

Cowlitz County - Sample Ballot

General Election - November 8, 2011

INSTRUCTIONS

How to Mark Your Ballot

To vote, completely fill in the box next to your selection.

- Use a black or blue ink pen.
- Vote for ONE. More than one vote for a candidate or ballot measure will be an overvote, and no votes for that candidate or ballot measure will be counted.

How to Correct Your Ballot

- Do not erase.
- If you make a mistake, draw a line through the entire selection. You then have the option of making another choice.

Write-In Votes

To vote for a person not on the ballot, write the name of the candidate on the line provided for that office, then completely fill in the box next to the line.

STATE

**Proposed by Initiative Petition
Initiative Measure No. 1125**

Initiative Measure No. 1125 concerns state expenditures on transportation. This measure would prohibit the use of motor vehicle fund revenue and vehicle toll revenue for non-transportation purposes, and require that road and bridge tolls be set by the legislature and be project-specific. Should this measure be enacted into law?

Yes
 No

**Proposed by Initiative Petition
Initiative Measure No. 1163**

Initiative Measure No. 1163 concerns long-term care workers and services for elderly and disabled people. This measure would reinstate background checks, training, and other requirements for long-term care workers and providers, if amended in 2011; and address financial accountability and administrative expenses of the long-term in-home care program. Should this measure be enacted into law?

Yes
 No

**Proposed by Initiative Petition
Initiative Measure No. 1183**

Initiative Measure No. 1183 concerns liquor: beer, wine, and spirits (hard liquor). This measure would close state liquor stores and sell their assets; license private parties to sell and distribute spirits; set license fees based on sales; regulate licensees; and change regulation of wine distribution. Should this measure be enacted into law?

Yes
 No

STATE

**Proposed to the People by the Legislature
Amendment to the State Constitution
Senate Joint Resolution No. 8205**

The legislature has proposed a constitutional amendment on repealing article VI, section 1A, of the Washington Constitution. This amendment would remove an inoperative provision from the state constitution regarding the length of time a voter must reside in Washington to vote for president and vice-president. Should this constitutional amendment be:

Approved
 Rejected

**Proposed to the People by the Legislature
Amendment to the State Constitution
Senate Joint Resolution No. 8206**

The legislature has proposed a constitutional amendment on the budget stabilization account maintained in the state treasury. This amendment would require the legislature to transfer additional moneys to the budget stabilization account in each fiscal biennium in which the state has received "extraordinary revenue growth," as defined, with certain limitations. Should this constitutional amendment be:

Approved
 Rejected

READ: Each candidate for partisan office may state a political party that he or she prefers. A candidate's preference does not imply that the candidate is nominated or endorsed by the party, or that the party approves of or associates with that candidate.

COUNTY Partisan Offices

**Cowlitz County
Commissioner District No. 1
1 Year Unexpired Term**

Michael A. Karnofski
(Prefers Democratic Party)

LOCAL Nonpartisan Offices

**Port of Kalama
Commissioner District No. 3
6 Year Short & Full Term**

Troy Stariha

**Port of Longview
Commissioner District No. 2**

Kent J. Preston

Lou Johnson

**Port of Woodland
Commissioner District No. 3**

Paul D. Cline

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LOCAL Nonpartisan Offices

**City of Castle Rock
 Mayor
 4 Year Short & Full Term**

- Paul D. Helenberg
- _____

**City of Castle Rock
 Council Position No. 3**

- John Queen
- _____

**City of Castle Rock
 Council Position No. 4**

- Michael L. Davis
- James Tarragano
- _____

**City of Castle Rock
 Council Position No. 5**

- Ellen Rose
- Mike Mask
- _____

**City of Kalama
 Council Position No. 3**

- James "Mike" Dennis Langham
- _____

**City of Kalama
 Council Position No. 4**

- Donald W. Purvis
- _____

**City of Kalama
 Council Position No. 5**

- Mary Putka
- _____

LOCAL Nonpartisan Offices

**City of Kelso
 Council Position No. 3
 2 Year Unexpired Term**

- Kimberly Lefebvre
- Ned W. Harris
- Bob Von Roch
- _____

**City of Kelso
 Council Position No. 4**

- David Futcher
- _____

**City of Kelso
 Council Position No. 5
 4 Year Short & Full Term**

- James Webb
- Gary Edward Archer
- _____

**City of Kelso
 Council Position No. 6**

- Gary Schimmel
- _____

**City of Kelso
 Council Position No. 7**

- Dan Myers
- _____

**City of Longview
 Council Position No. 1**

- Mike Wallin
- Steve Moon
- _____

LOCAL Nonpartisan Offices

**City of Longview
 Council Position No. 2**

- Tom Hutchinson
- Chuck Wallace
- _____

**City of Longview
 Council Position No. 3**

- Cameron Templeton
- Ken Botero
- _____

**City of Longview
 Council Position No. 4**

- Mikeal Keesee
- Don Jensen
- _____

**City of Longview
 Initiative Measure No. 1**

Statement of Subject:
 Initiative Measure No. 1 concerns advisory votes on City ordinances authorizing automatic traffic safety cameras.

Concise Description:
 This Measure would require a City ordinance authorizing the use of automated traffic safety cameras, enacted after January 1, 2007, be subject to advisory vote at the next general election after ordinance enactment.

Should this measure be enacted into law?

Yes
 No

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LOCAL Nonpartisan Offices

City of Longview Proposition No. 1

The City Council of the City of Longview adopted Resolution No. 1996 concerning the question whether or not the City of Longview should continue with the use of automated traffic safety cameras at intersections (commonly known as "red light cameras"). This Proposition No. 1 is to consider the continued use of automated traffic safety cameras at intersections only after the end of the current ordinance period of May 1, 2012. This proposition is an advisory vote for consideration by the City Council.

Should the City of Longview continue with the use of automated traffic safety cameras at intersections (commonly known as "red light cameras") after the end of the trial period May 1, 2012:

- Yes
 No

City of Longview Proposition No. 2

The City Council of the City of Longview adopted Resolution No. 1997 concerning the question whether or not the City of Longview should continue with the use of automated traffic safety cameras in school zones. This Proposition No. 2 is to consider the continued use of automated traffic safety cameras in school zones only after the end of the current ordinance period of May 1, 2012. This proposition is an advisory vote for consideration by the City Council.

Should the City of Longview continue with the use of automated traffic safety cameras in school zones after the end of the trial period May 1, 2012:

- Yes
 No

City of Woodland Mayor

- Grover Laseke
 John "JJ" Burke

LOCAL Nonpartisan Offices

City of Woodland Council Position No. 4

- Marshall Allen
 Anthony "Tony" Brentin

City of Woodland Council Position No. 5

- Susan Humbyrd

City of Woodland Council Position No. 7 4 Year Short & Full Term

- Robert Ripp
 Scott Perry

City of Woodland Proposition No. 1 Sales and Use Tax Increase of 0.1% for a New Police Facility

The City Council of the City of Woodland adopted Ordinance No. 1216 concerning a sales and use tax increase pursuant to RCW 82.14.450. If approved, this proposition would authorize the City to fix and impose an additional sales and use tax of 0.1%, split between the City (85%) and Cowlitz and Clark Counties (15%). City proceeds shall be used to construct and equip a new police facility with a multi-purpose community meeting room and to pay other criminal justice and fire protection costs. The tax will expire after the costs of the police facility are fully repaid.

Should this proposition be:

- Approved
 Rejected

Longview School District No. 122 Director Position No. 2 2 Year Unexpired Term

- James Campbell

LOCAL Nonpartisan Offices

Longview School District No. 122 Director Position No. 3

- Skip Urling

Longview School District No. 122 Director Position No. 4

- Barb Westrick

Longview School District No. 122 Director Position No. 5

- Jennifer E. Leach

Toutle Lake School District No. 130 Director District No. 1

- Russ Hovey

Toutle Lake School District No. 130 Director District No. 2

- Art Carney

Toutle Lake School District No. 130 Director District No. 3 2 Year Unexpired Term

- H.F. "Butch" Brenaman

Toutle Lake School District No. 130 Director District No. 4

- Walter R. Cam Hanna

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LOCAL Nonpartisan Offices

**Castle Rock School District No. 401
 Director District No. 2
 2 Year Term**

- Harold D. Erdelbrock
- _____

**Castle Rock School District No. 401
 Director District No. 3**

- Bill Davis
- Skot Jones
- _____

**Castle Rock School District No. 401
 Director District No. 4 At Large**

- Glen A. Paget
- _____

**Castle Rock School District No. 401
 Director District No. 5 At Large
 2 Year Term**

- Gayle Baker
- _____

**Kalama School District No. 402
 Director District No. 2**

- Dave Walker
- _____

**Kalama School District No. 402
 Director District No. 3**

- Chad Moon
- Wesley "Wes" Eader Sr.
- _____

**Kalama School District No. 402
 Director District No. 5**

- Russ Ipock
- Marsha Shagool
- _____

LOCAL Nonpartisan Offices

**Woodland School District No. 404
 Director District No. 1**

- Jimmy L. Bays
- _____

**Woodland School District No. 404
 Director District No. 2**

- Janice Watts
- _____

**Woodland School District No. 404
 Director District No. 3**

- Tina Cayton
- _____

**Kelso School District No. 458
 Director Position No. 3**

- Bob Simmons
- _____

**Kelso School District No. 458
 Director Position No. 4**

- Bob Lucas
- Diane L. Dick
- _____

**Kelso School District No. 458
 Director Position No. 5**

- Roy Parsons
- _____

**Fire Protection District No. 1
 Commissioner Position No. 1**

- Jim Kellar
- _____

LOCAL Nonpartisan Offices

**Cowlitz 2 Fire and Rescue
 Commissioner Position No. 1**

- Alan Godfrey
- Scott Neves
- _____

**Fire Protection District No. 3
 Commissioner Position No. 1**

- Mark Higgins
- Dan Belding
- _____

**Fire Protection District No. 3
 Commissioner Position No. 2
 2 Year Unexpired Term**

- Thomas R. Baltazar
- _____

**Fire Protection District No. 4
 Commissioner Position No. 1**

- Alfred Gulliford
- _____

**Fire Protection District No. 5
 Commissioner Position No. 1**

- Terry Sinkler
- _____

**Fire Protection District No. 6
 Commissioner Position No. 1**

- Mark Watenpaugh
- _____

**Fire Protection District No. 7
 Commissioner Position No. 2**

- Michael Rietman
- _____

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**Cemetery District No. 1
Commissioner Position No. 2**

- Melvin Kayser

**Cemetery District No. 1
Commissioner Position No. 3
2 Year Unexpired Term**

- Barbara Roller

**Cemetery District No. 2
Commissioner Position No. 2**

- Lee Kouvo

**Cemetery District No. 4
Commissioner Position No. 3
4 Year Unexpired Term**

- Brian Flatt

**Cemetery District No. 5
Commissioner Position No. 1**

- Joanna Boatman

**Cemetery District No. 6
Commissioner Position No. 1
4 Year Unexpired Term**

- Kari Jo Pearson

**Cemetery District No. 6
Commissioner Position No. 2**

- Bill Spencer

LOCAL Nonpartisan Offices

**Cemetery District No. 6
Commissioner Position No. 3
2 Year Unexpired Term**

- Phil Gardner

**Cemetery District No. 7
Commissioner Position No. 1**

- Francis Naglich

**Beacon Hill Sewer District
Commissioner Position No. 1**

- Monte J. Roden

**Woodland Swimming & Recreation
Commissioner Position No. 1**

- Todd Dinehart

**Woodland Swimming & Recreation
Commissioner Position No. 2
2 Year Unexpired Term**

- Sharyn Crosby

**Woodland Swimming & Recreation
Commissioner Position No. 3**

- Michael Green

**Woodland Swimming & Recreation
Commissioner Position No. 4
2 Year Unexpired Term**

- Bruce Hulett

LOCAL Nonpartisan Offices

**Woodland Swimming & Recreation
Commissioner Position No. 5
2 Year Unexpired Term**

- Shannon Tracy

**Lexington Flood Control Zone District
Supervisor Position No. 3**

- Douglas Ipock
 Jim Zintz

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