next paragraph.

All words in excess of the one hundred (100) word limit will be omitted. If such a deletion creates an incomplete sentence, that incomplete sentence will also be omitted. In order to be fair and to give equal treatment to all candidates, there will be no exceptions to this word limitation.

In addition to the one hundred (100) word limit, candidates will be allowed to include “campaign contact information”, which may include a campaign address, telephone number, electronic mail address and Internet website. Contact information shall not exceed a total of twenty (20) words, with any website address being treated as one (1) word.

Submission Standards

In order to maintain good standards of readability and to insure accuracy in typesetting this material for publication, the following standards and recommendations for style and format have been established for statements submitted in writing:

1. Statements shall be typed, double-spaced, on white paper, 8.5 by 11 inches in size.
2. The candidate’s name, address, telephone number and position sought should appear on the top of each page of the statement. This information will not count as part of the one hundred word limitation.
3. The candidate’s 100 word statement should follow the above information. The material will be set in paragraph style; lists of items that require multiple indentations are not permitted because of space limitations.
4. Words, phrases and sentences which are in italics, underlined, in bold print, printed in a larger font size or emphasized in some other manner will be typeset in italics in a font size matching the rest of the statement. Statements which are all in upper case letters will be set in normal lower case except for the first letter of proper nouns and the first letter of the first word in a sentence. We recommend that candidates avoid such formatting as it reduces the readability of the statement.
5. The candidate’s “campaign contact information” should be clearly indicated following the text of the candidate’s 100 word statement. The campaign contact information will be printed in the voters’ pamphlet to enable the voters to contact the candidate or the candidate’s campaign. This information is optional, to be included or not included as the candidate desires.

Candidates will also be given the opportunity to submit a statement and photograph through the online candidate filing system. The candidate will be contacted about this opportunity following their filing for office.

Rejection of Statement Due to Unacceptable Content

By law, the County Auditor is required to reject any statements which contain any obscene, vulgar, profane, scandalous, libelous or defamatory matter, or any language which in any way cites, counsels, promotes or advocates hatred, abuse, violence and/or hostility toward, or which tends to cause ridicule or shame upon any person or group of persons by reason of sex, race, color, religion or manner of worship or any language or matter the circulation of which is prohibited by Federal law.

Editing of Statements

The County Auditor finds that it is in the public interest that all statements published in the Local Voters' Pamphlet be accurate as to form and syntax. To promote such accuracy, the County Auditor may correct any incidental errors of spelling, grammar and punctuation which he/she feels would unfairly prejudice the statement or confuse the voters so long as such corrections do not alter the meaning or substance of the statement. This office is not obligated, however, to make such corrections and we assume no responsibility for errors which result from inaccuracies in the original statement submitted by the candidate.

In addition, any statements by a candidate submitted for inclusion in the local voters' pamphlet shall be limited to only those about the candidate himself or herself.

Appeal of Rejected Statements

Candidates who have had any portion of their statement rejected will be notified in writing and by telephone. The candidate will have until 5:00 PM, three days following the notification by telephone to appeal the rejection. Appeals will be made to the County Auditor. Notification by telephone shall include any messages left on a candidate's voice telephone recorder.

The County Auditor shall render a decision within two (2) business days of the appeal and such decision to accept or reject the statement or portion of the statement shall be final. A second decision to reject is final due to time limitations and only the portion of the statement, if any, which was not rejected, will be used.

Proofing of Statements

To insure the maximum accuracy in the publication of these statements, the County Auditor will make available a proof copy of any statement to the candidate who submitted it from **June 28 through July 1, 2011** for candidates whose name will appear on the Primary ballot and from **July 5 through July 8, 2011** for candidates whose name will appear on the General election ballot only.

Candidates will not be permitted to amend the content of their original statement after it is submitted. Only the correction of incidental errors in spelling, punctuation, or syntax in the original statement or correction of errors in typesetting will be allowed. Statements and photographs submitted for use in the Primary Local Voters' Pamphlet will also be used for the General Election Pamphlet.

Photographs

Candidates may submit a photograph to be included with their statement. To assure the best possible reproduction, all photographs submitted in person must be:

1. Black and white glossy prints.
2. Not smaller than 3 x 5 inches or larger than 5 x 7 inches. (Photographs smaller or larger than these standards can be used, but the quality of the resulting photo in the Voters' Pamphlet will be the responsibility of the candidate who submitted the photo.)
3. Limited to the head and shoulders of the candidate. We recommend that you use a photograph with a light (not white) background, as this will provide the best contrast when printed.
4. Not more than five (5) years old.

Photographs may also be submitted by electronic means once a candidate has filed for office. The candidate will be contacted with the opportunity to submit their photograph by electronic means.

Photographs are prohibited which show the uniform or insignia of any organization which advocates or teaches racial or religious intolerance.

No proofs of candidate photographs will be made available due to the reduced reproduction quality of photographs during the preliminary pamphlet proofing process. Only the final pamphlet will contain the best possible reproduction of photographs, dependent on the quality of the photograph submitted.

Deadline Extensions

The County Auditor shall have the authority to grant any deadline extension, which he/she feels, is in the best public interest. All extensions shall be equally granted to opposing candidates. Extensions will not be granted for failure to submit materials by the times and dates established in these specifications.

Where to Submit Statements and Photographs

Elections Department
Clark County Auditor
1408 Franklin Street
PO Box 8815
Vancouver, WA 98666-8815

WASHINGTON STATE LAWS ELECTIONS / CAMPAIGNING

These laws listed below are only a partial listing of Washington State election laws.

29A.84.130 Registration law-- Voter violations.

Any person who:
(1) Knowingly provides false information on an application for voter registration under any provision of this title;

(2) Knowingly makes or attests to a false declaration as to his or her qualifications as a voter;

(3) Knowingly causes or permits himself or herself to be registered using the name of another person;

(4) Knowingly causes himself or herself to be registered under two or more different names;

(5) Knowingly causes himself or herself to be registered in two or more counties;

(6) Offers to pay another person to assist in registering voters, where payment is based on a fixed amount of money per voter registration;

(7) Accepts payment for assisting in registering voters, where payment is based on a fixed amount of money per voter registration; or

(8) Knowingly causes any person to be registered or causes any registration to be transferred or canceled except as authorized under this title, is guilty of a class C felony punishable under RCW 9A.20.021. [2003 c 111 § 2107, eff. July 1, 2004; 1994 c 57 § 25; 1991 c 81 § 12; 1990 c 143 § 12; 1977 ex.s. c 361 § 110; 1965 c 9 § 29.85.200. Prior: 1933 c 1 § 27; RRS § 5114-27; prior: 1893 c 45 §5; 1889 p 418 §16; RRS § 5136. Formerly RCW 29.85.200.]

29A.84.620 Hindering or bribing

voter. Any person who uses menace, force, threat, or any unlawful means towards any voter to hinder or deter such a voter from voting, or directly or indirectly offers any bribe, reward, or any thing of value to a voter in exchange for the voter's vote for or against any person or ballot measure, or authorizes any person to do so, is guilty of a class C felony punishable under RCW 9A.20.021. [2003 c 111 § 2128, eff. July 1, 2004; 1991 c 81 § 5; 1965 c 9 § 29.85.060. Prior: (i) 1911 c 89 § 1; part; Code 1881 § 904; 1873 p 204 § 103; 1854 p 93 § 94; RRS § 5386. (ii) 1911 c 89 § 1, part; 1901 c 142 § 1; Code 1881 § 909; 1873 p 205 § 106; 1865 p 50 § 1, 1854 p 93 § 97; RRS § 5388.]

29A.84.630 Influencing voter

to withhold vote. Any person who in any way, directly or indirectly, by menace or unlawful means, attempts to influence any person in refusing to give his or her vote in any primary or special or general election is guilty of a gross misdemeanor punishable to the same extent as a gross misdemeanor that is punishable under RCW 9A.20.021. [2003 c 111 § 2129, eff. July 1, 2004; 1991 c 81 § 6; 1965 c 9 § 29.85.070. Prior: Code 1881 § 3140; RRS § 5389.]

29A.84.640 Solicitation of bribe by voter.

Any person who solicits, requests, or demands, directly or indirectly, any reward or thing of value or the promise thereof in exchange for his or her vote or in exchange for the vote of any other person for or against any candidate

or for or against any ballot measure to be voted upon at a primary or special or general election is guilty of a gross misdemeanor punishable to the same extent as a gross misdemeanor that is punishable under RCW 9A.20.021. [2003 c 111 § 2130, eff. July 1, 2004; 1991 c 81 § 7; 1965 c 9 § 29.85.090. Prior: 1907 c 209 § 32; RRS § 5207].

29A.84.711 Documents regarding nomination, election, candidacy--Frauds and falsehoods.

Every person who:

- (1) Knowingly and falsely issues a certificate of nomination or election; or
- (2) Knowingly provides false information on a certificate which must be filed with an elections officer under chapter 29A.20 RCW, is guilty of a class C felony punishable under RCW 9A.20.021. [2004 c 271 § 186; 2003 c 111 § 2137, eff. July 1, 2004; 1991 c 81 § 8; 1965 c 9 § 29.85.100. Prior: 1889 p 411 § 30; RRS § 5295.]

29A.84.650 Repeaters.

- (1) Any person who intentionally votes or attempts to vote in this state more than once at any election, or who intentionally votes or attempts to vote in both this state and another state at any election, is guilty of a class C felony.
- (2) Any person who recklessly or negligently violates this section commits a class 1 civil infraction as provided in RCW 7.80.120. [2005 c 243 § 24; 2003 c 111 § 2131. Prior: 1991 c 81 § 13; 1965 c 9 § [29.85.210](#); prior: 1911 c 89 § 1, part; Code 1881 § 903; 1873 p 204 § 102; 1865 p 51 § 5; 1854 p 93 § 93; RRS § 5383. Formerly RCW [29.85.210](#).]

NOTES:

Effective date — 1991 c 81: See note following RCW [29A.84.540](#).

29A.84.660 Unqualified persons voting. Any person who knows that he or she does not possess the legal

qualifications of a voter and who votes at any primary or special or general election authorized by law to be held in this state for any office whatever is guilty of a class C felony punishable under RCW 9A.20.021. [2003 c 111 § 2133, eff. July 1, 2004; 1991 c 81 § 17; 1965 c 9 § 29.85.240. Prior: 1911 c 89 § 1, part; Code 1881 § 905; 1873 p 204 § 104; 1865 p 51 § 4; 1854 p 93 § 95; RRS § 5384.]

29A.84.040 Political advertising, removing or defacing.

A person who removes or defaces lawfully placed political advertising including yard signs or billboards without authorization is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable to the same extent as a misdemeanor that is punishable under RCW 9A.2-0.021. The defacement or removal of each item constitutes a separate violation. [2003 c 111 § 2104, eff. July 1, 2004; 1991 c 81 § 19; 1984 c 216 § 5.]

41.06.250 Political activities.

- (1) Solicitation for or payment to any partisan, political organization or for any partisan, political purpose of any compulsory assessment or involuntary contribution is prohibited: PROVIDED, HOWEVER, That officers of employee associations shall not be prohibited from soliciting dues or contributions from members of their associations. No person shall solicit on state property or property of a political subdivision of this state any contribution to be used for partisan, political purposes.

- (2) Employees of the state or any political subdivision thereof shall have the right to vote and to express their opinions on all political subjects and candidates and to hold any political party office or participate in the management of a partisan, political campaign. Nothing in this section

shall prohibit an employee of the state or any political subdivision thereof from participating fully in campaigns relating to constitutional amendments, referendums, initiatives, and issues of a similar character, and for nonpartisan offices.

(3) A classified civil service employee shall not hold a part time public office in a political subdivision of the state when the holding of such office is incompatible with, or substantially interferes with, the discharge of official duties in state employment.

(4) For persons employed in state agencies or agencies of any political subdivision of the state the operation of which is financed in total or primarily by federal grant-in-aid funds political activity will be regulated by the rules and regulations of the United States civil service commission.

(5) The provisions of this section shall supersede all statutes, charter provisions, ordinances, resolutions, regulations, and requirements promulgated by the state or any subdivision thereof, including any provision of any county charter, insofar as they may be in conflict with the provisions of this section. [1974 ex.s. c 136 § 1; 1961 c 1 § 25 (Initiative Measure No. 207, approved November 8, 1960).]

42.17.130 Use of public office or agency facilities in campaigns - Prohibition - Exceptions. No elective official nor any employee of his [or her] office nor any person appointed to or employed by any public office or agency may use or authorize the use of any of the facilities of a public office or agency, directly or indirectly, for the purpose of assisting a campaign for election of any person to any office or for the promotion of or opposition to any ballot proposition. Facilities of public office or agency include, but

are not limited to, use of stationery, postage, machines, and equipment, use of employees of the office or agency during working hours, vehicles, office space, publications of the office or agency, and clientele lists of persons served by the office or agency. However, this does not apply to the following activities:

(1) Action taken at an open public meeting by members of an elected legislative body or by an elected board, council, or commission of a special purpose district including, but not limited to, fire districts, public hospital districts, library districts, park districts, port districts, public utility districts, school districts, sewer districts, and water districts, to express a collective decision, or to actually vote upon a motion, proposal, resolution, order, or ordinance, or to support or oppose a ballot proposition so long as (a) any required notice of the meeting includes the title and number of the ballot proposition, and (b) members of the legislative body, members of the board, council, or commission of the special purpose district, or members of the public are afforded an approximately equal opportunity for the expression of an opposing view;

(2) A statement by an elected official in support of or in opposition to any ballot proposition at an open press conference or in response to a specific inquiry;

(3) Activities which are part of the normal and regular conduct of the office or agency. [2006 c 215 § 2; 1979 ex.s. c 265 § 2; 1975-'76 2nd ex.s. c 112 § 6; 1973 c 1 § 13 (Initiative Measure No. 276, approved November 7, 1972).]

POLITICAL ADVERTISING

42.17.510 Identification of sponsor-Exemptions.

(1) All written political advertising, whether relating to candidates or ballot propositions, shall include the sponsor's name and address. All radio and television political advertising, whether relating to candidates or ballot propositions, shall include the sponsor's name. The use of an assumed name for the sponsor of electioneering communications, independent expenditures, or political advertising shall be unlawful. For partisan office, if a candidate has expressed a party or independent preference on the declaration of candidacy, that party or independent designation shall be clearly identified in electioneering communications, independent expenditures, or political advertising.

(2) In addition to the materials required by subsection (1) of this section, except as specifically addressed in subsections (4) and (5) of this section, all political advertising undertaken as an independent expenditure or an electioneering communication by a person or entity other than a bona fide political party must include as part of the communication:

(a) The statement: "No candidate authorized this ad. It is paid for by (name, address, city, state)";

(b) If the sponsor is a political committee, the statement: "Top Five Contributors," followed by a list of the names of the five persons or entities making the largest contributions in excess of seven hundred dollars

reportable under this chapter during the twelve-month period before the date of the advertisement or communication; and

(c) If the sponsor is a political committee established, maintained, or controlled directly, or indirectly through the formation of one or more political committees, by an individual, corporation, union, association, or other entity, the full name of that individual or entity.

(3) The information required by subsections (1) and (2) of this section shall:

(a) Appear on the first page or fold of the written advertisement or communication in at least ten-point type, or in type at least ten percent of the largest size type used in a written advertisement or communication directed at more than one voter, such as a billboard or poster, whichever is larger;

(b) Not be subject to the half-tone or screening process; and

(c) Be set apart from any other printed matter.

(4) In an independent expenditure or electioneering communication transmitted via television or other medium that includes a visual image, the following statement must either be clearly spoken, or appear in print and be visible for at least four seconds, appear in letters greater than four percent of the visual screen height, and have a reasonable color contrast with the background: "No candidate authorized this ad. Paid for by (name, city, state)." If the

advertisement or communication is undertaken by a nonindividual other than a party organization, then the following notation must also be included: "Top Five Contributors" followed by a listing of the names of the five persons or entities making the largest contributions in excess of seven hundred dollars reportable under this chapter during the twelve-month period before the date of the advertisement. Abbreviations may be used to describe contributing entities if the full name of the entity has been clearly spoken previously during the broadcast advertisement.

(5) The following statement shall be clearly spoken in an independent expenditure or electioneering communication transmitted by a method that does not include a visual image: "No candidate authorized this ad. Paid for by (name, city, state)." If the independent expenditure or electioneering communication is undertaken by a nonindividual other than a party organization, then the following statement must also be included: "Top Five Contributors" followed by a listing of the names of the five persons or entities making the largest contributions in excess of seven hundred dollars reportable under this chapter during the twelve-month period before the date of the advertisement. Abbreviations may be used to describe contributing entities if the full name of the entity has been clearly spoken previously during the broadcast advertisement.

(6) Political yard signs are exempt from the requirement of subsections (1) and (2) of this section that the name and address of the sponsor of political advertising be listed on the advertising.

In addition, the public disclosure commission shall, by rule, exempt from the identification requirements of subsections (1) and (2) of this section forms of political advertising such as campaign buttons, balloons, pens, pencils, sky-writing, inscriptions, and other forms of advertising where identification is impractical.

(7) For the purposes of this section, "yard sign" means any outdoor sign with dimensions no greater than eight feet by four feet.

[2010 c 204 § 505; 2005 c 445 § 9; 1995 c 397 § 19; 1993 c 2 § 22 (Initiative Measure No. 134, approved November 3, 1992); 1984 c 216 § 1.]

NOTES:

Advertising rates for political candidates: RCW [65.16.095](#).

42.17.520 Picture of Candidate.

At least one picture of the candidate used in any political advertising shall have been taken within the last five years and shall be no smaller than the largest picture of the same candidate used in the same advertisement. [1984 c 216 § 2.]

42.17.530 Political advertising or electioneering communication - Libel or defamation per se.

(1) It is a violation of this chapter for a person to sponsor with actual malice a statement constituting libel or defamation per se under the following circumstances:

(a) Political advertising or an electioneering communication that contains a false statement of material fact about a candidate for public office;

(b) Political advertising or an electioneering communication that falsely rep-

resents that a candidate is the incumbent for the office sought when in fact the candidate is not the incumbent;

(c) Political advertising or an electioneering communication that makes either directly or indirectly, a false claim stating or implying the support or endorsement of any person or organization when in fact the candidate does not have such support or endorsement.

(2) For the purposes of this section, "libel or defamation per se" means statements that tend (a) to expose a living person to hatred, contempt, ridicule, or obloquy, or to deprive him or her of the benefit of public confidence or social intercourse, or to injure him or her in his or her business or occupation, or (b) to injure any person, corporation, or association in his, her, or its business or occupation.

(3) It is not a violation of this section for a candidate or his or her agent to make statements described in subsection (1)(a) or (b) of this section about the candidate himself or herself because a person cannot defame himself or herself. It is not a violation of this section for a person or organization referenced in subsection (1)(c) of this section to make a statement about that person or organization because such persons and organizations cannot defame themselves.

(4) Any violation of this section shall be proven by clear and convincing evidence. If a violation is proven, damages are presumed and do not need to be proven.

[2009 c 222 § 2; 2005 c 445 § 10; 1999 c 304 § 2; 1988 c 199 § 2; 1984 c 216 § 3.]

NOTES:

Finding — Intent — 1999 c 304: "(1) The Washington supreme court in a case involving a ballot measure, State v. 119 Vote No! Committee, 135 Wn.2d 618 (1998), found the statute that prohibits persons from sponsoring, with actual malice, political advertising containing false statements of material fact to be invalid under the First Amendment to the United States Constitution.

(2) The legislature finds that a review of the opinions indicates that a majority of the supreme court may find valid a statute that limited such a prohibition on sponsoring with actual malice false statements of material fact in a political campaign to statements about a candidate in an election for public office.

(3) It is the intent of the legislature to amend the current law to provide protection for candidates for public office against false statements of material fact sponsored with actual malice." [1999 c 304 § 1.]

42.17.540 Responsibility for compliance. (1) Except as provided in subsection (2) of this section the responsibility for compliance with RCW 42.17.510 through 42.17.530 shall rest with the sponsor of the political advertising and not with the broadcasting station or other medium.

(2) If a broadcasting station or other medium changes the content of a political advertisement, the station or medium shall be re-sponsible for any failure of the advertisement to comply with RCW 42.17.510 through 42.17.530 that results from that change [1984 c 216 § 4.]

**JURISDICTION & VOTER REGISTRATION COUNT
AS OF APRIL 19, 2011**

JURISDICTION	PRECINCTS	NO. OF VOTERS	% OF VOTERS
LEGISLATIVE DISTRICTS			
15th	5	4,845	22.06%
17th	66	75,755	34.15%
18th	64	76,344	34.41%
49th	59	64,866	29.24%
CITIES & TOWNS			
Vancouver	68	77,619	34.99%
Camas	9	11,102	5.00%
Battle Ground	6	7,697	3.47%
Washougal	5	7,444	3.36%
Ridgefield	2	2,482	1.12%
La Center	1	1,597	0.72%
Yacolt	1	686	0.31%
Woodland	1	55	0.02%
SCHOOL DISTRICTS			
No. 37 Vancouver	63	71,844	32.38%
No. 114 Evergreen	61	67,973	30.64%
No. 119 Battle Ground	29	35,609	16.05%
No. 117 Camas	3	16,488	7.43%
No. 112-6 Washougal	8	9,526	4.29%
No. 122 Ridgefield	8	8,453	3.81%
No. 98 Hockinson	6	5,422	2.44%
No. 101 LaCenter	4	5,109	2.30%
No. 102 Woodland	1	900	0.41%
No. 103 Green Mtn.	1	526	0.24%
No. 93 Mt. Pleasant	1	10	0.01%
PORT DISTRICTS			
Camas-Washougal		24,718	11.14%
Ridgefield		8,453	3.81%
Vancouver		144,197	64.99%

**JURISDICTION & VOTER REGISTRATION COUNT
AS OF APRIL 19, 2011**

JURISDICTION	PRECINCTS	NO. OF VOTERS	% OF VOTERS
FIRE DISTRICTS			
No. 2		1,244	0.56%
No. 3		11,555	5.21%
No. 5		40,480	18.25%
No. 6		34,587	15.59%
No. 10		4,722	2.13%
No. 13		2,034	0.92%
Clark County Fire & Rescue		16,740	7.55%
East County Fire & Rescue		6,383	2.88%
C-TRAN TRANSPORTATION DISTRICT		179,791	81.04%
CEMETERY DISTRICTS			
No. 1		4,005	1.81%
No. 4		3,122	1.41%
No. 5		983	0.44%
No. 6		16,758	7.55%
CLARK REGIONAL WASTEWATER DIST.		50,705	22.85%
WOODLAND SWIMMING POOL & REC. DIST.		900	0.41%
CLARK COUNTY	194	221,860	100.0%

**COMPUTER INFORMATION
AVAILABLE FOR PUBLIC PURCHASE**

These lists and labels are available to the public and are limited by state law to non-commercial uses only. Prices are subject to change without notice.

OPTION I - VOTER REGISTRATION LISTS (with voting history)

Registration lists can be selected by:

- Precinct
- Tax Code
- Taxing District
- Legislative District
- Commissioner District
- Voters who voted on one specific date
- People registered since a specific date

This list comes with the following information:

- Voter Registration Number
- Precinct
- Tax Code
- Voter Name
- Voter Address
- City
- Zip Code
- Sex
- Registration Date
- Date Last Voted
- Commissioner District
- Legislative District

This list is available in several sequences:

- Alphabetical order within each precinct
- Walking (address) order within each precinct
- Alphabetical order among all precincts

Cost: - A \$35.00 basic charge for each order placed plus a cost of \$400 for a full county list of registered voters. For paper listings of less than full county a percentage calculation will be used, based on the size of the listing. Contact the Elections Department for more information.

OPTION II - GUMMED MAILING LABELS OF VOTERS

Mailing labels can be selected by:

- Precinct
- Tax Code
- Taxing District
- Legislative District
- Commissioner District
- Voters who voted on one specific date
- Voters who voted since one specific date
- People registered since one specific date

Cost: - A \$35.00 basic charge for each order placed plus a cost of \$1,200 for a full county listing of gummed mailing labels. For gummed mailing label listings of less than full county a percentage calculation will be used, based on the size of the listing. Contact the Elections Department for more information.

OPTION III - COMPUTER DISK

A computer disk of the voter registration records contains all of the information available in Option I and can be ordered by various selection options. A file layout is provided at the time of purchase.

Voter registration records on diskette can be selected by:

- Precinct
- Tax Code
- Taxing District
- Legislative District
- Commissioner District
- Voters who voted on one specific date
- People registered since one specific date

A computer diskette of the voter registration records comes with the following information:

- Voter Registration Number
- Voter Registration Date
- Precinct
- Legislative District
- Voter Name
- Voter Address, City & Zip Code
- Tax Code
- Voting History

This list is available in several sequences:

- Alphabetical order within each precinct
- Walking (address) order within each precinct
- Alphabetical order among all precincts
- Zip Code

Cost: - A \$35.00 charge for each order placed

LISTS/LABELS OF DAILY ABSENTEE BALLOT REQUESTS:

- A \$50.00 fee to receive a computer file of absentee ballot voters added each day prior to an election
- A \$100.00 fee to receive daily gummed mailing labels of absentee voters added each day prior to an election

DAILY LIST OF VOTED ABSENTEE BALLOTS RETURNED:

This list comes with the following information:

- Voter Registration Number
- Precinct
- Voter Name
- Voter Address
- Tax Code
- City
- Zip Code

This list is available in several sequences:

- Alphabetical order within each precinct
 - Walking (address) order within each precinct
 - Alphabetical order among all precincts
 - Zip Code
- A \$50.00 fee to receive a computer file of absentee ballot voters added each day prior to an election

OTHER INFORMATION AVAILABLE:

- Copies at 15¢ per page if we copy and 10¢ per page, if you do the copying
- Individual precinct maps at 20¢ each
- Large full county and partial county district maps at \$12.50 each
- For all disk orders sent by mail there will be a \$3.00 postage and handling charge

POLICY STATEMENT - SALE OF MATERIALS TO THE PUBLIC

All orders for copies, lists or labels ordered from the Elections Department will be paid at the time they are ordered if the cost exceeds \$10.00. We will assume no responsibility for printouts or labels which are not what the purchaser intended to request. An affidavit of proposed use of the lists or labels will have to be signed at the time of purchase. **All sales will be charged sales tax.**

PRECINCTS BY CONGRESSIONAL, LEGISLATIVE, COUNTY COMMISSIONER AND SCHOOL DISTRICT

PRECINCT	CONGRESSIONAL	LEGISLATIVE	COMMISSIONER	SCHOOL	PRECINCT	CONGRESSIONAL	LEGISLATIVE	COMMISSIONER	SCHOOL	PRECINCT	CONGRESSIONAL	LEGISLATIVE	COMMISSIONER	SCHOOL	PRECINCT	CONGRESSIONAL	LEGISLATIVE	COMMISSIONER	SCHOOL
050	3	49	3	37	447	3	18	1	37	590	3	18	1	119	675	3	49	3	114
055	3	49	3	37	448	3	18	1	37	592	3	18	1	119	677	3	17	3	114
060	3	49	3	37	449	3	18	1	37	593	3	18	1	119	678	3	17	3	114
070	3	49	3	37	450	3	18	1	37	595	3	18	1	119	679	3	17	3	114
090	3	49	3	37/122	451	3	18	1	37	BEGIN TOWN OF YACOLT					680	3	17	3	114
100	3	49	3	37	452	3	18	1	37	600	3	18	1	119	681	3	17	3	114
110	3	49	3	37	453	3	18	1	37	END TOWN OF YACOLT					682	3	17	2	114
120	3	49	3	37	455	3	18	1	37	605	3	18	1	119	683	3	17	2	114
130	3	49	3	37	460	3	49	1	37	606	3	15	1	98	685	3	17	2	114
147	3	49	3	37	470	3	49	1	37	610	3	18	1	98	686	3	17	2	114
150	3	49	3	37	480	3	18	1	122	613	3	18	2	98	687	3	17	2	114
153	3	49	3	37	483	3	17	1	122	615	3	17	1	98	688	3	17	2	114
160	3	49	3	37	485	3	18	1	122	617	3	17	2	98	689	3	17	2	114
170	3	49	3	37	490	3	18	1	122	618	3	18	2	98	690	3	17	2	114/117
175	3	49	3	37	491	3	18	1	122	620	3	18	2	98	691	3	17	2	114
180	3	49	3	37	BEGIN CITY OF RIDGEFIELD					624	3	17	2	114	692	3	17	2	114
190	3	49	3	37	500	3	18	1	122	625	3	18	2	114/117	693	3	17	2	114
200	3	49	3	37	502	3	18	1	122	626	3	17	2	114	694	3	17	3	114
220	3	49	3	37	END CITY OF RIDGEFIELD					627	3	17	2	114	695	3	17	2	114
225	3	49	3	37	505	3	18	1	122	628	3	17	2	114	696	3	17	2	114
240	3	49	3	37	510	3	18	1	102	629	3	17	2	114	697	3	17	3	114
245	3	49	3	37	BEGIN CITY OF LA CENTER					630	3	17	2	114	698	3	17	2	114
250	3	49	3	37	515	3	18	1	101	631	3	17	2	114	699	3	17	2	114
255	3	49	3	37	END CITY OF LA CENTER					633	3	17	2	114	BEGIN CITY OF WASHOUGAL				
257	3	49	3	37	520	3	18	1	101	634	3	17	2	114	900	3	18	2	112
290	3	49	3	37	525	3	18	1	101	635	3	17	2	114	905	3	18	2	112/117
294	3	49	3	37	528	3	18	1	101	636	3	17	2	114	910	3	18	2	112
296	3	49	3	37	530	3	18	1	103	638	3	17	1	114	913	3	18	2	112
325	3	49	3	37	535	3	18	1	119	639	3	49	3	114	914	3	18	2	112
330	3	49	3	37	536	3	18	1	119	640	3	17	2	114	END CITY OF WASHOUGAL				
335	3	49	3	37	537	3	18	1	119	642	3	49	3	114	917	3	18	2	117/112
340	3	49	3	37	540	3	18	1	119	643	3	17	2	114	920	3	15	2	117
350	3	49	3	37	543	3	17	1	119	644	3	17	2	114/117	925	3	18	2	117/114
360	3	49	3	37	545	3	18	1	119	645	3	17	2	114	930	3	15	2	117
370	3	49	1	37	550	3	17	1	119	646	3	17	2	114	935	3	18	2	112
390	3	49	3	37	555	3	17	1	119	648	3	17	2	114/117	940	3	15	2	112
395	3	49	3	37	560	3	17	1	119	649	3	17	2	114	947	3	15	2	112/093
400	3	49	1	37	563	3	17	1	119	650	3	49	3	114	BEGIN CITY OF CAMAS				
410	3	49	1	37	565	3	49	1	119	651	3	49	3	114	950	3	18	2	117
415	3	49	1	37	570	3	17	1	119	652	3	17	2	114	960	3	18	2	117
420	3	49	1	37	571	3	17	1	119	653	3	17	2	114	961	3	18	2	117/114
423	3	49	1	37	573	3	17	1	119	654	3	17	2	114	962	3	18	2	117
424	3	49	1	37	577	3	17	1	119	656	3	17	2	114	963	3	18	2	117
425	3	49	1	37	580	3	18	1	119	658	3	17	2	114	964	3	18	2	117
426	3	49	1	37	BEGIN CITY OF BATTLE GROUND					659	3	17	2	114	965	3	18	2	117
430	3	49	1	37	575	3	17	1	119	660	3	49	3	114	966	3	18	2	117/114
434	3	17	1	37	582	3	18	1	119	662	3	17	2	114	985	3	18	2	117/112
435	3	49	1	37	583	3	18	1	119	663	3	49	3	114	END CITY OF CAMAS				
440	3	18	1	37	584	3	18	1	119	664	3	17	2	114	TOTAL PRECINCTS - 194				
441	3	17	1	37	585	3	18	1	119	668	3	17	3	114					
444	3	18	1	37	586	3	18	1	119	669	3	17	3	114					
445	3	18	1	37	END CITY OF BATTLE GROUND					670	3	49	3	114					
446	3	18	1	37						673	3	49	3	114					

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LEGISLATIVE OFFICE:

49TH District-64,323 X

MUNICIPALITIES:

Battle Ground - 7,601 X
 Camas - 10,913 X
 LaCenter - 1,574 X
 Ridgefield - 2,426 X
 Vancouver - 76,742 X
 Washougal - 6,838 X
 Woodland - 2,355 X
 Yacolt - 675 X

SCHOOL DISTRICTS:

Battle Ground - 35,349 X
 Camas School - 16,225 X
 Evergreen - 67,119 X
 Green Mt.- 519 X
 Hockinson - 5,390 X
 LaCenter - 5,070 X
 Mt. Pleasant - 238 X
 Ridgefield - 8,334 X
 Vancouver - 71,236 X
 Washougal - 10,703 X
 Woodland - 6,194 X

PORT DISTRICTS:

Camas-Wash. - 24,344 X
 Ridgefield - 8,334 X
 Vancouver - 142,751 X

CEMETARY DISTRICTS:

District # 1 CEMETERY DISTRICTS ARE EXEMPT
 District # 4 FROM REQUIREMENTS RCW 42.17
 District # 5
 District # 6

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FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT:

District #2 - 1,217	X	
District #3 - 11,492		X
District #5 - 40,069		X
District #6 - 34,364		X
District #10- 4,716	X	
District #13 - 2,026	X	
Clark County Fire & Rescue - 16,677		X
East County Fire & Rescue - 6,347		X

SEWER AND PARK DISTRICTS:

Clark Regional Wastewater - 50,326		X
Woodland Pool & Rec. District - 6,194		X

Political Committees: Proponents and opponents of ballot measures in jurisdictions having 1,000 or more registered voters must file campaign finance reports.

INITIAL REPORTS MUST BE FILED WITHIN TWO WEEKS OF BECOMING A CANDIDATE.

FUTURE ELECTION DATES

COMMON ELECTION DATES AND CUTOFF DATES FOR 2012:

2012 DATES OF ELECTION	SUBMISSION CUTOFF DATES FOR BALLOT RESOLUTIONS
February 14, 2012	December 31, 2011
April 17, 2012	March 2, 2012
August 7, 2012	May 11, 2012
November 6, 2012	August 7, 2012

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