

Election : 11/05/2024 - November General Election

Federal Offices

Federal

President

Vote for 1

4 Year Term

Robert F Kennedy Jr/Nicole Shanahan
Cornel West
Chase Oliver/Mike ter Maat
Randall Terry
Donald J Trump/JD Vance
Jill Stein/Rudolph Ware
Kamala D Harris/Tim Walz

We The People
Progressive
Libertarian
Constitution
Republican
Pacific Green
Democrat

Number Candidates Filed: 7

Contest Total: 1

US Representative 6th District

US Representative, 6th District

Vote for 1

2 Year Term

Mike Erickson
Andrea Salinas

Republican
Democrat, Independent

Number Candidates Filed: 2

Contest Total: 1

Partisan State Offices

Statewide Partisan

Secretary of State

Vote for 1

4 Year Term

Nathalie Paravicini
Dennis Linthicum
Tobias Read

Pacific Green,
Progressive
Republican,
Constitution
Democrat,
Independent, Working
Families

Number Candidates Filed: 3

State Treasurer

Vote for 1

4 Year Term

Mary King
Brian J Boquist
Elizabeth Steiner

Working Families,
Pacific Green
Republican,
Constitution
Democrat

Number Candidates Filed: 3

Attorney General

Vote for 1

4 Year Term

Will Lathrop
Dan Rayfield

Republican
Democrat, Working
Families

Number Candidates Filed: 2

Contest Total: 3

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Partisan State Offices

Senate District 12

State Senator, 12th District

Vote for 1

4 Year Term

Andrea Kennedy-Smith

Independent, Working
Families

Bruce W Starr

Republican

Scott Hooper

Democrat

Number Candidates Filed: 3

Contest Total: 1

House District 20

State Representative, 20th District

Vote for 1

2 Year Term

Paul Evans

Democrat, Independent
Republican

Kevin S Chambers

Number Candidates Filed: 2

Contest Total: 1

House District 23

State Representative, 23rd District

Vote for 1

2 Year Term

Kriss Wright

Democrat
Republican

Anna M Scharf

Number Candidates Filed: 2

Contest Total: 1

House District 24

State Representative, 24th District

Vote for 1

2 Year Term

Lucetta A Elmer

Republican
Democrat

Lisa Pool

Number Candidates Filed: 2

Contest Total: 1

Nonpartisan State Offices

Statewide Nonpartisan

Judge of the Supreme Court,
Position 1

Vote for 1

6 Year Term

Stephen K Bushong - Incumbent

Number Candidates Filed: 1

Judge of the Supreme Court,
Position 7

Vote for 1

6 Year Term

Bronson D James - Incumbent

Number Candidates Filed: 1

Contest Total: 2

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Statewide Nonpartisan

Measure No: 115

Measure Designation: Referred to the People by the Legislative Assembly

Caption: Amends Constitution: Authorizes impeachment of statewide elected officials by Oregon Legislature with two-thirds vote by each House; establishes process

Result of Yes: "Yes" vote authorizes and establishes a process for the Oregon Legislature to impeach statewide elected officials; House initiates impeachment with two-thirds vote; Senate tries and convicts with two-thirds vote; Chief Justice of Oregon Supreme Court oversees impeachment trial.

Result of No: "No" vote retains current law that does not authorize the Oregon Legislature to impeach and remove statewide elected officials.

Summary: Amends the Oregon Constitution to grant the Oregon House of Representatives the power to impeach statewide elected officials in the executive branch, and to grant the Oregon Senate the power to try an impeachment received from the House. Currently, the statewide elected officials of the executive branch are the Governor, the Secretary of State, the State Treasurer, the Attorney General and the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor and Industries. At present, the only way to remove these officials is through recall election. The measure permits the House to impeach for malfeasance, corrupt conduct in office, willful neglect of constitutional duty or other felony or high crime. Requires "yes" vote of at least two-thirds (40) of Representatives to send impeachment resolution to Senate. Requires Senate to conduct impeachment trial and requires "yes" vote of at least two-thirds (20) of Senators to convict. The Chief Justice of the Oregon Supreme Court would preside over an impeachment trial. A convicted official is removed from office and disqualified from other public office.

Financial Impact: This measure amends the constitution to allow the House of Representatives to impeach statewide elected officials. The measure requires the Senate to try any impeachment received from the House. The Chief Justice presides over the trial. The financial impact on state government is indeterminate because impeachment trials do not have a set length and could happen outside of regularly scheduled sessions. There is no fiscal impact on local governments.

Measure No: 116

Measure Designation: Referred to the People by the Legislative Assembly

Caption: Amends Constitution: Establishes "Independent Public Service Compensation Commission" to determine salaries for specified officials; eliminates legislative authority to set such salaries

Result of Yes: "Yes" vote amends Oregon Constitution to establish a commission to determine salaries paid by state to specified officials, replacing current practice of establishing such salaries by legislation; provides that determinations of the commission are automatically funded.

Result of No: "No" vote retains current law whereby salaries paid by state to specified officials are established by legislation.

Summary: Under current law, the salaries paid by the state to many public officials are set by statute and can be changed only through legislation. This measure authorizes establishment of a body named the Independent Public Service Compensation Commission to determine salaries paid by the state to the Governor, the Secretary of State, the State Treasurer, the Attorney General, the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor and Industries, judges of the Supreme Court, judges of other courts under the administration of the judicial branch of state government, state Senators, state Representatives and district attorneys. Determinations of the commission would not be subject to review or modification by the Legislative Assembly, the Governor or any other official. The measure provides that the membership of the commission is to be established by law, except that the following classes of individuals are ineligible for membership: officers and employees of the state, lobbyists, and immediate family members of such officers, employees and lobbyists. The measure provides that moneys sufficient to pay for the commission's salary determinations are automatically appropriated from the General Fund without the need for a further appropriation by law.

Financial Impact: This measure amends the Constitution to create a Commission responsible for deciding the salaries of certain elected officials. The money for the salaries will come from the General Fund. The measure itself does not decide the moneys needed to cover the salaries. The fiscal impact to the state, for chosen salaries and commission staff, could not be determined. There is no fiscal impact on local governments.

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Measure No: 117

Measure Designation: Referred to the People by the Legislative Assembly

Caption: Gives voters option to rank candidates in order of preference; candidate receiving majority of votes in final round wins

Result of Yes: "Yes" vote gives voters the option to rank candidates in order of preference for specified federal and statewide offices. Establishes process for tallying votes in rounds, with the candidate receiving the fewest votes in each round being defeated and votes for the defeated candidate going to the voter's next-highest ranked active candidate. Requires that candidate must receive majority of votes in final round of voting to win election.

Result of No: "No" vote maintains current voting system. Voter selects one candidate for federal and statewide offices. Candidate with most votes wins. Majority of votes not required for candidate to win election.

Summary: Current state law requires voters to select only one candidate for each office on the ballot. The candidate with the most votes after a single vote tally wins, even if not a majority. This measure gives voters the option to rank candidates in order of preference using "ranked choice voting." Under the measure, voters may choose to rank only one candidate or multiple candidates for each office, as well as write in candidate (s). Votes are counted toward each voter's highest-ranked candidate. If no candidate receives a majority of votes, votes are tallied automatically in rounds. The candidate receiving the fewest votes in each round is defeated. A defeated candidate's votes go to the voter's next highest-ranked candidate. The process continues until one candidate has a majority of votes. The measure applies to the nomination and election of President, United States Senator, Representative in Congress, Governor, Secretary of State, State Treasurer and Attorney General, and election of the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor and Industries. The measure requires the Secretary of State to establish a program to educate voters about how ranked choice voting elections will be conducted. Authorizes local governments to adopt ranked choice voting for elections for local offices. Local governments that adopted ranked choice voting before 2025 may continue to use current method or modify it. The measure applies to elections beginning in 2028.

Financial Impact: This measure establishes ranked choice voting for federal, state, and some local elected offices. The Secretary of State must create rules for carrying out ranked choice voting and educate voters about ranked choice voting. The Secretary of State and County Clerks must present two reports to interim legislative committees by September 15, 2026. If the measure is passed by Oregon voters, ranked choice voting must be effective by January 1, 2028.

The measure is estimated to cost the state government \$0.9 million during the 2023-25 biennium. This cost is to pay for needed staff and consulting services for the Secretary of State to begin carrying out the measure. In the 2025-27 biennium, the cost of the measure is estimated to grow to \$5.6 million. This is to continue funding staff and consulting services, as well as outreach and IT needs.

The cost of the measure is less known for local government. County Clerks estimate that the measure will cost \$2.3 million initially. This funding will be used to improve technology, train staff, and test the new system. Every statewide election will cost an additional \$1.8 million for added printing and logistics. Software and maintenance contract costs will cost an additional \$0.4 million per year.

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Measure No: 118

Measure Designation: Proposed by Initiative Petition

Caption: Increases highest corporate minimum taxes; distributes revenue to eligible individuals; state replaces reduced federal benefits

Result of Yes: "Yes" vote increases corporate minimum tax on Oregon sales exceeding \$25,000,000; eliminates tax cap; distributes revenue to eligible individuals; state replaces any reduced federal benefits.

Result of No: "No" vote retains existing corporate minimum taxes on Oregon sales; twelve tax brackets impose different tax amounts, capped at \$100,000 tax on sales exceeding \$100,000,000.

Summary: Current law requires corporations to pay higher of either tax on taxable income or corporate minimum tax. Except S corporations, minimum tax amount determined by tax bracket based on corporation's Oregon sales; minimum tax capped at \$100,000 for \$100,000,000 or more in sales. Beginning 2025, measure removes minimum tax cap; increases minimum tax on all corporations with Oregon sales exceeding \$25,000,000 by imposing additional tax of 3% for sales above \$25,000,000. Measure directs Department of Revenue to equally distribute increased revenue (minus certain costs) to all individuals residing more than 200 days annually in Oregon. Revenue distribution does not affect individual eligibility for state benefits; measure requires replacement of reduced federal benefits if distribution negatively affects individual's benefits under any need-based program. Other provisions.

Financial Impact: The measure establishes a new gross receipts tax as the minimum tax for certain corporations. According to the Legislative Revenue Office, indirect economic costs of the measure include a 1.3 percent increase in prices of goods and services and reductions in jobs, wages and personal incomes. Corporate tax revenues are estimated to increase by \$1.3 billion in 2023-25, \$14.7 billion in 2025-27, and \$15.6 billion in 2027-29.

New revenue raised will be used to issue annual rebates to eligible individuals in Oregon. An estimated \$13.6 billion will be required for rebate distributions in 2025-2027 and an estimated \$17.1 billion will be required in 2027-29. Administrative costs and any additional payments will be deducted from the amount to be distributed.

Known administrative costs are estimated to be \$1.6 million General Fund and 22 permanent positions in the 2023-25 biennium and \$48.2 million General Fund and 199 additional permanent positions in the 2025-27 biennium at the Oregon Department of Revenue. The measure will generate a significant workload increase processing applications for the rebate, verifying the identity and eligibility of those applying for the rebates, reviewing payments and tax refunds for fraudulent activity, handling appeals, increasing customer inquiries, increasing audit and collections activity for the new tax, and increasing technology programming. Other major expenses are unknown but could be significant for expenses such as payments for rebate checks, prepaid debit cards, mailings associated with the program, legal fees, and public information costs.

Individuals who lose federal benefits because of the rebate will be held harmless with additional payments. The costs associated with this provision are unknown. Rebates that are declined by eligible individuals will be available to fund services for senior citizens, health care, and public early childhood education through high school. The impact from these declined rebates is unknown.

Following the initial phase-in, total biennial costs of the rebate program are expected to exceed the new biennial revenue. Estimated indirect impacts on personal income tax revenue are reductions of \$12 million in 2023-25, \$199 million in 2025-27, and \$207 million in 2027-29. Lastly, changes to the economy are projected to reduce state revenue by roughly \$11 million in 2023-25, \$150 million in 2025-27 and \$400 million in 2027-29.

The corporate kicker will increase by an estimated \$1.3 billion in 2025-27, and transfers to the Rainy Day Fund from the General Fund will be reduced.

Impact to local governments is unknown.

Statewide Nonpartisan

Measure No: 119

Measure Designation: Proposed by Initiative Petition

Caption: Cannabis retailers/processors must remain neutral regarding communications to their employees from labor organizations; penalties

Result of Yes: "Yes" vote requires cannabis retailers/processors to agree to remain neutral when labor organizations communicate with employees about collective bargaining rights; licensure/certification penalties possible.

Result of No: "No" vote retains current labor laws; no requirement that cannabis retailers/processors agree to remain neutral on communications between their employees and labor organizations.

Summary: Current law generally guarantees employees' rights to organize and collectively bargain. Measure requires agreement between cannabis retailers/processors and a labor organization that meets the definition of labor organization under the National Labor Relations Act and whose operations are independent of the retailer/processor. At minimum, agreement must require that retailer/processor will remain neutral when labor organization representatives communicate with employees about collective bargaining rights. Oregon Liquor and Cannabis Commission must require such signed agreement or attestation of such agreement, in addition to existing licensure or certification requirements for cannabis retailers/processors. Failure to have a signed agreement or attestation, or to follow the agreement, may result in penalties, including fines or the denial, suspension, or revocation of retailer's/processor's license or certificate.

Financial Impact: This measure will increase state government costs by approximately \$0.6 million in the first year. Ongoing costs will increase by approximately \$0.8 million each subsequent year. The estimated costs include six new positions to verify application documents and monitor compliance. The increased costs will be paid for by license application fees. There is no financial impact to local governments.

Contest Total: 5

County Offices

POLK

Polk County Clerk	Vote for 1	4 Year Term
Kim Williams		

Number Candidates Filed: 1

Polk County Sheriff	Vote for 1	4 Year Term
Steve Warden		
Mark Garton		

Number Candidates Filed: 2

Polk County Treasurer	Vote for 1	4 Year Term
Chris Patoine		
Steve Milligan		

Number Candidates Filed: 2

Contest Total: 3

City Offices

City of Dallas			
City of Dallas, Mayor		Vote for 1	2 Year Term
Nancy Adams			
Rich Slack			
	Number Candidates Filed:	2	
City of Dallas, Council Members		Vote for 5	4 Year Term
Debbie Virden			
Carlos Barrientos			
Anthony Blosser			
Lauren May			
Kirsten Collins			
Kimberly Fitzgerald			
Troy Hazelton			
	Number Candidates Filed:	7	
	Contest Total:	2	

City of Falls City			
City of Falls City, Mayor		Vote for 1	2 Year Term
TJ Bailey			
	Number Candidates Filed:	1	
City of Falls City, Council Members		Vote for 3	4 Year Term
Chris Martin			
Steve McKee			
Tia McConnell Scruton			
Dennis A Sickles			
Amy E Houghtaling			
	Number Candidates Filed:	5	
	Contest Total:	2	

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City of Independence

City of Independence, Mayor

Vote for 1

2 Year Term

Kate Schwarzler

Number Candidates Filed: 1

City of Independence, Council
Member, Position 3

Vote for 1

4 Year Term

Evan Sorce

Dawn Hedrick-Roden

Number Candidates Filed: 2

City of Independence, Council
Member, Position 5

Vote for 1

4 Year Term

Bill Boisvert

Marc M Senyk

Dana F Sharman

Number Candidates Filed: 3

City of Independence, Council
Member, Position 6

Vote for 1

4 Year Term

Connor N Gowen

Kathy Martin-Willis

Number Candidates Filed: 2

Contest Total: 4

City of Monmouth

City of Monmouth, Mayor

Vote for 1

2 Year Term

Cecelia Koontz

Number Candidates Filed: 1

City of Monmouth, Council Members

Vote for 3

4 Year Term

Ned Kenney

John Oberst

Frank Morris

Carol McKiel

Jason Ridgeway

Number Candidates Filed: 5

Contest Total: 2

City of Salem

City of Salem, Mayor

Vote for 1

2 Year Term

Julie Hoy

Number Candidates Filed: 1

Contest Total: 1

City of Salem, Ward 1

City of Salem, Councilor, Ward 1

Vote for 1

4 Year Term

Paul Tigan

Number Candidates Filed: 1

Contest Total: 1

City Offices

City of Willamina			
City of Willamina, Mayor		Vote for 1	2 Year Term
Vickie Hernandez			
	Number Candidates Filed:	1	
City of Willamina, Councilor, 3 At-Large		Vote for 3	4 Year Term
Barry Wilson			
Rita Baller			
Jennifer Eckels			
Craig Johnson			
Jace Maroney			
	Number Candidates Filed:	5	
	Contest Total:	2	

District Offices

Polk Soil and Water Conservation			
Polk Soil and Water Conservation District, Director, Zone 1		Vote for 1	4 Year Term
Pryor Garnett			
	Number Candidates Filed:	1	
Polk Soil and Water Conservation District, Director, Zone 4		Vote for 1	4 Year Term
No Candidate Filed			
	Number Candidates Filed:	0	
Polk Soil and Water Conservation District, Director, At Large 1		Vote for 1	4 Year Term
Erubiel Valladares			
	Number Candidates Filed:	1	
	Contest Total:	3	

City of Independence

Measure No: 27-142

Caption: Five-year levy supporting City library, museum, and parks operations.

Question: Shall the City impose \$1.82 per \$1,000 of assessed value for five years beginning 2025-26 supporting library, museum, parks operations? This measure may cause property taxes to increase more than three percent.

Summary: The City of Independence is seeking a five-year local option tax beginning in fiscal year 2025-26, to support operations and maintenance of the City's museum, library, and parks.

If approved, the levy would support continued operation and maintenance of the Heritage Museum, Independence Public library, and city parks for the next five years, ensuring that current service levels are maintained. Programs and services funded by this levy include, but are not limited to, the library's book groups for adults, Youth Coding League and STEM programming for teens, preschool and bilingual Storytime programs, and a community warming/cooling center. Museum services funded by this levy include preservation of local artifacts and history, continuation of the annual Ghost Walk event, online exhibits, continued presentation of traveling exhibits from the Smithsonian and other notable sources, special evening and weekend offerings, and support to school field trips. Continued maintenance of City neighborhood park grounds, restrooms, and equipment are also included.

The proposed rate will raise approximately \$1,123,000, \$1,156,000, \$1,191,000, \$1,227,000 and \$1,264,000 over the five fiscal years, respectively.

Contest Total: 1

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Chemeketa C.C.

Measure No: 24-507

Caption: Bonds to Upgrade and Enhance CTE, Technology, Facilities, and Safety

Question: Shall Chemeketa issue up to \$140,000,000 in bonds to improve career technical education spaces and upgrade technology, facilities, and safety? If the bonds are approved, they will be payable from taxes on property or property ownership that are not subject to the limits of sections 11 and 11b, Article XI of the Oregon Constitution.

Summary: Chemeketa Community College proposes a bond measure in a principal amount not to exceed \$140,000,000 which would allow the College to receive an additional \$8,000,000 state grant. The bonds are expected to finance capital costs, including:

*Expanding Career and Technical Education and Improving Teaching and Learning Spaces

*Increase CTE capacity in healthcare, trades, and emergency services

*Modernize technology

*Improve classroom and learning spaces

*Extend useful life of buildings, HVAC, roof, elevator improvements

*Renovating a Wellness / Resiliency Center and Leveraging an \$8,000,000 State Grant to Provide:

*Community disaster resource site, with seismic improvements

*Health and wellness facilities

*Promoting Student Access and Success

*Building renovations, upgrades, and improvements to student activity and student support spaces

*Community athletic fields

*Improving Safety

*Cameras, lighting, parking lot improvements to enhance safety

*Site improvements, demolition, furnishings, equipment, bond issuance costs

Bonds may be issued in multiple series; each maturing within 21 years from issuance. Bonds are estimated to cost \$0.27 per \$1,000 of assessed value. Actual levy rate may differ due to final interest rates and changes in assessed value.

Contest Total: 1

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Central School District 13J

Measure No: 27-143

Caption: Bonds increase safety, construct, repair schools, improve facilities, address overcrowding.

Question: Shall District increase safety; construct, repair, improve facilities, address overcrowding; issue \$90 million in bonds; community oversight, audits required?
If the bonds are approved, they will be payable from taxes on property or property ownership that are not subject to the limits of sections 11 and 11b, Article XI of the Oregon Constitution.

Summary: Central School District no. 13J has been awarded a \$6,000,000 State grant that will be available only if bonds are approved.
If approved, this general obligation bond measure would finance capital costs, expected to:
Provide a modern elementary school, including land acquisition;
Upgrade facilities, including roof replacement and modernizing HVAC systems for efficiency and air quality;
Improve safety and security;
Expand space for career and technical education;
Improve athletic fields and provide inclusive playgrounds;
Provide new classrooms to address overcrowding; and
Pay bond issuance costs.
District would establish a citizen oversight committee to ensure proceeds are used for purposes indicated.
Bonds would be issued in a principal amount not to exceed \$90,000,000 and may be issued in multiple series; each maturing within 31 years from issuance.
If measure passes, the annual tax rate for all District general obligation bonds is estimated to be \$3.75 per \$1,000 of assessed value. Actual levy rate may differ due to final interest rates and changes in assessed value.

Contest Total: 1

Falls City School District 57

Measure No: 27-144

Caption: Five-year Local Option Levy for music, extracurricular activities, and FACES.

Question: Shall Falls City Schools continue \$1.25 per \$1,000 of assessed value for school programs for five years beginning July 2025? This measure renews current local option taxes.

Summary: This proposed five-year levy will renew funding for support of music programs, sports programs, extra-curricular activities, and FACES. Without this continuing revenue, the district must reduce or eliminate its music program, sports programs, extra-curricular activities and FACES. This levy would continue the current Local Option Levy that terminates in June 2025. The proposed rate will raise approximately \$138,029 in 2025-26; \$143,731 in 2026-27; \$149,560 in 2027-28; \$155,826 in 2028-29; \$162,239 in 2029-30. The estimated total for five years would be \$749,385.

The estimated tax cost for this measure is an ESTIMATE ONLY based on the best information available from the county assessor at the time of estimate and may reflect the impact of early payment discounts, compression and the collection rate.

Contest Total: 1

County: POLK
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Number of Contest : 40

Number of Filed Candidates: 72