



Kitsap County

Official Local Voters' Pamphlet

General Election - November 2, 2021



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Ballots will be mailed by October 15

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Dear Kitsap County Voters:

“Please come watch our process in person.”

This is one of the most common responses we offer to voters who have questions, and sometimes concerns, about how we process ballots during an election. Please come watch our process in person.

You have, no doubt, heard the phrase “Sunlight is the best disinfectant.” It’s a statement with roots in poetry by Ralph Waldo Emerson in 1860. But it also works literally in science and these days is most associated with government openness.

For the past several years the Kitsap County Auditor’s Office has sought ways to get more people witnessing what we do. It’s one of the reasons we installed a webcam that shows the main processing room.

For in person observation, we’ve traditionally made written invitations to both Kitsap branches of the major political parties, and they consistently have observers in the room when we process ballots. But you don’t have to be tied to a party to watch us work in person.

This year we will offer an evening training on October 18 for anyone interested in learning how the process works. We’ll meet to talk about how we do what we do, the rules we follow and how observers can get their questions answered as the work continues. Look for the ad later in this pamphlet for more details.

We are grateful to do the work we do, carrying out a vital function of American democracy. This election features races for some of the offices that have the most direct impact on Kitsap residents, and we hope to do all we can to provide the information you need. That includes what’s in this pamphlet. Use this as a guide to learn about your candidates, ballot measures, deadlines and where you can deposit your ballot. This is one more way we work to let in more sunlight.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Paul Andrews".

Paul Andrews
Kitsap County Auditor

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614 Division St., MS-31
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On the Cover

This election is statewide and the Kitsap County Election has candidates and measures in 38 different districts.

Contact Information

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Office Hours

8 a.m. – 4:30 p.m., Monday – Thursday
9 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. Friday
(COVID-19 Update: Office hours are subject to change)

Additional Sources of Information

Facebook
www.facebook.com/kitsapcountyauditor

Twitter
www.twitter.com/kitsapauditor

YouTube
www.youtube.com/user/KitsapAuditor

Washington Secretary of State
www.sos.wa.gov/elections

Federal Voting Assistance Program
www.fvap.gov

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Voter Information

State Measures

The Secretary of State's Office will publish a voters' pamphlet that includes all statewide measures. The state pamphlet will be delivered by the U.S. Post Office to all households in Kitsap County and is also available online at: www.votewa.gov.

General Election Ballot

State measures will appear on the ballot followed by local offices and measures.

If a Primary was held, the two candidates that received the most votes in the Primary and received at least 1 percent of the votes cast for that office appear on the General Election ballot. The candidate that received the most votes in the Primary is listed first. Candidates that did not appear in the Primary are listed in the order determined by lottery draw.

Questions or Need a Replacement Ballot?

If you have not received your ballot by **Oct. 21** or if your ballot is damaged or lost, a replacement may be obtained by calling the Kitsap County Auditor – Elections Division at (360) 337-7128.

Military, Overseas and Early Ballots

If you are a military or overseas voter or if you believe your ballot will not be received in time to vote, you may request your ballot be sent by email or request an early ballot up to 90 days before an election. Early ballots list only contests known at the time of the request. To request an email ballot or early ballot, visit: kcowa.us/earlyvote or call the Kitsap County Auditor – Elections Division at (360) 337-7128.

Additional information for military and overseas voters is available from the Federal Voting Assistance Program at: www.fvap.gov.

Your Right to Privacy

Every voter has the right to vote his or her ballot in secret. A person voting when he or she is not qualified, or falsely signing the Voter Declaration, is a felony punishable by up to five years of imprisonment or a maximum fine of \$10,000, or both imprisonment and fine.

Email or Faxed Ballots

You may request that a ballot be emailed or faxed to you by contacting the Kitsap County Auditor's Office. Almost all voters still must return ballots by mail or dropbox.

Write-Ins – Which Votes Can Be Counted

Write-in votes can only be counted if:

- The candidate filed a declaration of Write-in Candidacy, and;
- In a General Election there are enough write-in votes for a candidate to win, or in a Primary if there are enough votes for a candidate to come in second place.

Candidate Statements and Committee Arguments

The Local Voters' Pamphlet includes statements submitted by candidates running for offices and committees regarding ballot measures. Statements and arguments printed in this pamphlet are the opinions of the authors. The Auditor's Office is not responsible for the content of statements or their factual and grammatical accuracy.

Participating Jurisdictions

Districts participating in this Local Voters' Pamphlet are: State of Washington, Kitsap County, City of Bainbridge Island, City of Bremerton, City of Port Orchard, City of Poulsbo, Bremerton School District No.100-C, Bainbridge Island School District No. 303, North Kitsap School District No. 400, Central Kitsap School District No. 401, South Kitsap School District No. 402, North Mason School District No. 403, Bainbridge Island Fire Department, Central Kitsap Fire and Rescue, Kitsap County Fire Protection District No. 18, North Kitsap Fire & Rescue, North Mason Regional Fire Authority, South Kitsap Fire and Rescue, Port of Bremerton District No. 1, Port of Brownsville District No. 2, Port of Eglon District No. 4, Port of Illahee District No. 6, Port of Indianola District No. 7, Port of Keyport District No. 8, Port of Kingston District No. 9, Port of Manchester District No. 10, Port of Poulsbo District No. 12, Port of Silverdale District No. 14, Port of Tracyton District No. 15, Port of Waterman District No. 16, Kitsap County Sewer District No. 7, West Sound Utility District No. 1, Manchester Water District No. 11, North Perry Water District No. 13, Sunnyslope Water District No. 15, Silverdale Water District No. 16, Bainbridge Island Metropolitan Park & Recreation District, Village Green Metropolitan Park District.

Register to Vote

Who May Vote

To be eligible to vote, one must register and be:

- A citizen of the United States.
- A legal resident of the state of Washington.
- 18 years of age by the next election.
- Not under the authority of the Department of Corrections for a Washington felony conviction.
- Not disqualified from voting due to a court order.

How to Register

- Online at www.VoteWA.gov.
- Complete a mail-in registration form available at libraries, city halls, public schools, fire district offices and at the County Auditor's Office.
- When you renew your driver's license.

Update Your Voter Record if You Move

If you are already registered to vote in Kitsap County, update your voter record online at: www.VoteWA.gov through October 25. You may also email the Kitsap County Auditor – Elections Division at auditor@co.kitsap.wa.us or call 360-337-7128. Address changes can be made in person until 8 p.m. on Election Day at the Kitsap County Auditor's Office and at the Vote Centers. Dates and locations follow. A new voter registration card will be mailed after your address change is processed.

When to Register

Individuals may register to vote at any time. To vote in the November 2 General election, the deadlines are:

- **October 25:** Deadline for **mail and online** voter registrations, updates and changes.
- **November 2:** **In-person** deadline for voter registrations, updates and changes. Citizens may register until 8 p.m. on Election Day by appearing in person at the County Auditor's Office. Registration will also be available the Saturday and Monday before Election Day and on Election Day at the Vote Centers at the Marvin Williams Recreation Center and the Poulsbo Fire Station.

Name Change

If you have legally changed your name, you must complete a new voter registration application. Your new signature is used to validate your ballot.

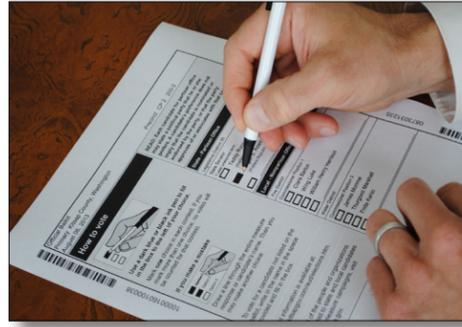
To Cancel Your Voter Registration

You may sign a form requesting to cancel your registration. In the case of a deceased voter, a family member may sign a form authorizing a cancellation. The form is available by contacting the Kitsap County Auditor's Office or at <https://www.kitsapgov.com/auditor/Documents/CancellationForm.pdf>.

Mark and Return Your Ballot

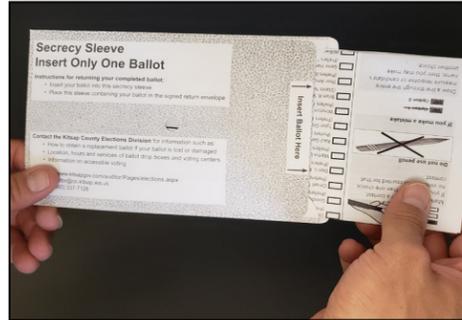
How to vote

Use a dark blue or black ink pen to completely fill in the box to the left of your choice. **Do not use pencil.** Mark one choice in each contest. If you mark more than one choice, no votes will be counted for that contest.



Secure

Place the voted ballot in the secrecy sleeve. Place the secrecy sleeve inside the lavender return envelope.



Sign, Date and Seal

Read, sign and date the Ballot Declaration on the lavender return envelope.

- The lavender return envelope must be signed by you in order for your ballot to be counted.
- Sign your name in dark ink.
- Seal the lavender return envelope.



Ballot Drop Boxes

Use one of the 25 Kitsap County 24-hour ballot drop boxes listed on page 4.

Ballot drop boxes close at 8 p.m. on Election Day.



Mail

Mail your ballot early enough to be postmarked on time. We recommend you mail your ballot by Oct. 26, one week before voting ends.



Ballot Marking Tips and Reminders

Ballot marking errors and writing in fake names require additional staff review, which slows down ballot processing. Help us improve efficiency by avoiding these common errors:

Do not circle:



Do not check:



Do not X:



Do not use pencil:



No single lines:



No fake write-ins



Bean "Gus" Moniker

Vote Centers and Accessible Voting

Federal law requires jurisdictions to provide vote centers with certified accessible voting devices which enable voters with disabilities to cast their ballots independently and in private. Accessible Voting Units provide all contests in audio and high-contrast text formats and are available beginning 18 days prior to the General Election.

Before Election Day

October 15 through October 29

8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Thursday

9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Friday

(COVID-19 Update: Office hours are subject to change.)

Kitsap County Auditor's Office

619 Division St, Port Orchard, WA 98366

Vote Centers

Saturday Oct. 30, Monday, Nov. 1, 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Election Day, Tuesday, Nov. 2, 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.

- Kitsap County Administration Building
619 Division Street, Port Orchard, WA 98366
- Marvin Williams Recreation Center
725 Park Avenue, Bremerton, WA 98337
- Poulsbo Fire Station
911 NE Liberty Road, Poulsbo, WA 98370

Online Ballot Access

Kitsap County Elections provides an accessible online Local Voters' Pamphlet. The online pamphlet also allows voters to access their specific ballot using the internet.

It is compatible with commonly used accessibility software such as screen readers and screen magnifiers, and allows for navigation without the use of a mouse and without having to see the cursor on the screen. All candidate video statements are close captioned.

Through Online Ballot Access at VoteWA.gov, you may verify that Kitsap County Elections has received your ballot using the Ballot Status feature.

Online Ballot Access is available beginning 18 days prior to the General Election at: VoteWA.gov.

24-Hour Ballot Drop Boxes

Voters are encouraged to use a ballot drop box. Ballot drop boxes provide a safe, secure way for voters to deposit their ballots.

Ballot drop boxes are available 24 hours a day beginning Oct. 15, 2021, until 8 p.m. on Election Day.

Bainbridge Island School District

8489 Madison Avenue NE
Bainbridge Island, WA 98110

Bremerton - Downtown

Norm Dicks Government Center
345 6th Street
Bremerton, WA 98337

Bremerton - East

Kitsap Regional Library, Sylvan Way
1301 Sylvan Way
Bremerton, WA 98310

Bremerton - Marvin Williams

Recreation Center
725 Park Avenue
Bremerton, WA 98337

Burley Store

14972 Bethel-Burley Road SE
Port Orchard, WA 98367

Hansville - Norwegian Point Park

38950 Hansville Road NE
Hansville, WA 98340

Indianola Tennis Courts

20761 Greenwood Street NE
Indianola, WA 98342

Keyport - Central Park

15378 Washington Avenue NE
Keyport, WA 98345

Kingston - North Kitsap Fire & Rescue

26642 Miller Bay Road NE
Kingston, WA 98346

Kingston - Village Green Park

10810 NE West Kingston Road
Kingston, WA 98346

Manchester Stormwater Park

2399 Colchester Drive E
Port Orchard, WA 98366

Naval Base Kitsap - Bangor

2500 Ohio Street
NSB Silverdale, WA 98315

Naval Base Kitsap - Bremerton

886 Barclay Street
Bremerton, WA 98314

Navy Yard City

West Side Improvement Club
4109 West E Street
Bremerton, WA 98312

Port Gamble - S'Klallam Tribal Center

31912 Little Boston Road NE
Kingston, WA 98346

Port Orchard

Kitsap County Auditor's Office
619 Division Street
Port Orchard, WA 98366

Port Orchard (East) - SKFR Station 8

1974 Fircrest Drive SE
Port Orchard, WA 98366

Port Orchard (Glenwood) - SKFR Station 17

7990 McCormick Woods Drive SW
Port Orchard, WA 98367

Poulsbo Fire Station

911 NE Liberty Road
Poulsbo, WA 98370

Poulsbo - Olympic College

1000 Olympic College Way NW
Poulsbo, WA 98370

Seabeck - Green Mountain Elementary School

3860 Boundary Trail NW
Bremerton, WA 98312

Silverdale - CK School District

(Jenne-Wright Building)
9210 Silverdale Way NW
Silverdale, WA 98383

Southworth WSF Terminal

11677 SE Southworth Ferry Drive
Port Orchard, WA 98366
(Near ferry terminal entrance.)

Suquamish Tribal Council Bldg.

18490 Suquamish Way NE
Suquamish, WA 98392

Tracyton - Bremerton Elks, Lodge 1181

4131 Pine Road NE
Bremerton, WA 98310

Sample Ballot
General Election
November 2, 2021
Kitsap County, Washington

This ballot contains all contests that will appear on the November 2, 2021 General Election ballot. Only the ballot issues that apply to the precinct where you are registered to vote will appear on your ballot.

How to vote this ballot

Use dark blue or black ink to fill in the box to the left of your choice.



Mark **one** choice for a contest. If you mark more than one choice, no votes will be counted for that contest.

Do not use pencil



If you make a mistake



Draw a line through the entire measure response or candidate's name, then you may make another choice.

To vote for a candidate **not** listed on the ballot, write their name in the space provided and fill in the box.

Ballot drop locations, vote centers and accessible voting information is available online at: kcowa.us/vote

For a list of the people and organizations that donated to state and local candidates and ballot measure campaigns, visit www.pdc.wa.gov.

State Measures

Advisory Vote No. 36
Engrossed Second Substitute House Bill 1477
 The legislature imposed, without a vote of the people, a 988 behavioral health crisis response and suicide prevention tax on telephone lines, costing \$432,000,000 in its first ten years, for government spending.

This tax increase should be:

Repealed
 Maintained

Advisory Vote No. 37
Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill 5096
 The legislature imposed, without a vote of the people, a 7% tax on capital gains in excess of \$250,000, with exceptions, costing \$5,736,000,000 in its first ten years, for government spending.

This tax increase should be:

Repealed
 Maintained

Advisory Vote No. 38
Second Substitute Senate Bill 5315
 The legislature imposed, without a vote of the people, a tax on captive insurers in the amount of 2% of premiums from owners/affiliates, costing \$53,000,000 in its first ten years, for government spending.

This tax increase should be:

Repealed
 Maintained

Local Measures and Nonpartisan Offices

Kitsap County Proposition No. 1
Office of Kitsap County Medical Examiner
 The Kitsap County Board of Commissioners adopted Resolution No. 098-2021 proposing creation of the Office of the Kitsap County Medical Examiner. If this proposition is approved, the current County Coroner's office will be replaced with an Office of the Kitsap County Medical Examiner, effective January 1, 2023 (or sooner if the Coroner's office becomes vacant before then), in accordance with RCW 36.24.190. The new office will be a department of the government of Kitsap County, having all of the rights and duties set forth in the Revised Code of Washington, including chapters 36.24 and 68.50.

Should this proposition be approved?

Yes
 No

Kitsap County Proposition No. 2
Kitsap 911 Emergency Communication Systems and Facilities Sales and Use Tax
 The Kitsap County Board of Commissioners adopted Resolution No. 114-2021 concerning an emergency communication systems and facilities sales and use tax. If approved, this proposition would authorize the imposition of an additional one-tenth of one percent of sales and use tax for a total rate of two-tenths of one percent (0.2%) for the purpose of providing funds for Kitsap 911 for costs associated with financing, design, acquisition, construction, equipping, operating, maintaining, remodeling, repairing, reequipping, and improvement of emergency communication systems and facilities, pursuant to RCW 82.14.420.

Should this proposition be approved?

Yes
 No

Municipal Districts

City of Bainbridge Island Council District 2 North Ward
 Unexpired 2-year term

Brenda Fantroy-Johnson
 Chris Smith

City of Bainbridge Island Council District 3 South Ward
 Short and full 4-year term

Jon Quitslund
 Kent Scott

City of Bainbridge Island Council District 5 Central Ward

Clarence Moriwaki
 Rasham Nassar

City of Bainbridge Island Council District 7 North Ward

Joe Deets
 Ron Peltier

City of Bremerton Mayor

Greg Wheeler
 William (Bill) Broughton

City of Bremerton Council District 1

Tony A. Stephens
 Jennifer Chamberlin

City of Bremerton Council District 3

Melissa Watkinson
 Jeff Coughlin

City of Bremerton Council District 5

Matthew Adams
 Michael Goodnow

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City of Bremerton Council District 6
 Unexpired 2-year term
 Mike Simpson
 Anna Mockler

City of Bremerton Council District 7
 Eric Younger
 Art Pettigru

City of Bremerton Municipal Court Judge
 Thomas (Tom) E. Weaver
 Tracy Flood

City of Port Orchard Council Position 2
 Jay Rosapepe
 Randy Jones

City of Port Orchard Council Position 3
 Heidi Fenton
 Scott Diener

City of Port Orchard Council Position 6
 Kaylan O'Connor
 Fred Chang

City of Port Orchard Council At-Large
 Mark Trenary
 Shaun Williams

City of Poulsbo Mayor
 Becky Erickson

City of Poulsbo Council Position 5
 Ed Stern

City of Poulsbo Council Position 6
 David Musgrove

City of Poulsbo Council Position 7
 Gary McVey

School Districts

Bremerton School District No. 100-C Director Position 4
 Alyson Rotter

Bremerton School District No. 100-C Director Position 5
 Kevin M. Keys
 Carolynn Perkins

Bainbridge Island School District No. 303 Director District 2
 Robert Cromwell

Bainbridge Island School District No. 303 Director District 5
 Mark D. Emerson

North Kitsap School District No. 400 Director District 1
 Richard (Rick) Eckert
 Michael Duchemin

North Kitsap School District No. 400 Director District 3
 Breane Martinez

Central Kitsap School District No. 401 Director District 1
 Sherese D. Hegwood
 Denise Tracy

Central Kitsap School District No. 401 Director District 5
 Eric K. Greene

South Kitsap School District No. 402 Director District 3
 Brian Pickard
 Anna Schroeder

South Kitsap School District No. 402 Director District 4
 Jeffrey (Jefé) Wilson
 Gregg Anderson

North Mason School District No. 403 Director District No. 2
 Leanna K. Krotzer

North Mason School District No. 403 Director District No. 5
 Michael Curtin
 Arla Shephard Bull

North Mason School District No. 403
Renewal of Educational Programs and Operations Levy

The Board of Directors of North Mason School District adopted Resolution No. #14-G-21, concerning a proposition for a renewal levy for education funding. This proposition authorizes the District to levy the following excess taxes to renew an expired levy, on all taxable property within the District, to maintain the District's educational programs and operations, which are not funded or fully funded by the State:

Collection Year	Estimated Levy Rate/\$1,000 Assessed Value*	Levy Amount
2022	\$1.32	\$3,831,125
2023	\$1.32	\$3,831,125
2024	\$1.32	\$3,831,125
2025	\$1.32	\$3,831,125

*to be adjusted for changes in assessed value

Should this proposition be approved?
 Levy...Yes
 Levy...No

Fire Districts

Bainbridge Island Fire Department Commissioner Position 1
 Scott Isenman

Bainbridge Island Fire Department Commissioner Position 3
 Unexpired 2-year term
 Andrea Chymiy
 Robert S. Peterson

Bainbridge Island Fire Department Commissioner Position 5
 David Dunn
 Tim Carey

Central Kitsap Fire and Rescue Commissioner Position 1
 Jorge Nolasco
 Nate Andrews

Vote Both Sides of the Ballot

Sample Ballot
 General Election
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 Kitsap County, Washington

Kitsap County Fire Protection District No. 18 Commissioner Position 1 <input type="checkbox"/> James A. Ingalls <input type="checkbox"/> -----	Port of Illahee District No. 6 Commissioner Position 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Amber Bartz <input type="checkbox"/> -----	Port of Silverdale District No. 14 Commissioner District 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Ed Scholfield <input type="checkbox"/> -----	Sunnyslope Water District No. 15 Commissioner Position 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Paul Kenfield <input type="checkbox"/> -----
North Kitsap Fire & Rescue Commissioner Position 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Wilson R. (Will) Stewart <input type="checkbox"/> -----	Port of Indianola District No. 7 Commissioner District 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Eric Cookson <input type="checkbox"/> -----	Port of Tracyton District No. 15 Commissioner District 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Brian Davison <input type="checkbox"/> -----	Silverdale Water District No. 16 Commissioner Position 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Joy Ramsdell <input type="checkbox"/> Heidi Hottinger <input type="checkbox"/> -----
North Kitsap Fire & Rescue Commissioner Position 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Gillian A. Gregory <input type="checkbox"/> -----	Port of Keyport District No. 8 Commissioner Position 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Donald D. McCracken <input type="checkbox"/> -----	Port of Waterman District No. 16 Commissioner District 2 Unexpired 4-year term <input type="checkbox"/> Jeffrey Acoba <input type="checkbox"/> -----	Park Districts
North Mason Regional Fire Authority Commissioner Position 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Paul M Severson Jr <input type="checkbox"/> -----	Port of Kingston District No. 9 Commissioner District 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Mary McClure <input type="checkbox"/> -----	Port of Waterman District No. 16 Commissioner District 3 Short and full 6-year term <input type="checkbox"/> Casey Guthrie <input type="checkbox"/> -----	Bainbridge Island Metropolitan Park & Recreation District Commissioner Position 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Ken DeWitt <input type="checkbox"/> -----
North Mason Regional Fire Authority Commissioner Position 5 <input type="checkbox"/> Bob Miller <input type="checkbox"/> -----	Port of Manchester District No. 10 Commissioner Position 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Lary Coppola <input type="checkbox"/> Christopher R. Binns <input type="checkbox"/> -----	Utility District	Bainbridge Island Metropolitan Park & Recreation District Commissioner Position 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Jay Kinney <input type="checkbox"/> -----
South Kitsap Fire and Rescue Commissioner Position 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Gerald Preuss <input type="checkbox"/> -----	Port of Manchester District No. 10 Commissioner Position 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Bob Ballard <input type="checkbox"/> -----	Kitsap County Sewer District No. 7 Commissioner Position 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Sarah Lee <input type="checkbox"/> -----	Bainbridge Island Metropolitan Park & Recreation District Commissioner Position 5 Unexpired 2-year term <input type="checkbox"/> Tom Goodlin <input type="checkbox"/> David Maron <input type="checkbox"/> -----
South Kitsap Fire and Rescue Commissioner Position 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Kyle Joyce <input type="checkbox"/> Mike Smith <input type="checkbox"/> -----	Port of Poulsbo District No. 12 Commissioner Position 2 Short and full 6-year term <input type="checkbox"/> Jamie Green <input type="checkbox"/> -----	West Sound Utility District No. 1 Commissioner Position 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Susan Way <input type="checkbox"/> Jessie Rude <input type="checkbox"/> -----	Village Green Metropolitan Park District Commissioner Position 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Bobbie Moore <input type="checkbox"/> Sherri Kelsay <input type="checkbox"/> -----
Port Districts	Port of Poulsbo District No. 12 Commissioner Position 3 Unexpired 2-year term <input type="checkbox"/> Thomas K. Rose <input type="checkbox"/> -----	Water Districts	Village Green Metropolitan Park District Commissioner Position 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Patrick M. Pearson <input type="checkbox"/> -----
Port of Bremerton District No. 1 Commissioner District 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Cary Bozeman <input type="checkbox"/> -----	Port of Silverdale District No. 14 Commissioner District 2 Unexpired 2-year term <input type="checkbox"/> Doug Kitchens <input type="checkbox"/> -----	Manchester Water District No. 11 Commissioner Position 3 <input type="checkbox"/> James E. Strode <input type="checkbox"/> Sabina Fiore <input type="checkbox"/> -----	Village Green Metropolitan Park District Commissioner Position 5 Unexpired 4-year term <input type="checkbox"/> Bob Netzel <input type="checkbox"/> Ben Nimmons <input type="checkbox"/> -----
Port of Brownsville District No. 2 Commissioner District 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Mathew Messing <input type="checkbox"/> Fred Perkins IV <input type="checkbox"/> -----	Port of Eglon District No. 4 Commissioner District 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Russell Cordiner <input type="checkbox"/> -----	North Perry Water District No. 13 Commissioner Position 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Damon Sallee <input type="checkbox"/> Jeff Rupert <input type="checkbox"/> -----	

Witness Democracy at Work



Observe ballot processing in person.

Ballot processing is a public meeting. Come watch us work in person as we:

- Test our tabulation system (October 12)
- Receive ballots
- Verify signatures
- Separate the ballots from the envelopes
- Review ballots for any marks or damage that would keep them from scanning correctly
- Duplicate ballots that cannot be scanned
- Scan ballots
- Review ballots for voter intent
- Audit our tabulation system
- Certify the election

Anyone wishing to observe the process or just learn more details about our rules and procedures is invited to a training offered by Kitsap County Elections. Staff members will go over the processes described above and answer questions. The training will be:

**6 p.m., Monday, October 18, 2021
Kitsap County Commissioner Chambers
Kitsap County Administration Building
619 Division Street, Port Orchard, WA 98366**

To reserve a spot at the training, go to kcowa.us/elections and in the General Election box click on "[Observe Ballot Processing](#)," email us at auditor@co.kitsap.wa.us or call us at (360) 337-7128.

Thank you!

Municipal Districts

City of Bainbridge Island – Council District 2 North Ward – 2-year unexpired term



Brenda Fantroy-Johnson
(Nonpartisan)

Phone: (646) 379-0525

Email: Brenda@brendaforcitycouncil.com

Website: www.BrendaForCityCouncil.com

Elected Experience: City Council Member, appointed in 2020.

Professional Experience: Risk Management at AT&T since 2007; Security Awareness Lead at Nordstrom in 2006; Security Analyst at State of Michigan from 1988 - 2005.

Volunteer Experience: Boardmember of Housing Kitsap; Committee Member and City Liaison for Bainbridge Public Art Committee; Founding Member Race Equity Task Force; Member of PSRC Regional Housing Strategy; Facilitator of Let's Talk Series at Bainbridge Island Senior Center.

Education: M.B.A. from Spring Arbor University; B.A. in Information Security from Davenport University.

Statement: As a Bainbridge Island City Council member, I have worked tirelessly to make sure that my constituents' voices have been heard. Bainbridge wants an island that is sustainable, fiscally responsible, and equitable. My voting record on council has consistently amplified the voices of my constituents around issues such as conscientious development, advocating for islandwide sustainable transportation, increasing islander access to affordable housing, and empowering the Race Equity Advisory Committee.

I have been active in local government as a member of the Sustainable Transportation Task Force, the Climate Change Action Committee, and was part of the interview committee for the Planning Commission. As your City Councilperson I will continue working towards mitigating the effects of climate change, increasing racial equity, fighting for environmentally responsible affordable housing, and creating public transportation -- all through fiscally responsible, community-informed decision making.

My decades of leadership in the private sector coupled with a foundation of grassroots advocacy has yielded a track record of successfully collaborating with diverse stakeholders. Regardless of where each of us stands on policy, it's of utmost importance that all City Council members listen to the citizenry and work collaboratively to represent all of the people of Bainbridge Island.



Chris Smith
(Nonpartisan)

Phone: (206) 351-5401

Email: csmith4bicouncil@gmail.com

Website: <https://www.chrissmith4bicouncil.com>

Professional Experience: I grew up in an Air Force family, and my youth in locations all over the world. I began my military service after college, and after 6 years, I finished as a Captain in the 82nd Airborne Division.

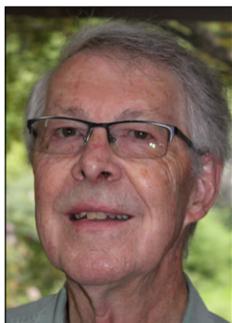
I then spent 30 years at IBM in various sales and management positions, after which I began teaching flying. In that role I earned the FAA designation as a Gold Seal Flight Instructor in 2020.

Education: Political Science, specializing in Constitutional Law from the University of Arkansas; MBA from the University of Utah.

Statement: I am asking for your vote for City Council, North Ward. I have lived on Bainbridge Island for 25 years with my wife, Kerry. In that time, like all Bainbridge Islanders, I have seen many changes.

These changes will continue, bringing various challenges, including safe sustainable transportation, land use, affordable housing, and high-speed communications. Building an environmentally sustainable future demands reimagined stewardship. I come with a broad range of experience, and a diversity of ideas well suited to help steer Bainbridge Island into the coming decades. My focus is on meeting the challenges to come and preserving the Bainbridge Island character we have all come to love.

City of Bainbridge Island – Council District 3 South Ward – Short and full 4-year term



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Professional Experience: Career as a Professor of English at George Washington University.

Education: BA in Literature, Reed College; PhD in English Literature, Princeton University.

Community Service: Board Member, Bainbridge Island Historical Museum; Board Member and Secretary, Sustainable Bainbridge. 2025 Growth Advisory Committee; COBI Planning Commission. Regular columnist for Kitsap Sun and Islander; blog writer for Sustainable Bainbridge.

Statement: I grew up here. In the 20 years since returning home, I have been involved in planning for the future of Bainbridge Island. I have witnessed many changes in the Island's natural systems, as well as in our population and the built environment. I understand the need to anticipate and adapt to change -- some that is beyond local control. Change must be thoughtfully managed.

Years of community service, including nine years on the Planning Commission, plus an aptitude for 'big picture' thinking and a commitment to problem-solving through teamwork, have shown me that making positive change takes hard work and patience. I think like a long-range planner, and I pay attention to details. I was creatively involved throughout the last Comprehensive Plan update, and I've contributed to its systematic implementation, involving much-needed revisions to the Municipal Code.

The Council has undertaken several ambitious action plans, addressing climate change, housing needs, and transportation networks. Work has begun on an overdue revision of the SMP. Updates to the Winslow Master Plan and the Comprehensive Plan may begin next year. I am eager to work with others on these projects, as well as on the week-to-week business of city governance.



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Biography: Kent is a Western Washington native and an Island resident for over three decades shepherding a small farm on Old Mill Road, raising a family, and running to the boat for the daily commute. He has been involved in Island issues including, public art, open space, design guidelines, non-motorized safety, affordable housing, and natural system stewardship. His background in planning and design throughout the US and Asia has focussed on public process and participation, urban design, housing, as well as environmental protection and education. Kent is committed to preserving and enhancing the quality of life on Bainbridge.

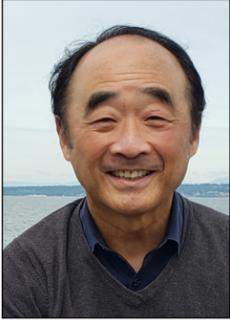
Statement: Kent is committed to A Better Bainbridge. The Island's Comprehensive Plan envisions an Island community that protects rural character and natural systems, supports culture, encourages sustainability, accepts wise development, and embraces equity and diversity. Kent believes in and will work to support this vision.

Change has not only been a constant but the pace of change has accelerated. Island government must plan and create policies that ensure future change supports the Comp Plan and the needs of current and future residents through wise fiscal choices and effective leadership.

Kent has been involved in Island issues for over 30 years serving on the Open Space, Design, and Public Art Commissions,, has been an advocate for non-motorized safety in the public roads, as well as involvement with shoreline management, affordable housing, parks, and sustainability.

Kent is running for Council to be an engaged and committed advocate for a better Bainbridge that will wisely guide the Island toward a future that protects the reasons Island residents have chosen to live in this beautiful small community that offers so much to our children, our neighbors and friends, and our families. Please vote for Kent to protect and ensure the Island quality of life.

City of Bainbridge Island – Council District 5 Central Ward – 4-year term



Clarence Moriwaki

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Elected Experience: Tukwila City Council Member; Delegate, multiple Washington State Democratic Party Conventions

Other Professional Experience: Senior aide and spokesperson: Clinton Administration, US Office of Forestry and Economic Development; Office of Governor Mike Lowry; Office of Congressman Jay Inslee; Washington State Senate; Kitsap County Commissioners' Office; Sound Transit; Portland Rose Festival Association. Speakers Bureau Member, Humanities Washington; Campaign Manager, ACLU of Washington

Education: University of Washington, B.A.

Community Service: Bainbridge Island Japanese American Exclusion Memorial Association; Bainbridge Island Japanese American Community; Bainbridge Island Health, Housing and Human Services Council; Friends of Pritchard Park; Co-Chair, King County Human Services Roundtable

Statement: Respected community leader. Experienced. Passionate advocate. For over 20 years Clarence has lived, worked and volunteered countless hours dedicated to serving our island community. For his years of service, Clarence was named the 2017 Bainbridge Island Citizen of the Year, and scores of our fellow citizens have proudly endorsed him, including US Congressman Derek Kilmer.

Clarence was a leading force behind the creation of Kitsap County's only National Historic Site, the Bainbridge Island Japanese American Exclusion Memorial. Throughout his decades of community service and professional career, Clarence has a proven track record of thoughtful, reasoned leadership, successfully bringing people together and finding common ground.

A forthright champion for human and civil rights, equality and justice, Clarence is a sought-after public speaker who has addressed audiences world-wide. As a compassionate Tukwila City Councilmember, Clarence established the city's first ever Human Services Program and the Sensitive Areas Ordinance preserving and protecting the environment from intrusive development.

Clarence will bring a depth of seasoned governmental experience to city council service. He'll utilize his sensible, commonsense approach to problem solving; listen to and respect all sides of an issue; and pledge to adhere to all norms, rules, regulations and ethics required of elected officials.



Rasham Nassar

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Biography: Mother of two children in BI schools; BI City Councilmember (2018-2021); Mayor (2021). Committees I have served on include: Environmental Technical

Advisory, Race Equity, Tree Preservation, Utility Advisory, Lodging Tax, Kitsap Regional Coordinating Council; Summer Associate, Marten Law (2021), Commercial Appraiser Assistant (2013-2017), Small Farm Owner (2014-2020).

Education: University of California, Berkeley, BA Philosophy, Appraisal Institute, Seattle, Certification.

Community Service: Legal advocate for low-income clients; directed mentorship program for at-risk youth; animal shelter volunteer, organic farm owner, community food recycling program volunteer. Advocate for environmental protection, social justice, sustainability, fiscal responsibility and regulatory reform.

Statement: Since elected, I have consistently voted to protect the natural environment, manage growth, sustain our groundwater, preserve our rural character and open space, and advocate for social justice and equity. I bring an energetic, innovative, and collaborative decision-making style to the City Council that gets results. My priorities: continue to oppose out-of-scale projects and overdevelopment; support sustainable groundwater management; support open space acquisition and simple but effective shoreline management rules; increase support for social and senior services; enact Race Equity Advisory Committee policy recommendations; develop workable affordable housing policies; streamline unnecessarily complex regulations; implement our Climate Action Plan to develop clean energy programs and to guide our community to net-zero greenhouse gas emissions by 2040; improve electric vehicle access; streamline permitting and provide homeowner incentives for green construction of affordable low-carbon homes and rooftop solar; improve safe, cost-effective alternative transportation routes island-wide.

I will continue to lead the City Council towards more fiscally responsible, consensus-based decision-making. We need transparency to ensure all voices are heard and all concerns acknowledged and addressed. We must be responsible to taxpayers and ensure everyone has a say in how those dollars are spent. We must be fair and objective in assessing community needs.

Election

Important Dates General Election 2021



Deadline for the county to mail ballots. In most elections ballots go out one or two days ahead of deadline, so your ballot might arrive on October 15 or shortly after.



Deadline to receive new registrations and voter updates online and by mail for the November General Election.



ELECTION DAY Deadline for in-person registration and voter updates for the November General Election.



Random Batch Audit of Kitsap County ballot counting equipment.



General Election certification by the Kitsap County Elections Canvassing Board.

City of Bainbridge Island – Council District 7 North Ward – 4-year term



Joe Deets

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Elected Experience: City Councilmember, Bainbridge Island, 2018-2021.

Other Professional Experience: Fifteen years in the solar industry, Joe is recognized for his innovative work in community solar. He has enabled thousands of people to switch to clean energy solutions. Joe also worked for the Hong Kong government as a financial market regulator, where he protected small investors.

Education: University of Montana, Bachelor's Degree in Finance; Seattle University, Master's Degree in Business Administration; Antioch University, Master's Degree in Environment and Community.

Community Service: Bainbridge Island Emergency Medical Responder (BIEMR), active in pandemic response; Ethics Board chair, City of Bainbridge Island; Solar Washington board member; Hospice of Kitsap County volunteer.

Statement: It is with humility, optimism, and purpose that I seek re-election to the Council. Bainbridge has been my family home since 2000. Its natural environment and sense of community make it a wonderful place to live. However, the pandemic has exposed our vulnerabilities. *It is essential that we strengthen our resiliency and work together to become a more environmentally sound, economically viable and socially equitable community.*

Bainbridge needs experienced leaders who focus on the issues. Here are concrete examples of my record on the above:

I took the lead on the City's ambitious Climate Action Plan. The hard part, implementation, lies ahead and I will provide the continuity needed to roll out the plan. I led Council's efforts to aid businesses during the pandemic and support the fair treatment of workers, as they are integral members of our community. I enthusiastically supported the first women of color to serve on Council and the Planning Commission to create greater representation in our governing bodies. I also served as the liaison to the Race Equity Advisory Committee and advocated for their recommendations.

We've made progress but there is still so much work to be done. As such, I ask for your vote.



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Elected Experience: Bainbridge Island City Council 2016-2019.

Other Professional Experience: Growing up on Bainbridge has given me a special perspective on the importance of community and a healthy environment. That "Quality of life" has endured and is worth protecting. An Island carpenter the past forty years, accountability and creative thinking are integral to the success of my work. Vision and craftsmanship are how things of lasting value are built.

Education: BHS, Olympic College.

Community Service: Co-founder Bainbridge Food Coop, Islanders for Responsible Development. Youth Baseball Coach. Recognized for commitment to sustainability in the book "In Praise of Island Stewards".

Statement: In 2016 I brought my work ethic and values to the City Council, defending the Comprehensive Plan, helping banning clear cuts and sponsoring a building moratorium that made possible extensive revisions to the development code. I worked with members of the local indigenous community to write Bainbridge Island's Indigenous Peoples Day Resolution.

Always mindful that community comes first, I voted against wasteful spending and advocated for neighborhoods. As a representative to the Puget Sound Regional Council, I proposed policies for upgrading stormwater and sewage treatment facilities polluting Puget Sound.

My record speaks for itself. If elected to another term on City Council I'll protect our Comprehensive Plan's commitment to sustainability and work to promote the health of our forests to prevent catastrophic wildfires. We need to bring Islanders together around a more user friendly SMP that's also compatible with restoration and protection of Puget Sound. I'll support the climate action plan, continue to defend neighborhoods from irresponsible development and make sure our new groundwater management plan is based on long-term sustainability.

I'm asking for your vote to bring my proven work ethic and values to City Council, protecting our island, promoting sustainability and defending our quality of life.

About the 2021 Washington General Election

If a primary election was held for an office, the two candidates who received the most votes in the Primary advanced to the General Election.

Vote Centers Oct. 30, Nov. 1-2

Oct. 30, Nov. 1, — 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Nov. 2, Election Day — 7 a.m. - 8 p.m.

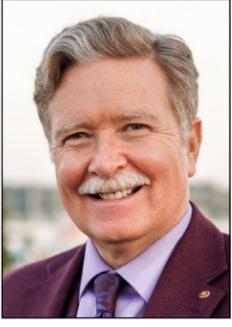
Kitsap County Administration Building
619 Division St., Port Orchard, WA

Marvin Williams Recreation Center
725 Park Avenue, Bremerton, WA

Poulsbo Fire Station
911 NE Liberty Road, Poulsbo, WA

Voters with disabilities can use an Accessible Voting Unit at the Auditor's Office during regular business hours beginning Oct. 15.

City of Bremerton – Mayor – 4-year term



Greg Wheeler

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Biography – Elected Experience: Proudly serving as Mayor of Bremerton. Previously served 8 years on City Council with three consecutive years as Council President. As Mayor I serve on the PSRC Executive Board and boards for Emergency Management, KEDA, Kitsap Public Health, KRCC, Kitsap Transit, and 911 Executive Committee. I am a Navy veteran, PSNS retiree (34-year career), husband, and grandfather.

Education: Olympic College, PSNS Apprenticeship; Chapman University, BA; Brandman University, MBA.

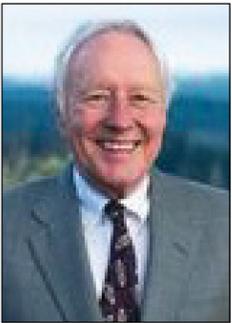
Community Service: Formerly KCR Board of Directors President, Bremerton Salvation Army Advisory Board Member, Olympic College OLRM Advisory Committee Member, and Bremerton Planning Commissioner. Current member of Bremerton Rotary and Kiwanis Clubs.

Statement: Four years ago, I asked for your vote to help make Bremerton the best place to live, work, invest, learn, and play. With your support, my administration has made great strides in achieving this goal. We created and implemented over 20 new initiatives, while balancing our budget, improving city services, securing funding for needed programs, caring for the environment, and battling the pandemic - together.

The Rental Assistance, Down Payment, and Weatherization Programs are making housing affordable and home ownership possible. The Safe Place, Stand by Me, Fire Safety, and Streets & Sidewalks Programs are keeping our neighborhoods safe. We have made government more efficient, provided essential services while integrating new technologies, and implemented programs to ensure City staff represent our community. We have broken records for residential & commercial permit valuations, increasing housing and providing local jobs. For more on our progress, visit reelectgregwheeler.com/ourprogress.

I hope to build on our first term accomplishments and expand opportunities for Bremerton families and businesses. With your support, I will continue representing your interests and leading Bremerton into a prosperous future.

It has been an honor serving as your mayor. I look forward to earning your vote again and continuing our work together.



William (Bill) Broughton

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Biography: I grew up in a middle-class family. My father worked in a factory. My mother was a schoolteacher.

While waiting tables to pay for my education, I attended the College of William and Mary. I attended law school on a scholarship while working as a public defender.

In 1982, I became Bremerton's City Attorney. I have spent 40 years practicing law in Kitsap County.

I have four adult children and I'm the proud grandfather to three boys.

I've also been an active volunteer in this community including pro bono legal services to community organizations and businesses.

Statement: Bill Broughton is a lifelong Democrat, former Bremerton City Attorney and our choice to restore leadership to our City. Bill is endorsed by *both Republicans and Democrats*, including former Mayors Patty Lent and Cary Bozeman. Bill can unite our city.

Bill has worked his entire career in our community as an attorney representing local governments and working class people. He knows how a visionary mayor can rebuild the City.

Bremerton's values are at the heart of Bill's plan for our city. First, Bill will end the digital divide, bringing high speed, affordable, public internet access to the city. If a household cannot afford internet access, the city will provide it for free. Internet access is vital to remote learning for our children, giving the unemployed access to jobs, and connecting seniors to family and public services. Second, our city's roads and sidewalks are in serious disrepair, Bill will fix City infrastructure. Last, Bremerton raids its utilities to balance its budget. Our water and sewer revenues should not be used to pay for other city services. This hidden tax hurts the poorest in our community.

Bill will be the leader we need.

City of Bremerton – Council District 1 – 4-year term



Tony A. Stephens

(Nonpartisan)

Statement: For personal reasons, I am no longer in contention for this race. Please do not vote for me, as I will be unable to serve as councilman. If I were to win this race, an appointment would be made at the discretion of councilpersons who are not from District 1, and may require a special election at taxpayer expense. Neither of those things will be good for our district.

I filed for this race at the last minute of filing week. Had I not done so there would have been only one name on the ballot. It seems fate intended it to be so.



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Education and Experience: AAS Olympic College; BA and Master of Public Administration The Evergreen State College. Two years national service at Bremerton School District with Americorps 2007-09; Bremerton School District 2009 to present as paraeducator, clerical assistant and federal grant coordinator; Bremerton Arts Commissioner 2016 to present; Public School Employee Legislative Intern 2018; Civil Survival Fellow 2019

Statement: As a Bremerton resident for over 20 years I have watched Bremerton grow and change. I raised two wonderful boys here while struggling as a single mother to make ends meet and overcome difficult situations. I have been privileged to have amazing mentors in my life who believed in and loved me. They taught me a strong service ethic that I carry with me today. Whether it's feeding vulnerable populations or participating in beautification efforts my heart for service beats strong. I will support programs in Bremerton that seek to assist in giving our neighbors who are experiencing crisis the tools and resources needed to rise up and out of trauma with dignity and respect. I will assist our city leadership in lifting barriers that prevent our amazing young people from making their dreams become a reality. I will promote initiatives that make our community safe and inclusive for all. I will partner with other service organizations to assist in creating strong networks of community-minded allies. Now is the time to promote positive changes in Bremerton! I have worked hard all of my life and I will work hard for Bremerton. I would be honored to receive your vote.

City of Bremerton – Council District 3 – 4-year term



Melissa Watkinson

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Community Service: AmeriCorps VISTA, University of Washington Bothell Alumni Council, Indigenous Sisters Resistance, City of Seattle Environmental Justice Committee

Education: B.A. in Global Studies, and Society, Ethics & Human Behavior from UW Bothell; M.A. in Policy Studies from UW Bothell

Professional Experience: I am a trained social scientist and policy professional who has held several positions at the University of Washington for over a decade. I use data to communicate and inform policy of the environmental resilience and challenges of coastal and tribal communities. My strengths and values are rooted in building partnerships and leading with equity.

Statement: As we emerge post-pandemic, Bremerton needs and deserves a new kind of leadership that centers equity, brings people together safely, and envisions a sustainable and prosperous future. I heard the fears of small businesses as they contemplated closing up shop. I looked into the eyes of first responders and parents who hadn't slept. We struggled, some more than others, to maintain our ways of life. Bremerton, however, came together to support one another, and our continued cooperation will make us stronger.

I have been a leader in equity and environmental justice for over a decade and have a background in policy development focused on the social, economic and cultural well-being of communities. Listening to and understanding your values and challenges is important to me and how we shape local policy. I am prepared to collaborate and co-develop strategies that are equitable and inclusive of our communities. With hard work and determination to solve complex problems, I will serve our communities to create a resilient and regenerative Bremerton.

I am a citizen of the Chickasaw Nation, and am blessed to enjoy my home in East Bremerton with my wife, our two dogs, and our inaugural community garden.



Jeff Coughlin

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Professional Experience: Director and scientist for over 8 years on the NASA Kepler Mission (remotely while living downtown). Coordinated government, private business, and individual scientists using my project

management expertise to make out-of-this-world discoveries and communicate those results to the public.

Education: Ph.D. Astronomy, New Mexico State University; B.S. Physics with Spanish Minor, Emory University; Project Management Certificate, University of Washington.

Community Service: Currently serving as Bremerton Planning Commissioner, Kitsap Historical Society Vice-President (formerly President), and volunteer Director of the Kitsap History Museum. Have given public science and history talks at events such as Bridging Bremerton, Story Walk, Olympic College Speaker Series, and Astronomy Slam.

Statement: Government works best when all voices are heard. I've seen too many council votes that affect thousands with input from only a select few. As a NASA science director, I led teams to accomplish stellar feats through *communication* and *collaboration*. As your City Councilperson, those will be my top priority — notifying you about upcoming votes, seeking your input, and working constructively with the council to address your concerns.

There has been tremendous growth and change in Manette and Bremerton recently, and we need to update our regulations and budget to keep pace. On the Planning Commission, I've voted to support zoning and code updates that lower housing costs. On the Council, I will advocate to use revenue resulting from the growth to improve our streets, parks, utilities, and critical community services.

Local businesses are the lifeblood of our community. As the volunteer director of the non-profit Kitsap History Museum downtown, I've experienced the challenges of running a small business. I will communicate and collaborate with other leaders and the council to remove roadblocks and support our local organizations.

My husband and I have lived here for nearly a decade, and are proudly raising our son in this extraordinary community.

City of Bremerton – Council District 5 – 4-year term



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Elected Experience: Regular Guy

Other Professional Experience: 30 year resident of Bremerton, 21+ years Federal Employee (5th Generation), 2x Combat Veteran, Iraq '03 Afghanistan '05, Father of two

Education: US Army Airborne School, Central Kitsap High School (3rd Generation), Olympic College (Pipefitter Apprenticeship)

Community Service: Taking it to the Streets Ministry, Gods Broken Home University, Fort Lewis Museum.

Statement: I'm a regular guy.

As a lifetime resident of Kitsap County, the 5th generation of my family to work at PSNS, the 3rd generation to graduate from CKHS, my roots in this community are deep. I served in the US Army during the Invasion of Iraq in 2003 and deployed to Afghanistan in 2005.

You deserve to be represented by someone who recognizes your value by listening and communicating with you. As your council member, I shall produce an email newsletter providing you with current council activities, town hall meetings where you can openly communicate issues of concern and provide input on future and pending legislation.

I understand the struggles of people in District 5. I pledge to address the various issues of concern like housing, street parking, utility taxes, and others. As someone raising a family of my own, I know there are many out there who have struggled with these and other issues. This last year has been particularly challenging for everyone. I offer you my leadership and representation to help provide the citizens of Bremerton the quality of life we all deserve. The American Dream is real, and it is achievable.



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Elected Experience: Current Bremerton City Council Member, Finance Chair, & Race Equity Advisory Committee.

Other Professional Experience: Retired from a 20-year career with the Navy. Current President of the Kitsap Pride Network and Vice President of Roxy Bremerton. 16+ years in human resources, nonprofit leadership, & education. Work history includes the Pride Foundation, Kitsap AIDS Foundation, Harrison Medical Center, Hospice of Kitsap County, & Chapman University.

Education: A.S., Olympic College; B.S. Workforce Education & Development, Southern Illinois University; M.A. Organizational Leadership, Chapman University.

Community Service: City of Bremerton's Planning Commission, Community Development Block Grant Committee, and President of the Downtown Bremerton Association.

Statement: I love this city and its people, and it has been my honor representing you for our district. I knew this would be my home when the Navy brought me here in 1996. With my experience working in nonprofits, healthcare, human services, education, and community development, I bring a diversity of experience and knowledge to our city council.

As your city council member, I keep the council focused on our neighborhoods. I will continue to improve infrastructure through our roads and sidewalks, including the rebuilding of 6th Street and redevelopment of Callow Avenue. We need to continue to fill vacant spaces and create good paying jobs. I will work to ensure that increased density in our community is balanced with affordable and low-income housing. I will advocate for improved public transportation to and from our district. I will work with the council to create and implement long-term growth plans with smart growth policies that lift everyone up.

I want to work together to ensure our city's success is shared among all of us who call Bremerton home. I will be responsible with your tax dollars, listen to your concerns and your ideas, and represent all. Thank you for voting.

City of Bremerton – Council District 6 – Unexpired 2-year term



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Biography: As a native of Bremerton, it has always been my objective to serve the community I love. After retiring from the U.S. Army and Washington Army National Guard, I continued to protect our community as a Correction's Officer and Deputy Sheriff serving

13 years with the Kitsap County Sheriff's Office. I am a long-time member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles and a proud member of Bremerton's American Legion Post 149.

Statement: Serving as your current councilman has been a great honor.

The last year and a half brought significant challenges to almost everyone. Many have lost jobs, livelihoods, loved ones and a sense of normalcy. As we've been working to completely reopen our city, we have seen the fractured, divisive politics impede the daily lives of the good people of Bremerton. I've been dedicated to advocating for all Bremerton residents, not just those living in District 6. I promise to continue working tirelessly to reduce our tax burden and the operating cost of our government.

I humbly ask for your support in my bid for re-election to the Bremerton City Council as your representative.

Life does not happen at the speed of Government.



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Elected Experience: Re-elected Precinct Committee Officer for the 22nd Precinct in 2020.

Other Professional Experience: I've been an insulation contractor, a union printer, and a wetland scientist for King County Department of Development and Environmental Services, consultant to City of Fircrest and WA-DOE, many others. Most recently, a university adjunct, teaching Writing and Critical Thinking.

Education: Master's in Environmental Conservation Education from New York University. Certified wetland scientist (ret.) by the Society of Wetland Scientists.

Community Service: Writer/editor for Society of Wetland Scientists, Society for Ecological Restoration, Audubon Society. Activist for ACLU, Black Lives Matter, Fair Fight, others.

Statement: I'm running to represent a hard-working district. I've talked to most of you and we want similar things - to live peacefully in our homes, walk safely on our streets, and leave a better world for the next generation. We want a good quality of life for our present and our future. I stand for good government that is transparent and responsive, safe streets and strong communities, affordable housing, and living wage jobs in a sustainable city.

Let our government speak plainly and act rightly, with respect for human dignity. Let's slow down speeders so we can wave hello to neighbors as we walk. Bremerton needs union jobs, a \$15 minimum wage, and employees over contractors wherever possible. I'll advocate for a residency requirement for Bremerton Police, and residency incentives for all other City employees, because you best serve a community when it's your own. I'll work hard for good housing for all in a sustainable city. I'll be accessible and effective, with a posted schedule of my neighborhood walks and other events on my website.

These are big ideas. I have workable plans to make them reality on my website, [Mockler4Bremerton.com](https://www.Mockler4Bremerton.com). Elect Anna Mockler: Your Voice at City Hall.

City of Bremerton – Council District 7 – 4-year term



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Elected Experience: Bremerton city councilmember from 2001-2003 and 2012 to present. Elected council president by fellow councilmembers for five consecutive years (2016 – 2020).

Other Professional Experience: Division Chief of Financial Investigations for the U.S. Department of Justice; Certified Public Accountant; U.S. Army veteran (7th Infantry Division)

Education: B.A., University of Minnesota; M.B.A., Eastern Michigan University

Community Service: During my more than two decades in Bremerton, I have volunteered with numerous organizations, however, serving as a Bremerton High School AVID mentor and a Boy Scouts volunteer (proud parent of a recent Eagle Scout) have been the most rewarding.

Statement: In addition to addressing numerous city-wide issues, I have focused on several matters specific to District 7. These include making Kitsap Lake water quality improvements a council goal and funding it.

Another emphasis has been securing additional money for maintaining and improving our local streets and sidewalks. Specifically, I authored ordinances dedicating over \$1 million annually for streets and sidewalks -- without increasing taxes. Recent examples of projects in District 7 include the walking path on Shorewood; sidewalks and road improvements on Harlow; and over 75,000 linear feet of street preservation.

In 2022, Kitsap Lake Park will be undergoing many improvements and I will continue to push for funding to maintain Kitsap Lake. Another project in District 7 will be developing a comprehensive plan for improvements to Kitsap Way between State Route 3 and Chico Way. Going forward, I plan to place additional emphasis on identifying needed improvements in other parts of our district.

I believe that actions speak louder than words. Please visit [ericyounger.com](https://www.ericyounger.com) for additional examples of my efforts representing your interests on city council. I ask for your vote to continue to serve as your voice for District 7.



Art Pettigrue

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Elected Experience: None

Other Professional Experience: More than 25 years of progressive experience managing strategic relationships, strengthening community, building networks, and driving economic growth throughout domestic and international markets for some of the most successful companies in the world – including Microsoft and Amazon.

Education: Bremerton High School Graduate, 1986, Washington State University Graduate, 1991; B.A. Social Sciences

Community Service: 2016 CTE TED Talk speaker to students at Bremerton High School, Volunteer youth camp counselor, Chuck Semancik Memorial Foundation contributor

Statement: My name is Art Pettigrue, and I am running for Bremerton City Council! As a proud product of the Bremerton School District, I grew up in this city when it was known for its community involvement, economic growth, and providing a wonderful quality of life regardless of your income, color, religion, nationality, or political affiliation. We can get back there with the right leadership.

This is why I am running. We deserve a council member who will truly represent us: the people and families that make up our city. Someone who will help empower the community to build a better Bremerton, while preserving the existing qualities that make our city unique.

My commitment to you is that I will always work to: engender strong public safety; incentivize business and economic growth; foster and grow community inclusion, accessibility, and pride; enhance partnerships with the Bremerton School District and Olympic College; and ensure fiscal responsibility.

I will work, and vote, for the things that benefit you, you family, and our beautifully diverse city. I genuinely care about our community, its economic future, and leaving it in a better place for the next generation. I humbly and respectfully ask for your vote.

City of Bremerton – Municipal Court Judge – 4-year term



Thomas (Tom) E. Weaver

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Legal/Judicial Experience: Bremerton Lawyer handling all facets of municipal court litigation including DUI, domestic violence, misdemeanors, and civil protection orders, and bringing hundreds of cases to jury trial and appeal, including 19 cases in the Washington Supreme

Court. 1993-present. Bremerton Judge Pro Tem, 2005-present. Kitsap Superior Court Arbitrator, 2008-present

Education: Seattle University Law School, J.D., cum laude, 1992, Columbia University, B.A., 1990. Central Kitsap High School, 1986

Community Service: Bremerton Family YMCA Advisory Board, 2013- 2018; Kitsap Bar Association, President, 2016- 2018; Kitsap Legal Services Board, 2008- 2013

Statement: As a child, Tom Weaver lived in a 192 square foot home with no running water. But lack of money and possessions became an opportunity to develop a commitment to hard work and a lifelong love of reading and knowledge. When his family moved to Bremerton in 1981, Tom studied hard, earned a college scholarship, and bought his books by working in the dining hall. After law school, he returned to Bremerton and opened a law office where he has worked diligently to ensure everyone is treated equally under the law regardless of race, gender, orientation, or economic position.

Endorsements. Retiring Bremerton Municipal Judge James Docter; Supreme Court Justice and Kitsap resident Sheryl McCloud; Kitsap Judges Kevin Hull, Jennifer Forbes, Bill Houser, Michelle Adams, Sally Olsen, Jeffrey Bassett, Melissa Hemstreet, Jeffrey Jahns, Claire Bradley, Kevin Kelly, Tim Drury, Jay Roof (retired), and Anna Laurie (retired).

“Tom’s keen intellect and practical courtroom experience make him the best choice for Bremerton Judge.” – Judge Houser

“Tom has volunteered countless hours using his legal skills to advance the principles of access to justice, diversity, and racial equity – principles he is deeply committed to and will continue to promote in the Bremerton Court.” – Judge Forbes



Tracy Flood

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Legal/Judicial Experience: Pro-Tem Judge, King County District Court; Past Pro-Tem Port Orchard Municipal and Edmonds Municipal Court, Kitsap District Court, Office of Administrative Hearings

Other Professional Experience: Public Defender Kitsap and Western State; Adjudicator; Youth Crisis Counselor, CASA; 1986-1994 U.S. Navy

Education: Olympic College (AA 1992), University of Washington (BA Sociology, BA Political Science 1995), Seattle University School of Law (JD 1999, LL.M 2019); Graduate, Leadership Kitsap

Community Service: President, Kitsap Community Resources; President, Kitsap NAACP; VP, WA State Bar Foundation; Olympic College Foundation; AVID Mentor, Bremerton H.S.; Past President, Kitsap WA Women Lawyers; Past Governor, WSBA; Client Protection Fund Board; YWCA Woman of Achievement; Navy Color Guard

Statement: Fair. Experienced. Compassionate.

I am running for judge to provide an understanding ear on the bench for ALL who come before the courts. Our community members want to be heard and know that their story matters to the leadership they trust with their vote. Taking into account the intricate challenges that military, single-parent, and marginalized families face while navigating the legal system and using my legal training and experience, I will work to achieve justice and equity for all. My more than 20 years of legal experience will allow me to champion every effort to protect and defend the constitutional rights of our community members. I believe that justice applies to everyone equally, regardless of who they are, how they identify, or what they believe. My prior experience in both criminal and civil matters will allow me to bring a unique and diverse perspective to the bench to serve you. I pledge that all who come before me will be met with an open mind and compassionate justice.

Endorsed by WA State Legislators, Municipal Court Judges, District Court Judges, Superior Court Judges, Supreme Court Justices, Kitsap attorneys, law enforcement officials, and various Bremerton community members, veterans, and business owners.

City of Port Orchard – Council Position 2 – 4-year term



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Elected Experience: City of Port Orchard City Councilmember, (2018-2021), Director, South Kitsap School District School Board 2007-2011

Professional Experience: Director of Transportation, South Kitsap School District; Commander, U. S. Navy;

Retail Service Manager, Starbucks; Facility Planner, Boeing; Maintenance Manager, Pierce Transit; Operations Manager, Mason Transit

Education: Bachelor of Science (cum laude) Business and Finance, Mount St. Mary’s College, Master’s Degree Petroleum Management, University of Kansas

Community Service: South Kitsap Rotary; South Kitsap Helpline; Jingle Bell Run, Arthritis Foundation; Food Lifeline; South Kitsap High School Cross Country and Track; SK Back to School Celebration; South Kitsap School Supporters; Port Orchard Chamber of Commerce, Port Orchard Bay Street Association

Statement: I believe that our city has so much promise, yet so much remains to be done, including the downtown redevelopment and infrastructure projects, such as water, sewer and roads. I am an advocate for additional enhancements to the city’s parks. We have opportunities to create even more economic development, beneficial business partnerships and good-paying jobs here in Port Orchard while sustaining and improving our remarkable quality of life.

I am fiscally responsible and believe that with thoughtful planning and encouragement to our current and new businesses, we can continue the renovation that will re-energize our city. This includes downtown, the Bethel corridor and connecting with city residents west of SR 16.

I am a retired 20-year Navy veteran and have held leadership positions with the South Kitsap School District, Pierce Transit, Mason Transit, Boeing, Starbucks and the U. S. Navy. I continue to bring a different perspective to the city council while working collaboratively with other council members, the mayor and civic leaders. My wife, Susan, and I have lived in South Kitsap since 1993 and the City of Port Orchard since 2009. I believe in the citizens of the City of Port Orchard!



Randy Jones

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Biography: Born in Bremerton, WA and 1978 graduate of West Bremerton High. 42 year resident of downtown Port Orchard. Owner/operator of Venture Charters since 1997 and Bay Street vacation rentals. Former owner of

Ted’s lunch in Bremerton. Worked in the tourism industry with our charter boats and with approximately 15,000 tourists. Those tourists spent 6 hours a day with me on the boats, getting their input. They love Port orchard the way it is.

Statement: I am running for Position 2, Port Orchard City Council. I have lived in Port Orchard for 42 years and intend to fight for local small businesses, citizens rights, property rights, and to keep city hall from selling out our community to developers unchecked and happening behind closed doors. I ask for your vote and pledge not to just listen, but to be 100% transparent on local issues so the community, whom I will be representing, can steer me in the right direction as their voice, as their representative, and more importantly, their civil servant.

No more unanimous council votes.

That continues to hurt people and businesses without proper debate and advocacy for every citizen, not just the chosen few.

Please help me fight for you.

City of Port Orchard – Council Position 3 – 4-year term



Heidi Fenton

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Professional Experience: 30+ years in working with families as a Child Care Provider.

Education: BA in Child and Family Studies at Washington State University.

Community Service: Member of the Port Orchard Rotary and Rotary representative to the South Kitsap Chamber of Commerce.

Statement: As your next City Council woman, I plan on being a voice for the people, and a vote for the people. I believe communication, transparency, and accountability are some of the most important qualities a city council member can have. I want communication to be more accessible between city council and the community. This will create a relationship that invites people to be more involved and feel connected to the community.

I have lived in Port Orchard since 1997 and all five of my children have gone through the public schools and graduated from South Kitsap High School. I am proud to be a part of this city and watch it grow. I want to be involved in leadership so I can have a voice and a vote that represents the people, as our city continues to grow. I am dedicated and passionate about this community. I am looking forward to serving on City Council and working directly with the people.



Scott Diener

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Elected Experience: Councilmember Position 3, City of Port Orchard, WA, 2018-2021. *Appointed in 2016.*

Other Professional Experience: Manager, Development Services and Engineering, DCD, Kitsap County

Education: Graduate of University of Oregon, 1988, Baccalaureate's in Planning, Public Policy and Management

Biography: Scott Diener has lived in Port Orchard since 2005. He has 30 years' planning experience at both the city and county level and has worked in various leadership positions with the Kitsap County Department of Community Development. Scott and his wife have two kids entering 9th and 11th grade at SKHS. In his spare time, Scott enjoys spending time with his family in and around Port Orchard.

Statement: W. Scott Diener, a 16-year Port Orchard resident, has watched the City's growth under different administrations, and understands the complexity of running city government and providing coordinated development. Scott believes the City Council and Administration is on track with redeveloping downtown Port Orchard, applying for transportation funding, and promoting economic development. Growth in and around Port Orchard has shown that transportation improvements are vital, and that fruitful Council discussion and public involvement, good fiscal and project administration, successful grant applications, lobbying and good relations with Olympia are all important. The City's planned South Kitsap Community Event Center and Kitsap Regional Library, with associated planned redevelopment in the downtown, will provide a vital shot in the arm to making its waterfront a lively and vibrant destination. There are several neighborhood 'centers' within the City that are also receiving increased attention, as mostly residential growth are targeting these areas too. Growth is coming to Port Orchard and it is important to manage it. Scott has almost 30 years of planning and policy development experience, working with various levels of government. Councilmember Diener helps to lead land use and development discussions with the Land Use Committee, and transportation prioritization with the Transportation Committee.

City of Port Orchard – Council Position 6 – 4-year term



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Education: Undergraduate of Organizational Leadership and Technical Management; Associate in Applied Science - Leadership and Occupational Studies; Associate of Technical Arts Industrial Trades Technician

Community Service: INDTT Olympic College Advisory Committee board member 2018-2019

Statement: I am running for Port Orchard City Council Position 6 to be a leader in the change our small community so desperately needs.

I am a proponent of small business, preserving our towns history, and responsible growth/development.

My background in leadership and organizational studies will aid me in my efforts to make every decision an educated one, and make every vote as fair as possible to the residents of this community.

I ask for your vote. Vote for change. Vote for the future of our community. Vote for someone willing to listen. Help me on my mission to make this community heard once again.



Fred Chang

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Elected Experience: I have served as a Port Orchard city council member since 2006.

Other Professional Experience: I work in communications for the Washington State Department of Transportation, and also worked in software development, and home video marketing and public relations.

Education: B.A. Occidental College

Statement: As your city council member, I have focused on providing effective and accessible city government, and making Port Orchard a great place to live, work, and play.

I helped the city reach out to residents with an email list and social media to communicate about issues that are important to them. I have been a watchdog of public resources and supported transparency with recording and now livestreaming of council meetings. I have helped the city council balance financial and quality of life factors.

In my next term, I plan to continue advocating for transparent and accountable city government, while being mindful of residents who are on fixed incomes. I will work to expand public transportation to ensure our city is accessible to all. Most importantly, I will listen to your concerns and work with you to solve challenges our city faces.

I have been fortunate to call Port Orchard home for more than 20 years and it is an honor serving on the city council. I ask for your vote and look forward to working together to help Port Orchard thrive.

City of Port Orchard – Council At-Large – 2-year term



Mark Trenary

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Biography: Lifetime Washingtonian and resident of the South Kitsap area for 40 years, the last 34 as a citizen of the City. My wife and I have been married for 37 years and raised 2 daughters, both of whom attended and graduated from the South Kitsap Schools.

Professional Experience: Local business owner of 25 years located here in the City.

Community Service: Former President and current member of the Rotary Club of South Kitsap. Member of the Port Orchard Planning Commission for 5 years. Board member for the Port Orchard Chamber of Commerce. Member of the Kurt Wagner Education Foundation.

Statement: I was drawn to South Kitsap by the geographic location, the small town feel and the natural beauty. Our waterfront, open spaces and location makes Port Orchard a desirable place to live. Not many cities offer these benefits. Over the years our City has grown tremendously and will continue to do so. As a city and community, we need to plan for growth in a way that best fits our needs and desires. If we do not, growth will happen to us and not with and for us.

I have been in the business of solving problems for almost 40 years. To be successful you must ask questions, listen intently and probe for more information. When this is done, the solution that best fits everyone will surface. This experience will be a benefit in working with our city council and improving communication with the citizens of Port Orchard.

My co-workers, business associates and friends say I always look at things objectively and have a strong passion for making my community a better place. If I am elected, I will bring these qualities, my business experience, and my passion for improving my community to the Port Orchard City Council.



Shaun Williams

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Professional Experience: United States Navy 1998-2018 Nuclear Trained Machinist Mate. Maintenance Mechanic 2018-2020. Marine Electrician 2020- Current

Education: Associates of Arts- Olympic College. Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice- Grantham University (in progress)

Statement: This pandemic has been hard on everyone. Everyone knows someone who has lost their job or been otherwise affected by the closures and shutdowns. In the past even I have experience homelessness and unemployment. The community needs help. Unfortunately, the city council is more concerned with a bike path to Annapolis.

Questions need to be asked at every council meeting. Why? Who? What? How? Etc. For example, why are we spending millions of dollars building a bike path to Annapolis when our streets are filled with potholes? Same with roundabouts. Who would a project/ordinance benefit? Why are we condemning and tearing down people's homes when we have a homelessness crisis? Where is the tax money going? Why is a project/ordinance needed?

We need to revitalize the downtown area and work with the Port of Bremerton and Port Orchard Chamber of Commerce to make Port Orchard a destination on the Sound. We need to cut out the graft and pork from the city budget. We need to get the government out of the way of small businesses.

A politician's first duty should be to the Constitution and to their constituents. Small businesses and their employees are the source of the recovery.



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City of Poulsbo – Mayor – 4-year term



Becky Erickson (Nonpartisan)

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Elected Experience: Poulsbo City Councilmember from 2008-2009. Poulsbo Mayor from January 2010. Serves as Vice Chair of the Puget Sound Regional Council. Board member of Kitsap Regional Coordinating Council, Kitsap Transit, Housing Kitsap, Kitsap 911, Kitsap County Health District.

Other Professional Experience: CFO Bainbridge Graduate Institute. Mayor Erickson has worked as a business manager for over 40 years.

Education: Bachelor's degree in Economics from the University of Washington, advanced studies in Network Administration, Data Communications Certificate Programs University of Washington. Numerous continuing education classes achieved.

Statement- Weathering the storm of COVID brought challenges to the city of Poulsbo which could not be anticipated. We adapted with each new rule change: supporting tests and then vaccinations, economic support of our small businesses, street dining in downtown, reaching out to everyone to encourage safety. All this occurred while we continued with the day to day functions of city government: the largest construction project in the City's history with the Johnson Road Roundabout and Johnson Parkway. We enlarged our parks and created walking pathways throughout the city. Restructuring our police department was a priority with increased navigation services to help those in crisis. A Liberty Bay cleaned and stocked with Olympia Oysters.

Moving forward, we must build housing for people of all incomes. By ensuring housing affordability we limit the prospect of homelessness. We will provide more recreational opportunities with the Poulsbo Event & Recreation Center and the Play for All facility located at Raab Park. Improvements to sewer infrastructure is ongoing so Liberty Bay is protected. Neighborhood streets will be well maintained. Our small business community will continue to flourish by addressing downtown parking shortages. We will listen to all voices with equality, transparency and empathy. Poulsbo Strong, Poulsbo Safe, Poulsbo Vibrant!

City of Poulsbo – Council Position 5 – 4-year term



Ed Stern (Nonpartisan)

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Elected Experience: I am running for my seventh consecutive term on the Poulsbo City Council.

Over the course of that time I have also served on the boards of Kitsap Transit, Kitsap Regional Coordinating Council (KRCC), Kitsap Economic Development Alliance, Kitsap Base Reduction & Closure (BRAC) special county committee, and the Puget Sound Regional Council (PSRC).

Other Professional Experience: After a nearly ten year career as Community Development Director for the City of Livingston Montana, I then switched careers and became a Registered Financial Advisor for three different brokerage houses here in the West Sound, retiring in 2019.

Education: University of California at Berkeley B.A.

Community Service: Rotary!

Statement: I am motivated above all to improve good community relations, and most importantly deep cultural understandings, in my capacity as the longtime City Liaison to the Suquamish Tribe. I pledge to continue my uninterrupted communication with the Tribal Council, and people of all colors and persuasions. There is a lot to be done.

My recent appointment by Governor Inslee to the statewide Public Works Board in the 'cities seat' puts me in a position to see my two decades efforts at building out Public Broadband become realized. The pandemic has made crystal clear the necessity of equitable and affordable Internet access to everyone, just like our road system is open to everyone.

My presidency of the board of the Association of Washington Cities (AWC) informs me of the pressing needs and solutions to a host of problems and risks that effect Poulsbo and other cities and towns throughout our great state of Washington.

City of Poulsbo – Council Position 6 – 4-year term



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Statement: No statement submitted

City of Poulsbo – Council Position 7 – 4-year term



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Elected Experience: Elected to Poulsbo City Council in November 2019 to a two-year term. Currently serve as Chair of the Council's Finance and Administration Committee. Served as a member of the Poulsbo City Planning Commission from 2017-2019.

Other Professional Experience: Small Business Owner and President, McVey Marketing Inc., Poulsbo (retired). Previously served as Associate Vice President for Marketing, Research and Planning at Hamline University, St. Paul, MN.

Education: Master of Arts, Liberal Studies, Hamline University, St. Paul, MN. Bachelor of Arts, Journalism, Utah State University.

Community Service: Past Board Member, Poulsbo-NK Rotary. Past Board President, Jewel Box Community Theatre, Poulsbo.

Statement: I was first elected to Poulsbo City Council in November 2019, having previously served two years on the Poulsbo City Planning Commission. I'm excited about the prospect of serving our community and area residents for another four years. The past year and a half during COVID has been full of challenges, but I see many opportunities ahead for our city. I'm looking forward to supporting our businesses, schools and nonprofits as they recover, to helping develop the city's next Comprehensive Plan, and to finding new and more efficient ways our city government can serve citizens.

During my time on City Council and the Planning Commission, I've experienced first-hand the growth pressures and other challenges facing our city. I want to continue using my knowledge and experience to guide Poulsbo toward a successful future, while also respecting its past. I also want to continue helping lead our city's important efforts to make Poulsbo a more diverse, equitable and inclusive community welcome to all people. I truly believe Poulsbo's best days are still ahead. I respectfully ask for your vote!

School Districts

Bremerton School District No. 100 - C – Director Position 4 – 4-year term



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Education: Associate of Arts Honors, Peninsula College; Bachelor of Science, Psychology and Master of Public Affairs, Washington State University

Community Service: Board member, Kiwanis Club of Bremerton; AVID Mentor, Bremerton High School; PTA, Bremerton School District; Scholarship Chair, WSU Alumni Association Kitsap Chapter; former Executive Committee member, Kitsap County Commission on Children and Youth; former Board Member, Olympic College Foundation;

Professional Experience: Over 20 years working within the field of education including: Peninsula College, Washington State University, College Success Foundation, OESD 114, and AR Consulting as Running Start Advisor, Admission Counselor, Financial Aid Officer, Scholarship Counselor, Presenter/Trainer, Assistant Director and Program Manager.

Statement: As the mother of two school-age children and a community member that cares deeply about the future of Bremerton, I have a vested interest in the success of Bremerton Schools. Quality public schools delivering efficient, effective, and equitable education is the key to healthy, strong, and vibrant communities. I have been honored to serve on the Board of Directors for the last 8 years, including 3 years as Board Chair. I will continue to provide leadership, collaboration, and creative problem-solving skills that lead to sustainable solutions.

Bremerton schools have high quality educators, innovative programming, and responsible leaders that lead with integrity. However, we must continue to strive for greater excellence so *all* of our students are equipped with the knowledge and skills necessary to be successful in their educational, career and life pursuits.

Developing honest and trusting relationships between teachers, administrators, board members, and the community is essential. Our students can and will meet high academic standards when they have the right opportunities, resources, and support systems. I will support policies that enhance student learning, support our educators, and increase collaboration and communication with the community.

Bremerton School District No. 100 - C – Director Position 5 – 4-year term



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Elected Experience: Although I'm new to this position, I believe my experience and positions have prepared me for this role. Having a robust and Steady leadership with the willingness to learn and grow with the community.

Other Professional Experience: I currently hold a position of Clinical Informatics Educator at the University of Washington, where I focus on teaching to all types of learning styles from visual, audio, and kinesthetics. It's essential to have fun and be transparent about what you know and what you don't know to respect your peers.

Education: BSIT; MS-AMIT

Community Service: Community Emergency Response Team; Red Cross

Statement: To provide a unique learning environment that progresses young people through an integrated and developmental approach to education. Through meaningful student engagement that supports the uniqueness of each student so that they can strive towards their highest potential in a safe, supportive, and inclusive learning environment.



Carolynn Perkins

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Elected Experience: I am serving as a School Board Director for the Bremerton School District 100-C.

Other Professional Experience: I have over 35 years in the educational field including preschool, elementary and administration experience. Recently, I have served as a Head Start Mentor/ Coach and a Parenting Class facilitator at Kitsap Community Resource. Currently I am an Education and Disability Manager and on the Washington State School Director Association Board of Directors.

Education: My degree is a Bachelor of Science in Business Management with a minor in Early Childhood and other endorsements in the educational field.

Statement: I understand, and I am committed to providing every student the education to pursue career and/or continuing educational opportunities. As we transition to full time school, consideration must be made for the health and safety of students and staff. Many of our students have been adversely affected academically, emotionally, and socially and we must provide the needed resources to encourage each student as they continue their educational path. Working with families, staff and community members I am committed to provide equitable, high-quality educational opportunities and services providing a foundation for all students to live productive and rewarding lives. I will carefully consider and review any new curriculum and offer families and the community the opportunity to review and submit their opinions. I will focus on providing a high-quality education for all students while monitoring budget constraints. With your support, I will continue to fight for the best education for our students.

Bainbridge Island School District No. 303 – Director District 2 – 4-year term



Robert Cromwell

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Elected Experience: Director, Bainbridge Island School District Board, appointed April 2021

Professional Experience: For the last fifteen years I have worked in a variety of capacities for Seattle City Light, a large municipal electric utility, where I am currently responsible for energy efficiency, demand response, and related programs as the Director of Customer Energy Solutions. I practiced law for the prior fourteen years, including six years as a Washington State utility consumer advocate.

Community Service: Volunteer attorney in a variety of capacities, WSF Ferry Advisory Committee, BI Sportsman Club, Grace Church

Education: University of Arizona: BA, 1988 and JD, Law 1993

Statement: It has been an honor to serve on the Bainbridge Island School Board this year and give back to the community, which has done so much for our family over the past decade and a half. I believe my personal, philanthropic, and professional experiences have positioned me to successfully represent our community on the school board. My commitment to education began with teaching chemistry in the Peace Corps and has been expressed over the last two decades by lecturing at legal and utility education seminars. If elected, I am committed to continuing to serve our District as well as the wider communities we are a part of—both on-island and off. I will do my utmost to support the mission of the District in, "honoring and nurturing the unique skills, talents and passions of every student." I respectfully request your vote to continue to serve as your District Two representative on the Bainbridge Island School Board.

Bainbridge Island School District No. 303 – Director District 5 – 4-year term



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Professional Experience: Owner of Focus on Work, LLC, a CFO / Controller consultancy

Community Service: Sakai Intermediate Site Council, Woodward Middle School PTO Treasurer, Parent Teacher Organization Coordinating Council (PTOCC)

Treasurer, Bainbridge High School Site Council, Bainbridge Island Public School Supporters (BIPSS) Treasurer, Eagle Scout, Assistant Scoutmaster and Treasurer for Scout Troops 1564 and 1804, Past Treasurer for Bainbridge Island Sportsmen's Club, and Past Board Member and Treasurer for United Way of Kitsap County.

Statement: I am honored to continue to represent my community as School Board Director of District 5. This past year has been frustrating but has also shown what we can do as a community. The completion of the 100 building at BHS is being finalized and was on budget, keeping with the continuing tradition of BISD being excellent stewards of the community's investment in education. The adoption of our Race, Equity & Identity Policy will help guide us into the future as we work to ensure that every one of our students finds their own unique path to success. Superintendent Bang-Knudsen and staff are doing incredible work to prepare for full-time schooling this Fall – there will be challenges but, again, I am confident in BISD and our community to work together and make this next year a success.

The school board is the public face of the district and the link to the community. I will do my best to continue to fulfill my role by listening to the community and trying to be a valuable voice in the coming conversations.

Our community is only as strong as we choose to make it - thank you for your support!

North Kitsap School District No. 400 – Director District 1 – 4-year term



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Elected Experience: North Kitsap School Board Director, 2017-2021; NKSD Board Vice President, 2018-2021; NKSD Board Liaison to City of Poulsbo, 2019-2021

Other Professional Experience: Program Manager, Naval Hospital Bremerton; Retired Navy Chief Petty Officer; Poulsbo Pedestrian Safety Committee

Education: Bachelor of Arts, History; Bachelor of Science, Social Science; Certificate, Diversity Studies

Community Service: An active member of my community wherever I lived, I participated in numerous school booster groups, PTAs and volunteered time with charitable organizations literally around the globe. Volunteered with Kitsap Area Veterans' Alliance. Current member of Veterans of Foreign Wars and Sons of Norway. On NKSD's Core 24/Alternative Learning Committee before joining the school board.

Statement: You know, Michael and Logan's dad. I joke but that is what it's all about – the kids, yours and mine. Being on the school board is about making our district the best it can possibly be for the kids.

NKSD has come a long way in four years. We have enhanced teaching and learning through collaborative high school scheduling, instituted comprehensive multi-tiered social emotional learning supports, systemic data collection and tracking, and augmented technology support with devices for every student. We have improved relationships with our community, tribal nation partners and staff. We developed and implemented a new Strategic Plan. We upgraded district facilities through HVAC and roof replacements, security and lighting upgrades, and ADA compliance and athletic field improvements.

We faithfully managed the taxpayers' money, keeping the district in the black following the McCleary decision without reducing programs yet still providing our staff with fair, equitable wages and benefits. We took every measure to keep our students and staff safe through the COVID pandemic while still doing everything to provide the best education possible.

I am proud of the work that we have done. If you agree, I would appreciate your vote to return as a NKSD Director.



Michael Duchemin

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Elected Experience: Prefers Democrat Party

Other Professional Experience: Firefighter nearly 30 years, Attorney at Law 25 years, before these careers I worked many minimum wage jobs. While serving in the fire department I held multiple positions as a firefighter including Fire Fighter, Paramedic, Lieutenant, Medical Services Officer, Captain, and Acting Battalion Chief.

Education: Bachelor's Degree, Eastern Washington University, Juris Doctor degree, University of Puget Sound School of Law, graduating cumlaude.

Community Service: I serve as a Director on the Board of Retired Firefighters of Washington. I served 2 years as a public pension Board representative.

Statement: I have been dedicated to helping others my entire adult life. Now, I ask for your support and vote to allow me to serve the interests of taxpayers who pay for the education of our students, parents who seek to protect and advance the education of their children, teachers who have dedicated their lives to their profession, and the interests of the community at large.

I support efforts to improve school facilities; better fund the Science, Technology, Reading, Engineering, Arts and Math programs (STREAM); and provide citizens, parents, and teachers' representatives with opportunities to present their ideas and concerns to the Board. I have included my personal contact information to better represent the interests of my district and its constituents. I would advocate that monthly assembly and minutes of the Board's public meetings outline the considerations, basis for proposals and actions taken by the Board to provide open communication. Budgets must be balanced, and schools fully funded. I would use my experience working with people from all sides, with the goal of coming to a consensus, to best serve everyone. I believe in providing well rounded and equitable educational experiences for students and healthy learning and working environments for all.

North Kitsap School District No. 400 – Director District 3 – 4-year term



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Elected Experience: Director 3, North Kitsap School District Board of Directors, elected 2018

Other Professional Experience: Small business owner. Physical Therapist for 18 years.

Education: Master of Science in Physical Therapy, Loma Linda University

Community Service: Active member of the Kingston-North Kitsap Rotary Club since 2009 serving as president for the 2018-2019 Rotary year and currently serving as a Assistant Governor for Rotary District 5020.

Statement: I believe that children are our community's future and therefore greatest asset. Instilling a passion for learning and providing a strong, vibrant education experience positions our children for success and builds a stronger community. This past year, the Covid pandemic challenged our school systems and families in ways never imagined causing us to rethink the status quo and adopt unprecedented change. We now have the opportunity to continue reshaping and strengthening our school system via the strategic vision and plan. This is work that excites me and I look forward to continuing to serve as a volunteer school board director.

I remain committed to strengthening the partnership and vested dialogue between our schools, the board and the community through open, transparent and engaged dialogue. I strongly believe that through active listening, collaboration and planning, the board can affect positive change. It would be an honor to serve our schools and community for another term.

Central Kitsap School District No. 401 – Director District 1 – 4-year term



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Elected Experience: Leadership Team Grade Level Representative, Mountain View Middle School, 5 years
Instructional Materials Committee Member, Bremerton School District, 3 years

Other Professional Experience: 2007-Present: Teacher, Bremerton School District. 2015: Top 5 finalists for Teacher of the Year READ180. 2016: Named one of Kitsap Sun's "20 Under 40" Kitsap County's emerging leaders. Served 2 years as a Washington State ELA Fellow for Bremerton School District and OSPI.

Education: High School Diploma, Central Kitsap High School, 1998; Bachelor of Arts: Elementary Education, Washington State University, 2008; Middle Level English, National Board For Professional Teaching Standards, 2015; Master of Science: Curriculum and Instruction, Washington Governors University, 2019

Statement: As a parent, alumni, and community member of the Central Kitsap School District, I value education, educators, and the procedures involved in maintaining a thriving educational system. I strive to make decisions collectively and in the best interest of students, educators, and community members. Our children and their education should always be a top priority. I want to give teachers and students a voice, offer the perspective of an active educator to the board, and assist in continuing the positive environment of the Central Kitsap School District.

I respectfully ask for your vote. With your support, I will bring my educational expertise to the Central Kitsap School District School Board and work for our students to reinforce the district vision and goals. Together we will support the ever-evolving environment of education. I look forward to representing District 1, Cottonwood Elementary, Woodlands Elementary, Fairview Middle School, and Olympic High School. Education matters!

Thank you for your support!



Denise Tracy

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Elected Experience: First-time candidate

Other Professional Experience: I am a mom of four children (grades 1st-7th) attending Central Kitsap schools.

Education: B.A. in International Political Economy and Spanish from the University of Puget Sound

Community Service: Parent representative on the CKSD Elementary Planning Team; member of the Washington State PTA Resolutions Committee, Central Kitsap PTSA Council Secretary, Central Kitsap PTSA Council Vice President, Fairview PTSA Treasurer, Cottonwood PTSA President, PineCrest PTA Treasurer, PineCrest PTA Secretary; classroom volunteer since my oldest children were in kindergarten; youth soccer coach

Statement: I love Central Kitsap students! For the past seven years, I have witnessed the great work they accomplish and have learned of obstacles they face. I have admired the efforts of Central Kitsap staff as they support students. Additionally, as I have watched most board meetings since the summer of 2020, I have learned of the successes and challenges at the district level and gained an understanding of the budget and advocacy work of the board.

As part of my work on the CKSD Elementary Planning Team in the summer of 2020, I created a series of videos for families explaining how to log into their students' Google accounts and use Google Classroom. I also helped develop the *Elementary E-Learning Family Guide* for the district.

While on the Washington State PTA Resolutions Committee, I was privileged to join with other PTA leaders from around the state to write the resolution for Dismantling Institutional and Systemic Racism.

Studies show family engagement leads to greater student success. As a school board director, I hope to work in partnership with the other board members to improve student achievement by setting goals and creating policies to increase family engagement for all families.

Central Kitsap School District No. 401 – Director District 5 – 4-year term



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Elected Experience: Director, Area 5 for Central Kitsap School District #401 from 2008 to present.

Other Professional Experience: Program Manager (Operational Training and Exercises) for Commander, Navy Region Northwest. Commander, U.S. Navy (Retired). Teacher and Coach, Oak Harbor (WA) School District and Ocean Springs (MS) School District.

Education: Bachelor of Science in Secondary Education and Sports Administration at University of Southern Mississippi. Post graduate course work in Education at San Diego State University.

Statement: I have been honored to represent Central Kitsap School District Area 5 since 2008. I remain committed to CKSD's strategic goals of student achievement, safe schools, skilled staff, and community engagement. These goals must be achieved in a fiscally responsible manner, utilizing board oversight to ensure that capital and operational expenditures are clearly identified, prioritized, and monitored with metrics that are valued by our community. As we return to full-time in-person classes, I am strongly committed to reconnecting students with their schools and rekindling the love of learning that has faded for many over the past year. The lessons learned from incorporating technology during the pandemic have created new opportunities to enhance instruction and expand family engagement, both in the classroom and in real world settings. Understanding that not all students learn in the same way, I am also an advocate of distance learning and the online CK Virtual Academy.

I am eager to continue serving on the CKSD Board of Directors. I pledge to regularly consider community feedback and listen to the student voice so that CK Schools remain a source of pride for our community.

South Kitsap School District No. 402 – Director District 3 – 4-year term



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Professional Experience: Dedicated school leader with thirty-eight years of public education experience, thirty in South Kitsap School District: Executive Director School and Family Support, Elementary Principal, Classroom Teacher, High School Coach. Served as Board President and Regional Director for the Elementary Principals' Association of Washington (ESPAW, 1995-2012) and ESPAW's Federal Relations Board Representative, meeting with members of Congress (2000-2014) and representing all elementary schools in Washington.

Education: MA Educational Administration, BA Elementary Education

Community Service: Past President/current Board Member at South Kitsap Helpline Food Bank, Kitsap Community Resources Board Member (2015-2019), South Kitsap High School Football Broadcaster, and coach for various youth sports leagues.

Statement: Students in South Kitsap School District deserve a world class education providing them with skills, knowledge and tools to be successful. Over the past three decades, I have demonstrated successful and dedicated leadership to the youth in our community. My extensive background in public education, service on multiple local and state level boards, and community service constitute my experience and knowledge base.

As a proven and effective collaborator, problem solver, independent thinker, and facilitator, I seek first to understand the issues and viewpoints of others. I thrive in leadership positions where I bring people together, to facilitate others in finding solutions. I will use these attributes as a member of the South Kitsap School Board. Fiscal responsibility for District budgets and public funds is critical. I believe in sustained financial efficiency and the effective oversight of taxpayer resources. Doing this requires effective collaboration, communication, and gathering input from the community.

If elected to the South Kitsap School District Board of Directors, I will provide leadership and positive direction while working collaboratively and communicating with other directors, the community, and staff. Open and honest communication builds relationships, relationships build trust, and trust then fosters and drives success.



Anna Schroeder

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Biography: Anna Schroeder and her husband grew up in Port Orchard and attended SKSD schools. They have two school-age children. Anna currently works as an ICU RN at St. Joseph Medical Center in Tacoma, specializing in Stroke and Trauma Nursing. Her husband teaches at John Sedgwick Middle Middle School. Anna performs with the Bremerton Symphony and is involved in other community groups.

Statement: As we have learned this past year, schools play a crucial role in our community. Not only are they places of learning, but bulwarks of physical and mental well-being, places to form friendships, and support families. As a nurse, I collaborate with many different disciplines. To do so, I must be open to ideas from my colleagues, as well as the needs of the patient and their loved ones. I must think critically in times of stress and manage complex systems. I must bring compassion to those who are sick and in need. I will bring these skills to my role as School Board Director. While we won't agree on every issue, we can agree that our children deserve the best. My goal is to ensure they receive the best education and the support they need to be successful. Our families may be different, but creating spaces of emotional safety and growth is something we all deserve. I promise to listen to your concerns, to address disagreements fairly and with civility, and to keep the family as my focus. I ask for your vote so I can help our community continue to grow strong and bright.

South Kitsap School District No. 402 – Director District 4 – 4-year term



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Elected Experience: I'm an Organizational Psychologist, a husband to a dedicated SK teacher, and the proud father of two current SK students, a WSU grad and a UW grad. I was raised in SK, have visited all 50 states but call Port Orchard, Washington home.

Other Professional Experience: Over 25 years as a management consultant for Fortune 500 companies. Employed at global consulting firms, in industry, and as an MBA professor at Pepperdine University. Currently a Senior Executive Advisor at The Boeing Company.

Education: PhD & MS Organizational Psychology – CSPP (95), BA I/O Psychology with Business Administration – WWU (90), HS Diploma SKHS (86).

Statement: As your SK School Board Director #4, I will bring my experience in business and education to an organization in dire need of leadership. SK schools have floundered for too long in search of meaningful direction. We need to continue to invest in our students, teachers, and curriculum while addressing our neglected infrastructure. Together, we can build SK schools that deliver for us all.

I believe that strong schools make for a strong community. I believe that the school board should come together and clearly set a course for our schools in partnership with Superintendent Winter. I believe that school board directors should leave their personal politics at the door and work earnestly to provide the best educational opportunities for our community.

If you elect me as your School Board Director, I promise to put an end to the drama and grandstanding that we have seen on the school board and bring a rational approach to SK District policy. I will do what's best for our community and represent you as the taxpayer. Ultimately, I will work to make the SK schools a draw for our community and an institution that produces the states most capable scholars, employees and citizens.



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Education: ATA from OC in Welding Technology, Attended Washington State University, Big Bend CC, Walla Walla CC.

Statement: Having 4 daughters, 2 of which have completed the SK system, and 2 that are about halfway through, I thought it time to take a more invested interest in what is going on in the district.

I bring a level head, rational demeanor, and critical thinking skills to the table, and would be more than happy to help out our students in any way I can.

North Mason School District No. 403 School Board Director District Nos. 2, 5 – 4-year terms

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Fire Districts

Bainbridge Island Fire Department – Commissioner Position 1 – 6-year term



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Elected Experience: Fire Commissioner, Bainbridge Island Fire Department 2007-present; State Fire Commissioner Representative - Washington DOH Pre-Hospital Technical Advisory Committee 2018-present

Other Professional Experience: Senior Technical Project Manager, Healthcare Information Systems 1991-Present; Emergency Medical Technician (volunteer), Bainbridge Island Ambulance Association 1997-2018

Education: MBA, Management, San Diego State University; BS, Industrial Technology, Cal Poly San Luis Obispo

Community Service: Emergency Medical Responder, Bainbridge Prepares 2020-Present; Captain, Bainbridge Emergency Flotilla, 2019-Present; Harbor Steward, City of Bainbridge Island, 2020-Present; CEO and Organizer, Bainbridge Fireworks, 2009-Present

Statement: For 14 years you have supported me as your fire commissioner. I am fiercely proud of what we have accomplished in that time. With my role in the governance of the district we have: hired a top-notch fire chief; increased service levels by opening all 3 of our stations 24/7/365 with full staffing; increased our number of paramedics; rebuilt 2 of our 3 stations to last for the next 50 years.

Through these and other improvements we have been recognized by the state insurance ratings bureau with an improved rating (twice!) potentially saving every household on the island on their insurance premium!

And more recently, through our proactive partnership with COBI and Bainbridge Prepares, we established our high-volume COVID vaccination center serving not only Bainbridge, but our county and region. No other fire district in our county took such actions.

If you are as proud of our fire department as I am, please vote to support me for another term so I can continue to perform these important duties.

Bainbridge Island Fire Department – Commissioner Position 3 – Unexpired 2-year term



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Professional Experience: Family medicine physician and co-founder of Pacifica Medicine & Wellness. Previously worked at the Doctors Clinic and at Harrison CHI Urgent Care.

Education: BS (Molecular Biology) from Vanderbilt University, MD and MPH (Epidemiology) from Tulane University

Community Service: Coordinator and co-founder of Bainbridge Island Medical Reserve Corps (MRC), Team Lead for Bainbridge Prepares, USAR Team Physician for Empact Northwest, COVID-19 test site volunteer for Bainbridge and Kitsap Public Health, COVID-19 vaccinator volunteer in Bainbridge, CERT volunteer, member of Board of Directors for Peacock Family Center, Health Advisory Board member for Suquamish Early Learning Center, Neighborhood Coordinator for Map Your Neighborhood.

Statement: My husband, our two children and I moved to Bainbridge Island in 2003 because this community had so much to offer, including natural beauty, small town heart, wonderful people and great schools. Over the past 18 years I have been happy to give back to the community that has given us so much – first by volunteering at our children's schools and at our church, and later with organizations where I could utilize my medical training and interest in emergency preparedness like CERT, Bainbridge Prepares, and the MRC.

During the COVID-19 pandemic I have been heavily involved in the City's testing and vaccination efforts, and my experience with the hundreds of generous volunteers who helped with those efforts has been humbling and inspiring. The incredible dedication and unique collaboration between the City, Bainbridge Fire and multiple community volunteer organizations has led to great success for our COVID-fighting efforts. As a Bainbridge Fire Commissioner I would be honored to bring to the Board my perspective as a medical professional, business owner, and community emergency management volunteer to ensure that Bainbridge Fire continues to be a well-run organization with excellent leadership, fiscal responsibility and impactful community involvement.



Robert S. Peterson
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Biography: Fire Chief: nine years (Two departments), Deputy Chief 13 years (Two departments), Battalion Chief: three years, Elected Utility commissioner 11 years, Small Business owner/operator

Education: Degree Natural Science, Degree Social Science, Degree Fire Science, Certified Chief Officer, Fire Service Administration, Western Oregon University

Community Service: 45 years community service in fire working with Fire District boards and city councils. Elected Commissioner with Northshore Utility District. Kitsap County Democratic Women approved, Member Bainbridge Island Chamber of Commerce. Member Rotary Club of Bainbridge Island.

Statement: Serving on the Board of Fire Commissioners would allow me the opportunity to continue to focus on the interests of the public.

35 years in the fire service gave me experience working with fire commissioners and city councils; managing city-wide disaster planning and operations, both in my capacity as a Fire Chief and Deputy Chief of Operations. It has also given me the rarely equaled opportunity to participate in the wide range of situations and challenges that the fire service has to offer.

In my role as a Fire Chief, while working with the Boards of Commissioners, I strived to take a broad perspective on issues, listen to varying perspectives, emphasize teamwork, and handle confidential and sensitive information with professionalism. This approach has worked well.

The ability to work effectively with others is paramount in any board setting. My experience has highlighted the ability to listen to others, constructively solve problems, make fair and objective decisions, and reach consensus in a timely manner. I also have a clear understanding that my role as a fire commissioner would be to represent the best interests of the Bainbridge Island community rather than any special interest group. I'd appreciate your vote in November.

Bainbridge Island Fire Department – Commissioner Position 5 – 6-year term



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Professional Experience: Director of Cyber Security Operations, Kroll 2016-Present. Director of Incident Response, FIS Global, 2013-2016. Seattle Police Detective/Secret Service Task Force Officer (Cyber Crimes) 2005-2013. Seattle Police Department Strategic

Advisor / part-time detective, 2014-2020 (Cyber Crimes). Seattle Police patrol officer 2000-2005

Education: Seattle Central Community College - AA, Washington State University - BA

Community Service: Bainbridge Island Fire Department, volunteer and resident firefighter, 1997-2008. Bainbridge Police Department cadet and reserve police officer, 1993-2000

Statement: A lifelong Bainbridge Island resident, I currently live on a small farm with my wife and two children. My kids to go Blakely and Sakai and when I'm not working, you can usually find me outside with our dogs, cats, cows, horses, chickens, and bees.

I served as a volunteer and resident firefighter on the Island for over 10 years. Many members of my family have been treated as patients, including my grandmother, parents, and children. Bainbridge Fire was there on my worst day, when my mother was run over and killed in a car crash in Winslow. My earliest association with the department goes to my own beginnings; I was the first baby ever delivered by the Island's fire department.

As Bainbridge continues to grow and age, it will increase the workload of our department. It would be my priority for the department to keep pace with the expected growth on the Island. My focus would be ensuring that we have appropriate staff, both paid and volunteer, to further improve medical and fire response. I will strongly advocate for increasing our volunteer recruiting efforts to support the department.



Tim Carey

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Elected Experience: Incumbent Fire Commissioner, Bainbridge Island Fire Department Board of Commissioners

Other Professional Experience: Software industry, marine industry, real estate investment, multiple board memberships across industries

Education: BA, University of Puget Sound

Community Service: Bainbridge Island Volunteer Firefighters Association volunteer firefighter and treasurer, Bainbridge Island Fire Department special services volunteer, Bainbridge Island Football Club volunteer coach, Bainbridge Island Municipal Park & Recreation District volunteer coach

Statement: If re-elected, I'd be honored to continue serving our Island community. For over a decade, I've contributed to Island safety and emergency preparedness in numerous roles, but none I'm more passionate about than as Commissioner.

Throughout my association with BIFD, the Department's development has been very intentionally planned. In my first year, BIFD introduced its initial ten-year Strategic Plan, the living document which directs both operations and administration, and which guides everyday decision-making. During my two terms as Commissioner, BIFD has twice adopted updates to that Plan, reflecting demographic changes and emergent needs.

We Islanders enjoy improved emergency service as a result of such careful planning (and adroit execution!). Aging fire stations - two replaced, one refurbished. Increased staffing - now nine paramedics, and all three stations fully-staffed, 24/7/365. Mobile and clinic pandemic vaccination doses - over 25 thousand. These and countless other accomplishments are credit to the organization's leadership, the combination-style career/volunteer model, and a supportive community.

I'm proud to be measured, alongside the rest of the Department, against BIFD's Core Values: Compassion, Trust, Stewardship, Innovation, and Courage. With your vote, I hope to continue serving this community and to fulfill the next iteration of BIFD's Strategic Plan.

Central Kitsap Fire and Rescue – Commissioner Position 1 – 6-year term

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Statement: I attended Oregon State University and graduated with a degree in English. In 2013, I received my MBA from Naval Postgraduate School in Monterrey, CA. I retired with 27 years of Naval Service (Active and Reserve) in 2019.

As a civilian, I have worked for several companies. I joined the Federal Civil Service in 2008 and currently serve as the Deputy Logistics Officer for Marine Corps Security Force Battalion (MCSFBN) in Bangor, Washington. I love the Pacific Northwest!

What is my vision for this position? I envision that our firefighters are safe and well trained so that they are providing the high-quality services that each one of you deserves. To that end, I will look at how we do business and ensure that we have the right training and protocols so that our firefighters are doing the best they can for all of us. If they are safe and well trained, then our first responders are there for us when we need them. Would it be a problem if each of you shared in this vision by voting for me?



Nate Andrews

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Elected Experience: Commissioner Andrews has served in Position #1 since 2016. During that time, CKFR has received significant support from the community in replacement of fire and rescue vehicles and firefighter equipment. Because of that support the citizens of Central Kitsap have a fire and rescue organization that is equipped to provide the highest level of service.

Other Professional Experience: Education - Administrator/Athletic Director

Education: Bachelor of Arts from Washington State University, 1997. Master of Education (M.Ed.) from Washington State University, 1999. Certified Athletic Administrator, 2017.

Statement: Public safety must be the highest priority in any community. It's the responsibility of CKFR Commissioners to diligently monitor the use of public funds and to assure the maximization of those funds as to protect citizens in the community. In his first term as Fire Commissioner, Nate Andrews has been a constant advocate for firefighter safety, responsible spending and smart growth. In his first term, Nate has partnered with fellow commissioners to increase staffing, update equipment and vehicles and establish a plan to renovate and replace fire stations throughout the fire district. Central Kitsap is a growing community and Commissioner Andrews has served admirably by listening to constituents and representing their interests.

Central Kitsap is experiencing significant growth and change. Commissioner Andrews has a track record of seeking real solutions for real challenges. As the Central Kitsap community continues to develop and grow, CKFR will continue to evolve. As a proven problem-solver, and with professional experience in public sector budget and finance, Nate possesses the ability to serve in the best interest of citizens. Nate lives on Erlands Point and is married to his wife Kelli, an Army veteran and current school administrator. They have 3 sons.

Kitsap County Fire Protection District No. 18 – Commissioner Position 1 – 6-year term



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Statement: It is an honor to serve Poulsbo Fire District 18 as one of your Fire Commissioners. The most important role as Commissioner is to provide the best service possible to the residents of our district. I pride myself in listening and learning from our citizens.

During my tenure as Fire Commissioner, I have always strived to see that the district provides the highest quality and professional services to our community.

With our excellent Fire Chief, firefighters, administrative staff, volunteers and fellow board members, we have achieved this goal while being financially sound and prudent. Together with strong citizen support, I look forward to future opportunities including being able to provide enhanced Fire and EMS services. It is important to me that taxes being paid by our citizens are spent wisely to achieve the best results.

I have resided in the Poulsbo area for 45 years and enjoyed being active in the community including serving as past president of Poulsbo North Kitsap Rotary and Kitsap Building Association. I have been a business owner in Kitsap County for 43 years. I have been married for 47 years, have two sons and four grandsons.

Thank you for your vote and continued support.

North Kitsap Fire & Rescue – Commissioner Position 1 – 6-year term



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Elected Experience: Over 37 years serving as a Fire Commissioner with North Kitsap Fire and Rescue and Suquamish Fire Protection District #4.

Other Professional Experience: General Manager Korea Shipping North America; Service Center Manager

Tideworks Technology; Honorary Life Member of the Washington Fire Commissioners Association and member of Kitsap County Fire Commissioners Association.

Education: Bachelor Science Degree in Communication from Illinois State University

Community Service: Served as a volunteer Fire Fighter and Emergency Medical Technician for Suquamish Fire Protection District #4 from 1976 until elected to Commissioner Position 3 in 1983. Also served as president of the Suquamish Ambulance Association.

Statement: I have dedicated the last 44 years serving the North Kitsap Fire Service as a volunteer firefighter and EMT for 7 years, and 37 years as Fire Commissioner for *Suquamish Fire Protection District #4 and North Kitsap Fire & Rescue respectively.*

I have been involved in the merger of Suquamish District 4 with Kingston District 10 as well as subsequent mergers with Indianola Fire District 5 and Hansville Fire District 14, resulting in the formation of North Kitsap Fire and Rescue. Currently, I am a proud member of NKFR and the current board of commissioners who consistently work as a team to selflessly represent the community we serve; to be good stewards of the public funds we oversee and to care for the welfare of each-and-every member of the department we represent.

As a member of the board of commissioners, I will strive to continue collaboration between Volunteers, Career Firefighters, Management, fellow Commissioners, and our community through effective listening, respect, and open and honest communication.

North Kitsap Fire & Rescue – Commissioner Position 4 – 6-year term



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Elected Experience: Serving as one of the North Kitsap Fire and Rescue's Fire Commissioners since 1994.

Community Service: Active in community volunteering in support of Kitsap Children's Musical Theater, "Triple Nickle" Boy Scouts of Kingston and the Kingston Fire House Theater.

Statement: It has been my honor to serve as your Fire Commissioner over the past 28 years, and with your vote, I will continue to strive to achieve excellence in fire service and to seek continued opportunities for efficiencies and partnerships with related agencies and services. I will collaborate with fellow commissioners and district leaders to support ongoing stewardship of the valuable resources entrusted to the district as we support excellence in practice and assure the facilities and equipment necessary to protect and serve the citizens of our growing community.

The economic recession of the past several years, coupled with the challenges of the unprecedented times we have all been navigating during the pandemic, have most certainly required the best that your leaders in public service can provide. The role of the fire commissioner is to maximize the potential of those who are proud to serve, to assure high quality service and to maintain and keep focus on mission critical priorities. Thank you for your continued support.

North Mason Regional Fire Authority Fire Commissioner Positions No. 4, 5 – 6-year term

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South Kitsap Fire and Rescue – Commissioner Position 1 – 6-year term



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Biography: I attended the University of Washington. Retired from USWest after 42 years of service, during which time I served as a manager for 16 years. Lived in Manchester for 34 years, and actively support the port of Manchester and SKFR. I have been a commissioner for 15 years And presently a member of the KCFCA

executive board, vice chair of the KCFCA Legislative committee and chairman of the WFCA Legislative Committee.

Statement: SKFR has demonstrated its ability to make the most of the resources that are provided. My top priority would be to maintain the fire district's funding program, to support transparency and reasonable proposals for daily operations and capital projects that will maintain our fire and EMS services for our community. I will do my best to support the citizens of South Kitsap to ensure that they receive the best fire and EMS service within the number of resources available..

South Kitsap Fire and Rescue – Commissioner Position 4 – 6-year term



Kyle Joyce

(Nonpartisan)

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Education: University of Washington, B.A., Political Science; Seattle University School of Law, J.D.

Professional Experience: I have both public and private sector management experience, including budget management. While working for the City of Seattle, I oversaw the group responsible for managing all 33 Fire Stations, engaging with Fire Department leadership. As Kitsap County Elections Manager, I had the opportunity to work closely with SKFR, and other districts as well, on election related issues. This experience sparked an interest in our local government and provided a strong base of knowledge in the organizational makeup of these entities.

Statement: I was raised in South Kitsap and my wife Ryen and I chose this community to raise our three children.

I am a member of the SKFR Citizens Advisory Committee and I regularly attend SKFR Commission meetings, so I am well versed on the issues facing the district, its budget and plans for the future. South Kitsap is undergoing tremendous growth, putting a great deal of pressure on the Fire District. SKFR had the highest call volume of any fire district in the county in 2020, almost 11,000. South Kitsap is fortunate to have a highly skilled and dedicated group of firefighters, EMTs and support personnel to handle this massive task. We must ensure our first responders have the equipment, facilities and support necessary to do their work. If elected I look forward to serving all of the residents of South Kitsap and ensuring the highest level of Fire and EMS services.

I am honored to have the endorsement of Steve Wright, retired SKFR Chief and current Executive Director of Washington Fire Chiefs.

In closing, I would like to thank you for taking the time to review the Local Voter's Pamphlet and I appreciate your consideration for this position.



Mike Smith

(Nonpartisan)

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Elected Experience: I have no elected experience.

Other Professional Experience: I have been in the fire service for 35 years. I started as a volunteer firefighter for Gig Harbor Fire in 1983 I then moved to South Kitsap and joined South Kitsap Fire and Rescue in 1992. I retired at the rank of captain in 2020. I currently work for Gig Harbor Fire and Medic One as the lead fleet mechanic. I have worked there for 15 years

Education: I graduated High School.

Community Service: I was a Volunteer firefighter for South Kitsap for 28 years. I am a volunteer with the Fathoms of Fun committee.

Statement: I see being a Fire Commissioner as having an open line of communication with the community and the department. I will be very transparent and fourth coming of any information that I can.

The top priorities for the fire department I see is getting the bond passed for facilities so we can get some much needed remodels done on some fire stations and to relocate and build some new stations to improve the level of service and decrease response times to the community.

Our fire department gives excellent service to our citizens and with the staffing they have it is amazing the level of service we get. The next item we need is to increase our staffing levels at the career stations I would like to see a minimum of two on a medic unit and 3 on the engines this would take a lot of stress off our crews.

While I was a volunteer I was also a board member of the Washington State Firefighters Association, I am a board member of the Firefighters Training and Education Fund and I am currently the Vice President of the Washington State Fire Mechanics association.

Port Districts

Port of Bremerton District No. 1 – Commissioner District 1 – 6-year term



Cary Bozeman

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Elected Experience: Current Port of Bremerton Commissioner. Former two-term Mayor of Bremerton; three-term Mayor of Bellevue; four-term Bellevue City Council Member.

Other Professional Experience: Former Port of Bremerton CEO; Olympic College Executive Director; King County Boys & Girls Club CEO/President.

Education: University of Washington (BA in Education, Graduate School Teaching Fellowship).

Community Service: Currently serving with Leadership Kitsap Board of Directors; Kitsap Community Foundation Ambassador; Kitsap Humane Society Honorary Board Member; Puget Sound Regional Council; Bremerton Chamber of Commerce; Bremerton Rotary Honorary Member.

Statement: The Port of Bremerton has experienced historic economic and job growth over the last five years. Together with my fellow commissioners, we have doubled the number of companies operating at the Port and increased the number of Port-related jobs by 150%. The airplane hangars and marinas are at full capacity. The companies at the Port are generating over \$455 million in sales and \$137 million in labor income. With your support, we can continue this progress for our community.

As your commissioner, I will continue to help the Port grow our economy and provide living wage jobs. I will work with the Gorst Coalition to raise funding and address local traffic challenges. I will advocate for recreational opportunities and a new multipurpose facility and restaurant. Lastly, I will support public safety through a new training facility for use by the Sheriff's Department, local police department, and Kitsap Transit on Port property.

I am excited about our future and continuing to provide a high quality of life for the citizens of our community. I would be honored to continue to serve as your Port Commissioner and I ask for your vote.

Port of Brownsville District No. 2 – Commissioner District 2 – 6-year term



Mathew Messing

(Nonpartisan)

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Professional Experience: I spent 10 years at the Puget Sound Naval Shipyard. I worked my way into leadership and management positions. In 2019 I left PSNS to pursue a dream of mine. I started, *Messin Around Fishing Charters* based out of the Brownsville Marina.

Education: 2003--Olympic High School graduate; Associate's Degree from Universal Technical Institute

Statement: I grew up in Brownsville and have many fond memories of the marina. Brownsville is the county's last large, non-commercialized public port. This is a place where the public comes to enjoy the park and gain access to our public waterways for pleasure boating, fishing, kayaking, and to paddleboard. This is what I will work to protect and maintain as your public servant.

All of this may be in jeopardy under the current operating conditions. The State Auditor's office found numerous problems for the years 2016-2019 (Report No. 1027689) and evidence of fraud (report No. 1027697). This all happened under the current commissioners' watch. These mistakes have already cost taxpayers about half a million dollars and it's still not over.

Brownsville is our port! It is up to us to make the positive changes we need to maintain Brownsville as the, "Peoples Port." I am asking for your vote so that you can have a commissioner that will seek your input and listen to your ideas. I believe in this community and will work hard for you to preserve and protect our port.



Fred Perkins IV

(Nonpartisan)

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Biography: For the eight plus years I have served and finished every year under budget. My Family Karin, Freddy, Scotty and Jenny (our dog) have lived in the Port of Brownsville District 2 since 1995. I retired from the Military as a Master Chief with over 27 years' service in November 2007 and currently work as a contractor for General Dynamics Mission Systems.

Statement: As a Tax payer, we have kept the taxes down. Major Improvements have been accomplished with Bonds and Grants totaling over 3million dollars, minimizing the impact on the tax payer. This included rebuilding 90% of the Marina Docks, replacement of 90 % of creosol pilings and the total Lauch Ramp replacement. I am rerunning for the Commission to complete the job and continue to have basically no impact on the taxpayers.

Stop by the marina and check it out. There's a Deli and an upper-level park and a covered pavilion. There are always people fishing and crabbing (in season) on the outer docks' day and night. The squid fishing on the outer docks is entertaining. If you want to get a good walk in, it is ½ mile to and from the end of the outer dock.

Port of Eglon District No. 4 – Commissioner District 3 – 6-year term



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Statement: No statement submitted.

Port of Illahee District No. 6 – Commissioner Position 2 – 6-year term



Amber Bartz

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Biography: Amber Bartz was born, and has long resided, in Washington State.

She graduated from Chimacum High School and took time in Missoula, MT to earn her Bachelor of Science

Degree. Primarily a stay-at-home mom, running the family's finances and schedules, for the last 13 years, Amber also works two businesses of her own. She is known well within the wedding community and focuses her business within Kitsap. Amber is an organizer by nature and has learned the ins and outs of various jobs over the last 25 years.

Statement: Honestly, I have very little elected experience. However, I would like to serve my community openly and fairly and feel this is a good place to start.

Port of Indianola District No. 7 – Commissioner District 2 – 6-year term



Eric Cookson

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Statement: No statement submitted.

Port of Keyport District No. 8 – Commissioner Position 3 – 6-year term

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Statement: No statement submitted.

Port of Kingston District No. 9 – Commissioner District 2 – 6-year term



Mary McClure
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Elected Experience: Port of Kingston Commissioner, District 2, 2016-21

Other Professional Experience: 40+ years as consultant to private businesses and public agencies in transportation, business/downtown development and facilitation/ marketing/ communications. Includes 25 years as Director of the Kitsap Regional Coordinating Council.

Education: B.S. Fordham University, Social Sciences 1978

Community Service: Numerous Kingston enterprises including the Village Green Foundation and the Kingston Public Market.

Statement: The Port's mission is to support economic development throughout Kingston. Our roads and ferries are the transportation hub between Seattle/Edmonds and North Kitsap/Olympic Peninsulas. We must provide leadership to achieve the best system possible, including walkability.

The Port's property surrounding the Marina is an amazing opportunity. It must be used to stimulate appropriate economic growth for the entire community, while enhancing the Kingston vibe of calm and openness.

The Port is more than a business engine. We are stewards of precious community assets e.g. Apple Tree Cove, Marina Park, beaches and trails, the Kingston Public Market, Sail Kingston Cove youth sailing, holiday events, summer concerts, and the Kingston Cove Yacht Club. Kingston's reputation as one of the West Coast's best small marinas brings enjoyment to boaters who in turn support our local businesses. The improved Marina is even more stable now environmentally, structurally, and financially.

Supporting our business community amidst the growth ahead will benefit our merchants and everyone who lives in the Kingston area. Together, we can make Kingston an even better place to live. The Port's decisions over the next few years will matter to us all.

Port of Manchester District No. 10 – Commissioner Position 2 – 4-year term



Lary Coppola
(Nonpartisan)

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Statement: As a Manchester resident since 1986, with my wife of 30 years and our 17-year old, we've seen many changes – some good, others not so much. What I'll contribute to the Port of Manchester is 40+ years of successful local business ownership, and specifically, strong Port management experience.

Since 2015, my "day job" has been Executive Director at the Port of Allyn. I'm responsible for all day-to-day business administration of the Port, including

managing two marinas, two boat launches, and two parks – one, the largest, most widely used park in Mason County. Additionally, I serve as General Manager of the Port's fast-growing community water system. I'm responsible for all financial management, strategic planning, and all legal and environmental compliance of its facilities.

Being active in the Washington Public Ports Association, I've taken advantage of its numerous ongoing educational opportunities to continually improve my Port management skills. Ports are audited regularly by the state, and I'm proud that during my tenure, we've had nothing but "perfect" audits – no findings or management letters. I'll bring these qualifications and experience to the Port of Manchester.

I respectfully ask for your vote for Position 2 at the Port of Manchester.

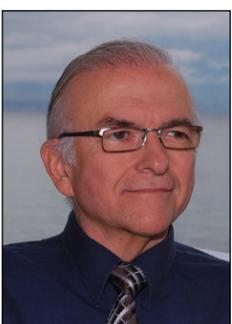
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Christopher R. Binns
(Nonpartisan)

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Statement: I have lived in the Port of Manchester District for over 10 years. I care about the operation, maintenance, long term planning, financial and other aspects of the Port. My pledge if elected, is to represent the citizens with honesty, integrity and an eye on fiscal responsibility. I ask for your vote.

Port of Manchester District No. 10 – Commissioner Position 3 – 4-year term



Bob Ballard
(Nonpartisan)

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Statement: Owner/Broker Manchester Realty 1996 to present.

Graduate of South Kitsap High School. Graduate of Central Washington University.

I am a third generation Manchester resident born and raised here.

Port of Poulsbo District No. 12 – Commissioner Position 2 – Short and full 6-year term



Jamie Green

(Nonpartisan)

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Elected Experience: Port Commissioner Port of Poulsbo 2020 - present

Other Professional Experience: Social Worker for St. Michaels Medical Center, Hospital Corpsman for United States Navy

Education: University of South Carolina Masters of Social Work and Gerontology; University of Denver B.A. Public Policy; American Institute of Business Associates of Business Travel and Tourism

Community Service: As Foundation Director for Sons of Norway, provide scholarship opportunities for college students and Heritage Camp. Kitsap Rowing Association assist with Learn to Row program.

Statement: I have been honored to serve as Port Commissioner for the Port of Poulsbo. As an active member in the community, I believe my experience utilizing the port for recreational paddle sports continues to add value to the Port Commissioners. It is our duty as commissioners to ensure the tax payers dollars are being utilized appropriately to protect Liberty Bay, while maximizing utilization for all citizens.

During our recovery I am committed to continuing building the relationship and economic growth with the City of Poulsbo through the Business Recovery Task Force and commercial fishermen. Collaborating to create opportunities for citizens of all socioeconomic backgrounds to utilize the Port. Since being in office, I have spearheaded the Free Little Library and advocated for designated racks for kayakers and paddle boards. I welcome the opportunity to continue serving the community.

Port of Poulsbo District No. 12 – Commissioner Position 3 – Unexpired 2-year term

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Elected Experience: Current Port of Poulsbo Commission Chair

Other Professional Experience: Watch officer/navigator on unlimited tonnage ships worldwide. Ocean towing as Mate/Master ... San Francisco Pilot (12yrs) and Puget Sound Navy Pilot (20yrs) retiring in 2014. 31 years military service attaining the rank of CAPT (USNR) with Active Duty deployments to East Africa/Middle East for port and coastal operations, & humanitarian efforts. Private background in sailing, boat building, marine survey, marina operations & marine construction.

Education: California Maritime Academy 1974

Community Service: Board Member of Christian Schools (Alameda), Church Boards, and Board Member for Habitat for Humanity (Kitsap)

Statement: It has been a privilege to stand-in as an interim Port Commissioner for Poulsbo since September of 2020. Throughout that time, the agenda has been active with the normal budget and operations requirements ... but also with the *challenges* of validating the Port's 2021 – 2026 Comprehensive Plan as well as ongoing improvements such as the pending breakwater replacement and expansion, boat ramp renovation, and numerous marina projects. Throughout it all, it's been a pleasure to work alongside the other Commissioners ... as well as the current Marina Manager and Staff.

However, *there's much more to do*. Internally, we have the breakwater repair and marina improvements to follow through on – while maintaining and improving our level of service to our permanent licensees and increasing number of guests. In concert with the City & community, I look forward to exploring new ways to provide expanded waterside events, education, and support for commercial enterprise.

With your vote, you have my commitment to objective review of issues, fiscal responsibility, consistent involvement with Community and Tribal leaders, and collaborative leadership. Thanks in advance for your consideration!

Port of Silverdale District No. 14 – Commissioner District 2 – Unexpired 2-year term

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Statement: I have been a resident of Kitsap County for 20 plus years and a commercial/residential real estate broker for 15 years. I believe my skills are well suited for helping guide the future of the Port of Silverdale.

I am asking for your vote.

Port of Silverdale District No. 14 – Commissioner District 3 – 6-year term



Ed Scholfield

(Nonpartisan)

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Elected Experience: Over 14 years as Commissioner for the Port of Silverdale

Other Professional Experience: Information Technology Head Project manager: Information Technology System Immunex / Amgen. Lead Design Project manager: Naval Air Systems Command Training Systems.

Education: Bachelor Degree in Business Administration University of Washington. Bachelor Degree in Computer Science Western Washington University

Community Service: 43 years as Volunteer Firefighter with Central Kitsap Fire Rescue reaching the rank of Volunteer Battalion Chief. Member of Silverdale Pee Wee Adult Association. Past President of Central Kitsap Fire and Rescue Volunteer Firefighter Association.

Statement: I have lived on the waterfront for over 55 years, and have become very familiar with the environmental issues regarding Dyes Inlet. As a member of the waterfront community, I understand the concerns of boaters and property owners. My goal as commissioner is to best serve the interests of the people of the Port of Silverdale and protect the environment. As a Port Commissioner my top priorities will be to preserve the Silverdale waterfront and make improvements when possible, keeping Dyes Inlet accessible and enjoyable for everyone, while maintaining existing facilities in accordance with grant requirements. The Port of Silverdale has been very well managed over the years. To continue this I will lend my experience and knowledge in the completion of a new waterfront activity center, in addition to improving existing marina facilities and services.

Port of Tracyton District No. 15 – Commissioner District 2 – 6-year term

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Statement: No statement submitted.

Port of Waterman District No. 16 – Commissioner District 2 – Unexpired 4-year term



Jeffrey Acoba
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Elected Experience: Zip, zero, zilch, nada.
Other Professional Experience: Art director, Pre-press manager, graphic designer, small business owner.

Education: Associate of Applied Arts Degree, Graphic Design, The Art Institute of Seattle. High school diploma, South Kitsap High School.

Community Service: South Kitsap Eastern Little League Baseball Coach.

Statement: I grew up playing on the beach and fishing off the Waterman dock. During WWII, my Great Grandfather and Grandfather Blaisdell went in together to buy 40 acres just a stone's throw from the Waterman dock for four thousand dollars. Raising the 5th generation here, the Port of Waterman is very important to me and my family. I would be honored to be a part of maintaining and improving the beautiful Port of Waterman for its users and their enjoyment.

Port of Waterman District No. 16 – Commissioner District 3 – Short and full 6-year term



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Elected Experience: Commissioner, Port of Waterman District 3, 2019-Current
Other Professional Experience: Public Records Officer, Port of Waterman, 2021-Current; Manager, SAFE Boats International, 2004-Current

Community Service: PTSD Foundation Event Coordinator; Cub Scouts Den Leader

Statement: I was appointed to the Port Commission in October 2019. Since then, we have worked to improve the security of the Waterman Pier, create our online presence, secured a maintenance contract, and worked with local law enforcement to decrease poaching. I have been trained in public records keeping and operate as the port's public records officer. I have lived in the Waterman area most of my life and have learned to responsibly enjoy the amazing resources we have around us. An avid outdoorsman, I strive to support the community of fishermen, boaters, divers, kayakers, and others who enjoy the Port of Waterman.

Education: South Kitsap High School graduate (1996); attended Olympic Community College and Evergreen State College

Sewer District

Kitsap County Sewer District No. 7 – Commissioner Position 3 – 6-year term

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Statement: No statement submitted.

Utility District

West Sound Utility District No. 1 – Commissioner Position 3 – 6-year term



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Statement: I have 20 years experience as a commissioner for both water and sewer utilities, resident of Kitsap County for 40 years. I have been serving our veterans for 37 years as a medical bus driver at the Washington Veteran's Home in Retsil. I am the proud mother of twin sons.

While serving as commissioner, West Sound has consistently demonstrated prudent budgetary management. The district has received numerous awards from the department of Ecology for outstanding performance of the treatment plant. Software upgrades essential to maintenance and billing services which improved website usability and customer experience. We recently drilled two new wells and upgraded several existing wells.

If re-elected, I will continue to prioritize West Sound Utility District's rate payers, while continuing to meet and exceed future State and Federal obligations.

Thank you and I appreciate your vote.



Jessie Rude
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Statement: No statement submitted.

Water Districts

Manchester Water District No. 11 – Commissioner Position 3 – 6-year term



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Elected experience: Commissioner, Manchester Water District 11, 1996-2019; President, Manchester Port District Commissioner, 1986-Present

Other Professional Experience: Over 48 years' experience in the construction industry; Small business owner since 1989

Statement: Jim Strode grew up in Manchester and along with his wife, Tina still lives in a home overlooking the community he roamed as a boy. As a small business owner and community volunteer, Jim has carried on the legacy of his family working to make Manchester a better place for us all.

As a lifelong Manchester resident, I would like to earn your crucial vote on the ballot this election and return to the Manchester Water District to serve you as your Commissioner. With 24 years of previous service and experience in this position, I will continue to bring to the District my strengths in management, budgeting, and construction. The benefit to you is exceptional water quality at low rates. I would again be honored to serve you as your Manchester Water District Commissioner. Thank you for your vote.

Community Service: Friends of the Manchester Library Expansion Project Consultant; South Kitsap Help Line Board Member; South Kitsap Fire & Rescue Task Force Member; Saints Car Club Member



Sabina Fiore
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Professional Experience: Weber Thompson Architects (2005 – 2009 & 2017 to present); sole proprietor of smFiore Design (2009 – 2017); Rice Fergus Miller Architects 2012 – 2013); McGranahan Architects (2009 – 2010); SABA Architects (2004 – 2005); Yockey Terry Architects (2001 – 2003); David Vandervort Architects (1999 – 2001).

Education: I earned my *Bachelor of Arts, Design & Planning: Architectural Studies* degree in 2003 from The University of Washington.

Statement: Water is essential to life: clean potable water is necessary for us, our pets, and our livestock; uncontaminated water is crucial to the people who grow fruit, vegetables, and plants. Security risks to our water are valid, whether by intentional threats or acts of nature. The quality of water that we have cannot be taken for granted. As your representative I intend to keep our water safe and available.

I've lived in various parts of Washington State for the majority of my life, and am now in the Southworth neighborhood. Preserving the water quality and relatively low prices that we enjoy here in the Manchester Water District is important to me.

In addition to my architectural education/employment, I have also been a sole proprietor, and served various positions on HOA boards throughout years of homeownership. These positions and life experiences contribute to my ability to: organize, coordinate, and participate in public meetings; minutes/agenda item management; capital improvements; developer relations; budgetary constraints; income/expense reports; requests for information/proposals; construction administration; and bid proposals.

It would be an honor to represent you as a Manchester Water District Commissioner, thank you for your consideration.

North Perry Water District No. 13 – Commissioner Position 2 – 6-year term



Damon Sallee
(Nonpartisan)

Biography: Hello, I'm Damon Sallee. My wife Keri and I have lived in Kitsap County for over 16 years. I was raised in a small community in North Central Montana. The harsh environment and remote nature of the area instilled in me a "do it right the first time and make it last" ethic. This applies to everything I do. I am currently a Senior Field Inspector for the Poulsbo Engineering Department, and I am experienced in installation and maintenance of all public utilities. I'm on the Kitsap

Accessible Communities Advisory Council and the Kitsap County Capital Grant Recommendation Committee (GRC)..

Statement: I believe that clean, safe drinking water is a foundational element of any community. I have been working with water systems for the better part of the last 13 years, and I have thorough experience in every phase of sourcing, treatment, and delivery of potable water. In the past I have operated a Class B water system on the shores of Bristol Bay in Alaska, and I have had hands on experience with the installation, maintenance and repair of the City of Poulsbo municipal water system for the past decade. I am also experienced in how public utility funds are obtained and administered with regard to major repairs, improvements and system expansions. Fiduciary responsibility and the public trust are my guideposts. I am frank, honest and a practitioner of common sense. I will bring tremendous expertise and knowledge to the North Perry Water District, and am prepared to serve our community with diligence and integrity. The North Perry Water District and its citizens deserve nothing less than the best: someone who will listen, evaluate and act in the best interest of your health, safety and pocket books. I am ready to go to work for you and your families.



Jeff Rupert
(Nonpartisan)

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Education: I graduated from Olympic High and Olympic College.

Biography: I have resided in Kitsap country for 30 years and been a North Perry ratepayer for 19. I am a single father of two teenagers who is very active in the

outdoors and engaged with community volunteer work. I enjoy hiking, kayaking, gardening, camping, making bigleaf maple syrup and beekeeping.

I have volunteered in our community with the following; Island Woods, Kitsap and Washington State fairs, VR Elementary, SKELL and NP Little League, Bremerton and CK Farmers Market, Kitsap Community Food Co-op, WSU MG extension, UW bigleaf maple syrup research and WSBA.

Statement: I have worked at Puget Sound Naval Shipyard almost 25 years. During my career I have worked on fluid and mechanical systems in production (apprentice and mechanic), inspection, engineering and management. With this experience, I have a very good understanding of how maintenance is performed and cleanliness is maintained.

Water quality and conservation are extremely important to me. As a North Perry Water District Commissioner, I will do everything in my power to maintain and improve the quality of the water we drink and I will ensure the source of our water is protected and will be available in the future.

I will represent my fellow ratepayers needs and desires in every decision I make. Your voices matter to me. With our growing community, I will do my best to ensure water quality issues get timely responses, customer satisfaction is improved, North Perry Water District Employees are taken care of and over communication with the ratepayers will become a new thing. Providing the best product to us, the ratepayers, is something I feel very strongly about and I will put in the hard work to make sure it happens without raising our rates!

Sunnyslope Water District No. 15 – Commissioner Position 2 – 6-year term



Paul Kenfield
(Nonpartisan)

Statement: No statement submitted.

Silverdale Water District No. 16 – Commissioner Position 1 – 6-year term



Joy Ramsdell
(Nonpartisan)

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Elected Experience: Commissioner, Silverdale Water District 2016 – Present; Trustee, WA/OR/ID Voluntary Employees' Beneficiary Association (VEBA) 2020 – Present

Other Professional Experience: Finance Manager, West Sound Utility District; Member, Washington Water and Sewer Association, Government Finance Officers Association, Washington Finance Officers Association; 30 years work experience in Finance and Accounting; 10 years in water and sewer utility industry

Education: B.A. in Accounting, MBA at California State University San Marcos; Completed numerous training programs on Governmental Accounting and best practices for water and sewer utilities.

Community Services: Treasurer, Central Kitsap High School PTSA 2020 – Present; Member, CK Community Council 2014 - 2016; Member, CK School District Finance Committee 2012 - 2017

Statement: Don't let special interests control your water during the real estate boom. When I joined the Board in 2016, Silverdale had Kitsap's highest water rates. Now it's about median, but my work isn't done yet. Please re-elect me and I'll continue fighting as your representative.

As Finance Manager, I led West Sound Utility District successfully through eight State Audits. My peers elected me as trustee managing health retirement accounts of 60,000+ public employees across three states.

As Silverdale Water commissioner, I combine extensive knowledge of finance and the water utility industry with my ratepayer perspective as a 12-year Silverdale resident. I strictly oversee costs, fight waste, and ensure new developments pay their fair share. The District is continuing to meet developer needs during rapid growth in Silverdale, addressing residents' concerns such as lead in school water, Bangor PFAS contamination, and assuring delivery of safe water during the pandemic. But we can do even more to control costs, intelligently update infrastructure, and maintain financially sound operations.

Actions speak louder than words! Check the District's minutes: I've always stood with ratepayers and I'm never afraid to speak up. Please vote for me, and I'll continue to impartially serve your interests.



Heidi Hottinger
(Nonpartisan)

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Professional Experience: Enlisted in the US Navy from Ferndale, Washington, and traveled the world to come back to Silverdale in December 1994, completing 25 years as a Senior Chief Machinist's Mate, at Port Operations Bangor, USS Carl Vinson, and SUBASE Bangor Security. Adjunct Faculty Member at City and Chapman University; Defense Contractor; since 2016,

Human Resources Staffing Specialist for the Department of the Navy in Silverdale.

Education: Master of Science, Human Resources Management and Development.

Community Service: Kitsap County Substance Abuse and Veteran Advisory Boards, Master Gardener (25 years), Kitsap Sun Community Columnist, Bremerton Rotary (8 years).

Statement: I love our Pacific Northwest home. In 26 years in the Silverdale Community, I served the last 10 years of my active duty Navy service. My industrial maintenance and materiel management background in the Navy required extensive planning, conformance to budget, and short- and long-range goal-setting efforts. I've continually sought to give back to the community. I volunteered 25 years as a Kitsap County Master Gardener; I've also served on the Kitsap County Substance Abuse Advisory Board and Veteran's Advisory Board, and as Kitsap Sun Community Columnist. I know the voice of many layers of the community, from the rural farmer to my unincorporated-area residential neighbors. Since its 1929 establishment, the District has come a long way from two miles of wooden water main to our current sophisticated system of wells, pumps and reservoirs distributing water from three aquifers to over 25,000 residents. The next 50+ years of our Water District's infrastructure expansion is being planned now. I want to share, and represent, your concerns, in ensuring that Silverdale continues to have superior water quality and service at an affordable price to the homeowner and business. Thank you for your vote!

Park and Recreation Districts

Bainbridge Island Metropolitan Park & Recreation District Commissioner Position 2 – 6-year term



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Elected Experience: Commissioner, Bainbridge Island Park & Recreation District/Bainbridge Island Metropolitan Park & Recreation District-2000-present

Other Professional Experience: Mortgage Broker/Banker, 1994-2019, Owner and manager of commercial/industrial and residential properties, 1973-2021.

Education: BS, Business Administration, with an emphasis in Natural Resource Management, post-baccalaureate studies in Engineering.

Community Service: Park District's Trails Advisory and Waterfront Trails Advisory Committees, Co-author of City's original Non-Motorized Transportation Plan, Scouts BSA (Cubmaster, Assistant Scoutmaster, Scoutmaster, Unit Commissioner), Bainbridge Island Little League, founding member--Bainbridge Island Babe Ruth, Board Member--Bainbridge Spartans Baseball Club, Bainbridge Island Ropeskippers, Girl Scouts, member—Committee to Save the DNR Forest.

Statement: Bainbridge has experienced major challenges the past few years. Probably the most notable example is our response to the COVID crisis. Like other businesses and agencies, the District has adapted to meet changing rules and islanders' needs. Use of parks, facilities, and trails has skyrocketed over the past 1 ½ years, while funding sources have decreased. Staff have been creatively meeting increased demand for services while working to keep fees in check. While we are emerging from the COVID-related cutbacks, we have a long way to go to get back to normal and build for the future.

With this in mind, it is more important than ever to maintain steady, consistent Board leadership setting policies which guide us back to normal. In light of this, here are my top 3 priorities for the next few years: Continue restoring programs and bringing new ones online; Update plans for the Grand Forest, Sakai Park, the Aquatic Center, and Strawberry Hill Park; Continue strengthening partnerships with key partners, such as the Parks Foundation, Land Trust, and major user groups.

Thank you for allowing me the honor to serve you. I ask for your support as we work toward taking advantage of new opportunities.

Bainbridge Island Metropolitan Park & Recreation District Commissioner Position 4 – 6-year term



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Statement: I've really enjoyed serving as a BIMPRD commissioner. Thank you for your support.

Recently we've dealt with a few controversial proposals, such as mountain bike trails in the North Grand Forest, disc golf, lighted soccer fields and off-leash dogs.

Citizens -- your friends and neighbors -- bring proposals to our park staff. The staff refines each proposal, and eventually helps the citizens present it to the Board of Commissioners. This initial presentation is for information only, not for action. If the commissioners see value in the idea, notification that the proposal is under serious consideration is widely published. The District solicits additional facts and opinions from everyone -- proponents and opponents alike. Eventually the proposal makes it back to the Board as an agenda item ready for "action." When everyone has been heard, and all the facts are known, a decision is made in an open public meeting.

Considering how partisan and divisive national politics has become, I am relieved to see that generally our meetings and discussions have been civil, and people have treated their neighbors and sometimes opponents with respect. I hope this spirit continues as we face increasingly more difficult questions in our future. .

Bainbridge Island Metropolitan Park & Recreation District Commissioner Position 5 – Unexpired 2-year term



Tom Goodlin
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Professional Experience: Geologist and hydrogeologist for 35 years in environmental consulting.

Education: B.S, Geology, Stanford University. M.S. Geology, University of Arizona.

Community Service: Bainbridge Island Land Trust board 2008-2014, including executive positions as Secretary, Vice President, and President, and remain active on the Projects Committee. Played key roles in purchasing conservation lands added to Park District properties, including the 31-acre Hilltop parcel connecting the Grand Forest East and West, and 19 acres that will connect to the Grand Forest North. President 3 of 5 years on the board of the Park District Masters swimming club. Coached Park District youth soccer and Little League.

Statement: My wife and I have lived on Bainbridge Island for 23 years, raising our 2 children here. Because we value the island's natural habitat, we placed a conservation easement on our own property. I believe we all are enriched by the park system and park programs, which are carefully managed through the talent and hard work of our Park District staff. As Commissioner, my focus will be on three principal areas: expand park holdings, further develop currently owned properties, and continue growth of BIMPRD cultural and recreational programming. I will advocate for expanding trails and access to natural island habitats, maintaining and upgrading park facilities, and acquiring new parklands as opportunities arise. Careful identification and sizing of capital developments is necessary, applying appropriate scale review to large projects under consideration for the Aquatic Center and Sakai Park. Additionally, the Comprehensive Plan Update approved in 2020 identifies that 40 of 47 BIMPRD owned and operated properties have potential capital improvement projects, and these will require a similar review. I am eager for the opportunity to work with fellow Commissioners and staff to prioritize and plan projects in a manner that fits within the fiscal resources of BIMPRD.



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Professional Experience: 7th/8th Grade History Teacher, Hyla Middle School, Bainbridge Island, 2015-present; A.P. World History & Special Education Teacher, Skyline High School, Oakland, CA, 2008-2015; International Programs Specialist, Washington D.C.

Public Schools, 2005-2008; Climbing Guide/Youth Outdoor Educator, Various Organizations, 1999-2005

Education: American University, M.A., International Peace & Conflict Resolution (2003); The Evergreen State College, B.A., History/Religion (2001); Bainbridge High School (1996)

Community Service: BIMPRD Trails Advisory Committee (2019-Present); Oddfellows Community Movie Night (2016-2020); High School Tennis Coach (2008-2013)

Statement: I grew up on Bainbridge, exploring what felt like vast unencumbered wilderness. (It's a big reason we've chosen to raise our daughters here.) Since then, the island has grown and changed. But because the park district has expanded and sustained our parks and open spaces to keep pace, virtually every community member I know—from the young people I teach, to my parents and their friends—relies on our parks to stay connected to the outdoors and to each other.

I believe that the only way to continue a conscientious stewardship is by listening to, and representing, the diverse needs of our community. I believe our welfare and nature are interlinked. Protecting our natural environment and promoting healthy outdoor activities for people of all ages needn't be seen as either/or.

I support a parks district that works with the public and other island agencies to update and expand our facilities and trails. These plans must both respect Bainbridge's legacy of sustainability and a shared hope for the future: a place where all recreational needs are addressed through respectful, good-faith collaboration.

I hope to bring a fresh voice to that process: one steeped in Bainbridge's past and exuberant about its future.

Village Green Metropolitan Park District Commissioner Position 1 – 6-year term



Bobbie Moore

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Elected Experience: Elected Commissioner of the Village Green since 2010.

Other Professional Experience: Management accountant from 1989 through 1994 for two international corporations. Self-employed consultant in workplace training and staff development 1995 - 2020.

Education: BA, French and Spanish. MA, Human Performance Systems. Doctorate in Adult Education. Certified Management Accountant

Community Service: I've lived in Kingston twice: 1989-1994, and since 2001. When we retired to our Kingston house in 2001 it was time to give back to the community. I focused on parks and trails and joined the volunteer effort to build the Village Green Community Park. The great need for for a new Community Center was clear.

Statement: To raise the funds to build the Center we needed to guarantee that we had resources to operate and maintain it. That's when the successful 2010 MPD ballot measure was born.

North Kitsap voters don't approve just any tax increase. The winning argument was that the Commissioners committed to keeping the tax rate low. We've kept that promise by operating lean and local. Commissioners have served without pay. We have developed a great team of dedicated volunteers to supplement our paid staff. Volunteers, staff, and our partners at the center – North Kitsap Boys & Girls Club and Kitsap Regional Library – kept the building operating safely and to the extent allowed during the pandemic. Another fleet of volunteers keeps the grass mowed and maintains our trails. The Village Green is a success because it's a community working together.

I'm running for a third term because I am dedicated to preserving that spirit. As a career accountant fiscal responsibility is part of my DNA. I aim to serve community needs while also keeping the MPD tax rate low.



Sherri Kelsay

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Biography: Customer service and hospitality; advocate for youth recovery in abuse and addiction. Also, as a recovering addict, I served as meeting chairperson and group secretary. As a professionally licensed CNA, I cared for the elderly in a memory care community. I continue to serve my community any way I can and often organize and coordinate events.

Education: Graduated High School with GED from John Hancock College, attended Reedley Community College for 4 years studying Administration of Justice and Child Development.

Statement: Our community of Kingston, and beyond, deserves to have a safe, clean park for our families to enjoy. A place that is all-inclusive and accessible to everyone. With everything our Nation has been through, I think Village Green can be the place that sets the ultimate example of *Unity!*

I'd like to build on partnerships with local businesses, and individuals, continuing to improve our park, increasing safety, maintenance, and cleaning up the drug paraphernalia for good. As a recovering addict myself, I'd love to redirect our young people away from unhealthy activities by creating an interactive setting for better living, even creating opportunity for court-ordered "community service" obligations to be fulfilled cleaning up our park, strengthening their investment in the community.

I'd like to see more activities that nurture and instill *Creativity and Community*. Let's bring more organized events, modernized play structures, public involvement, and unify neighbors while recovering from a difficult year. We need innovation, so let's hit that reset button together and bring our park and community center back to life. With my experience and passionate nature, it would be my honor to serve as your Park Commissioner.

Village Green Metropolitan Park District Commissioner Position 4 – 6-year term



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Biography: In addition to having served as a public school and Head Start teacher for over 40 years, I spend much of my free time volunteering in the community. I have served eight years as a Commissioner with the Village Green Metropolitan Park District and 15 years as a Commissioner with North Kitsap Fire and Rescue.

Education: B.A., Education, Washington State University; M.A., Organizational Leadership, Chapman University

Statement: I am so proud to have served on the MPD Board with the current Commissioners. Working together we have supported and maintained the building and grounds with the help of our wonderful volunteers and your taxpayer dollars. Those dollars have been used to keep the building in use as often as we can and still set aside monies to look at future improvements, maintenance and replacement of essential items as they wear out. Working in conjunction with the Village Green Foundation Board we have brought the best Kingston has to offer with a variety of classes, workshops and recreational activities. We came through this pandemic with our heads held high and continue to reopen slowly in a safe and deliberate manner. I ask for your support so I can continue my work on this "Pride of Kingston" Community Center.

Village Green Metropolitan Park District Commissioner Position 5 – Unexpired 4-year term



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Professional Experience: I have 32 years of experience as a Manufacturing Engineer in the Aerospace Industry. As part of this experience, I successfully led multidisciplinary teams, including vendors, contractors, program management, maintenance, and production.

I also successfully managed expenses and budgets for major facility improvement projects

Education: Bachelor of Science in Chemical Engineering - 1984

Community Service: I began volunteering at the Village Green shortly after retiring in 2017 and now have effective relationships with all of the staff and volunteers at the Village Green. It's been a privilege to be your Village Green Commissioner for the past year.

Statement: My wife and I have been visiting the Kingston area for the past 10 years. When I began volunteering at Village Green in 2018, I understood how special our community is. As I became more involved, I developed a greater appreciation for the services provided by the Village Green. I enjoy being a front desk volunteer, but I want to continue to do more. I'm running so I can continue to contribute to the success and evolution of the Village Green Community Center.

It would be an honor to continue to serve you as commissioner. During the District's 11-year history, Commissioners have delivered taxpayer value by holding the tax rate to the minimum needed to accomplish District goals. I intend to do my part to support that practice.



Ben Nimmons

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Elected Experience: I'm 35 and this would be my first elected public role.

Other Professional Experience: I'm a principal designer at Facebook, where I lead designers & engineers to build new & improved ways to match sellers & buyers for all

kinds of things on Instagram. Before that I worked at Amazon making it easier to find what you're shopping for on Amazon.com.

Education: Master's of Science in software development & design at Carnegie Mellon University; Bachelor's of Science in behavioral science at Santa Clara University; High school degree at Seattle Preparatory School

Community Service: I mentor junior designers at ADPList.org to accelerate their careers.

Statement: I want to increase access, equity, and longevity of natural & preserved natural spaces in our community. I will measure success by ensuring the heritage of Kingston constituents to healthy, vibrant, and shared outdoor environments. From Kingston, to Kitsap County, to the Peninsula, we enjoy some of the most beautiful wildlife spaces in the state. I love backpacking in the Olympics over long weekends, and shorter walks in the expansive forests across Kitsap after long days indoors. I believe one measure of community success is how much of the outdoors we can both preserve and restore while developing land and housing responsibly & equitably. I want to continue Kingston's exemplary standard of outdoor stewardship to ensure children, families, and visitors enjoy & learn about our abundant environment.



Write-in Candidates

A list of write-in candidates is viewable in the General Elections section of our website at kcowa.us/elections.

Votes for write-in candidates are not tallied in the General Election except for candidates who file a declaration of write-in candidacy and only if there are enough write-in votes overall to effect the outcome of the race. RCW 29A.60.021

Ballot Measure

Kitsap County

Proposition No. 1 Office of Kitsap County Medical Examiner

The Kitsap County Board of Commissioners adopted Resolution No. 098-2021 proposing creation of the Office of the Kitsap County Medical Examiner. If this proposition is approved, the current County Coroner's office will be replaced with an Office of the Kitsap County Medical Examiner, effective January 1, 2023 (or sooner if the Coroner's office becomes vacant before then), in accordance with RCW 36.24.190. The new office will be a department of the government of Kitsap County, having all of the rights and duties set forth in the Revised Code of Washington, including chapters 36.24 and 68.50.

Should this proposition be approved?

- Yes
 No

Explanatory Statement *(Prepared by the Office of the Kitsap County Prosecuting Attorney, as prescribed by law.)*

The Law as It Presently Exists: Currently, investigations into the cause and manner of the death of persons in Kitsap County are performed by an elected county coroner. The elected county coroner is typically a layperson who must contract with one or more certified forensic pathologists to perform autopsies and provide medical expertise in death investigations. By contrast, the medical examiner system is widely considered to be the modern, streamlined approach to death investigation because it is operated by an appointed physician who is certified as a forensic pathologist by the American Board of Pathology. On the recommendation of the County's current elected coroner, the Kitsap County Board of Commissioners has proposed replacing the coroner system with the medical examiner system. This change requires the approval of a majority of voters in the County.

The Effect of the Proposed Measure if Approved: If this measure is approved, the current County Coroner's office will be replaced with an Office of the Kitsap County Medical Examiner, effective January 1, 2023 (or sooner if the Coroner's office becomes vacant before then). The new office will be a department of the government of Kitsap County, having all the rights and duties set forth in law with respect to county coroners.

Argument For the Measure

An appointed physician who is or will be a certified forensic pathologist will bring a modern and up to date approach to death investigation in Kitsap County. This will also bring neighboring counties looking towards Kitsap County as a regional source for a certified forensic pathologist to perform autopsies and death investigations.

We have relied on an elected official layperson for decades to act as Coroner while contracting out forensic pathology services to determine causes of sudden, unexpected, violent, suspicious or unnatural deaths. A savings should be seen by bringing the services in-house even with the higher cost associated with a medical examiner. It is time Kitsap County entered the 21st Century and had an appointed physician acting as the medical examiner and eliminating the need for an elected Coroner.

This will bring an up to date, more modern and technically driven approach to the new Office of the Kitsap County Medical Examiner. There is also potential monetary savings and potential new revenue for Kitsap County by changing to an appointed Medical Examiner vice an elected Coroner.

Rebuttal to the Argument Against

A qualified Medical Examiner is the right person to have the responsibility of investigating a death. Taxpayer dollars spent on outside expertise can better be used in-house. A Medical Examiners office will bring needed local services to the Kitsap and Olympic Peninsula regions, with potential to actually bring in additional revenues.

Argument prepared by Roger Gay, committee chair, committee for the measure. Further questions may be addressed by emailing roger2012@me.com

Argument Against the Measure

Changing from a Coroner system to a Medical Examiner system at this time is not a good idea for the following three reasons:

1. You as voters will lose the ability to put the right person with the responsibility of investigating your loved one's death. The Coroner is currently elected but a Medical Examiner would be appointed and supervised by the County Administrator. Currently, the Coroner is independent and responsive to the community's needs by being involved in all committees relating to preventing premature death. Medical Examiners are pathologists and the Administrator of the office.
2. All of the six, out of 39 counties in Washington State who currently have a Medical Examiner system waited until they had a population of at least 400,000 because of the added expense of running such a system. A highly paid pathologist, autopsy assistant, medical transcriptionist, histology requirements and clinical tests would need to be added to the budget.
3. Medical Examiners does not equate to good administrators as we have seen from examples in Snohomish and Pierce Counties. In Snohomish, the county decided to take the administrative duties away from the M.E. because of the many problems there, adding an additional expense and level to the budget.

In conclusion, the check and balance system we now have in the Coroner system works and should not be changed without good reason.

Rebuttal to the Argument For

You are being told that Kitsap County will save money by going to a Medical Examiner system. Here are examples of counties with this same system: Pierce M.E. annual budget: \$4,400,000, M.E. salary: \$280,000 to \$325,000 King County M.E. annual budget: \$7,000,000, M.E. salary: \$283,000 Snohomish County M.E. annual budget: \$3,293,000, M.E. salary: \$241,000 Kitsap current Coroner annual budget: \$1,474,637 The M.E. is the highest paid employee of the county and isn't answerable to voters.

Argument prepared by Patrick Dawson, committee chair, committee against the measure. Further questions may be addressed by emailing pjdawson58@yahoo.com

Ballot Measure

Kitsap County

Proposition No. 2 Kitsap 911 Emergency Communication Systems and Facilities Sales and Use Tax

The Kitsap County Board of Commissioners adopted Resolution No. 114-2021 concerning an emergency communication systems and facilities sales and use tax. If approved, this proposition would authorize the imposition of an additional one-tenth of one percent of sales and use tax for a total rate of two-tenths of one percent (0.2%) for the purpose of providing funds for Kitsap 911 for costs associated with financing, design, acquisition, construction, equipping, operating, maintaining, remodeling, repairing, reequipping, and improvement of emergency communication systems and facilities, pursuant to RCW 82.14.420.

Should this proposition be approved?

- Yes
 No

Explanatory Statement *(Prepared by the attorney for the district, Kitsap 911, as prescribed by law.)*

Kitsap 911 is the consolidated countywide dispatch center for all fire/EMS and law enforcement service agencies in Kitsap County. Kitsap 911 is responsible for receiving all emergency 911 calls and dispatching the appropriate police, fire, or emergency medical assistance to emergencies reported. This proposition would authorize an increase to the countywide sales and use tax by one-tenth of one percent or one cent on a ten-dollar taxable purchase for Kitsap 911 for its emergency communications system. The increase is needed to modernize Kitsap 911's current end of life analog radio system with a new digital emergency communications system. The digital system will increase coverage, provide more capacity and allow better communications between and among first responders and dispatchers. Every first responder relies on the system for their safety and the safety of the public. Tax proceeds would be used for the sole purpose of funding the cost associated with financing, design, acquisition, construction, equipping, operating, maintaining, remodeling, repairing, reequipping, and improvement of the Kitsap 911 emergency communication systems and facilities.

Argument For the Measure

Kitsap 911 is asking Kitsap County voters to support a sales tax of 1/10 of 1%. The money generated by this tax will be used to replace and upgrade the emergency radio communications network serving Kitsap County and provide for Kitsap 911's future infrastructure needs. Kitsap 911 provides emergency communications and dispatch for all Fire, EMS and Law Enforcement agencies in Kitsap County. This vital service operates 24 hours a day and links the 911 caller with the help they are requesting.

The current radio communication system and infrastructure is failing and does not provide reliable emergency communications in many areas of Kitsap County and cannot accommodate the volume of radio traffic required during significant emergencies putting the public, first responders and property at risk. Segments of the current emergency communications infrastructure are obsolete and are no longer supported by the manufacturer or are at end-of-use/life.

The State Legislature has authorized counties to ask voters for this local sales tax to fund emergency communications. The time is now to update this critical system to state of the art technology. Kitsap 911's Board has directed that the revenues generated by this measure will fund a complete radio system replacement and thereafter create a committed Capital Improvement/Equipment Replacement Reserve for the indefinite future.

The service provided and equipment used by Kitsap 911 is essential for the safety of Kitsap County residents, visitors and first responders. Please support this important public safety measure by voting "Yes".

Rebuttal to the Argument Against

Kitsap 911's request for additional funding is the result of careful planning. Current revenues are not adequate to meet Kitsap 911's future capital improvement, equipment replacement, and operating requirements. That is why additional funding is necessary. Kitsap 911 needs more than a "one-time" upgrade. Revenue will be used for funding the costs associated with financing, design, acquisition, construction, equipping, operating, maintaining, remodeling, repairing, re-equipping, and improvement of the Kitsap 911 emergency communication systems and facilities.

Argument prepared by Steve Wright, committee chair, Alex McCracken and Mitch Thorsen, committee members, committee for the measure. Further questions may be addressed by emailing steve@washingtontfirechiefs.org, or calling (360) 535-2002.

Argument Against the Measure

Just Say No to a Forever Tax for a One Time Upgrade

K911 has been aware of these required technology upgrades for several years. Their lack of planning for the future is being passed down to the citizens of Kitsap County. How much has been saved from year to year since they knew? This is a *one time* technology upgrade, yet the tax will never go away. No reason for a forever tax has been given & little to no detailed plans of how the funds will be used have been provided.

Sales Tax Increases Unfairly Affect Low Income Residents

Any sales tax increase is regressive & unfairly impacts the middle class & lower income. While no one disagrees that 911 service is essential, raising sales tax forever is not fair because it creates a bigger burden on those already disadvantaged.

911 Service Is Already Funded from Multiple Sources

Take a look at your phone bill, both landline and wireless, and you will see you already pay a monthly 911 tax. (Even this tax was originally given a sunset date, but of course became a forever tax.) This is just one of many examples of how there are existing funding sources for K911. There are now more people than ever paying the existing 911 taxes, generating more funds, yet their lack of planning & accountability has led to this measure. The 2019 Annual Report from K911 claimed they completed all needed technology upgrades, what happened?

Rebuttal to the Argument For

Vote No on the Kitsap 911 measure. No justification or details have been given to warrant a sales tax increase that lasts forever. They are assuming their lack of planning for the future will continue, which will lead to not having enough funding for upgrades. Does that warrant a new capital improvement fund? 911 already has multiple funding sources. This sales tax increase should have an end date.

Argument prepared by Andrew Fegan, committee chair, committee against the measure. Further questions may be addressed by emailing VoteNoK911@gmail.com.

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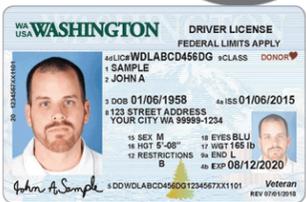
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