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**Federal Offices** 

Federal

**US** Senator Vote for 1 6 Year Term

Jo Rae Perkins Republican, Constitution

Dan Pulju Pacific Green Ron Wyden

Democrat, Independent

Chris Henry Progressive

Number Candidates Filed: 4 Contest Total: 1

US Representative 6th District

US Representative, 6th District Vote for 1 2 Year Term

Constitution Larry D McFarland Andrea Salinas Democrat,

Independent, Working **Families** 

Mike Erickson Republican

Number Candidates Filed: 3

> Contest Total: 1

**Partisan State Offices** 

Statewide Partisan Governor Vote for 1 4 Year Term

Tina Kotek Democrat, Working

**Families** Donice Noelle Smith Constitution R Leon Noble Libertarian Nonaffiliated Betsy Johnson Christine Drazan Republican

Number Candidates Filed: 5

Contest Total: 1

Senate District 10

State Senator, 10th District Vote for 1 4 Year Term

2

Raquel Moore-Green Republican, Libertarian Deb Patterson

Democrat, Independent Number Candidates Filed:

Contest Total: 1

House District 20 State Representative, 20th District

Dan Farrington Republican Taylor A Rickey Libertarian Paul Evans Democrat,

Independent, Working

Families

Number Candidates Filed: 3

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2 Year Term

Vote for 1

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**Partisan State Offices** 

House District 23

State Representative, 23rd District Vote for 1 2 Year Term

2

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Anna M Scharf

Kriss Wright

Republican

Democrat

Number Candidates Filed:

Contest Total:

Vote for 1

2 Year Term

House District 24

State Representative, 24th District

Victoria Ernst

Democrat,

Independent, Working Families

Republican

Lucetta A Elmer

Number Candidates Filed: 2

Contest Total:

**Nonpartisan State Offices** 

Statewide Nonpartisan

Commissioner of the Bureau of

Labor and Industries

Christina E Stephenson

Cheri Helt

Number Candidates Filed: 2

Judge of the Court of Appeals,

Position 10

Number Candidates Filed:

Vote for 1

Vote for 1

Vote for 1

6 Year Term

6 Year Term

4 Year Term

Judge of the Court of Appeals,

Position 11

Anna M Joyce - Incumbent

Kristina Hellman - Incumbent

Number Candidates Filed:

Contest Total:

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Statewide Nonpartisan Measure No: 111

Measure Designation: Referred to the People by the Legislative Assembly

Caption: Amends Constitution: State must ensure affordable healthcare access, balanced against requirement to

fund schools, other essential services

Result of Yes: "Yes" vote requires state to ensure affordable healthcare access. State must balance healthcare funding against funding for schools, other essential services; courts must respect balance.

Result of No: "No" vote retains current law. The constitution does not require the state to ensure access to affordable

health care; state provides some healthcare access.

Summary: Amends Constitution. Current state law outlines the general requirements for health insurance policies and provides health care for low income and disabled residents who meet eligibility requirements. Amends the Oregon Constitution to establish health care as a fundamental right; obligates the state to provide Oregon residents "access to cost-effective, clinically appropriate and affordable health care." Amendment requires the state to balance that obligation against the public interest in funding public schools and other essential public services. If the state is sued to enforce the amendment, the court may not order a remedy that interferes with the state's requirement to balance healthcare funding against funding for public schools and other essential public services.

Financial Impact: The financial impact to state and local expenditure and revenue is indeterminate. The measure does not require additional state government revenues or expenditures. The impact of the measure will depend on future legislative action to establish additional health benefits and determine how they will be paid for.

Measure No: 112

Measure Designation: Referred to the People by the Legislative Assembly

Caption: Amends Constitution: Removes language allowing slavery and involuntary servitude as punishment for crime

Result of Yes: "Yes" vote amends constitution to remove language allowing slavery and involuntary servitude as punishment for crime; allows programs to be ordered as part of sentencing.

Result of No: "No" vote retains current language that generally prohibits slavery and involuntary servitude but allows slavery and involuntary servitude as punishment for crime.

Summary: Amends Constitution. Article I, section 34 of the Oregon Constitution currently prohibits slavery and involuntary servitude but allows an exception to that prohibition as a punishment for crime. Measure removes language that allows slavery and involuntary servitude as a punishment for crime. Under measure, a court or probation or parole agency is allowed to order a person convicted of a crime to engage in education, counseling, treatment, community service, or other alternatives to incarceration, as part of sentencing for the crime. Ordered programs must be in line with programs that historically, or in the future, have been in place to provide for accountability, reformation, protection of society, or rehabilitation. Effect on current constitutional provisions requiring inmate work programs unclear.

Financial Impact: The financial impact to state and local expenditures and revenues is indeterminate. The measure removes language allowing slavery and involuntary servitude as a punishment for a crime. The measure does not require additional state government revenues or expenditures however the impact of the measure will depend on potential legal action or changes to inmate work programs.

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Statewide Nonpartisan

Measure No: 113

Measure Designation: Proposed by Initiative Petition

Caption: Amends Constitution: Legislators with ten unexcused absences from floor sessions disqualified from

holding next term of office

Result of Yes: "Yes" vote disqualifies legislators with ten unexcused absences from legislative floor sessions from holding

office as legislator for term following current term of office.

Result of No: "No" vote retains existing law. Absent legislators may be punished by legislative chamber (potentially

expelled by supermajority); present legislators have legal authority to compel attendance.

Summary: Amends Oregon Constitution to add language prescribing consequences for unexcused absences by legislators from floor sessions. Currently, Senators and Representatives may be "punished" or, by the concurrence of two-thirds of the Senator's or Representative's chamber, "expelled" for "disorderly behavior," but law does not define "disorderly behavior." Additionally, absent legislators may be "compelled" to attend legislative floor sessions, but current law does not specify consequences for unexcused absences. Measure specifies that "disorderly behavior" includes legislator's failure to attend ten or more legislative floor sessions during a regular or special legislative session without permission or excuse. Under measure, legislator who engages in "disorderly behavior" through unexcused absences is disqualified from serving as a Senator or Representative for the term following the end of the legislator's current term.

Financial Impact: This measure will have no financial effect on either state or local government expenditures or revenues.

Measure No: 114

Measure Designation: Proposed by Initiative Petition

Caption: Requires permit to acquire firearms; police maintain permit/firearm database; criminally prohibits certain

ammunition magazines

Result of Yes: "Yes" vote requires background check, safety training, fee for permit to acquire firearms; state police

maintain new permit/ firearm database; criminally prohibits certain magazines; exceptions.

Result of No: "No" vote retains current law: seller/ transferor must request criminal background check; permit, safety

course not required; no magazine capacity restrictions.

Summary: Oregon law currently allows persons over age 18 to acquire firearms (federal law requires age 21 for some handgun purchases), seller/ transferor must request criminal background check. Measure requires permit from local law enforcement to acquire firearm; person must pay fee, submit photo ID, fingerprints, complete approved safety training, pass criminal background check, not be prohibited from possessing firearms; officer may deny permit to person believed danger to self or others. Permit issued within 30 days, valid 5 years. Permit denials appealable. Must present permit, pass background check to acquire firearm. State Police creates/ maintains permit/ firearm database. Magazines over 10 rounds, or readily modifiable to exceed 10 rounds, prohibited; exception for current owners /inheritors. Exceptions for law enforcement, armed forces. Criminal penalties. Other provisions.

Financial Impact: The intent of the measure is for revenues from permits to cover administrative costs. Cost estimates related to the measure were received from state and local government. However, there is uncertainty in the assumptions regarding the estimates made, including the projections of the number of permit applications, the revenue associated with those permits and other related costs. There is also uncertainty in potential cost savings to state and local government expenditures due to an expected decrease in firearm related injuries and death. Therefore, the financial impact of Measure 114 for state and local governments is indeterminate.

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City Offices				
City of Dallas				
City of Dallas, Mayor			Vote for 1	2 Year Term
Kenneth L Woods Jr				
Brian Dalton				
	Number Candidates Filed:	2		
City of Dallas, Council Members			Vote for 4	4 Year Term
Michael Schilling				
David Shein				
Larry Briggs				
Micah Jantz				
	Number Candidates Filed:	4		
	Contest Total:	2		
City of Falls City			V 1 6 4	2 V T
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
Tony Meier				
Lori Jean Sickles				
Nick Backus				
	Number Candidates Filed:	3		
	Contest Total:	2		
City of Independence			V 1 6 4	2.V. T
City of Independence, Mayor			Vote for 1	2 Year Term
John McArdle				
Jon Herber Sr				
	Number Candidates Filed:	2		
City of Independence, Council Member, Position 1			Vote for 1	4 Year Term
Shannon Corr				
Leslee Ellis				
	Number Candidates Filed:	2		
City of Independence, Council Member, Position 2			Vote for 1	4 Year Term
Marilyn Morton				
Matt Henscheid				
	Number Candidates Filed:	2		
City of Independence, Council Member, Position 4			Vote for 1	4 Year Term
Brandi Mendoza				
Kate Schwarzler				
Kate Schwarzler	Number Candidates Filed:	2		

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City Offices				
City of Monmouth				
City of Monmouth, Mayor			Vote for 1	2 Year Term
Cecelia Koontz				
	Number Candidates Filed:	1		
City of Monmouth, Council Members	3		Vote for 3	4 Year Term
Jon Carey				
Roxanne Beltz				
Chris Lopez				
	Number Candidates Filed:	3		
	Contest Total:	2		
City of Salem				
City of Salem, Mayor			Vote for 1	2 Year Term
Chris Hoy				
	Number Candidates Filed:	1		
City of Salem, Municipal Judge			Vote for 1	4 Year Term
Eleanor Beatty				
	Number Candidates Filed:	1		
	Contest Total:	2		
City of Salem, Ward 8				
City of Salem, Councilor, Ward 8			Vote for 1	4 Year Term
Micki Varney				
	Number Candidates Filed:	1		
	Contest Total:	1		
City of Willamina				
City of Willamina, Mayor			Vote for 1	2 Year Term
Ila Skyberg				
	Number Candidates Filed:	1		
City of Willamina, Councilor, 3 At- Large			Vote for 3	4 Year Term
Karl Klym				
Jennifer Pederson				
Vickie Hernandez				
	Number Candidates Filed:	3		
	Contest Total:	2		

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**District Offices** 

Polk Soil and Water Conservation

Polk Soil and Water Conservation Vote for 1 4 Year Term

District, Director, Zone 2

Lindsay Mcclary David Simmons

Number Candidates Filed: 2

Polk Soil and Water Conservation

District, Director, Zone 3

Vote for 1 4 Year Term

4 Year Term

4 Year Term

Vote for 1

Vote for 1

Eden Olsen

Number Candidates Filed: 1

Polk Soil and Water Conservation

District, Director, Zone 5

Number Candidates Filed:

Michael Wilson

John (Jock) Dalton

Polk Soil and Water Conservation District, Director, At Large 2

rict, Director, At Large 2 Donna Champeau

Number Candidates Filed:

Contest Total: 4

**POLK** 

Measure No: 27-139

Caption: Permanently prohibits psilocybin-related businesses within unincorporated Polk County

Question: Shall Polk County permanently prohibit psilocybin businesses in unincorporated Polk County?

Summary: Psilocybin is a psychedelic drug found in certain mushrooms. State law allows for the licensed

manufacturing and supervised use of psilocybin in licensed service centers for therapeutic purposes. State law provides that a city or county may adopt an ordinance to be referred to voters to prohibit the establishment of licensed psilocybin product manufacturers and/or psilocybin service centers. The Polk County Board of Commissioners adopted an ordinance to refer to the voters that prohibits those psilocybin

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businesses in the unincorporated area of Polk County.

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City of Dallas

Measure No: 27-138

Caption: Adopts ordinance prohibiting psilocybin-related businesses within Dallas.

Question: Shall Dallas prohibit psilocybin-related businesses?

Summary: State law allows for the manufacturing, transportation, delivery, sale and purchase of psilocybin, the psychedelic drug found in certain mushrooms. State law provides that a local government may adopt an ordinance to be referred to the voters to prohibit the establishment of licensed psilocybin product manufacturers and/or psilocybin service centers. The Dallas City Council has adopted an ordinance (Ordinance No. 1877) to refer to the voters that prohibits psilocybin-related businesses in Dallas. Approval of the measure would prohibit the establishment of state-licensed psilocybin product manufacturers and psilocybin service centers within the Dallas city limits. A copy of the proposed ordinance is available at

http://www.dallasor.gov and at City Hall.

Contest Total: 1

City of Falls City

Measure No: 27-136

Caption: Five-Year local option levy for fire and emergency operations

Shall Falls City impose \$1.00 per \$1.000 assessed value for five years for fire operations beginning July 1.

2023? This measure may cause property taxes to increase more than three percent.

Summary: The measure, if approved, would authorize the City of Falls City to levy taxes to supplement the cost of equipment and operations for fire and emergency services provided to Falls City residents. The measure

would provide for a local option operating levy of \$1.00 per \$1,000 of assessed value for 5 years, beginning July 1, 2023. The funding would be used to replace aging equipment that is reaching the end of its useful life and to purchase new needed emergency equipment. Revenue from the levy would be used to update equipment with the goal of improving services for the residents of Falls City.

The requested rate will raise approximately \$48,252 in 2023-2024, \$49,700 in 2024-2025, \$51,191 in 2025-2026, \$52,727 in 2026-2027, and \$54,309 in 2027-2028, for a total of \$256,179.

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

City of Independence

Measure No: 27-137

Caption: Prohibits psilocybin-related businesses within the City of Independence

Question: Shall the City of Independence prohibit psilocybin-related businesses within the City?

Summary: State law permits persons licensed, controlled and regulated by the State to legally manufacture psilocybin products and provide psilocybin services to persons 21 years of age and older. State law authorizes the governing bodies of cities and counties to adopt ordinances to be referred to the voters that prohibit the establishment of psilocybin product manufacturers and psilocybin service center operators within the area subject to the city or counties jurisdiction. The City of Independence is referring to the voters an ordinance

prohibiting psilocybin manufacturers and psilocybin service center operators within the City.

Approval of this measure would prohibit the establishment of psilocybin product manufacturers and psilocybin service center operators within the area subject to the City of Indpendence's jurisdiction.

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City of Salem

Measure No: 24-474

Caption: City of Salem Community Capital Improvements General Obligation Bond Authorization

Question: Shall Salem issue up to \$300,000,000 in bonds for streets, fire equipment, parks, affordable housing,

libraries, technology, and public safety?

Summary: The City of Salem seeks approval to issue general obligation bonds to finance capital costs of projects

expected to include:

Fire equipment, including fire engines and ladder trucks; Affordable housing; Construction and repair of streets and sidewalks, sidewalk connections and the Pringle Creek Path; Repairs to some bridges; Replacement of playground equipment at certain parks; Construction of coverings in certain parks; Construction and repair of City facilities; Two fire stations, two branch libraries and affordable housing; Technology improvements including cybersecurity and financial reporting system; Capitalized interest and costs of bond issuance.

Bond principal would not exceed \$300,000,000. Bonds may be issued in multiple series; each maturing within 30 years from issuance. The measure is not expected to increase Salem's bond tax rate above the current rate of \$1.20/\$1,000 of assessed value thanks to payments for existing bonds decreasing in the future. This is the current approximate rate experienced by Salem taxpayers. Actual rates may vary based upon interest rates incurred and changes in assessed value.

> Contest Total: 1

City of Willamina

Measure No: 36-217

Caption: Prohibits psilocybin businesses within Willamina. Prohibition sunsets after two years.

Question: Shall the City of Willamina declare a temporary ban prohibiting Psilocybin-related businesses and

manufacture of Psilocybin products within Willamina?

Summary: State law allows for the manufacturing, transportation, delivery, sale, and purchase of psilocybin, the psychedelic drug found in certain mushrooms. State law provides that a local government may adopt an ordinance to be referred to the voters to prohibit the establishment of licensed psilocybin product manufacturers and/or psilocybin service centers.

The Willamina City Council adopted an ordinance prohibiting the establishment of psilocybin product manufacturers and psilocybin service center operators within the City for a period of two years, which was referred to the voters per state law.

The two-year prohibition is intended to provide additional time for the City to enact reasonable time, place, and manner restrictions on licensed facilities.

Approval of this measure would prohibit the establishment of psilocybin product manufacturers and psilocybin service center operators within the City of Willamina until December 31, 2024.

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Philomath School District 17J Measure No: 2-137

Caption: Renewal of five-year local operating levy for K-12 education

Question: Shall district renew K-12 operating levy of \$1.50 per \$1,000 of assessed value for five years beginning

2023-2024? This measure renews current local option taxes.

Summary: This measure would continue the local option levy approved by voters in 2013 and renewed in 2018. If

renewed, the current levy rate would not increase from the originally approved 2013 rate.

The Philomath School District will use revenue to enact its vision "to graduate every student and transition each into a job, training, or college" by prioritizing small class sizes, full school days, instructional time, and programs such as performing and visual arts, forestry and manufacturing technology, foreign languages, advanced courses, athletics and activities, and the community pool. The district's four-year cohort graduation rate is currently 90%.

Since passing the current levy, the district has maintained all licensed staff, current program offerings, and all school days, despite decreased enrollment. If funding is not renewed, the district would need to make staffing and program cuts.

The proposed levy will raise approximately \$1.12 million in 2023-2024, \$1.15 million in 2024-2025, \$1.19 million in 2025-2026, \$1.23 million in 2026-2027, and \$1.26 million in 2027-2028 for a total of \$5.95 million.

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Sheridan School District 48J Measure No: 36-222

Caption: Bonds to Improve School Safety and Facilities, Accessing State Grant

Shall Sheridan School District No. 48J issue \$16,000,000 principal amount of bonds to renovate schools,

safety improvements; receive \$4,000,000 grant? If the bonds are approved, they will be payable form 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: The District has been awarded a \$4,000,000 State grant that will be available only if this bond measure is

approved.

If approved, this measure would finance capital costs, which may include:

Sheridan High School

Create more secure school entrance

Remodel original gymnasium

Renovate old locker rooms to team rooms

Add/ improve restrooms

New fire alarm and communications systems

Remodel existing main office and science classroom

Entry, exterior and interior security upgrades

Improve and expand parking

Expand Career and Technical Education programs

Faulconer - Chapman School Create more secure school entrance Remodel original gymnasium and locker rooms Renovate choir and music rooms

Entry, exterior and interior security upgrades

District would establish a citizen oversight committee to ensure proceeds are used for purposes indicated.

Bonds may be issued in multiple series; each maturing within 25 years from issuance. The annual tax rate is estimated to continue at last year's tax rate of approximately \$2.66 per \$1,000 of taxable assesed value. Actual levy rates may differ due to final interest rates and changes in taxable assessed value.

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