

November 7, 2023 General and Special Election

King County  
**Official Local Voters' Pamphlet**

vote!

 Your ballot will arrive by October 23

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# one thing your **ELECTION WORKERS** want you to know...

"  
We can easily solve most issues by phone or email – no need to come by in person! – when voters provide us contact information. We can also quickly let them know if there is an issue with their signature.

**Payton C.**  
Voter Services Lead



"  
We're committed to making voting easier and more accessible! We review every process and interaction after every election to continually improve, and make registering to vote and returning your ballot easier.

**Steve B.**  
Ballot Collection & Logistics Supervisor



"  
Ballot alerts let our voters know - in close to real-time - where their ballot is in the process. We are so proud to be able to bring this service to our voters. We hope to see everyone sign up for ballot alerts!

**Asera K.**  
Master Applications Developer



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Data helps us make decisions that will make the biggest impact for the most voters. And, we never forget that behind that data are the voters that we serve.

**Katrina S.**  
Geographic Information Systems Specialist

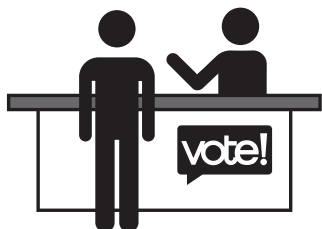


"  
It's so empowering to be able to vote in the language that works best for you. You can get your ballot in Spanish, Chinese, Korean, Russian, Somali, or Vietnamese. We also have staff that speak those languages fluently and can answer questions or talk through the process. ¡Mi nombre es Kathy, ¿cómo le puedo ayudar?!"

**Kathy S.**  
Assistant to the Director



## We're Here to Help!



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1-800-325-6165  
TTY Relay: 711

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**You will not be voting on every item in this voters' pamphlet. Use your ballot to identify the races and measures to review.**

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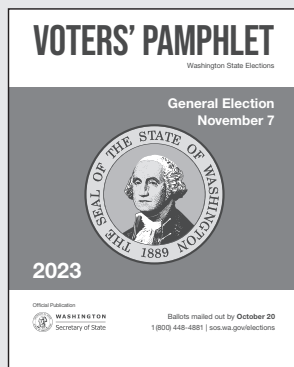
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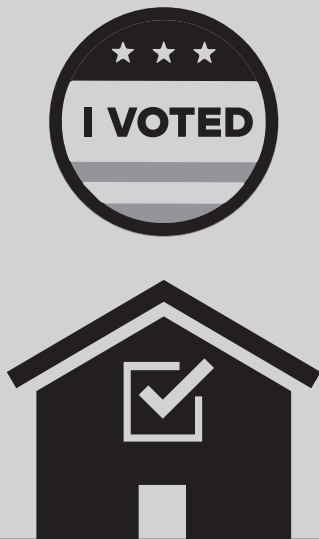
## You will receive two voters' pamphlets

In addition to this voters' pamphlet, you will receive one from the Secretary of State. If you didn't receive a State Pamphlet, call 1-800-448-4881.



## Spread the word!

You can receive ballots, voting materials, and correspondence in Chinese, Korean, Russian, Somali, Spanish, or Vietnamese. See page 7 to learn more.



## Visit a Vote Center

Need in-person help? Voters who need assistance can use an accessible voting unit to help them vote privately and securely. Vote Center staff is on hand to:

- register new voters;
- update information for existing voters;
- print replacement ballots and return envelopes;
- answer questions;
- and make sure you've got your I Voted sticker.

## Who can register?

To register to vote in Washington, you must be:

- A citizen of the United States.
- A legal resident of Washington state.
- At least 18 years old.  
\*If you are 16 or 17, you can sign up as a Future Voter and be automatically registered to vote and receive a ballot when you qualify.
- Not disqualified from voting due to a court order.
- Not currently serving a sentence of total confinement under the jurisdiction of the Department of Corrections for a Washington felony conviction.
- Not currently incarcerated for a federal or out-of-state felony conviction.

## How do I register?



### Online

It takes two minutes and a Washington State Driver's License or ID to register online at **VoteWA.gov**. To register in time to vote in the General election, register online by October 30.



### By mail

Download and print a registration form from **kce.wiki/VoterReg** and mail to King County Elections: **919 SW Grady Way, Renton, WA 98057**. It must be received by October 30.



### In person

Register in person at one of our Vote Centers through **Election Day, November 7**. More information about Vote Center hours and locations can be found on page 5 and on our website at **kingcounty.gov/elections**.



# Visit a Vote Center for in-person assistance

Elections staff are available to help at each of our six Vote Centers. Staff is available to help you register to vote and get a ballot through Election Day. We also provide assistive devices with audio and/or large print ballots.

Locations		Hours of operation
Renton	<b>King County Elections</b> 919 SW Grady Way, 98057	Weekdays, October 18 – 27, 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.  Weekdays, October 30 – November 3, 8:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.  Saturday, November 4, 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.  Monday, November 6, 8:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.  Election Day, November 7, 8:30 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Bellevue	<b>Bellevue City Hall</b> 450 110th Ave NE, 98004	Saturday, November 4, 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Federal Way	<b>Federal Way City Hall</b> 33325 8th Ave S, 98003	Monday, November 6, 8:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.  Election Day, November 7, 8:30 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Kenmore	<b>Kenmore City Hall</b> 18120 68th Ave NE, 98028	
Kent	<b>Kent Centennial Center</b> 400 W Gowe St, 98032	
Seattle	<b>Lumen Field Event Center</b> 800 Occidental Ave S, 98134	



Parking is  
FREE at all  
Vote Centers  
EXCEPT  
Lumen Field  
Event Center.

## Student Engagement Hubs

Never miss an election just because you're away from home! All public universities in Washington now offer student engagement hubs. For more detailed information on location and hours, please visit [kingcounty.gov/elections/student-hubs](https://kingcounty.gov/elections/student-hubs).



### University of Washington Bothell Campus

Any student registered to vote can use the online ballot marking program to access and print their ballot. Students can also drop their ballot off during hours of operation.

### University of Washington Seattle Campus

Located in the Husky Union Building (HUB), the UW Seattle Student Engagement Hub will provide students an opportunity to get registered for the first time, update their registration, receive a replacement ballot, or use an assistive device. Elections staff will be on hand to answer questions and assist students as needed.

## How to

# vote!

**1** Read the statements in this pamphlet about the contests you're voting on.



**2** Fill in the oval beside your choice with any color pen.



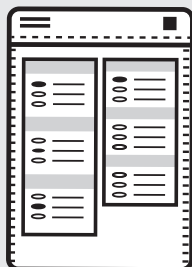
**3** Sign your envelope. Your signature must match the signature on your voter registration record for your ballot to be counted.



**4** Return your ballot early. Whether using a drop box or the mail, vote early. Don't wait for Election Day!



**5** Track your ballot at [kce.wiki/TrackMyBallot](https://kce.wiki/TrackMyBallot). This is the fastest way for you to know your ballot was counted, and your voice was heard.



## Need a replacement ballot?

If your ballot is lost or damaged, you can print a replacement using the Online Ballot Marking Program (OBMP). With OBMP, you can access and print a replacement ballot from home, the library, or wherever is convenient.

OBMP is designed to enable voters with disabilities, including those who are blind or low-vision, to mark their ballot privately. It is available to all registered voters.



## How to use the Online Ballot Marking Program

- Go to [kingcounty.gov/elections/obmp](https://kingcounty.gov/elections/obmp).
  - Enter your information in the form.
  - Mark your ballot choices online and then print your completed ballot.
  - OR
  - Print your ballot and mark it by hand.
  - Check that your ballot is marked correctly.
  - Return your ballot as usual, at a ballot drop box or via USPS.
- No postage is required when you use the envelope cover sheet included when you print your ballot.



If you need additional assistance or another way to cast your ballot, please contact our office at 206-296-VOTE (8683).

## Get Social with us @kcelections

#KCVotes #VoteByMail #VoteEarly  
#FutureVoter #KingCountyElections

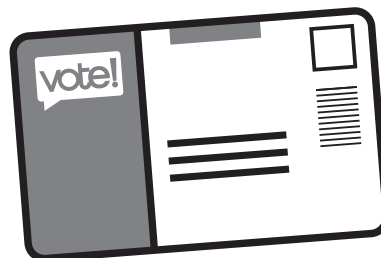


## Where is my ballot?

Visit [kce.wiki/TrackMyBallot](https://kce.wiki/TrackMyBallot) to track your ballot online or to sign up for ballot alerts via email and/or text.

With ballot alerts, you'll know where your ballot is during every step of the process, from mailing to counted at Elections Headquarters.

Ballot alerts are the quickest way to know if there's an issue with your signature. Ballot alerts and the ballot tracker show you what to do to fix any issues so your vote can be counted.



## Signed up for Ballot Alerts?

Voters signed up for ballot alerts are 50% more likely to fix signature issues. Make sure your voice is heard - sign up for ballot alerts today!

By opting in, you'll be set to get notifications for this and future elections. You can unsubscribe at any time.



Track your ballot and sign up for ballot alerts at [kce.wiki/TrackMyBallot](https://kce.wiki/TrackMyBallot).

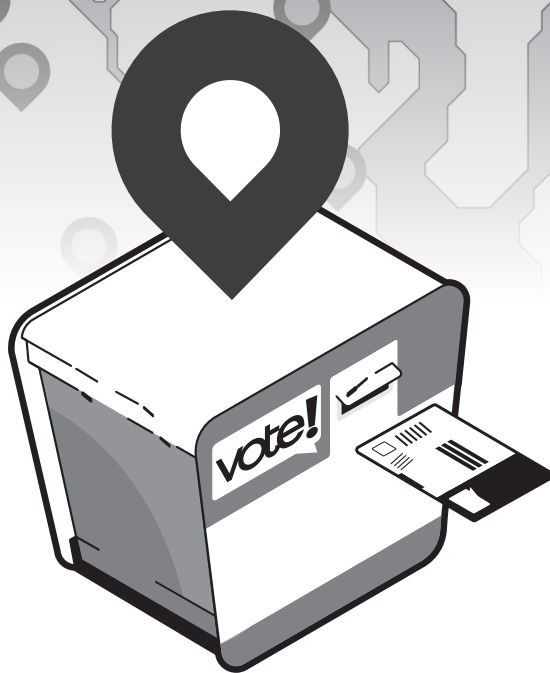


## Materials available in 7 languages!



You can receive all your voting materials - including your ballot, voters' pamphlet, and ballot alerts - in Chinese, English, Korean, Russian, Somali, Spanish, or Vietnamese.

Visit [kce.wiki/languages](https://kce.wiki/languages) to sign up.



# King County Drop Boxes

Now 78 Locations!



All drop boxes close  
at 8 p.m. sharp on  
Election Day,  
November 7th.

## Auburn

Auburn Library, 1102 Auburn Way S, 98002  
Auburn Park & Ride, 101 15th St NE, 98001  
Muckleshoot Tribe - Philip Starr Building,  
39015 172nd Ave SE, 98092

## Bellevue

Bellevue Library, 1111 110th Ave NE, 98004  
Crossroads Shopping Center (south entrance),  
15600 NE 8th St, 98008  
Newport Way Library, 14250 SE Newport Way, 98006

## Black Diamond

Black Diamond Library, 24707 Roberts Dr, 98010

## Bothell

**NEW** Bothell Library, 18215 98th Ave NE, 98011  
*The drop box formerly at Bothell City Hall has moved to the Bothell Library.*

University of Washington - Bothell Campus (by the Activities & Recreation Center), 18220 Campus Way NE, 98011

## Burien

Boulevard Park Library, 12015 Roseberg Ave S, 98168  
Burien Town Square Park (corner of 5th Ave SW and SW 152nd St), 480 SW 152nd St, 98166

## Carnation

Carnation Library, 4804 Tolt Ave, 98014

## Covington

Covington Library, 27100 164th Ave SE, 98042

## Des Moines

\* Highline College (entrance across from 27th Ave S),  
2400 S 240th St, 98198

## Duvall

\* Duvall Police Department - Depot Park,  
26225 NE Burhen Way, 98019

## Enumclaw

Enumclaw Library, 1700 1st St, 98022

## Fall City

Fall City Library, 33415 SE 42nd Pl, 98024

## Federal Way

Federal Way 320th Library, 848 S 320th St, 98003  
Federal Way City Hall, 33325 8th Ave S, 98003  
**NEW** Safeway - Star Lake, 28810 Military Rd S, 98003

## Issaquah

Issaquah City Hall, 130 E Sunset Way, 98027

## Kenmore

Kenmore City Hall, 18120 68th Ave NE, 98028

## Kent

Kent Panther Lake Library, 20500 108th Ave SE, 98031

Kent YMCA, 10828 SE 248th St, 98030

Regional Justice Center (near parking garage entrance), 401 4th Ave N, 98032

## Kirkland

Kingsgate Library, 12315 NE 143rd St, 98034

Kirkland City Hall, 123 5th Ave, 98033

## Lake Forest Park

Lake Forest Park City Hall, 17425 Ballinger Way NE, 98155

## Maple Valley

Hobart Food Market, 20250 276th Ave SE, 98038

\* Tahoma School District Building, 25720 Maple Valley-Black Diamond Rd SE, 98038

## Mercer Island

Mercer Island Community & Event Center, 8236 SE 24th St, 98040

## Newcastle

Newcastle City Hall, 12835 Newcastle Way, 98056

## Normandy Park

Normandy Park Towne Center, 19901 1st Ave S, 98148

## North Bend

North Bend Library, 115 E 4th St, 98045

## Pacific

Algona-Pacific Library, 255 Ellingson Rd, 98047

## Redmond

\* Redmond City Hall, 15670 NE 85th St, 98052

\* Redmond Community Center at Marymoor Village, 6505 176th Ave NE, 98052

## Renton

Fairwood Library, 17009 140th Ave SE, 98058

\* King County Elections, 919 SW Grady Way, 98057

\* Powell Avenue, 725 Powell Ave SW, 98057

*The drop box is located two blocks from King County Elections and can be easier to get to during high-traffic times.*

\* Renton Public Health Center, 3201 NE 7th St, 98056

## Sammamish

Sammamish City Hall, 801 228th Ave SE, 98075

## SeaTac

Angle Lake Transit Station, 19955 28th Ave S, 98188

Valley View Library, 17850 Military Rd S, 98188

## Shoreline

Shoreline Library, 345 NE 175th St, 98155

Shoreline Park & Ride, 18821 Aurora Ave N, 98133

## Snoqualmie

Snoqualmie Library, 7824 Center Blvd SE, 98065

## Tukwila

\* Tukwila Community Center, 12424 42nd Ave S, 98168

## Vashon

Vashon Library, 17210 Vashon Hwy SW, 98070

## Woodinville

Woodinville City Hall, 17301 133rd Ave NE, 98072

Woodinville Library, 17105 Avondale Rd NE, 98072

## Seattle drop boxes

### Ballard

Ballard Branch Library, Corner of NW 57th St and 22nd Ave NW, 98107

### Beacon Hill

Beacon Hill Library, 2821 Beacon Ave S, 98144

NewHolly Neighborhood Campus, 7054 32nd Ave S, 98118

### Broadview/Greenwood

Broadview Library, 12755 Greenwood Ave N, 98133

### Bryn Mawr-Skyway

Skyway Library, 12601 76th Ave S, 98178

### Capitol Hill

Seattle Central College, Broadway-Edison Building (northeast corner), 1701 Broadway, 98122

### Central District

Garfield Community Center, 2323 E Cherry St, 98122

### Chinatown/International District

Uwajimaya, 713 6th Ave S, 98104

### Columbia City

Rainier Community Center, 4600 38th Ave S, 98118

### Crown Hill

 Safeway – Crown Hill, 8340 15th Ave NW, 98117

### Downtown

King Street Box (in front of the Kingdome Deli), Corner of 2nd Ave S and S King St, 98104



## Fremont/Wallingford

Waterway 19 Park (next to Gas Works Park),  
2119 N Northlake Way, 98103

## Green Lake/Phinney

Green Lake Community Center, 7201 E Green Lake Dr N,  
98115

## Lake City

Lake City Library, 12501 28th Ave NE, 98125

## Magnolia

\* Magnolia Park, 1461 Magnolia Blvd W, 98199

## Northgate

North Seattle College (south visitor lot access from  
N 95th St), 9600 College Way N, 98103

## Queen Anne

\* Seattle Pacific University Bookstore, 310 W Bertona St,  
98119

## Rainier Valley

Rainier Beach Community Center, 8825 Rainier Ave S, 98118

## Sand Point/Laurelhurst

\* Magnuson Park – Building 406, 6344 NE 74th St, 98115

## South Lake Union

South Lake Union, 310 Terry Ave N, 98109

## South Park

South Park Library, 8604 8th Ave S, 98108

## University District

University of Washington Campus, Schmitz Hall (by north  
entrance on NE 41st St), 1410 NE Campus Pkwy, 98195

## Uptown

Metropolitan Market - Queen Anne, Corner of  
1st Ave N and Mercer St, 98109

## West Seattle/Delridge

Alaska Junction, Corner of SW Alaska St and 44th Ave SW,  
98116

High Point Library, 3411 SW Raymond St, 98126

South Seattle College (at the entrance of the Robert Smith  
Building), 6000 16th Ave SW, 98106

## White Center

White Center Library, 1409 SW 107th St, 98146

\* *Drive-up ballot drop boxes*



Check our website for  
additional ballot drop  
box locations.



## Update your

## x signature



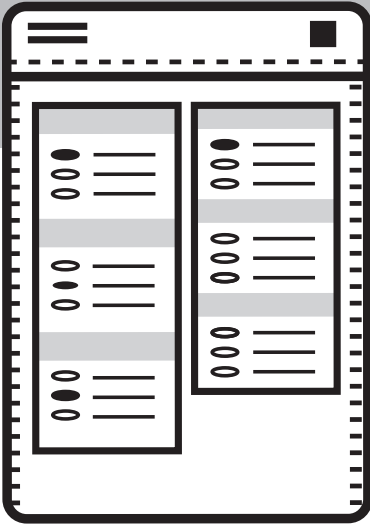
## to make sure your ballot counts!

Signatures change over time.  
That's why we're reaching out  
to voters across the county to  
request a current signature.

If you receive a pink envelope  
from King County Elections,  
be sure to sign and return it to  
add your current signature to  
your voter registration record.



Scan to learn more



# Journey of a Ballot

About three weeks before Election Day, King County Elections mails ballots and voters' pamphlets to all registered voters. Voters can fill out, sign, and return their ballot any time before the Election Day deadline, either by mail or at one of our 78 drop boxes located around the county.

1. Whether returned by mail or drop box, all ballots make their way back to Elections Headquarters in Renton. There, they are processed by trained staff dedicated to ensuring accurate, transparent, and accessible elections.

3. Trained staff review the signature on every single envelope, comparing each returned signature to the signatures on the voter's registration file.

2. The ballot's first stop is the sorting machine, where the barcode is scanned and the signature on the envelope is captured for verification.

4. During a second pass through the sort machine, ballots with a signature issue are sorted out, and all accepted ballots are sliced open.

5. Accepted ballots are then opened by hand by trained staff. The first step is removing your ballot from your return envelope. This is the moment when your identity is separated from your vote.

7. Right after 8 p.m. we tabulate results and post them online for candidates, campaigns, and voters. Results are then updated every weekday at 4 p.m. until we certify the election.

6. Once ballots are removed from their envelopes, they're ready to be scanned. Under Washington law, ballots may not be tabulated (counted) until after 8 p.m. on Election Night.





## Who donates to campaigns?

View contributors for candidates and measures.

**Public Disclosure Commission**

[www.pdc.wa.gov](http://www.pdc.wa.gov)

Toll Free 1-877-601-2828



## Pre-register to vote.

If you are at least 16, you can pre-register to vote online or by mail at any time.

We'll hold onto your registration and will automatically send you a ballot once you're eligible to vote.

## Audits and Quality Control

Our team conducts several tests before, during, and after each election to ensure your votes are being counted accurately.



### Logic & Accuracy Test

Conducted about three weeks before the election, the Logic & Accuracy test uses test ballots and a set of expected results to ensure the tabulation equipment is reading votes correctly.



### Random Batch Audit

On the Thursday after Election Day, six batches are selected at random and hand counted to ensure the tabulation equipment continues to read votes as it should.



### Risk Limiting Audit

Conducted between Election Day and certification, this auditing system checks a random sample of ballots to reach statistical confidence in the results of the election.



# Everyone's Voice Matters



Under RCW 10.64.140, unless you are currently detained for a felony conviction, you have a right to vote and make your voice heard.

People awaiting trial or serving a sentence for a misdemeanor are eligible and can vote from the detention center. See our **Register to Vote** page for more details on additional requirements, such as citizenship and age.

If you've completed your sentence or you're awaiting trial, **you can vote.**



## 1. Get registered.

If you have a current Washington ID, you can register to vote online at **VoteWA.gov**. You can also call King County Elections at **206-296-VOTE (8683)** to request a voter registration form. Fill out the form and mail it to King County Elections, 919 SW Grady Way, Renton, WA 98057.



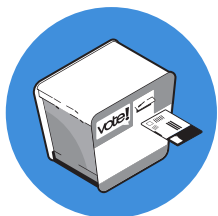
The right to vote is automatically restored after you serve your sentence, **but you must register!**



## 2. Get your ballot.

When you register to vote, you must include a mailing address. If you're detained, you can list the detention center address as your mailing address. A loved one can also forward your ballot to you.

If you need help getting your ballot, call us at **206-296-VOTE (8683)**. We will work with you and the detention center to get your ballot to you.



## 3. Return your ballot.

You do not need a stamp to return your ballot. A postmark on or before Election Day is required, so we recommend voting as early as possible to ensure it can make it to USPS in time for a postmark.

King County Elections is here to help. Call us at 206-296-VOTE (8683) from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. We accept calls from the detention centers and staff are trained to assist all voters.



Salary (2023):  
**\$211,795**

Serves for 3 years<sup>1</sup>

## King County Assessor

Oversees assessment of residential and commercial properties in King County.

*Elected by voters in King County*



Salary (2023):  
**\$211,795**

Serves for 3 years<sup>1</sup>

## King County Director of Elections

Conducts elections and oversees voter registration and voter education in King County.

*Elected by voters in King County*



Salary (2023):  
**\$172,789**

Serves for 3 years<sup>1</sup>

## King County Councilmember

Sets policies and enacts laws, develops and adopts county budget, and oversees county services.

*Elected by voters in the King County council district*



Salary (2023):  
**\$57,867**

Serves for 4 years

## Port of Seattle Commissioner

Operates, manages, equips, and maintains the port, and establishes port policy.

*Elected by voters in King County*



Salary (2023):  
**Varies by city**

Serves for 4 years

## City Mayor

Works with the city council to enact legislation. Runs the day-to-day business of the city government.

*Elected by voters in the city*



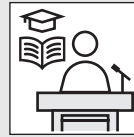
Salary (2023):  
**Varies by city**

Serves for 4 years

## City Councilmember

Approves the city's budget, develops laws and policies, and oversees public services.

*Elected by voters in the city*



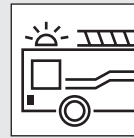
Salary (2023):  
**No annual salary**

Serves for 4 years

## School District Director/Position

Sets policies for schools, provides oversight for the operations of the school system, and represents the interests of the community on public education issues.

*Elected by voters in the school district<sup>2</sup>*



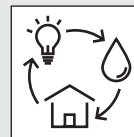
Salary (2023):  
**No annual salary**

Serves for 6 years

## Fire District Commissioner

Oversees fire services, including fire response and protection, emergency medical aid, and more.

*Elected by voters in the district*




Salary (2023):  
**No annual salary**

Serves for 6 years

## Utility District Commissioner

Oversees the utility district to maintain properties, conserve energy, and monitor use of different types of energy.

*Elected by voters in the district*




**Water District Commissioner**

Oversees the water district to provide clean, safe drinking water.

Salary (2023):  
**No annual salary**

Serves for 6 years     *Elected by voters in the district*



**Airport Commissioner**

Oversees county airports.

Salary (2023):  
**No annual salary**

Serves for 6 years     *Elected by voters in the district*




**Sewer/Wastewater District Commissioner**

Oversees the sewer district to keep up facilities, meet water needs, and meet environmental requirements.

Salary (2023):  
**No annual salary**

Serves for 6 years     *Elected by voters in the district*




**Cemetery Commissioner**

Oversees the maintenance and operation of district cemeteries.

Salary (2023):  
**No annual salary**

Serves for 6 years     *Elected by voters in the district*




**Public Hospital Commissioner**

Oversees hospital operations and delivers services to promote health.

Salary (2023):  
**No annual salary**

Serves for 6 years     *Elected by voters in the district*



**Park District Commissioner**

Develops goals, sets policies, and oversees regulation of district parks.

Salary (2023):  
**No annual salary**

Years of service varies     *Elected by voters in the district*

<sup>1</sup>In 2022, voters approved King County Charter Amendment No. 1, moving this race to even years. After this election, this race will be decided in even years instead of odd years. As a result, the person elected in 2023 will serve for 3 years.

<sup>2</sup>In the Primary Election, Seattle School District races are voted on by the voters within each director district. In the General Election, all registered Seattle voters may vote on all Seattle School District races.



**King County  
Elections does  
not correct  
punctuation,  
grammar, or  
fact check  
candidate  
and measure  
statements.**



## Assessor

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**Education:** Graduated from University of Washington with dual major in journalism and political science

**Occupation:** Assessor, King County Department of Assessments

**Statement:** When King County voters elected me, I promised to be an "activist Assessor." *I have been.* We have fought to protect senior homeowners from soaring values, make it easier to get your refund, and see how much that ballot measure is going to cost.

*But more should be done. That's why I am asking for your vote again.*

I'll fight for a truly fair and equitable property tax system. We're in a housing crisis. Housing affordability threatens everyone – whether homeowners, seniors, renters or small business owners. Our homeless crisis leaves women and children to sleep out on the street because there is no room in the shelter.

An "activist" Assessor can help. We've gone twice to Olympia to reform the senior and disabled property tax relief program. Now thousands of our neighbors can stay in their homes.

Responding to our homelessness crisis, we found surplus public and vacant private property, which can be used for housing solutions. We have identified the land. We should put it to use.

The housing shortage makes homes and apartments in King County so expensive. Smarter density can bring us more housing at a more affordable price. But our property tax system was never designed to handle annual assessed value increases of up to just over 50%. And while actual taxes, including those voter approved, are considerably less, in these inflationary times it literally hits home. I've been a tireless taxpayer champion. Homeowners, renters, and small businesses deserve a tax break. I'm working with Assessors statewide to save everyday people real money without gutting vital local services. I am proud to be endorsed by Democrats and Republicans, labor and business, and folks in Seattle and the suburbs. While much has been done, we must do more. I ask for your vote.



## Director of Elections

### Julie Wise

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**Education:** Proud Graduate of Green River Community College; Certified Washington State and National Election Administrator

**Occupation:** Current King County Director of Elections and 23-year election administrator

**Statement:** Your confidence in our elections is crucial - to me, to my team and to the future of democracy. I am committed to removing barriers to voting and work each day to ensure our elections are secure and accessible. I have spent the last 23 years as an election administrator and bring the experience and depth of knowledge needed to run successful elections for all 1.4 million voters in our county.

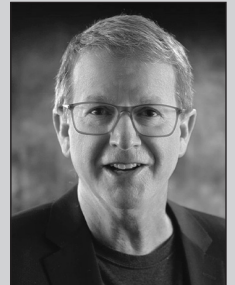
Since taking office, I have overseen more than 30 elections, earning the trust and respect of voters and colleagues from across the political spectrum. I bring a passion for fostering an inclusive and transparent democratic process. Under my leadership, both our voting system and community outreach have been modernized to enhance accessibility and voter participation. The Voter Education Fund has set a new model of community partnership by providing funds and training to community organizations doing non-partisan voter registration and education in historically marginalized communities. I've increased the number of ballot drop boxes from 10 to nearly 80 and advocated in Olympia and in D.C. to ensure every person has meaningful access to their right to vote.

I have brought in experts from the Department of Homeland Security to audit our practices and increase security. I have partnered with leaders of both political parties to ensure consistent, bipartisan oversight of our elections. We have developed an incredible team of trained, professional election administrators who work tirelessly to ensure absolutely every ballot has been counted and is accounted for.

As we move forward, I remain committed to improving our voting experience and maintaining a steadfast, transparent, and nonpartisan department. Thank you for participating in our democratic process and exercising your right to vote. I ask for your vote and your continued support as we forge a path forward together.

### Doug Basler

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**Education:** Central Valley HS Spokane Valley, WA. Multnomah University Portland, OR

**Occupation:** President at Prologue Digital Inc

**Statement:** Democrats, Republicans, and Independents all agree on one thing: Our elections need to be transparent, secure, and publicly verified. It's no secret that a large cross section of the voting public has questions regarding the overall election process. Doug Basler is committed to restore trust in our voting system through responsible transparency and by actively working to include citizen oversight, balanced audits of our systems and processes, and properly maintained voter registration rolls so that everyone is confident that our elections are free, fair, and verified.

Doug Basler has been a corporate business leader for many years and is uniquely qualified to lead and properly administrate the team of professionals who work at King County Elections to ensure every vote is counted exactly as the voter intended.

Election integrity is key to maintaining our citizen-led democratic republic. I am committed to be sure that every aspect of the election process is overseen with energy and professionalism so that King County Elections will be viewed nationwide as a pristine example of the way elections should be held. I will work to quickly answer public requests for information while maintaining strict voter anonymity and privacy.

If you believe that our elections are worth rigorous oversight, vote for Doug Basler.

If you believe that every legal vote should be counted exactly as the voter intended, vote for Doug Basler.

If you believe that citizen oversight is critical to maintaining the integrity of our elections, vote for Doug Basler. If you believe that elections should be transparent, secure, and publicly verified, vote for Doug Basler. Please vote for Doug Basler for Director of Elections in King County.



## Council District No. 6

## Claudia Balducci

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**Education:** J.D., Columbia University School of Law; B.A., Providence College

**Occupation:** Current: County Councilmember. Former: Bellevue Mayor/Councilmember, Jails Director, Labor Attorney

**Statement:** I've been proud to serve as a regional leader, delivering for eastside communities and all King County residents. In my current term, I have led on initiatives bringing light rail to East King County, providing the first-ever permanent emergency shelter and supportive housing for some of our most vulnerable eastside residents, partnering with cities and others to create thousands of new homes to address runaway housing costs throughout King County, gaining regional support to increase our efforts and accountability in addressing the climate crisis, obtaining funding to preserve open spaces, supporting women's reproductive health in the wake of the *Dobbs* decision, implementing a first-in-the-nation program to support immigrants in accessing legal status and more.

As Chair of the County Council from 2020 to 2022, I led our legislative branch response to COVID, keeping government open and accessible, providing important information and services to the public, and driving desperately-needed resources to small businesses, workers, renters and others in need. During this time, I also sponsored a charter initiative which will move King County positions to even-year elections, dramatically increasing the number and diversity of voters who select our county representatives.

With your vote I'll continue to work on our regional challenges and opportunities: implementing voter-approved Crisis Care Centers, funding data-driven public safety priorities, continuing small business and worker support, providing stable funding for arts and culture, continuing to drive climate actions and results, working to improve our region's water quality, fighting to open light rail on the eastside, expanding access to affordable housing and more. I would be honored to earn your vote.

*Selected endorsements: King County Democrats, Seattle Building and Construction Trades Council, Transportation for WA, WA Housing Alliance Action Fund, Affordable Housing Council, One America Votes and federal, state and local elected officials representing East King County.*



## Commissioner Position No. 2

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**Education:** BA American University; MSc The London School of Economics

**Occupation:** Entrepreneur and Public Policymaker

**Statement:** Four years ago, I ran on a platform that committed to creating a *“port for the people.”* It was a platform based on the principle that *people* should come over politics. As soon as I was sworn in for my term in January of 2020, this was put to the test.

COVID-19 was a once-in-a-generation pandemic that truly shook the foundations of our society. We saw chaos in supply chain logistics and travel through the airport came to a screeching halt.

I’m proud that despite COVID-19, the port weathered the pandemic without laying off a single port employee and saved every small and minority dining and retail tenant at the airport from going out of business. We were able to do this because we made *principled decisions that put people first.*

Despite the pandemic, we were able to invest in the airport to get upgraded from 3 to 4-stars by Skytrax and we won “Best Airport in North America” in 2022 and 2023. We were also the only port on the west coast to add container terminal space during the pandemic. I have worked tirelessly to ensure the growth and economic prosperity of King County, promote sustainability, and combat human trafficking.

I’m asking for 4 more years because the job’s not finished. In a post-pandemic world, we must build the *“port of the future.”* A future where we create the next generation of strong family wage jobs; A future where we are the greenest port in North America; A future where we usher in new technologies such as hydrogen and offshore wind. With your support, we can build a *port of the future* that we can all be proud of.

*Endorsed by over 50 local elected leaders, Seattle Building Trades, ILWU, Washington Conservation Action, King County Democrats and many others.*





## Commissioner Position No. 5

### Fred Felleman

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**Education:** MSc. Fisheries Biology, University of Washington. B.S. Psychology, University of Michigan.

**Occupation:** Seattle Port Commissioner 2016 – present [Past President]; Environmental Consultant.

**Statement:** It's been an honor to serve King County residents for the past 7.5 years on the Seattle Port Commission. I'm running for a third term to continue my environmental leadership advancing a just and inclusive transition to a clean energy economy that generates living wage careers.

My public service is guided by a triple bottom line: commerce, community, and climate. I'm committed to expanding environmental and economic justice, especially for near-port communities and small, minority owned businesses. My experience is needed to exercise policy direction over a fast-growing airport, homeport for Alaska cruise ships and fishing fleet, marinas, parks, and marine cargo Alliance with the Port of Tacoma.

The Port generates 121,000 jobs. The airport and seaport have won customer service awards even during major construction. But Port activities also impact communities and the climate. That's why I'm leading initiatives to electrify seaport and airport operations and transition to alternative fuels for trucks, ships, and planes. I'm also working to protect parks, advance bicycle safety and Duwamish River cleanup.

I'll continue reducing the Port's carbon footprint by directing significant state and federal funding for clean energy projects; Inspiring youth to pursue Port-related careers through apprenticeships and internships; and expanding partnerships with Tribes and the Seattle Aquarium for projects from kelp to killer whales and ecotourism. With your support, I'll continue to champion Port policies rooted in fiscal responsibility, ecological integrity, and social equity. *I respectfully ask for your vote.*

**Endorsed By:** Seattle Times, The Stranger, MLK Labor Council, Seattle Mayor Bruce Harrell, Governor Inslee, Attorney General Ferguson, King County Executive Constantine, County Councilmembers Balducci, Zahilay, Upthegrove, McDermott, Kohl-Welles, Dembowski, Seattle Port Commissioners Mohamed, Hasegawa and Cho, Senators Saldana and Keiser, Sierra Club, King County Democrats and Republicans, Puget Sound Pilots, Pacific Maritime Shipping Association, Planned Parenthood.

### Jesse Tam

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**Education:** MBA, City University of Seattle; BA Marketing, Boise State University; UW Pacific Coast Banking School

**Occupation:** Mega Pacific Holding, Managing Director; Business Consultant

**Statement:** The port is our gateway to the world and economic engine in our region. Since 1911, it has promoted economic opportunities and quality of life by advancing trade, commerce, travel, and job creation in an accountable and responsible manner. As a resident of King County for four decades, I've experienced the port's impacts. The port has failed us; environmental issues are hurting low-income communities in South County and it's time to set a new course with integrity.

We have shared goals: *A thriving economy, a cleaner environment, increased family-wage jobs, and a fair and equitable society.* We must stop the path of mismanagement. With my extensive career in banking, finance, and real estate, I am ready to steer the port in the right direction as a steward of your hard-earned money.

As an immigrant who arrived with \$300, I've worked my way up from the mailroom to the boardroom, I've founded two Washington state community banks to create jobs for small, women- and minority-owned businesses. I am a staunch promoter of fiscal responsibility with accountability, working closely with stakeholders, labor unions, industry, and trade partners to regain trust in our port. I will promote transitioning from fossil fuels to sustainable green energy.

If elected, I will bring engaging management and open financial positions with transparency to our port community. This will enable us to focus on our dual mission: *Generating family-wage jobs and safeguarding our environment.* Vote for a *stronger, cleaner, and trusted* Seattle Port.

**Endorsements:** ATU Local 587, former WA State Governor Gary Locke, King County Assessor John Wilson, Bellevue Mayor Lynne Robinson, Sen. Claire Wilson, Rep. Jamila Taylor, Renton City Councilmembers Ruth Perez-Ralston and James Alberson, former King/Seattle Councilmember Jan Drago, former Seattle Councilmember David Della. Thank you for your support.





## Council Position No. 1

## Paul Clark

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**Education:** MS, Electrical Engineering, University of Washington; Bellevue Essentials and Police Community Academy, City of Bellevue

**Occupation:** Owner, Factoria Labs; Professional Instructor, Author, Wireless Communications Engineer

**Statement:** As a downtown Bellevue resident for over two decades, Paul Clark understands the unique needs and challenges facing our city. When elected, Paul will make public safety his top priority, working to fully staff our first responders. He'll support our business community and protect our neighborhoods by focusing new development into our growth corridors, not our single-family areas.

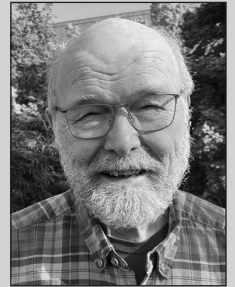
His background as an engineer and small business owner, combined with his public service experience as former Chair of the Civil Service Commission and current Chair of the Parks Board, make him an ideal candidate for the Bellevue City Council. He will bring his skills and experience working with diverse teams to find the best solutions for Bellevue.

Paul's focus on listening to constituents will ensure that every voice is heard, and decisions made by the Council reflect the needs and values of Bellevue residents. He will use his background in technology to help Bellevue stay on the cutting edge, creating opportunities for innovation and growth.

Paul's roots in Bellevue make him the right choice to represent Bellevue. Endorsed by the Bellevue Police Officers Guild, Councilmembers Jared Nieuwenhuis, Jennifer Robertson, and Conrad Lee, Seattle King County REALTORS, and the Eastside Business Alliance.

## John Stokes

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**Education:** J.D., George Washington University Law School; B.A., Political Science, Texas Tech University

**Occupation:** Bellevue City Councilmember; Former Bellevue Mayor; Retired Attorney

**Statement:** I'm proud of my proven track record standing up for all of Bellevue—seniors, children, working families, and neighbors across our city. On the Council, I led passage of the Downtown Livability Initiative to better prepare us for growth and affordability, while preserving the character of our neighborhoods. I'm also proud that we are welcoming working families and neighbors in need into the Eastgate Housing Campus I championed – contributing to local and regional solutions to our housing crisis.

As a member of the Light Rail Collaborative Design Leadership Team, I worked to make the system the best for Bellevue and connected with our region. I've fought for investments in our students to close the opportunity gap, championed additions to our parks and recreation facilities, and led on clean water, salmon and essential environmental protections.

I would greatly appreciate your support for another term of pragmatic leadership and productive, meaningful solutions to ensure Bellevue remains a community where all can live and thrive.

*Endorsed: Bellevue Firefighters; King County & Local Democrats; Affordable Housing Council; unions; US Representatives Delbene & Smith; Executive Constantine & Councilmember Balducci; 41st & 48th Legislators; Mayor Robinson; Councilmembers Zahn & Barksdale; healthcare & childcare workers; and many more!*



## Council Position No. 3

### Mo Malakoutian

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**Education:** PhD Civil and Environmental Engineering & MBA, University of Washington; MS Civil Engineering, Polytechnic University

**Occupation:** Affiliate Assistant Professor, University of Washington; Senior Program Manager, Amazon

**Statement:** As a Bellevue Planning Commissioner, Wellspring Family Services Board Member, and educator, my focus has always been on breaking down barriers and creating pathways to opportunity. On the City Council, I will apply that experience and passion to ensure that Bellevue remains a welcoming, safe, and diverse city where all residents can thrive.

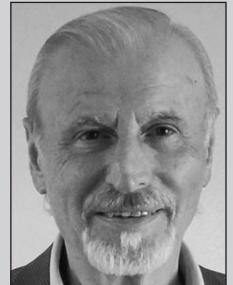
With your support, I'll bring expertise in technology, engineering, and higher education– as well as a proven dedication to community service– to address the opportunities and challenges in our growing city. I'm committed to balanced solutions that meet the needs of our neighborhoods while ensuring affordability for both longtime residents and future generations.

As your voice on the Council, I'll prioritize public health and safety, ramping up proven behavioral health and gun violence prevention strategies. I'll also partner regionally to scale effective homelessness solutions and housing affordability options for seniors and working families. I'll advocate for transportation and transit investments, and root all decisions in transparency and accountability.

*Endorsed: Bellevue Firefighters; King County & Local Democrats; MLK Labor; Realtors; Congressmembers DelBene & Smith; 41st & 48th Legislators; County Executive Constantine & Councilmember Balducci; Mayor Robinson; Councilmembers Barksdale, Robertson, Stokes & Zahn; local businesses; community leaders; and more!*

### Alex Tsimerman

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**Education:** College, University, Master's Degree in Engineering & Management. Total 20-years in school and assistant Professor.

**Occupation:** Lifetime businessman, owned several companies and a business consultant.

**Statement:** Trump, America First, USA!! *Make Bellevue Great Again!!* It's now in the center of fascism! Dem-Nazi-Fascist-Mafia + Amazon + Real Estate owner will bring 30,000 jungle slaves. Price for traffic, gas, rent, housing, food, crime and services go through the roof. 100,000 low income people will be displaced. 90% will pay everything. Total collapse. Stop Fascism with idiotic face.

Bellevue now number one city in America where white people, Jewish and Christian heritage now a minority. It is a pure holocaust and genocide. 85% people vote for Dem-Nazi-Fascist-Mafia. That is the same % that voted for Hitler, Nazi, Gestapo in 1939 Germany. Both parties bring the people to total collapse.

I speak now to freaking slaves and happy cows. Stop electing Democrats who for the last 20-years made our lives miserable and is worse year by year. These happy cows like to pay \$6 for gas, double for rent & housing, triple for food and crime. Bellevue now looks like after a hurricane, builders everywhere. People right now cannot afford \$30,000 - 40,000 rent per year.

Vote for Alex Tsimerman who is *American* and Bellevue Citizen for more than 35+ years. StandUp-America! *Make Bellevue Great Again!!* Now! Now! Now!



## Council Position No. 5

## Janice Zahn

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**Education:** B.S. and M.S. Civil Engineering and Masters of Public Administration, University of Washington; Leadership Eastside

**Occupation:** Bellevue Councilmember; Chief Engineer, Port of Seattle; Former Transportation Commissioner

**Statement:** Re-elect Janice, a proven solutions-oriented leader. As a mom of Bellevue Schools' graduates and 30-year neighbor, community safety will always be a top priority. On the Council, I've advocated for state funding and regional collaboration to get results on homelessness, behavioral health, and substance-use treatment. I've also secured funding for necessary police, fire, and behavioral health resources to keep every neighbor safe.

As your Councilmember, I've prioritized affordable housing at every income level for seniors and working families, and advanced safe, walkable, and connected neighborhoods through Vision Zero, small businesses support, and more parks and open spaces. I will continue to lead on environmental stewardship, preserve tree canopy, advance climate goals, and keep Bellevue beautiful.

As an immigrant, I have built bridges — engaged our neighbors, promoted small businesses, connected communities, while improving transparency and access. With your continued support, we will ensure a thriving, sustainable, and welcoming Bellevue for all, together.

*Broad Support: Congressmembers Smith & DelBene; Attorney General Ferguson; former Governor Locke; Senators Kuderer, Wellman; Representatives Senn, Slatter, Thai, Walen; County Executive Constantine & Councilmember Balducci; Mayor Robinson; Bellevue Firefighters; Affordable Housing Council; Labor unions; Associated General Contractors; Transportation for Washington; Realtors; Democrats; Sierra Club; Planned Parenthood; more!*

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**Education:** Bellevue High School. Seattle University. University of Puget Sound (MBA). Bellevue Essentials Graduate.

**Occupation:** Retired from Seattle Lumber Company - Sales and Marketing

**Statement:** As a Bellevue native, my leadership on both the East Bellevue Community Council and Lake Hills Neighborhood Association has been marked by listening to neighborhood needs, then advocating for them. My passion is "making connections that make a difference."

My expertise in city land use has prepared me to advocate for economic growth that does not come at the expense of affordable housing, public transportation, and safe streets. I am dedicated to promoting public safety and addressing systemic root causes of crime. My experience as a member of the Police Advisory Council for Latinas and Latinos, and the Bellevue Community Police Academy has prepared me to understand these issues.

I am committed to transparency; ensuring everyone has a voice in decisions affecting their neighborhoods. My collaborative approach, leadership skills, and community service passion, make me ideal for Bellevue. My long-term involvement in the community demonstrates my commitment to serving, and ensuring Bellevue remains a place where people want to live, work, and raise their families.

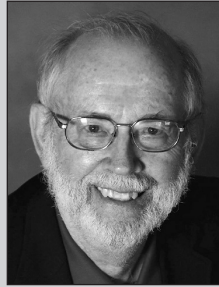
**Endorsements:** Bellevue Police Officer's Guild (BPOG); Council member Conrad Lee; Former Bellevue School Superintendent Howard Johnson; Former Transportation Commissioner Vic Bishop; Retired Parks Director Lee Springgate; "Save Coal Creek" Sally Lawrence.



## Council Position No. 7

## Bil Hirt

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**Education:** BS and MS Engineering Iowa State University

**Occupation:** Boeing Propulsion Engineer 1962-1998

**Statement:** My candidacy is an attempt to attract voters to my blog <http://stopeaklinknow.blogspot.com> detailing what Bellevue residents can expect from Sound Transit.

Next year the ST Starter Line will replace ST550 to South Bellevue P&R. Access will be limited to those within walking distance of Bellevue T/C and East Main station. Riders will be required to transfer from light rail to and from buses at the South Bellevue P&R for the commute into and out of Seattle.

In 2025 ST's East Link debut will end ST550 and force all I-90 bus riders transfer to light rail on Mercer Island for the commute into and out of Seattle. It's the "eastside" version of the ST plan to use "voter approved" extensions to replace buses into Seattle; reducing transit capacity into the city and nothing to reduce congestion.

ST will use eastside taxes to help fund a 2nd tunnel rather than use the existing DSTT for those wanting to go beyond CID. The tunnel ends easy access to SeaTac and beyond, spending more than \$12B and 6-10 years disrupting Seattle. Part of the reason why the \$54B ST3 funding voters approved in 2016 has grown to \$160B and continues to grow.

## Dave Hamilton

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**Education:** Attended Bellevue College

**Occupation:** President at Delivery Express Logistics, Inc.

**Statement:** As Bellevue grows and changes, all voices need to be heard as plans are created and decisions are made. I will build on my experience as a longtime business owner, Parks Commissioner, Bellevue Chamber leader, and community volunteer to realize the vision of a welcoming, safe, and prosperous city. As your City Councilmember, I'll advocate for common sense solutions rooted in shared values.

We must: *Invest in small businesses* and attract new employers to Bellevue, while strengthening workforce development and apprenticeship programs. *Address public safety* to reduce response times, invest in root cause solutions that reduce crime and violence, and expand behavioral health services. *Expand affordable housing* options so working families and young people can call Bellevue home, and seniors can age in their communities.

I am proud to be endorsed by: Bellevue Police and Firefighters; Mayor Lynne Robinson; Deputy Mayor Nieuwenhuis, Bellevue Councilmembers Robertson, Stokes, Lee and Zahn; County Executive Dow Constantine; County Councilmembers Claudia Balducci, Reagan Dunn; State Senators Patty Kuderer, Lisa Wellman; State Representatives Walen, Senn, Slatter and Thai; construction trade unions, and many more!

*I'm committed to working with you to create a Bellevue we can all be proud to call home!*



## Council Position No. 2

## Mason Thompson

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**Education:** BA Business Administration, University of Washington

**Occupation:** Bothell Mayor, business development in software

**Statement:** Bothell needs thoughtful, long-term solutions to our biggest challenges, including housing affordability, transportation, and growth. As your Mayor, I've helped secure landmark funding to invest in infrastructure, stand up our region's first crisis care center, expand community engagement, and start Summer Nights in Bothell to build vibrancy and support local businesses.

I'm committed to finishing what we started with Bothell Landing and the former Wayne Golf Course. We should efficiently link neighborhoods to transit & services with trails & sidewalks, leaving our children a Bothell that is welcoming, safe, joyful, and accessible. With your vote, I'll keep working here at home and building regional partnerships that deliver results. Continuing to serve Bothell as your incumbent Position 2 Councilmember would be an honor.

*Endorsed: King County Democrats; WA Conservation Action; Sierra Club; Congresswoman DelBene; Executive Constantine; Councilmembers Balducci, Perry, Dembowsk; State Senator Stanford & Representatives Duerr, Kloba; more at electmason.com*

## James McNeal

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**Education:** Juanita Highschool Graduate

**Occupation:** Construction Manager 25 years Councilmember 8 years Youth Coach 10

**Statement:** It's been my honor to serve our community on council.

We had many successes during my tenure, including preserving open spaces (Wayne, and North Creek Forest), increasing police and fire staffing, two fire stations, roads, and sidewalks, saved the Senior Center from closure, built youth sports facilities, just to name a few. We had challenges, but when we did, I always supported what I thought was best for all of the community. In addition, I have represented our community on 11 different regional boards, building relationships for Bothell, getting regional funds.

More than ever, we need leaders that focus on the whole community and not be divisive. We need leaders that are positive toward community members, staff, and work well with others on council. With your vote I will continue to demonstrate these characteristics. I'm endorsed by current and past city council members, mayors, state legislators and county council members.



## Council Position No. 4

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**Occupation:** Licensed Geologist, Salmon Recovery Planner

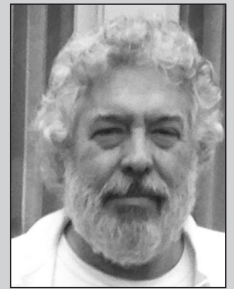
**Statement:** Together, let's plan for Bothell's future. As vice-chair of Bothell's Planning Commission for the past four years, I'm proud to work toward improving lives, preserving the environment, and expanding housing choices. As the cost of living continues rising, many are being priced out of our area permanently. We must protect our low- and fixed-income neighbors and maintain the things that make Bothell special.

I'm invested in Bothell because of the strong community and pace-of-life. Professionally, I restore the environment for salmon and people. We can protect trees while balancing skyrocketing housing costs, and build safe and reliable transportation networks to reduce traffic and connect neighborhoods. By adopting evidence-based practices and transparent public engagement, Bothell's future can be inclusive, financially responsible, and sustainable for generations to come.

*Endorsements: King/Snohomish County Democrats, Senator Stanford, Representatives Duerr & Kloba, County Executive Constantine and Councilmember Balducci, Mayor Thompson, Deputy Mayor Al-Kabra, and many others.*

## Mark Swanson

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**Education:** BS Agricultural Engineering, BS Mechanical Engineering, Volunteer Disaster Responder with First Aid and CPR

**Occupation:** Retired Engineer

**Statement:** *Statement: Save Natural Bothell.* Too many apartments going up and trees coming down. Planned traffic increases and not enough required parking per residence.

The rush for urbanization is contrary to the 2022 Bothell Survey; Over 60% of respondents were against the idea. It destroys natural Bothell. In the December 3rd, 2020 issue of Science it was reported that up to 90% of returning Salmon are dying of a preservative in tire dust! Increasing traffic will be decimating.

2022 analysis of US Census revealed growth at 0.12%. Currently Bothell is growing at *Fifty* times that rate in defiance of Bothell's residents. Why? *Growth should be natural*, not mandated. Federal Way has *Five Times* the violent crime rate as Bothell. Home prices have spiked, but rents are less today than they were 25 years ago when indexed to minimum wage. I will be transparent, work to save natural Bothell and preserve neighborhoods.





## Council Position No. 6

### Amanda Dodd

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**Education:** Lake Washington Technical College (Computer Security and Network Technology)

**Occupation:** Senior Technical Account Manager

**Statement:** As a full-time worker and mom to a young child, I don't often see people like myself represented in government. As your council member for the past year, I've been honored to bring a missing and fresh perspective to my hometown. I'm running to ensure that we have diverse voices leading with transparency and compassion.

I will continue to prioritize housing choice for all life stages, abilities, and income levels; balancing growth with environmental preservation; and a fiscally sound budget that funds parks, human services, and public safety. Whether you started in Bothell or chose it later on, Bothell is a welcoming place to all—let's work together to ensure that the spirit of our city remains strong for generations to come!

**Endorsements:** King and Snohomish County Democrats, Washington State Sierra Club, Washington Conservation Action, Congresswoman DelBene, Senator Stanford, Rep. Duerr, Mayor Thompson, Deputy Mayor Al-Kabra, and many more.

### Thomas E. Agnew

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**Education:** U of W Paramedic Certification

**Occupation:** Retired FireFighter/Paramedic

**Statement:** My name is Thomas E Agnew. I'm running for Bothell City Council and would appreciate your support.

My background has always been as a Public Servant. First a Dust-off medic in Vietnam to that of a 30 plus year career in pre-hospital medicine.

I believe this council has not been listening to the citizens and implementing their own personal goal. The primary responsibility of the council is to work for its citizens. We need to have a strong Public Servants that are here for our protection. We need to be fiscally responsible with this growing community. We need to keep our infrastructures capable of the expected growth. While on Council I served as Chair at King County Medic One levy subcommittees, LEOFF1 board, NPRSA board and Arts Committee. I am endorsed by former mayors of Bothell, King County Councilmembers, current councilmembers of Bothell City Council. Bothell Fire Department Thank You



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## Mayor

### Steve Friedman



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**Education:** Bachelor of Science in Business Administration, University of Southern California

**Occupation:** Councilmember, City of Clyde Hill; Former President/COO, Wave Broadband; retired

**Statement:** As your Mayor, it will be a privilege to serve you to uphold our quality of life here in Clyde Hill. I will continue to work to ensure safety, protect housing values, put the City in a positive financial direction, preserve a positive staff culture and trust, and ensure an interactive working relationship between staff and our City Council. I will continue to successfully work with our Police Department to support officer satisfaction and to provide them with the tools to allow them to protect our residents.

I will deliver leadership that supports our outstanding staff and allows them to continue to effectively deliver services to our community. As a leader, I will build consensus and utilize the talent and experience of staff, Councilmembers, residents and our advisors.

It is an honor to serve the residents of Clyde Hill.



## Council Position No. 2

### Ashley Eckel



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**Education:** B.A., Columbia University; MD. PhD., Albert Einstein College of Medicine; Board Certified Hematopathologist

**Occupation:** Senior Research Scientist, Hematologics; Affiliate Assistant Professor, University of Washington

**Statement:** It has been an honor representing you on the city council. My husband Frank and I are fortunate to raise our sons in this beautiful community. My family is a primary reason I want to serve our city. As the only councilmember with young children, I offer a needed perspective shared by so many of you.

Our community is a special place. We enjoy safe neighborhoods and beautiful views. My goals continue to be preserving public safety (particularly considering new housing regulations), ensuring a balanced budget by using my extensive financial experience to obtain grant funding, and supporting a *transparent* and *responsive* city government. I will champion improving city infrastructure, including roads, sidewalks, utilities, and parks.

As your city councilmember, I am committed to being open and accessible to residents. I ask for your vote. Let's keep our city a great place to live and raise a family.

### Steve Sinwell



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**Education:** BS - CSUN (Accounting/CompSci); Executive Development classes at University of Chicago; Certified Public Accountant

**Occupation:** Vice Chair/Senior Partner, Deloitte & Touche (retired June'23)

**Statement:** I'm running because our City needs Councilmembers who will work together for Positive Change. I value effective communication, built on a foundation of integrity and accountability.

During my 39 years at Deloitte, I worked with Fortune 100 companies and government entities on my way to becoming Vice Chair. The skills I developed, including financial expertise and previous city government experience, will help me effectively work with our City Council, Mayor and City Administration. With my recent retirement from Deloitte, I plan to invest *substantial time working on your behalf*.

We need to address our financial deficit, devise solutions to Stormwater issues, and update the City Code. It will be a team effort and I'm fortunate to be endorsed by current City Council members Steve Friedman and Kim Muromoto and my primary opponent Spencer Hamlin. *We will work together* to serve your needs. I appreciate your vote for effective city government!



## Council Position No. 4

### Ryan D. Olson

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**Education:** B.A., University of Washington

**Occupation:** Commercial Real Estate Professional; Clyde Hill Planning Commissioner

**Statement:** Clyde Hill is special to me. I attended school here and my wife Angelina and I chose to raise our three children here. Clyde Hill is home. I want to protect it and ensure it's a peaceful, beautiful, and welcoming community that we're all proud to call home.

My extensive land use experience has helped me serve our community on the Planning Commission for the past three years as I've worked to improve our city code. As your Councilmember, I'll ensure the new zoning laws passed by the legislature don't negatively impact our city, write a balanced budget that maintains public safety and infrastructure, and protect our views. *I will make sure City Hall is working for you.*

I answer to you only. If you have concerns, I want to hear them. I will respond promptly to your calls, emails, or texts. I respectfully ask for your vote.

### Mark Kroese

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**Education:** B.A., University of Washington; Harvard University, Advanced Leadership Initiative

**Occupation:** General Manager, Sustainability Solutions, Microsoft (retiring in 2023).

**Statement:** I've lived in Clyde Hill for 25 years and am grateful for our quality of life. I want to ensure we keep it that way. Clyde Hill is surrounded by change and unprecedented growth. We need experienced leaders to navigate the resulting challenges and opportunities.

If elected, I will draw from 35 years of professional experience spanning big tech, startups, and non-profit boards. I spent my career leading global business and technology teams – work that requires collaboration between the public and private sectors. I've solved complex, multi-stakeholder problems, led geographically, culturally diverse teams, and balanced many budgets.

In my retirement years, I'm compelled to focus on *local* issues. The role of the city council is to *listen* and be *responsive* to our residents. I will advocate public safety, resident-friendly policies, sensible solutions to zoning changes, and balancing the budget. I respectfully ask for your vote. Learn more at [www.mark4clydehill.com](http://www.mark4clydehill.com)





## Council Position No. 2

## Zach Hall

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**Education:** Master of Public Administration, University of Washington (in progress); Bachelor of Science, University of Washington

**Occupation:** Issaquah City Councilmember; Vice Chair, Eastside Fire and Rescue

**Statement:** I've called Issaquah home for over 26 years. As your councilmember, I'm focused on balancing growth with community benefit, prioritizing public safety and emergency services, stewarding and celebrating our environment, expanding access to behavioral health and homelessness outreach services, and investing in the essential infrastructure we need to get around town quickly and safely. I've also helped lead efforts to promote transportation alternatives, like reliable public transit, neighborhood shuttle access, and bike and pedestrian paths. Together, we can build on the progress we've made and turn our shared vision of a more balanced, sustainable, and affordable Issaquah into a reality. I love our city and I'm committed to its success. I'd be honored to earn your vote and confidence once again.

Endorsed by Issaquah Councilmembers Walsh, Marts, Hunt, de Michele, and Joe, County Councilmember Perry, State Representatives Callan, Ramos, Senn, and Thai, KC and 5th LD Democrats, and many more.

## Landon Halverson

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**Education:** B.A Political Science, Miami University

**Occupation:** High School Marketing and Accounting Teacher, Issaquah Economic Vitality Commissioner

**Statement:** My name is Landon Halverson, and I am running for Issaquah City Council to get traffic moving, fight property crime, and address Issaquah's soaring cost of living.

As a teacher who commutes daily, I know the importance of reducing congestion, which is why I support the installation of smart traffic signals citywide and working with County leaders to expedite transit projects to reduce pass-through traffic on Front Street. To address our cost of living crisis, I support the planned development of missing middle housing in Issaquah's urban corridors with an infrastructure-first approach, and will fight to protect the character of our historic streets and neighborhoods. As an Issaquah economic vitality commissioner, I have seen the need for additional support for local small businesses, and I will support Issaquah Police in aggressively pursuing retail theft. Let's keep working to move Issaquah forward, together.

See full list of endorsements at [landonhalverson.com](http://landonhalverson.com)



## Council Position No. 4

## Lindsey Walsh

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**Education:** B.S. in Public Policy, Planning, and Development from the University of Southern California

**Occupation:** Small business owner; Issaquah City Councilmember

**Statement:** As your Councilmember since 2019, I'm proud of the work we did during the pandemic to keep people in their homes and ensure business stability. As a small business owner, working mom of 2 teens, and a 13-year resident of Issaquah, *I will continue working to help our community thrive.*

On Council, I've bolstered public safety by focusing on police staffing and co-response; championed common sense ways to enable affordable housing; promoted new programs which permanently housed 33 residents and created Issaquah's first emergency housing; doubled street and sidewalk repair funding; supported Issaquah's Climate Action Plan; celebrated our Community Courts' efforts to address root causes of crime; and successfully piloted neighborhood traffic calming. I will continue emphasizing transportation projects which prioritize local residents and make it easier to get around town, including better transit access.

**Endorsed by:** All 6 Issaquah City Councilmembers; 5th LD, 41st LD, and King County Democrats.

## Mike Palm

No photo submitted

No statement submitted.



## Council Position No. 6

### Victoria Hunt

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**Education:** Ph.D. in Ecology, University of Illinois; Bachelor's in Biology, Cornell University

**Occupation:** Issaquah City Councilmember; Director of Data Solutions at Crosswalk Labs

**Statement:** As your Councilmember, I'm working to make Issaquah a safe, affordable, and thriving community for all.

Experienced leadership is crucial for navigating Issaquah's rapid growth and change. Public safety is top priority; we've bolstered Police and Human Service funding and launched a Homeless Outreach Program and co-response program to address mental and behavioral health. I've led efforts to protect our forested hillsides and salmon streams while allowing targeted housing and business growth. To make it safer and easier to get around, we are investing in smart traffic signals, traffic safety improvements, and adding pedestrian and bike paths. And I proudly championed our Climate Action Plan as we prepare for drier summers and smoke impacts. I'd be honored to continue serving you.

**Endorsements:** Congresswoman Schrier; Mayor Pauly; Representatives Ramos and Callan; County Councilmember Perry; Eastside Firefighters; 5th, 41st & King County Democrats; Sierra Club; Washington Conservation Action; Planned Parenthood; more.

### Sam Sheehan

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**Education:** WABO Certification, Renton Technical College

**Occupation:** WABO Certified Welder/Fabricator

**Statement:** I am a welder, business owner, and 24-year Issaquah resident running for city council to raise my voice on behalf of the people of Issaquah and their rights. In a city that grows by leaps and bounds every year, it can seem commonplace for the autonomy of individuals to be sidelined for the "greater good" of citywide growth and expansion.

If elected I aim to champion the principles of individual liberties and support the existing leadership of Issaquah with ideas and solutions that meet that aim.

Furthermore, in times of economic hardship I believe it is the duty of every level of government to ease the financial burden of excessive taxes and fees. The success of a city's government is directly tied to the success of the people it strives to serve.



## Council Position No. 1

### Melanie O'Cain

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**Education:** Inglemoor Class of 1987; B.A. University of Washington  
**Occupation:** Port of Seattle (23 years) Accounting Records and Administration Manager

**Statement:** My ability to listen to our community, build relationships, and work with others earned me the privilege of being appointed as Deputy Mayor during my first term. I am a leading voice on Council who understands that together we can create a path forward to face the environmental, transportation, and housing challenges before us with courage, integrity, and hope. My biggest accomplishments over the past four years have been in the areas of clean air, environmental stewardship, emergency crisis response, and affordable housing. Your voice and vote matter and continuing to serve you would be an honor.

**Endorsements:** 1st District Democrats, Shoreline Fire Fighters Local 1760, US Representative DelBene, King County Executive Constantine and Councilmember Dembowski, State Senators Stanford and Valdez, State Representatives Duerr and Pollet, Kenmore Mayor Herbig and Councilmembers Kugler, Marshall, Pfeil, and Srebnik, Planning Commission Chair Thompson and Commissioners Banaszynski and Qadri, and many others.

### Kara Macias

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**Education:** Certificate in Project Management, University of Washington  
**Occupation:** Construction Project Manager

**Statement:** I have lived nearly my entire life in Bothell and Kenmore. My roots run deep in this community, and I'm committed to ensuring Kenmore's future. In my career as a project manager, I have the skills and expertise needed to plan and develop smart, mindful growth with a focus on protecting our environment, listening to and applying the community's input, and delivering what I promised on budget.

Kenmore deserves a City Council that is focused, fiscally sustainable, and developed in partnership with the individuals and businesses that make up this community. Not just the opinions of those on the Council.

I will listen and work collaboratively with you. I will prioritize a vibrant, 'hometown' downtown we can all be proud of. I will stand with you and support small businesses in this area. I will advocate and invest in responsible stewardship of our parks and shoreline. I hear you Kenmore.



## Council Position No. 3

### Josh Kurcinka

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**Education:** MBA: University of Minnesota, B.A. Business, Honors Degree: Montana State University

**Occupation:** Global Business Development & Marketing Leader

**Statement:** I care deeply about Kenmore and believe we can work together to enhance the quality of life for everyone. I grew up in a household where both my parents worked for city and state governments and understand the importance of being connected to my community. Today, the Kenmore City Council is out of touch with its citizens on the issues of development and missing middle housing. If elected, I will ensure that the community's voice is heard. I plan on creating an inclusive, thriving downtown with more places to shop, eat and play, without sacrificing the wonderful neighborhoods that brought us to Kenmore in the first place. I will also work to protect our environment, enhance parks and ensure affordable living options for everyone.

I am endorsed by community business leaders and councilman Joe Marshall for my forward thinking and fiscal responsibility. I humbly ask for your vote.

### Valerie Sasson

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**Education:** Bachelor of Arts Brown University, Graduate Seattle Midwifery School

**Occupation:** Midwife/co-owner Puget Sound Birth Centers, Adjunct Faculty Bastyr University

**Statement:** My family has lived in Kenmore for 20 years and I served Puget Sound families for 23 years as a midwife, educator, business owner and policy-maker. I am a trusted advocate for the concerns of families and an experienced partner in creating data-driven, community solutions.

I am running for open Position 3 to ensure that our Council remains responsive, proactive, fiscally responsible and committed to advancing social and environmental justice in service to all residents of our growing city.

It is rewarding to meet with neighbors of all ages and interests and hear what matters to you. I commit to working for accessible housing options, reliable public transportation, an expanded walkable town center, safe neighborhoods, parks and sidewalks. Endorsements include 1st Legislative District Democrats, King County Democrats, King County Young Democrats, National Women's Political Caucus, State Senator Derek Stanford, Representative Davina Duerr, among many others. We are in this together.



## Council Position No. 5

### Jon Culver

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**Education:** Bachelor of Science, Information Systems Management, Auburn University. Honors: cum laude

**Occupation:** Technology Consultant and Small Business Owner

**Statement:** First, I am thrilled to have won the August Primary! I am incredibly grateful for the trust and support voters placed in my campaign. Thank you, Kenmore!

Building on several recent wins, together we are strengthening community engagement in our magnificent city. We've got to bring *everybody* into our local decision-making process, and I am committed to standing up for all Kenmore residents. As your Councilmember, I will work to create more wins for the climate & environment, affordable housing, and equity & inclusion, through the most effective way we know how: vigorous civic engagement.

My campaign is honored to be endorsed by Kenmore City Councilmembers Angela Kugler and Corina Pfeil, Northshore Fire Commissioners Eric Adman and Lisa Wollum, Kenmore Planning Commissioner Tracy Banaszynski, Shoreline Firefighters Local 1760, Fuse Washington Progressive Voters Guide, & many more. We've got a lot of work ahead of us — let's make it happen!

### David Baker

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**Education:** Iowa Western RN, University of Nebraska BS, MS, Iowa State University PhD

**Occupation:** Business owner and Councilmember

**Statement:** David Baker is a trusted and accomplished leader who listens to community concerns and works to make Kenmore a great place to live. He has a proven record of moving Kenmore forward while being mindful of your taxes and working for practical solutions. He has secured millions of federal, state and county dollars for Kenmore.

Conscious of affordability concerns, he reduced taxes on utilities and opposed tax increases. A champion for seniors, David has worked to increase senior center programing and senior affordable housing.

David has worked to open access to Kenmore's waterways for recreation, including dragon boat, kayak, and rowing programs for youth and adults. David's priorities are to ensure Kenmore remains affordable for seniors and families, advance our environmental protection work and keep Kenmore safe, affordable and healthy. Let's continue to have David working for us! *Vote David Baker!*



## Council Position No. 7

### Corina Pfeil

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**Occupation:** Councilmember Incumbent, Behavioral and Social Health Services, Policy, Governance, Contracting

**Statement:** Proven, dedicated, solution oriented leadership with a strong track record of success delivering results for Kenmore. During my first term in office I have delivered on affordable housing, miles of new sidewalks, public health & safety, Climate Action Plan with Housing and Human Services and supported businesses and our community with pandemic relief grants; working together to build a safe welcoming affirming community centered around people oriented places. I am honered to ask for your vote.

**Endorsements:** U.S. Congresswoman Susan DelBene, WA State Attorney General Bob Ferguson, State Senator Derek Stanford. State Rep's Davina Duerr and Shelley Kloba. King Co. Councilmember Rod Dembowski. Kenmore Councilmember Joe Marshall, Eric Adman, Wendy Reynolds, Transit Riders Union, Shoreline Firefighters Local Union 1760, Affordable Housing Council of King & Sno. Co; National Woman's Political Caucus of WA. Planned Parenthood Alliance Advocates, Fair Vote WA, Victory Fund. UW Dist. Democrats. WA State HS Democrats

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**Education:** University of Washington, B.A. Political Science, Minors in Public Policy and Leadership (Dec. 2023)

**Occupation:** Student, University of Washington

**Statement:** As a lifelong Kenmore resident with years of service in our community, I am dedicated to our city. I will focus density and affordable housing near transit, preserve our environment and waterfront, create a walkable/bikeable community, support local businesses, and ensure a safe and healthy city.

I have served on Kenmore's Planning Commission since 2019 and have voted to achieve these goals. As a young adult, I have the unique perspective and commonsense approach needed on our Council. I have listened to residents regarding housing, the environment, and a thriving downtown. Your voice matters, and I will ensure your vision is represented. With your support, we can better Kenmore's future.

**Endorsements:** 1st District-King County Democrats; State Representative Gerry Pollet; Kenmore Councilmembers Debra Srebnik, David Baker, Angela Kugler; former Councilmembers Brent Smith, Stacey Denuski; School Board Director Bob Swain; environmentalists Eric and Staci Adman; first responders; labor; and other local leaders.





## Council Position No. 2

### Kelli Curtis

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**Education:** B.A. Communications and Media Studies, University of Washington; Environmental Horticulture, Lake Washington Institute of Technology

**Occupation:** Kirkland City Councilmember, Small Business Owner, former Tech Product Manager

**Statement:** I am an experienced, collaborative leader who listens carefully and delivers results. I have served Kirkland on the City Council, Park Board, Housing Strategy Advisory Committee, and many regional committees. I have passionately preserved and enhanced our parks, small businesses, and the diverse communities that make Kirkland an exceptional city where everyone can thrive.

I expanded housing choices, improved community safety, added bike lanes and crosswalk flashing beacons, opened the Totem Lake Connector and 132nd Square Park, implemented sustainability actions. I focused on economic recovery, built new programs helping people in need, and protected natural resources. As Kirkland's Legislative Chair, I advocated for mental health investments, housing solutions, and funding for the Kirkland Performance Center and CKC.

*I will continue to listen, lead, and deliver. I ask for your vote.* Endorsed by Sierra Club, Washington Bikes, Affordable Housing Council, all Kirkland State Legislators, Kirkland KC Councilmembers, KC Democrats, and more.

### Catie Malik

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**Education:** Masters Healthcare Administration, UW and BA History Minor in Near Eastern Civilization, and Languages UW

**Occupation:** Associate Director of Finance, Dept OBGYN UW School of Medicine

**Statement:** Responsible governance must be in tune with the wishes of voters. This means listening to the constituents of Kirkland, and not outside agendas. I believe in strong public safety, unique vibrant neighborhoods, the ability of children to play in parks, small businesses to thrive, and a place to call home. We're facing challenges from our surrounding areas, unprecedented growth and policies that degrade quality of life. With the right people on the council, we can keep our unique character through sustainable urban planning and common sense.

With 15+ years working in healthcare, including during a pandemic, I have the skills to bring about effective change with limited resources, in a heavily regulated industry. I use data driven research and evidence-based solutions for best results. I listen to those impacted by change. I've a proven track record of leadership, change management, and a genuine commitment to our city's quality of life."



## Council Position No. 4

### Toby Nixon

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**Education:** Attended Cal Poly San Luis Obispo; decades of solving difficult technology, policy, and community issues

**Occupation:** Experienced city council member, government accountability advocate, and non-profit leader

**Statement:** *Thank you* for the opportunity to serve you on our city council!

I'm committed to responsible and sustainable budgets that provide the quality services you expect, with public safety as our top priority. I'll continue to work for policies that accommodate innovation and growth while protecting the character and livability of Kirkland's neighborhoods and our unique natural environment. I'll continue my efforts to make it easier for you to follow city government actions, participate in decision-making, and ensure public officials are acting ethically in the best interest of us all. I respect and understand the diverse needs of all of Kirkland, do my homework on issues, and seek solutions that bring people together while moving us forward.

With your support, I'll continue to use my proven experience as a council member, state legislator, fire commissioner, and government accountability leader to serve you and move toward a bright future for Kirkland.

### John Tymczyszyn

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**Education:** J.D., Seattle University School of Law; B.S., Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University, Naval Officers Candidate School.

**Occupation:** Attorney, Kirkland Planning Commissioner, Veteran, Husband & Father of three.

**Statement:** I have served as chair of the Kirkland Planning Commission and as a member of the commission since 2017. I am running for City Council because I have the experience to solve complex problems and find fair solutions.

I will be a strong voice for comprehensive public-safety strategies to keep Kirkland safe. I will lead in housing and planning by creating an affordable and inclusive community, expanding our parks and infrastructure, and responsibly developing our local economy to create opportunities for all. I am committed to working for the people of Kirkland and making our city a better place to live, work, play and raise a family. We need a team player with a fresh perspective. My leadership experience will get it done!

**Endorsements:** *King County Democrats, 45th, 48th, and 1st District Democrats, Atty Gen. Bob Ferguson, Sen. Kuderer, Sen. Dhingra, Former Kirkland Mayor Amy Walen, Planning Commissioners and more.*



## Council Position No. 6

### Amy Falcone

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**Education:** M.A. Sociology, Temple University; B.A. Biology, Temple University

**Occupation:** City Councilmember, Community Volunteer, Former Social Scientist and Adjunct Professor

**Statement:** As your councilmember, I'm passionate about fostering a community where everyone belongs and thrives. That's why I've led successful efforts to improve community safety, affordable housing, sustainability, parks, human services, pedestrian and bicyclist infrastructure, and small business support. It's why I represent Kirkland on regional committees to ensure your voice is included in decisions impacting our community.

I'm a mom raising three children and an active community volunteer. I understand firsthand the challenges and opportunities we're facing. I'm committed to making good, balanced choices. I'll continue to consider each decision thoughtfully, actively seeking diverse community input and bringing my values of compassion, hard work, and fiscal responsibility to each issue. *I'm asking for your vote because together we'll create a more connected, inclusive, and sustainable future for Kirkland.*

**Endorsements:** Sierra Club, Affordable Housing Council, all nine Kirkland State Legislators, both Kirkland King County Councilmembers, three former Kirkland mayors, and more.

### "Ryan James" Turok

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**Education:** New York Institute of Art and Design - Interior Design

**Occupation:** Small Business Owner- Art Gallery Director

**Statement:** It is time to bring a fresh perspective and transparency to our Council. I will ensure that decisions made by the City Council truly reflect the collective interests of our community. As a longtime volunteer and successful business owner, I am committed to listening and collaborating with residents, businesses, and community neighborhoods through a nonpartisan lens. I recognize progress can only be achieved by understanding the needs and aspirations of the people I serve. With over 10 years of leading advisory committees and executive boards in the community, I have gained a civic education in how to get things done with the City of Kirkland.

I will work to create a strong community for all people through neighborhood revitalization programs and economic development planning. Fostering an environment of open communication, we can build effective policies that reflect the diverse voices that make up Kirkland. I ask for your vote today.



## Council Position No. 2

**Harini Gokul**

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**Education:** I am an engineering graduate and received my MBA from Vanderbilt University

**Occupation:** Technology Executive at Entrust, Tech Investor

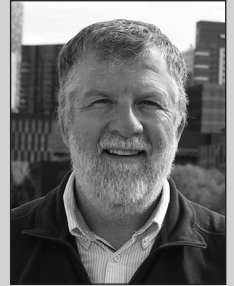
**Statement:** Like many of you, Medina is where we have chosen to raise our family. I want to maintain a strong, safe and healthy Medina for all generations. As your Councilmember, I have worked hard to strengthen fiscal responsibility to deliver the small-town public services we value, maintain a safe and secure community, and preserve our beach and parks, so you can continue to enjoy the character and charm that makes Medina so special. As a technology veteran, I have 20+ years of experience in managing multi-million-dollar budgets, leading teams, and delivering real-world solutions. I'm known for bringing together different perspectives to drive transparent, outcomes-based approaches. I will continue to bring similar rigor and discipline to our Council. I'm grateful for endorsements from elected officials, community and business leaders, and neighbors across Medina. It will be my privilege to continue to serve our community. Thank you for your support.



## Council Position No. 4

**Michael Luis**

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**Education:** BA, University of Washington; Masters, George Washington University

**Occupation:** Small business owner

**Statement:** I have lived nearly my entire life in Medina, and my granddaughters are fifth-generation Medina residents when they are over for a visit. Medina has grown and changed gracefully, and I am committed to ensuring that it continues its quiet pace of evolution. Major changes are coming through new state legislation that requires cities to embrace "middle housing." I plan to use my background in housing planning and economics in general, and middle housing specifically, to help Medina comply with new state requirements in ways that preserve what we love best about our city.

I also plan to continue the work of ensuring Medina's long term fiscal stability. Washington's tax code makes it challenging for cities to keep up with inflation and growing demands for services, and we need creative solutions.

It will be a pleasure to return to the council and join an excellent group of colleagues.

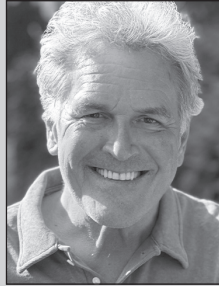


## Council Position No. 6

### Joseph Brazen

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**Education:** No information submitted.

**Occupation:** No information submitted.

**Statement:** My qualifications are rooted in 44 years as a Real Estate Broker, dedicated to serving and strengthening communities. Past member of the Medina Park Board and past Chair of Medina Days ('98-'03) involvement in Bellevue Life Spring, Old Bellevue Merchants Association, Bellevue Chamber Board, Overlake Country Club, the first Medina Elementary School Auction underscores my commitment to community building.

As owner of the 520, Central Bar and Brazen Building, I understand the importance of vibrant spaces that bring people together. I cherish the history of this waterfront town and look forward to creating more positive moments with our neighbor's, my wife of 38 years, Randi, my 3 daughter's families, including our six grandchildren.

My vision for Medina is one of thoughtful and sustainable growth, to collaborate and make informed decisions for the betterment of our community where every resident can thrive and proudly call home, a stronger, united Medina.

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## Council Position No. 1

### Dave Rosenbaum

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**Education:** The George Washington University - Bachelor of Science (Political Science)

**Occupation:** Public Relations – Rover, former US Congressional Aide (14 years)

**Statement:** I am proud of the work we have done together on the City Council over the past four years. It has been a distinct honor representing you on the Council, including the last two years as your Deputy Mayor.

While we have made great progress, there is more to be done and I hope to continue to work on your behalf, especially in the areas of infrastructure, public safety, parks, transportation, and government operations. With 18 years of experience in public service, I bring a unique skill set to help our community meet our goals.

I am honored to be endorsed by all my colleagues on the City Council and many other MI leaders. As the father of two young children, I am focused on building a strong future for Mercer Island and I am humbly asking for the opportunity to continue to represent you on our City Council.



## Council Position No. 3

### Wendy Weiker

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**Education:** University of Washington, MA Public Administration; University of CA/Irvine, BA Psychology; Leadership Eastside

**Occupation:** Community Outreach Manager, Republic Services

**Statement:** As a working mom who raised her family on MI, I appreciate representing you on our City Council. My leadership style is collaborative – *to listen, learn, and lead* - in managing the critical issues that enable our families, community, and businesses to thrive.

As your Councilmember, I advocate for optimizing our limited staff and financial resources and partnering on regional issues to sustain the great quality of life we Islanders enjoy. We face many transportation, land use, equity, environmental, and economic challenges in the years ahead. I'm committed to data-driven decision making, thoughtful comprehensive planning, and responsible budgeting in this work.

Working together, we can have safe and beautiful public spaces, mobility, human service support systems, and a revitalized town center as we rebuild from the pandemic and prepare for the future. Thank you for the honor of representing you in this critical work. And for your vote.



## Council Position No. 5

### Craig Reynolds

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**Education:** Bachelor's in Mathematics from MIT

**Occupation:** Principal & Consulting Actuary, Milliman. Incumbent City Councilmember

**Statement:** Four years ago, I promised to protect what we love about Mercer Island while capitalizing on opportunities for positive change. I brought experience, creativity, and an open mind to meeting city challenges. While serving on the Council, I have demonstrated a commitment to responsible financial management, sustainability and environmental protection, parks improvements, reliable city infrastructure, school and community mental health counselors, locally controlled fire and police services, and transparent communication.

In the next four years, I will continue working to ensure that Council actions consistently reflect Mercer Island values: sustainability, inclusivity, parks and open spaces, public health and safety, and a dynamic retail core. My 38-year business career, Council service, and Planning Commission experience prepared me well to lead Mercer Island into the future. I ask for your support.

**Endorsements:** State Legislators Lisa Wellman, My-Linh Thai, and Tana Senn. Councilmembers David Rosenbaum, Wendy Weiker, and Ted Weinberg. Many other Islanders.

### Michael D. Curry

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**Education:** US Army, BS in Business (summa cum laude)

**Occupation:** Technologist at a Fortune 12 company

**Statement:** I am running for Council because our community deserves a Councilmember who will fight for our parks, protect our public safety, advocate for efficient Island services and ensure fiscal responsibility. As your Planning Commissioner, I have heard and responded to what's important to Island residents. In 2022, I led the Yes to MI Parks campaign to expand and protect our parks.

Islanders, you showed up at 72% voter turnout and agreed with me, voting overwhelmingly to rebuild our playgrounds, expand accessibility and reforest our open spaces – Thank You! If elected, I will bring these same ideals to Council, applying them to public safety, climate resilience, transportation, emergency preparedness, and fiscal sustainability.

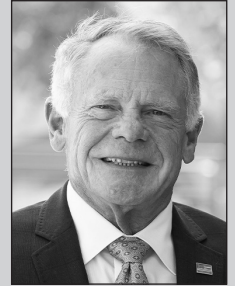
I will continue working hard for you and humbly request your vote. Endorsed by: Mayor Salim Nice, Councilmembers Lisa Anderl, Jake Jacobson, Former School Board President Ralph Jorgenson, MIPD Officers (Ret.), Moms For Safe MI, and many more.



## Council Position No. 7

### Jake Jacobson

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**Education:** AB Princeton University; JD Stanford University Law School

**Occupation:** Construction Executive; Lawyer

**Statement:** It has been my honor to serve on your City Council since 2020, arguably some of Mercer Island's most challenging yet formative years. My achievements on Council demonstrate my commitment to working collaboratively with my colleagues and in the best interests of our community.

If re-elected, I will continue this commitment by working with City leadership to enhance public safety, support and protect our parks and open spaces, upgrade our water, sewer, facilities and road infrastructure, safeguard our fiscal sustainability, support MIYFS and implement our Climate Action Plan. Islanders tell me daily how proud they are of our community, especially our parks, public safety, sustainability, and unifying events like Summer Celebration, all the things I have supported in my first term.

I am proudly endorsed by: Mayor Salim Nice, Deputy Mayor David Rosenbaum, Councilmembers Lisa Anderl, Wendy Weiker, Former School Board President Ralph Jorgenson and many more current MI residents.

### Andrew B. Friedman

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**Education:** No information submitted.

**Occupation:** Father, Small Business Owner.

**Statement:** As my daughter enters 5th grade this year, I am very optimistic about MI's future. When we visit our parks to swim or to walk with our dogs, when we visit our schools for a musical, cultural or scholastic event, when we shop at our great local stores or visit with our neighbors, we must look forward, not backward in order to improve on what so many have worked so hard to create for us.

As a parent involved both in my daughter's class and school and within our community, I look forward dedicating my time to an even more improved Mercer Island, and to speaking to each and every one of you with any questions about my further efforts on behalf of our community and our future on Mercer Island, and I ask for your vote. See you around our island! I eagerly anticipate meeting and chatting.



## Council Position No. 1

### Sun Burford

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**Education:** Master's in Education, City University of Seattle; Leadership Certificate, Stanford University

**Occupation:** Teacher, Bellevue School District

**Statement:** I'm a proud Newcastle resident, 25-year educator, immigrant, and mother. I've been knocking on hundreds of doors and speaking with Newcastle residents. You've shared your stories and concerns with me. I hear you. I'll work hard for you, for our community. I have a track record of leadership and commitment to our city: board member of Newcastle Arts Council and Newcastle Trails, VP of Friends of Newcastle Library, and organizer of Newcastle's largest Lunar New Year Celebration.

I'll prioritize public safety, community engagement, and collaboration. I'll fight to protect seniors from rising property taxes and plan thoughtfully and sustainably for our future. I'll truly represent our community's values and diversity. Together, we can create a thriving and inclusive Newcastle. Vote Sun. Thank you!

**Endorsements:** King County Democrats, 41st LD Democrats, Senator Wellman, Representatives Thai and Senn, Dow Constantine, Tony Ventrella, NWPC-WA, KCFDW, Yang's Kitchen, Newcastle Fruit & Produce, and More.

### Len Trautman

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**Education:** Centralia Community College, studied Fisheries Biology at University of Washington

**Occupation:** Retired, Self employed contractor, home improvement/repair. Licensed electrician.

**Statement:** Hello friends. Newcastle faces a variety of challenges including financial instability, rising crime and ever-increasing development. For many years I have attended nearly every City Council meeting. I have presented public testimony and gained a detailed knowledge of the issues affecting our city. I fully understand the job.

Right now, several new taxes are being considered by the Council. This on the heels of the recent 2% Property Tax increase. I find that to be unacceptable. More taxes instead of spending discipline can't always be the first resort. We can focus on public safety and infrastructure maintenance with judicious spending; without an increasing tax burden.

I have lived in Newcastle 38 years and I deeply care about our city. I want to take a more active role in our community to help ensure our city is safe, well maintained and financially responsible. I'd appreciate your vote. Thank you.



## Council Position No. 2

### Ariana Sherlock

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**Education:** Culinary Arts Degree (including business/financial operations) - Le Cordon Bleu Western Culinary Institute

**Occupation:** Newcastle City Councilmember and Deputy Mayor, Professional Chef, Community Volunteer

**Statement:** As a 10-year resident of Newcastle, my peers and neighbors have consistently elected me to serve in leadership positions, such as PTSA president for my children's school, President of my neighborhood association, and your City Councilmember/Deputy Mayor. I value collaboration, encourage conversations, and actively listen to all perspectives to find the best way forward.

As your City Councilmember, I make decisions focused on the best interests of all residents. I have led budget negotiations prioritizing safety, equity, sustainability, and a thriving community. I have established relationships with regional leaders, resulting in nearly \$1M in grants that have paid for the completion of the Cross Town Trail, repairs to the Lake Boren Fishing Dock, and the Historic Cemetery Fence. Please re-elect me on November 7!

**Endorsements:** Senator Wellman, Representatives Senn and Thai, Former Mayor John Dulcich, Former Deputy Mayor Tony Ventrella, KingCounty and 41st District Democrats, KingCounty Young Democrats, and more!

### Amanda W. Li

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**Education:** Saint John's University, Doctorate of Pharmacy, and BS Business Management

**Occupation:** Clinical-pharmacist NY-Hospital; Vice-president Prosperity International, Strategic-negotiations Project-Implementation; Director ATV-HK

**Statement:** I'm running for City Council because I love Newcastle and want to make it a better place to live for all us residents. I believe in promoting and implementing policies that unify and benefit us all, not just the select few. I will pursue policies such as providing more social benefits for our seniors, improving safety and security of our neighborhoods, ensuring equal representation of our diverse ethnicities, supporting a sensible and balanced budget that serves all interests without additional burdensome taxes, encouraging business growth that supports and enhances our city, improving road safety, repairs, and traffic flows, especially during work hours, and preserving our wonderful natural environment, trails and historic sites.

I believe that my proven professional skills, keen love and commitment to our community, and ability to unite people for the common good, make me the ideal candidate to bring balance and cooperation to our Council and community.



## Council Position No. 3

### Allison Sweeney

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**Education:** Bachelor Business Administration, University of Iowa

**Occupation:** Co-Owner, Frosty Barrel; Girl Scout Troop Leader; Community Leader

**Statement:** I am a 17 year resident of Newcastle, with 10 years experience in Corporate America, 11 years of community leadership, and the Co-Owner of local favorite, Frosty Barrel. I am best known for advocating for small businesses, co-chairing a PTSA auction raising over \$230,000, volunteering with Girl Scouts of Western Washington, and successfully managing our business to survive the global pandemic.

My priority is making Newcastle a vibrant local business community, and this economic growth will help pay for our top community priorities. I will always advocate for public safety, our small businesses, and protecting our most vulnerable. I believe in accountability, transparency, and diversity, in all its forms. I look forward to working with the other council members on Newcastle's Tomorrow, Today! Please vote for me on November 7!

**Endorsements:** State Senator Lisa Wellman, State Representatives My-Linh Thai and Tana Senn, 41st District Democrats, King County Young Democrats

### Tom Griffin

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**Education:** Accounting/Law classes at UW, Certified Public Accountant, (CPA)

**Occupation:** Semi-retired, CEO Wicks, Instructor of Accounting/Taxes at VocTech College. CPA.

**Statement:** Newcastle has a financial crisis from imprudent financial management. As a Public Accountant I have audited financial statements, managed financial staff and dealt successfully with the IRS. During the present City budget cycle, Staff stated the budget had no cost reductions possible. I discovered that Street Maintenance could be paid with REET funds, thereby reducing the deficit \$313,000. I believe, through careful analysis, similar savings opportunities will exist in future budgets.

My goal remains the same as when I was elected four years ago, reduce expenses and no new taxes. I have been outvoted in my advocacy of fiscal sustainability but I will not give up. In the past, as a CPA, I've trained clients how to prepare budgets enabling them to become successful and profitable. Allow me to restore fiscal discipline and financial stability to Newcastle, keeping it an affordable and desirable place to live. I'd appreciate your vote.



## Council Position No. 4

### Steve Tallman

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**Education:** B.S. Business Management, University of Idaho

**Occupation:** Construction Company Owner, Former Hershey Global Business Executive

**Statement:** As a 27-year Newcastle resident, I am committed to representing the *voice of the citizens*, operating with a proper balanced budget, and ensuring public safety is our top priority. None of this is happening today. The current council majority imposed an unnecessary 2% property tax increase this year and plans for more taxes. I will apply my proven business experience to operate within our financial means, ensure your tax dollars are invested responsibly, and hold contractors to the highest standards. I will pursue responsible growth, maintaining high regard for our environment, your private property, your hard-earned money, and the friendly neighborhood feel of our community.

Working with police in Newcastle and neighboring cities, I have personally affected crime in our neighborhoods and built synergies with those cities. I bring straight talk, fundamental business experience, success with multi-million-dollar contract negotiations, fiscal excellence, and common sense. I genuinely appreciate your vote.

### Chris Villaseñor

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**Education:** B.A. Engineering Management, Missouri S&T

**Occupation:** Senior IT Consultant for SAP, Current Newcastle City Councilmember

**Statement:** As an 18-year resident of Newcastle and the first person of color to serve on the City Council, my vision for the city is grounded in a desire to live in a safe, welcoming, and vibrant community. I served on the Newcastle Planning Commission before my appointment to the City Council and have a strong understanding of what is required to run our city responsibly and sustainably. I value open discussion and input from the community and will continue to advocate for programs and solutions that benefit all of us.

Public Safety is a top priority and I support a human-first approach to policing. I am also committed to supporting our local businesses and preserving our small-town roots while managing the growth of Newcastle.

**Endorsements:** State Senator Lisa Wellman, State Reps My-Linh Thai and Tana Senn, 41st LD Democrats, KC Young Democrats, Former Newcastle Deputy Mayor Tony Ventrella





## Mayor

### Angela Birney

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**Education:** BA Biology, Eastern Washington University; M.Ed. Professional Development, Heritage University; Leadership Eastside '17

**Occupation:** Current Mayor, former Council President; Community Volunteer; former Science Teacher

**Statement:** Redmond's growth and change must be welcoming and inclusive, enhancing our quality of life.

During my first term as Mayor, I kept our community safe and informed during the pandemic, maintained our city's AAA bond rating, built a new senior and community center, supported investments in housing at all income levels, implemented our environmental sustainability action plan, and invested in multi-modal infrastructure for all community members.

As Mayor, I will keep working locally and regionally to protect our environment, promote small business, and create a more inclusive, affordable, and equitable community. Together, we can continue to tackle the tough challenges ahead and create a Redmond where all can thrive. I respectfully ask for your vote. Endorsed by: Redmond Firefighters Local 2829; King County Executive Constantine; County Councilmembers Balducci and Perry; Senators Dhingra and Kuderer; Representatives Goodman, Slatter, Springer, Walen; Mayors of Bellevue, Bothell, Duvall, Issaquah, Kirkland, Woodinville; and many more!

### Jeralee Anderson

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**Education:** PhD, University of Washington, Civil & Environmental Engineering; Certificates in Business Administration, Labor Relations

**Occupation:** President-CEO, Sustainable Transport Council; City Councilmember, Public Safety Committee Chair

**Statement:** I am running for Mayor to help Redmond achieve its full potential now and for future generations. As a professional executive leader and social entrepreneur, I bring 15 years of operations and governance experience to the role. I value accountability, stewardship, and inclusiveness. I believe everyone should feel safe, empowered, and respected. I understand trust in government requires transparency, openness, and learning.

In my two terms on Council, I worked collaboratively to pass policies for climate change, affordable housing, and traffic safety. At all levels of government, I champion reliable transportation, broadband access, clean air, and clean water. Redmond deserves an inspirational Mayor skilled at organizational development as we grow. Let's work together to ensure housing stability, environmental protection, and data privacy. Thank you for your vote!

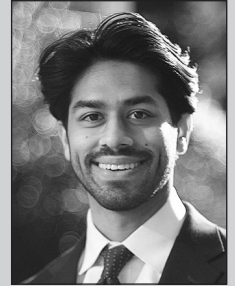
**Sole Endorsements:** King County Democrats, King County Young Democrats, LD48 Democrats, Democrats for Diversity & Inclusion, nonpartisan elected officials



## Council Position No. 1

### Osman Salahuddin

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**Education:** BS Neurobiology & English Minor, University of Washington; Former UW Student Body President; LWSD Graduate

**Occupation:** King County Community Engagement Manager; Coffee-shop Owner; Former Medical Researcher

**Statement:** As a lifelong Redmond resident, I'm running to bring new leadership and fresh ideas to our growing city. Experienced in public, private, and healthcare settings, I'll take a data-driven, community-based approach toward addressing our city's pressing issues.

I'm committed to an affordable, sustainable, safe, and inclusive Redmond. This means ensuring families and seniors aren't priced out of their homes. It means protecting trees and greenspaces, and promoting public transit. It means investing in safe neighborhoods where all residents can thrive. I love Redmond and am passionate about ensuring youth and families have the experience I grew up with – quality schools, accessible parks, and supportive communities. Let's build a better future together!

**Endorsed:** MLK Labor Council; Redmond Firefighters; Eastside Business Alliance; WA Conservation Action; Congresswoman DelBene; AG Ferguson; Senators Kuderer, Dhingra; Representatives Springer, Slatter, Walen; County Councilmembers Perry, Balducci; Redmond Mayor Birney; 45th LD, 48th LD, KC Democrats; and more.

### Nate Niederhausern

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**Education:** MS, Instructional Technology & Learning Sciences, Utah State University; BS, Broadcast Journalism, Utah State University

**Occupation:** Principal at Sunstone Media Group

**Statement:** I am eager to represent you on the Redmond City Council. As a longtime resident for over 25 years, I have had the privilege to live and work in our thriving community. Microsoft initially brought me to Redmond, and it became the place I chose to raise my family, with my children attending our outstanding schools.

My primary focus as a public servant will be to represent you, the people, using a commonsense approach to serve on your behalf. I firmly believe in promoting balanced growth that preserves our community's character while ensuring economic opportunities. I am committed to fostering safe neighborhoods by collaborating with law enforcement and implementing effective strategies to keep us safe.

I will work tirelessly to promote community unity through diversity. By actively listening to your concerns through open dialogue we can build a Redmond where everyone feels valued and supported. I would appreciate your vote!



## Council Position No. 3

## Jessica Forsythe

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**Education:** BFA, Visual Communication and Design, Kent State University; AWC Certificate of Municipal Leadership

**Occupation:** Business Owner; Creative Director; Environmental/Graphic Designer; City Council President

**Statement:** Four years ago, I brought my problem-solving skills from the private, non-profit, and small business sectors to City Council. Collaborating with Councilmembers to address constituents' priorities, I declared a Climate Emergency, improved financial policies, strengthened Senior programs, conceptualized a bill resulting in bike/pedestrian infrastructure funding statewide, and rallied support for our community and small businesses during the pandemic.

Together, we can accomplish more! I will continue to work for a community-driven and inclusive approach to growth management, housing affordability, improved and maintained infrastructure, smart use of taxpayer dollars, climate change mitigation, safe streets for biking, and an equitable community for everyone. It's been an honor to represent you and lead Redmond toward a healthier, sustainable future. Thank you for your vote!

**Endorsements:** Redmond Firefighters, Washington Bikes, King County Democrats; 45th & 48th LD; Washington Conservation Action; Washington State Treasurer Mike Pellicciotti, State Senators Patty Kuderer and Manka Dhingra and more.



## Council Position No. 5

## Vanessa Kritzer

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**Education:** Master of Public Administration and Master of Business Administration, University of Washington; BA, Vassar College

**Occupation:** Redmond City Councilmember; Executive Director, Washington Association of Land Trusts

**Statement:** I am honored to serve as your current City Council Vice President. As a mom of two young children and a professional with experience in nonprofits, government, and business, I have brought people together for a sustainable, thriving, and resilient city. I engaged residents in decision-making on projects like the Redmond Senior and Community Center, passed bold policies to fight climate change, and led regional collaboration on salmon recovery. I am running for re-election to continue being a voice for thoughtful planning as we grow, working to improve transportation options, increase affordability of housing and childcare, and advance diversity, equity, and inclusion. I respectfully ask for your vote.

**Endorsements:** Redmond Firefighters, 45th and 48th LD Democrats, Washington Conservation Action, Planned Parenthood Alliance Advocates, Washington Bikes, Alliance for Gun Responsibility, National Women's Political Caucus, Congresswoman DelBene, Senators Dhingra and Kuderer, Representatives Goodman, Springer, Slatter, and Walen, and dozens of local leaders.





## Council Position No. 7

## Angie Nuevacamina

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**Education:** Macomb Community College, Summa Cum Laude; Oakland University, Philosophy and Art History

**Occupation:** Financial Services Professional; City of Redmond Planning Commissioner

**Statement:** Redmond is growing in leaps and bounds. We deserve a leader with a vision for a more inclusive, welcoming city that creates a sense of belonging for all. Longtime Redmond resident, single mother, US Navy veteran, and member of the LGBTQ community, I bring a lived experience to Council that currently does not exist.

As your next councilmember my top priorities will be housing, safe and healthy communities for all, and transparent government that supports thriving businesses and residents. My deep relationships with other Eastside Leaders will enable us to work collaboratively while respecting our differences. I believe in the spirit of "Nothing About Us Without Us", ensuring our most impacted communities have a seat at the table, and I will lead with a lens of equity and a deep sense of integrity and accountability to move us forward together.

**Endorsements:** King County Democrats; 48th LD Democrats; Representative Vandana Slatter

## David M. Carson

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**Education:** Bachelor's of Science, Business Management, Oregon State University

**Occupation:** Small Business Owner, Software/Hardware Consulting to Small Businesses

**Statement:** It has been my distinct privilege to serve on the Redmond City Council. In that time, we've undertaken the planning for the light rail system, planned for the growth in Overlake with utility upgrades, built the senior center, built a new fire station and planned for the residential neighborhood of Marymoor Village.

I serve our community with Redmond Kiwanis, the Redmond Police Foundation (including funding Redmond PD's sniffer canine) and the OneRedmond Foundation (activating our centers) that make significant impacts in Redmond. I also serve on the county Emergency Management Advisory Committee in addition to chairing a council committee and Community Facilities District.

I do *Not* support making city council a full-time job nor raising our salaries; it would mean terrible cuts to productive staff. Thank you for your past support and respectfully ask for your vote to re-elect David Carson on August 1st and November 7th for Position 7.



## Mayor

### Armondo Pavone

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**Education:** Attended Shoreline Community College, Graduate of Renton High School

**Occupation:** Current Mayor of Renton, Co-Owner of The Melrose Grill

**Statement:** As a lifelong Renton resident and local business owner, I've served our community for more than 35 years.

It's been an honor to help build an inclusive city where more people have a voice in our government. I've worked with business and community leaders to create more affordable housing options, and we've reversed homelessness trends in our city. We've made investments in public safety by hiring 20 police officers who secure our neighborhoods. We're revitalizing our downtown core and have thriving public spaces for our residents. We've balanced budgets while working hard to recover from the pandemic.

I'm running for re-election because I am committed to finishing the important work we started to keep Renton a place where everyone is welcome and has a high quality of life. Serving as your mayor's been an honor, and I hope to earn your support for another term.

### Kim Monroe Bass



**Education:** Bachelor of Arts in Communications from Youngstown State University

**Occupation:** Product Manager for Neilsen Media

**Statement:** Renton is a bold, dynamic, and diverse city that deserves a leader that will listen to all of the community in order to drive growth and equity. I want to set a place at the table for all the people of Renton at City Hall, and I am passionate in ensuring we have safety at home and in public spaces so we can do that.

I am a single mother with two kids who graduated from Hazen, I was PTSA President, volunteered for Planned Parenthood an ally to the LGBTQ+ community. I am a founding member of the Renton's Moms Demand Action. I work as a Product Manager, keeping multiple projects on the rails, and I built a career in Radio for many decades.

Let's make Renton the best city to live in; let's work together to make a difference. I ask for your vote on November 7.



## Council Position No. 3

### Valerie O'Halloran

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**Education:** Advanced Certificate of Municipal Leadership from Association of Washington Cities; Senior Finance Systems Analyst, Retired

**Occupation:** President, Renton City Council; Chair, Renton Fire Authority Governance Board

**Statement:** It is no secret that our beautiful city has been impacted by regional problems. As Council President I am fully invested in making life better and safer for Renton. I have listened and worked full time for you on many issues including public safety, climate change, transportation, housing, economic opportunity, senior security, and equity.

My 30+ years of finance experience have been put to good use ensuring your tax dollars are spent effectively. I am committed to sustainable budgets that provide the quality services you deserve. I serve on several regional committees to ensure that decisions impacting our life in Renton meet our needs. I believe working together is key to finding solutions. I humbly ask for your vote.

Endorsements: Mayors Pavone and Law (former); Councilmembers Alberson, Perez, Prince; Renton Firefighters; Community Leaders Jason Parker, Teodoro Rodriguez, Mary Clymer, Pam Miller; KC Democrats, LIUNA; Rep Hackney; more on my website.

### Erica J. Conway

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**Education:** Virginia Union University BA, Sociology w/minor in Criminal Justice. Lindbergh High School.

**Occupation:** King County Superior Court, Criminal Department Supervisor.

**Statement:** Renton is in need of positive change. As a long time resident, I've dedicated my life to advocating for improvements in our city, and I believe there is always a way to solve our greatest challenges. They can be solved by working collaboratively with and centering impacted communities like seniors, veterans, small businesses, and marginalized populations.

As a supervisor at KC Superior Court, I serve the public with impartiality, managing organizational logistics and creating workplace policies. On the Police's Chief Community Council, I apply my lived experience to build bridges between our community and officers for a holistic public safety approach that works for everyone. I'm committed to finding innovative solutions for expanding workforce housing options. We can address the rise of homelessness through compassion, accountability, and community support.

Together, we can make a positive difference for our community. Endorsements: 11th LD & KC Democrats, Rep. David Hackney, and more!



## Council Position No. 4

### Ryan McIrvin

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**Education:** Bachelor's of Arts in Politics/Philosophy/Economics and Communications, Western Washington University

**Occupation:** Renton Councilmember; Director of Government and Community Relations, UW Bothell

**Statement:** Ryan is a proven leader who has represented you on council since 2016. He has 18+ years' experience working in government and community advocacy.

When passing City and Fire Authority budgets, Ryan has consistently prioritized law enforcement training and public safety resources needed to improve safety in our neighborhoods. Representing Renton on regional affordable housing and transportation committees, Ryan worked to plan for and fund the creation of affordable housing and focus future growth around transit and employment hubs. Ryan is a champion for outdoor recreation and natural spaces and has supported improvements in our parks and regional trails network as well as funded salmon habitat and floodplain restoration projects.

**Endorsements:** Renton Firefighters IAFF Local 864; Renton Mayor Armondo Pavone, Renton Councilmembers Ruth Pérez, Ed Prince, Valerie O'Halloran, Carmen Rivera; Renton School Board Directors Avanti Bergquist and Alisa Louie; State Representative Steve Bergquist; King County Councilmember Dave Upthegrove & more!

### Sanjeev Yonzon

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**Education:** Bachelor's Degree, Education

**Occupation:** Small Business Owner; Former Civil Contractor; Former Educator

**Statement:** I'm a small business owner, education leader, and father focused on safe and healthy communities, affordability, and creating opportunity.

**Public Safety:** As a Regional Fire Authority Civil Service Commissioner, I work to ensure training and resources for first responders. On the Council, I'll coordinate with law enforcement, service providers, and community leaders to improve response times, reduce crime, and achieve long-term safety.

**Endorsed:** Councilmember Marcie Palmer, fmr.

**Economic Vitality:** As a small business owner, I understand post-pandemic and public safety challenges. On the Council, I'll apply my experience to improve conditions for local businesses, foster workforce development, and spur investment in our region. **Endorsed:** Diane Dobson, Small Business Leader

**Sustainable Renton:** I've helped pass investments in our schools, safety, and infrastructure. I'll apply this experience on Council to expand affordability, improve transit and roadways, and preserve parks and open spaces.

**Endorsed:** Aerospace Machinists 751; SEIU Healthcare 1199NW; Carpenters Unions



## Council Position No. 5

### Ed Prince

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**Education:** Franklin High School, Washington State University

**Occupation:** Executive Director, Washington State Commission on African American Affairs

**Statement:** Twelve years ago you honored me by allowing me to serve as your representative. My priorities are the same as they were when you elected me:

**Public Safety:** Support resources for our police and fire so they can keep our neighborhoods safe.

**Growth:** Plan for smart growth that protects the character of our neighborhoods while providing options for affordable housing. Quality of life: Continue to provide first class services to our seniors, youth, and vulnerable populations. I continue to be a voice for Renton regionally.

I was elected President of the Sound Cities Association. I have been elected to the board of the Association of Washington Cities and I have been working with leaders across King County to find solutions to the gun violence plaguing our communities. Endorsements include: Renton Firefighters, Laborers Local 242, and the Affordable Housing Council. more endorsements are listed at [www.edprinceforrenton.com](http://www.edprinceforrenton.com). I appreciate your vote!

### Marvin Rosete

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**Education:** Renton High School; Bachelors, University of Washington; Masters, Seattle University; Doctorate, University of Southern California

**Occupation:** Renton Arts Commissioner; Educator; Non Profit Program Manager

**Statement:** In this crucial election, Renton deserves a leader with unwavering judgment and a clear vision for progress—qualities that define my commitment to service. Several questionable decisions by our Council have jeopardized Renton's future Sound Transit funding and neglected our own human service and security needs. I will prioritize Renton's well-being.

I bring over 12 years of invaluable experience in non-profit and government sectors, complemented by 15 years in the private sector and 20 years of community leadership, including membership in Rotary, Save the Cedar River, and the Renton Chamber of Commerce. I will *fortify public safety, fervently advocate for improved human services, while enriching our parks, public art and public works* that define the heart and soul of Renton.

I ask for your vote on election day. I look forward to working with you to make decisions that steer our city towards a better future, and a stronger Renton.



## Council Position No. 7

### Kim-Khanh Van

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**Education:** BAs, Sociology and Law, Societies, & Justice, University of Washington; JD, University of Dayton

**Occupation:** Renton Councilmember, Small Business Owner, Judge Advocate General, and Attorney

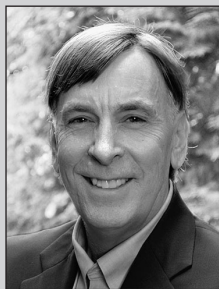
**Statement:** As a refugee, I want everyone to have access to the American Dream. As a RTC Foundation Board Member, I've expanded access to apprenticeships and careers. As a PTA leader, Rotarian, Scouts mom, and community leader, I've worked tirelessly for healthy, thriving kids and families.

On council, I've led on *public safety for all* investing in officers and training, funding mental health navigators and the Downtown Patrol Unit. I've *prioritized Renton kids, seniors, and veterans, and economic opportunities for local businesses*, leading on affordability, protecting our Cedar River and open spaces, and serving neighbors in need. I would be honored to earn your continued support.

*Endorsed: Renton Firefighters, Aerospace Machinists, MLK Labor, SEIU Healthcare 1199NW, Alliance for Gun Responsibility, Congressman Smith, Executive Constantine, Fmr CM Gossett, Fmr Superintendent Gibbons, Senator Hasegawa, Estela Ortega, Steve Randolph, Veterans Stephen "Dutch" Deutschman and Martin Tamayo, Sandra Bensley, Dr. Linda Smith, Mark St. Peter, democrats!*

### Randy Corman

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**Education:** Bachelor of Science Mechanical Engineering, University of California, Davis; Continuing City and Boeing training

**Occupation:** Retired Boeing Engineering Manager and former Renton City Council Member

**Statement:** Renton needs experienced leadership. I have a strong record on community safety, and I delivered outstanding results as Council Member and six-time Council President. I'll improve access to rehabilitation services, move people indoors, enhance police funding, reduce traffic, get Renton light-rail, protect our environment, and deliver cost-effective solutions.

While on Council I drove major improvements in public safety, including hiring additional police officers and social workers. I prioritized production of affordable housing, assisting hundreds of families. I advocated for Renton regionally. I led in adding parks, trails and amenities including Henry Moses Aquatic Center and the Eastrail rail-trail. I helped bring new businesses, including IKEA, The Landing and Seahawks. I embraced our rich diversity by implementing measurable programs of inclusion and equity that remain a model nationwide.

**Endorsements:** Mayor Pavone, most Renton Council Members, former Mayor Denis Law, retired Fire Chief Wheeler, Nancy Sivitilli, Steven Vargas, Camila Lagow, many more!





## Council Position No. 2

### Roisin O'Farrell

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**Education:** B.S.C Business Management, Trinity College Dublin, Ireland

**Occupation:** Sammamish City Councilmember, Special needs advocate, former Retail Store Manager.

**Statement:** Having lived in Sammamish for over 25 years and developed deep roots here, it was an honor to be appointed to the City Council. I believe in community engagement and encouraging diverse voices to be heard so that we can ensure a thriving and sustainable future for Sammamish.

Working together we can address housing affordability, mental health wellbeing, a healthy local economy and protect the open and natural spaces that make Sammamish so special. As an immigrant from Ireland and a mother to a young adult with autism, I understand the need for community connection and support. This is why Sammamish is my home. I look forward to the chance to serve our community that has been so welcoming to me.

*Endorsed: Representatives My-Linh Thai, Tana Senn, Bill Ramos, County Councilmember Sarah Perry; 41st, 45th, 5th LD & King County Democrats; LWSD Boardmember Stuart, National Women's Political Caucus of WA.*

### Uma Coimbatore

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**Education:** Two MBAs (Master of Business Administrations)

**Occupation:** Former position with Microsoft; Currently volunteering/partnering with Nonprofit Organizations

**Statement:** I am a 23-year Sammamish resident who was honored with the prestigious *President's Volunteer Service Award* in 2022. I believe that *service starts at home*. I have consistently demonstrated this through countless volunteerism and leadership in various service activities throughout my life.

*My priorities when elected* include ensuring the safety of Sammamish residents by focusing on crime reduction, maintaining a balanced budget, and protecting the environment to address climate change. I am committed to fostering sustainable housing development while preserving our natural surroundings, streams, lakes, and wildlife corridors, which play a vital role in maintaining clean air and water. I will promote public transportation options with minimal environmental impact. *With your vote, together we can protect our community, preserve nature, and promote a sustainable future for Sammamish.*

*Endorsed by* King County 5th Legislative District Democrats; King County Police Officers Guild; Humane Voters of Washington; National Women's Political Caucus and more.



## Council Position No. 3

### Pamela Randolph

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**Education:** Water Wastewater Technical School; Bachelor's degree Business Administration, UW Management Program and Project Management Certificates.

**Occupation:** Semi-retired; Sammamish business owner specializing in wastewater regulatory compliance.

**Statement:** I have been protecting the waters of Puget Sound for 35 years. My career experience is wastewater treatment, collections, regulatory compliance, and creating effective sustainability plans. I have developed and managed operation and maintenance budgets and successfully managed multi-million-dollar capital projects while seeking opportunities for savings. My perseverance, creative problem-solving techniques, and integrity have served me well. This experience is what I will rely on as a City Council member.

My focus will be public safety, fiscal responsibility and ensuring that the city's planned development reflects community interests. Preserving the local culture and viability of our community is important. I will seek input from you, the community, and ensure my understanding of the issues and long-term impacts prior to making decisions. I am vested in Sammamish, having lived here since 2008 and a property owner since 2016.

I respectfully request your vote for Pamela Randolph, Sammamish City Council Position #3.

### Sid Gupta

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**Education:** Studied Political Science at University of Tulsa; Native Plant Stewardship Program, Washington Native Plant Society

**Occupation:** Board president of environmental nonprofit; Sammamish Parks and Recreation Commissioner

**Statement:** I'm running for City Council to ensure everyone has a voice as we lay the foundations for a responsible, inclusive, and prosperous Sammamish. From my 8 years on the Parks & Recreation Commission, I've seen firsthand how a passionate community can influence the way our city works. As a Native Plant Steward and Sammamish's Volunteer of the Year in 2018, I have hands-on experience preserving our natural environment.

While Sammamish continues to mature, I will place sustainability at the core of our climate, urban forest, and fiscal policies. Our transit plan will be my priority as new trail and bike pathways connect us safely to our city's future. I believe in working with our regional and state partners to tackle the challenges of housing affordability, economic development, and equity. Our diversity is our strength.

Endorsed by King County Democrats & 5th, 41st, and 45th LD Democrats.



## Council Position No. 4

## Kent Treen

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**Education:** Master's in Education, Bachelor of Arts in Religion and Theology, Associate of Science in Forestry

**Occupation:** Certified Teacher working with at-risk students in Bellevue School District

**Statement:** My wife and I moved to Sammamish 13 years ago, falling in love with its natural beauty and easy commute. I ran for City Council in 2019 to preserve these unique qualities. As a teacher for 24 years and an experienced forest firefighter, I understand the role local government plays in supporting education, the safety of our students, emergency services and community preparedness.

On the Council, I consistently voted to protect our community from haphazard development which would fundamentally alter life in Sammamish. I believe we can balance healthy growth while maintaining excellent schools, our quality of life and the unique natural beauty of Sammamish.

*Sometimes it's hard to distinguish between candidates.* My record of support for the environment and responsible development sets me apart. I represent the values of the residents of Sammamish. My re-election is endorsed by multiple elected officials and Sammamish residents. Thanks for your continued support!

## Kerry Bosworth

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**Education:** BA in Computer Science, State University of New York at Purchase College

**Occupation:** Microsoft Program Manager, Sammamish Planning Commissioner, Timberline Community Club Board

**Statement:** Statement: I moved to Sammamish in 2018, started watching City Council meetings, and haven't stopped. Tuning in helped me develop informed thoughts on topics and issues. Then I joined my HOA board and the Planning Commission. These roles provide opportunities to learn how to work in the community and tackle tough decisions as a group. Doing this work in public is critical. I'm committed to moving Sammamish forward while also respecting our natural environment. I live our values by taking transit, reducing waste, volunteering, and applying citywide concerns about plant and water stewardship to my home and neighborhood. This engagement has exceeded my expectations, and I want to inspire others to consider running. Thank you, Sammamish, for enriching my life and the opportunities to participate.

**Endorsements:** 5th, 41st and 45th Democrats, National Women's Political Caucus of Washington, Planned Parenthood Alliance Advocates, Sammamish City Council members Karen Howe and Amy Lam



## Council Position No. 6

## Pam Stuart

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**Education:** BS in Mechanical Engineering with a concentration in Economics, University of Maryland

**Occupation:** Sammamish City Councilmember; Principal Program Manager at Microsoft; Sustainability Coach

**Statement:** As an engineer, proven professional, and mom, I'm pragmatic about Sammamish's fiscal health and budget, maintaining needed services through economic development and rigorous prioritization. I know it's your money. *Sammamish must remain safe, sustainable, and thriving for all.* I'll represent our diverse community ensuring public safety, tackling climate change, transportation, and housing choices for our residents.

I'm a proven incumbent leader delivering results. I championed youth mental health services, a climate action plan, and increased government accountability while launching programming for seniors, protecting our salmon, and expanding parks. I ensured pandemic federal aid made it to local businesses.

For twenty years I've loved and served Sammamish as a PTA president, cub scout leader, chief umpire, martial arts instructor, Councilmember, member of K4C-Climate-Collaboration, Salmon Recovery Council, Eastside Fire and Rescue Board and more. Endorsements: KC Councilmembers Perry and Balducci, Bob Ferguson, Everytown for Gun Safety, 5th, 41st, 45th, KC Dems, +more.

## Josh Amato

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**Education:** Attended DeVry University

**Occupation:** Small business owner; Rotary President; Former Planning Commission Vice Chair

**Statement:** Sammamish is a special place, but the City Council is mismanaging its finances. The Council raised property taxes by 12%, increased spending, then passed a budget with a \$5 million deficit that created a 4-year path to insolvency. I'm running to fix the budget mess.

Many of our neighbors live on constrained incomes and should not be asked to pay higher taxes to paper over financial mismanagement. Tax increases should be a last resort, not the first option. I will review each line item in the budget, prioritize spending, and save the rainy-day fund for true emergencies. You can read more details at [JoshForSammamish.com/Plan](http://JoshForSammamish.com/Plan).

As your councilmember, I pledge to write a balanced, sustainable budget that provides for essential services, protects our most vulnerable, and maintains the safe, quiet, and natural environment that makes Sammamish the place we all love. I ask for your vote.





## Council Position No. 2

### David Edwards

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**Education:** J.D., Seattle University School of Law; B.A., University of Washington Bothell

**Occupation:** Elected Hospital Commissioner; Attorney; Workplace Investigator

**Statement:** As a Woodinville Planning Commissioner and elected Evergreen Health Hospital Commissioner, I have learned that a collaborative relationship with the community is necessary to ensure that our city government is transparent and responsive to the interests of all Woodinville residents. I am running for City Council because I want to continue to serve this community and work together to make Woodinville a great place to live, work, and play for decades to come.

I am committed to protecting our natural environment and parks, reducing traffic, supporting infrastructure improvements, and managing sustainable growth responsibly. I will also work to amplify the voice of Woodinville residents at the regional level to ensure that Woodinville is included in decisions that will have a significant impact on the future of our city and community. I respectfully ask for your vote.

Endorsed by: 1st Legislative District Democrats, Woodinville Mayor Mike Millman, and many Woodinville residents.

### Shengquan Liang

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**Education:** Master of Science in Computer Science, Aerospace Engineering at Georgia Tech

**Occupation:** Software Engineer, Salesforce

**Statement:** The future of Woodinville is being decided now. We need a strong Council working to mitigate our growing pains. While growth will happen, it must be designed to preserve the charm that makes our City special.

Having lived here for over 12 years, my family cherishes the events, lifestyle, and education that Woodinville offers. Serving on the Planning Commission has given me insight into the city's workings, fueling my passion for running for City Council. I will bring a *fresh perspective*, focusing on key issues like improving traffic, holding developers accountable to our standards, creating a safe and walkable city, and ensuring transparency in government. I make data driven decisions and will *never prioritize outside interests over Woodinville's*. I humbly ask for your vote to shape a brighter tomorrow for our beloved City.

Endorsements: CNW, former Woodinville mayor Gary Harris.



## Council Position No. 4

### Mike Millman

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**Education:** Studied Fire Command and Fire Science Bellevue College

**Occupation:** Mayor selected by City Council 2022, retired Firefighter, business owner

**Statement:** Woodinville's been my home for 31 years. I am honored to serve as your mayor and councilmember. I'm steadfast in my priorities: continue to *improve public safety, preserve the character of our neighborhoods, improve infrastructure, protect parks and trails, and maintain Woodinville's outstanding fiscal health*.

I'm a hard worker who is responsive, transparent, and pragmatic. Washington state mandates growth. To preserve your neighborhoods, we're upgrading the downtown area. We're addressing traffic: adding parking, roads, removing the abandoned railroad/trestle, adding two lanes underneath to alleviate our biggest bottleneck.

I've led efforts to enhance trails, add parks and connect us to the Eastrail Corridor. I pledge to not increase your property taxes, while adding resources and improving fire, EMS, police services. I humbly ask for your vote. *Endorsements: Congresswoman Suzan Del Bene, Councilmembers including Michelle Evans and Sara Arndt, King County Representative Sarah Perry, your firefighters, Redmond Mayor Angela Birney, and more.*

### Shan Evans

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**Education:** No information submitted.

**Occupation:** Executive Business Partner, AWS

**Statement:** My husband and I moved to Woodinville 7 years ago because of its unique character. For the past two years, while serving as *Chair and Vice Chair of the Woodinville Public Spaces Commission*, I have witnessed the rapid changes in our downtown with little input or consideration to our shared public spaces and greater needs.

Development and growth are inevitable, but the preservation of our unique city, local businesses, and natural beauty is my priority. We need a common strategic vision and public engagement to direct growth without sacrificing the character of Woodinville.

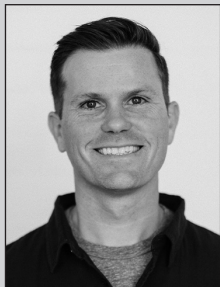
Our budget is not infinite so I will advocate for responsible spending to secure our future. We have the power to preserve our beautiful city while still creating opportunities for growth and advancement. *I will give the people of Woodinville a voice.* I respectfully ask for your vote. Endorsed by CNW and Former Mayor Gary Harris



## Council Position No. 6

### Lawrence Fudge

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**Education:** Bachelor of Arts, Linfield University; Master of Divinity, Fuller Theological Seminary

**Occupation:** Head of Sales, Photodigm, Inc.

**Statement:** Woodinville's charm and livability drew my family to this community. I am running for City Council to preserve its unique character during this season of rapid growth and development.

For 14 years, I served as a pastor at one of America's most diverse churches. As a collaborative and pragmatic leader, I view public service as a stewardship that demands the highest integrity.

My priorities include protecting the uniqueness of our neighborhoods by focusing on growth downtown while ensuring roads, parking, and infrastructure are properly addressed. I will fight against the Houghton transfer station being moved to our tourist district. I will work to improve public safety for all residents and preserve our parks, so we never lose the natural beauty that surrounds us. I am grateful for your support. Endorsements: Mayor Mike Millman, City Councilmembers Lester Rubstello, Sarah Arndt, Michelle Evans

### Al Taylor

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**Education:** Master of Business Administration and Bachelor of Science, Industrial Engineering

**Occupation:** Engineer-Boeing Product Development, Woodinville City Council Member

**Statement:** *Thank you* for the opportunity to serve you on our city council! I will continue advocating for quality services including building and maintaining roads, sidewalks, parks and trails while working within sustainable budgets. Public safety is always a top priority. I will continue to protect the character of our city while creatively balancing smart growth to make us proud of the Woodinville motto of "Country Living, City Style" for years to come. These issues are important to our family and neighbors-including new and established alike. I am proud to announce that I have recently received the 2023 candidate endorsement from the largest Woodinville all-neighborhood, all resident advocacy group- CNW! Thanks again for your support, encouragement and re-election vote. I look forward to applying my proven experience as a council member, city planner, and engineering problem solver to move us together toward a bright future for our families in Woodinville.



Council Position No. 1

**Stacy  
Saal**

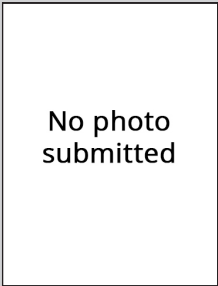


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Council Position No. 2

**James  
McCarthy**



No statement submitted.



Council Position No. 4

**Paula  
Dix**



No statement submitted.



Council Position No. 2

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**Education:** Kenyon College, University of Chicago Medical School, University of Oregon Urology Residency

**Occupation:** Physician and Surgeon, Retired

**Statement:** It has been a privilege to serve our neighbors on Hunts Point Council position #2. My interest is to continue to maintain the notable qualities of our town: the sylvan beauty and sense of community which values security, privacy, neighborliness and serves as a refuge from the surrounding urban area.

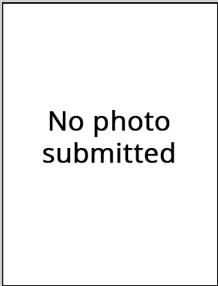
My hope is to preserve these precious qualities in the near and distant future.

Thank you.



Council Position No. 4

Patrick  
Finnelly



No statement submitted.



## Council Position No. 2

## Steve Bush

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**Education:** BA in Values, Technology, Science and Society from Stanford University, 1990

**Occupation:** Entrepreneur and Public Servant

**Statement:** My name is Steve Bush, and I have lived in Yarrow Point for over fourteen years, serving as a Yarrow Point Town Council member for seven years (2014 – 2021). You may have seen me walking my two golden retrievers, Rosie and Rex, around the neighborhood with my wife, Christine Chang. With both of my daughters now off at college, I hope to rededicate myself to serving the Yarrow Point community.

I seek to protect and develop the Yarrow Point traditions of our past, the safety of our present, and the community bonds that stretch brightly into our future. With my seven years of experience and love for this neighborhood - forged over shared Fourth of July celebrations and neighborly acts of kindness and connection that make Yarrow Point special - I will represent every Yarrow Point resident with dedication and understanding.

I humbly ask for your vote.

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No statement submitted.



## Council Position No. 4

## Debi P. Mishra

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**Education:** B.S. Computer Sc., IIT

**Occupation:** Semi Retired, Ex-DocuSign Group VP; Ex-Microsoft Director of Engg.

**Statement:** I wish to volunteer my time towards the benefit of our beautiful Yarrow Point community. I have recently retired from corporate executive leadership roles and have the time to serve our town council. My wife Madhvi and I have lived in the Seattle area for the last 30 years. We moved to Yarrow Point in 2016 and love our neighborhood and community. I look forward to meeting more members of our community. I believe the town would benefit from my active participation and my experience. I stand for preserving the character of our community, enhancing our overall security, and bringing the community more together.

## Michael Hyman

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**Education:** BSE, Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, Princeton University

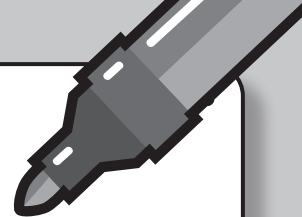
**Occupation:** Longtime software executive and serial entrepreneur

**Statement:** Like many of us in the tech industry, I became a Pacific Northwest local when I moved to the region in the 80s to work for Microsoft. I have been an executive at many of the area's leading companies as well as a successful serial entrepreneur. I am currently a Vice President at the world's most pet friendly company. I've served on the board of two area arts organizations, and now want to get involved with my city.

Yarrow Point has a unique feel, being a small town near much larger cities, and I want to work with the Mayor and other council members to preserve its character, including its sense of safety, the nesting bald eagles and greenery, and our 4th of July parade. I won't put up ugly signs, but I do circumnavigate the city most days and look forward to meeting you.



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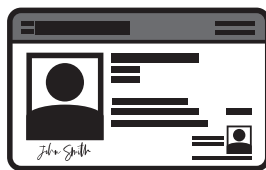


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## Director District No. 1

### Phil Bloch

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**Education:** B.A., Biology, Grinnell College; Master's of Environmental Management, Duke University.

**Occupation:** Senior Managing Biologist, Confluence Environmental Company.

**Statement:** With children entering 7th and 11th grades, I've seen first-hand the workings of the Bellevue School District from its administrators to classroom experiences. My engagement with the school district began with pre-school and includes interactions with schools, the advanced learning program, 504 plans, sports and choice programs.

I'm proud of the ways I've been able to support Bellevue families, students and schools including: Volunteering in classrooms from K through High School; Coaching soccer; Leading successful efforts to create before school care and transportation options during reconstruction of Clyde Hill Elementary; Leading the Clyde Hill Elementary Science Fair in June 2021 – an event that brought more than 100 student science projects back to campus during COVID limitations; Current PTSA board member leading fundraising efforts that doubled our fundraising goals.

I will bring my proven leadership track record of working with the district to improve student educational experiences to the Bellevue School Board. I believe that our schools should provide a safe, fun place where students are excited to pursue their dreams. I hope to engage parents and communities to create a collaborative educational system that meets the community's needs.

*Thank you for your support.*



## Director District No. 2

### Carolyn Watson

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**Education:** BA Anthropology, SUNY Albany; MBA Finance, Indiana University; graduate work in Applied Anthropology, American University

**Occupation:** Incumbent; PTSA Council; Former: Software Developer, College Instructor, VIBES Tutor.

**Statement:** I am committed to providing the excellent education for which Bellevue is known and doing so in a manner that is equitable. I will continue my commitment to providing a holistic education that balances the academic as well as emotional and mental health needs of all our students, including the most marginalized, and those with special needs, whether visible or invisible.

Having worked to select our incoming Superintendent, I look forward to collaborating with our educators and staff on innovative approaches to ensure that all students thrive. All students should feel valued and supported on their paths to their future dreams, whether college, trade school, or job.

I believe fiscal responsibility is critical to ensuring an exemplary education and protecting vital resources such as mental health counselors and school nurses. As part of my commitment to responsible oversight and governance, I participate in the state audit every year and help update our financial policies with guidance from our equity advisory committee.

**Endorsements:** Seattle Times, FUSE, WEA, BEA, King County Democrats, 41st Democrats, Senator Kuderer, Representatives Thai and Senn, Councilmember Balducci, Four former BSD School Board Presidents.

**Recognitions:** Stevenson Elementary PTSA Golden Acorn, Washington State PTSA Gold Level Leadership Service Award.

### Ryan Sugden

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**Education:** Bachelor's Degree in Accounting, Certified Public Accountant

**Occupation:** CPA specialized in Restaurant accounting for small businesses

**Statement:** Equity is an accounting term. It means ownership (as in, "How much equity do you have in your house?") I intend to give families in District Two ownership in their educational choices.

District Two includes Ardmore Elementary, where I serve on the PTSA. Ardmore is a community of families diverse economically, culturally, and linguistically. The whole Bellevue School District would benefit from hearing this community's voice on the board. I am running to amplify their voices.

With middle school closures planned for next year, it's critical that new perspectives be added to the board and that we have increased dialogue with the families of District Two and their educational choices.

As an accountant, I have the background to approach the District's financial situation from a fiscally responsible perspective. And as a Parent from the Ardmore community, I understand how these decisions will impact the members of our community with the fewest resources. In my work for our PTSA, I've helped to overcome the barriers families face when cultural and language differences could prevent full participation in the community.



## Director District No. 4

### Monica Webster

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**Education:** Master's in Public Health: Eastern Washington University

**Occupation:** Access to Care Family Initiated Treatment Manager:  
Health Care Authority

**Statement:** I am a long time Bellevue School District mother and community advocate who is passionate about serving students and families. I plan to lead through collaborative problem solving and will prioritize centering student voice, advocacy for the safety and well-being of students, and follow-through of our districts equity and accountability policy commitments.

My lived experience, extensive volunteer work and commitment to overall student well-being has well prepared me to serve our students and families from a different lens as a Board Director offering a perspective that isn't currently represented on our school board. I have served our students and families in a volunteer capacity in collaboration with our school district leadership teams over the past several years.

I am the former president of the Black Parent Alliance for Black Scholars, served on the Bellevue School District's Strategic Planning Committee, the SRO Advisory Committee, the Equity Advisory Group, as well as the Planning For The Future Consolidation Audit Committee. I currently serve on the Equity Advisory, and Advocacy Collaborative, also known as the Superintendent Advisory Committee, the Family Engagement Committee, and the Critical Criteria Sub-Group. Together, we can continue to support students in our district to work toward a brighter future.



## Director District No. 1

### A.J. Taylor

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**Education:** J.D., University of Washington; M.A., History, Utah State University; B.A., History, Oregon State University

**Occupation:** Senior Privacy Manager, Microsoft Corporation

**Statement:** For many years, I've advocated for our kids. I've served on the Issaquah School District (ISD) Levy Development Committee, the ISD Financial Analysis Core Team, and as a Volunteers for Issaquah Schools board member. I'm proud of my work to secure funding for the ISD and I'm eager to do more. Our district's decreased enrollment means less state funding. We must spend smarter, ensure the return on investment of existing programs, and reprioritize funding to ensure we're meeting the needs of all our students. As an ISD director, I'll strive to create clearer communication about how our educational programs are performing and provide insight into board decisions.

As the father of a student in our school district, I believe school board members should serve the community, first and foremost. I'll work to foster a welcoming and inclusive learning community where all students, teachers, and families have a strong sense of belonging. I'll be a vocal supporter for our children and families. I humbly ask for your vote.

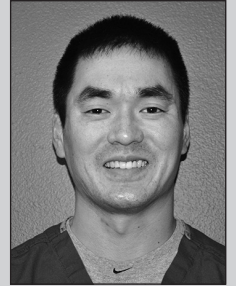
**Endorsements:** Representatives Lisa Callan, Bill Ramos and Tana Senn, School Board Director Anne Moore, former ISD Superintendents Ron Thiele and Janet Barry, seven city council members and more. See [voteajtaylor.com](http://voteajtaylor.com) for information.



## Director District No. 3

### Harlan Gallinger

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**Education:** M.D. University of Washington School of Medicine; B.S. University of Puget Sound

**Occupation:** Emergency Physician

**Statement:** I've been privileged to serve you over the past eight years. As the district implements its first strategic plan in more than two decades, I'll ensure that we listen to students and families and partner with teachers so that every student can reach their highest potential. To do that, we'll need to communicate transparently and emphasize financial accountability as we discuss funding to complete our newest high school to address the continued overcrowding at Issaquah and Skyline high schools.

Over the next four years, I'll continue to advocate for increased early learning and dual language opportunities, special education funding, and social-emotional and mental health supports. I want to focus our district's work to reimagine pathways to college and career for every student. For those who don't want to pursue four-year college, we need to partner with industry and provide opportunities to graduate with certifications and experience in skilled trades to directly enter the workforce.

I ask for your vote so that our district continues to invest in the success of each student and maximizes every tax dollar to create safe learning environments for students and staff.

**Endorsed by:** Lisa Wellman, Mark Mullet, Lisa Callan, Mary Lou Pauly, and many more.



## Director District No. 5

### Matt Coyne

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**Education:** Bachelor's in Political Science, Seattle University

**Occupation:** Financial services for 22 years with a wealth management focus

**Statement:** My desire to run for the Issaquah School Board is rooted in my belief that strong public schools are key contributors to strong communities. As your school board representative, I will advocate for all students, with a particular emphasis on youth mental health and special education services. I will partner with local elected officials to help advocate for expanded funding of public education and greater support for teachers.

I am a lifelong advocate of K-12 education, having a mother, father and wife as teachers. My involvement with local public schools spans many years. I was a member of the Issaquah Schools Foundation Board for six years, including two years as Board President. I also sat on the National Schools Foundation, Issaquah Food & Clothing Bank and The Garage, A Teen Center Boards. My wife and I have lived in the Issaquah School District for 18 years and currently have two children attending Issaquah public schools.

Several local elected officials have endorsed my campaign, including Representative Lisa Callan; Sammamish Mayor Kali Clark; Issaquah Mayor Mary Lou Pauly; Issaquah City Councilmembers Barbara de Michele, Russell Joe and Zach Hall; and Issaquah School Director Suzanne Weaver. Please see my website for additional endorsements.

### Josiah Morauski

No photo  
submitted

No statement submitted.





## Director District No. 1

## Eric Laliberte

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**Education:** University of Washington Law School; Master of Business Administration and B.A. in Economics, Chapman University

**Occupation:** Board Member, Lake Washington School District; Parent of two; Attorney

**Statement:** Thank you for the opportunity to serve as your representative on the Lake Washington School District Board of Directors. Since I joined the Board, we have worked hard to make sure *all* of our students are prepared for tomorrow's jobs and can tackle tomorrow's problems. We have focused on equity and inclusion in our schools and invested in college and career readiness programs. We are now seeing the results. The District's on-time graduation rate just reached an all-time high of 94.4%. And this year, 94.3% of our high school students -- more than ever before -- are taking classes for which they can also receive college credit.

Our work is not finished. In my next term, I will continue fighting for effective community engagement, expanded student mental health services, responsible budgeting that prioritizes services directly benefiting students, and cost-effective, sustainable school design to improve education and provide the classroom space our students need to succeed.

It has been a privilege serving as your Board Member. I appreciate your vote!

**Endorsements:** King County Democrats, 1st Legislative District Democrats, 41st Legislative District Democrats, 45th Legislative District Democrats, 48th Legislative District Democrats, and Elected Officials and Community Leaders in Kirkland, Redmond, and Sammamish.

## Andy Markert

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**Education:** Juanita High School, Lake Washington Technical College

**Occupation:** Principle Engineer, Designated Remote Support, Dell Technologies - 13 years

**Statement:** As a longtime resident of Kirkland and former student in the Lake Washington School District, I am committed to ensuring that my 4-year-old daughter, as well as all students, have excellent and equal educational opportunities offered in the district. I aim to keep the district fiscally accountable in its decisions. Education must be the sole focus of schools without partisan politics playing a role in decision making. Additionally, student safety is a priority, which includes the need for certified medical staff on-site. I urge you to put our children's education and safety first.

Thank you for the consideration of your vote for Lake Washington School District No. 414, Director District No. 1.



## Director District No. 2

### Lisa Guthrie

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**Education:** B.A. Computer Science, Brown University

**Occupation:** Principal Program Manager in Developer Division, Microsoft Corporation

**Statement:** Education is a transformative force. Every child deserves to learn in a way that meets their unique needs. My own passion for education has its roots in my grandmother's limited opportunities in segregated schools during the Jim Crow era. She knew she wanted better for my father, and then for me. Her relentless drive and sacrifices enabled us to attend excellent schools on the East Coast.

Since moving into LWSD with my own family 10 years ago, I've witnessed the high-quality education offered in public schools here. I've also been frustrated by unnecessary hurdles that prevent students from reaching their full potential. Today, these hurdles are often invisible, but they are every bit as real as the ones my grandmother faced.

In my career as a program manager at Microsoft, I've learned the importance of actively seeking feedback from various stakeholders and prioritizing resources to drive towards impactful solutions. As an LWSD board director, I will use the skills and experiences I've developed at Microsoft and as a parent to make our schools more effective, equitable, and inclusive for all students.

I believe that together, we can make LWSD schools better for everyone. Thanks for your support.



## Director District No. 5

### Lindsey Yocum

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**Education:** Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration, Western Washington University; Masters in Teaching, Northwest University

**Occupation:** Nonprofit Executive Director/Founder; LWSD/Community Volunteer; Former LWSD Quest Teacher

**Statement:** As an experienced teacher and parent of LWSD students, I bring a deep understanding of the challenges and opportunities in our district and a passion to improve our educational system. During my 15 years in this community, I've led positive change as an educator, a parent/advocate of neurodivergent children, a school volunteer, and a nonprofit director.

It's time for LWSD to add an educator's voice and experience to our school board. I'm committed to putting *students first*, while championing issues we all value such as improved mental health services and sustainability. I will work to increase educator resources to ensure inclusive school environments for *all learners*. To do so, I'll improve engagement and collaboration between our district and community. All voices deserve to be heard and respected.

As your representative, I will tirelessly advocate for policies, practices, and funding to ensure our staff and schools have the tools needed to provide exceptional instruction and support to all our students.

**Endorsements:** King County Democrats; 45th/41st/1st District Democrats; National Women's Political Caucus-WA; WA-High School Democrats; Senators Kuderer, Stanford, Wellman; Representatives Goodman, Senn, Springer, Thai, Walen; King County Councilmember-Perry; Kirkland Mayor-Sweet; Redmond Mayor-Birney; Sammamish Mayor-Clark; City Councilmembers Black, Curtis, Falcone, Howe, M.Stuart, P.Stuart

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**Education:** BA Psychology, UC Santa Barbara; MBA, San Diego State; MSc Candidate Data-Inequality-Society, University of Edinburgh

**Occupation:** Parent; Policy, Compliance, Operations Management (retired); community/school/PTSA volunteer

**Statement:** Our excellent schools must respond to societal changes and commit to every student's success. If elected, I will relentlessly advocate for a high-quality, future-focused education for all, regardless of starting point, background, or path after graduation. This means building systems for academic and social success, like ensuring students can access challenging pathways early and often, see themselves in curriculum and staff, and receive support without separating from peers.

Additionally, we must embrace and adapt to technologies impacting teaching, learning, and career preparation. I will champion district-wide digital literacy that harnesses the benefits and risks of emerging technologies like artificial intelligence.

Finally, I recognize the vital role of mental health in learning success. My advocacy will center on safeguarding student and teacher well-being through comprehensive curriculum, robust support systems, and genuine family/community engagement.

My education, my 25+ years of managing people, operations, policies, and budgets for large corporations, and my commitment to community through nonprofit boards and volunteering have prepared me well for this work. I would be honored to have your vote. **Endorsements:** National Women's Political Caucus, King County Democrats, 1/48 LD Democrats, State Representative Springer, Redmond Mayor Birney, former Mayor Marchione, Redmond Councilmembers Forsythe & Anderson, and more.



## Director Position No. 1

### Ananta Gudipaty

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**Education:** MS Software Engineering, Seattle University; BS Computer Engineering, Case Western Reserve University

**Occupation:** Software Engineering Executive; Educator; Founder, Infinite Potential Institute

**Statement:** Helping every child discover their innate infinite potential—this is my mission. Over thirty years, I have mentored hundreds of youths, empowering them with their own inner strength. Excellent academic resources combined with the unconditional support of a loving community inspire children with the confidence necessary to seize opportunities and lead on the global stage. This is what I want for every child in Mercer Island. In my two+ decades at Microsoft and Amazon, I built software that you use every day. I have managed global teams. I understand the transformative power of technology, recognize the importance of listening to every voice, and know the necessity of empathy and inclusion in fostering strong communities. Together, let's pave the way for our children to transform the world.

Mercer Island Mayor Salim Nice, and School Board President David D'Souza, endorse me, as do multiple past and current directors and community leaders. Visit <https://anantaforschools.com>

### Cristina Martinez

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**Education:** MD, Anahuac University; Master of Public Health, University of Minnesota.

**Occupation:** Early Childhood Educator; Public Health Consultant; Community Volunteer.

**Statement:** As a parent in the Mercer Island School District, I am deeply committed to providing every child with an outstanding education that meets their academic, social, and mental health needs. Through my active involvement in Superintendent advisory groups and leadership roles within the PTA Council, I have witnessed the transformative power of community engagement and will move from an advocacy role to one in which collective action can positively impact the entire school district.

If elected to the School Board, I will work to cultivate the strengths of our district and prioritize academic and budgetary decisions that *serve the best interests of all students, educators, and families*. My priorities will include rigorous advanced courses, support for students who learn differently, curriculum that reflects our community, and retaining and attracting top professional talent to our schools.

Join me in creating a stronger community through education. Visit [www.Cristina4mischools.com](http://www.Cristina4mischools.com) for more information/endorsements.



## Director Position No. 3

### Maggie Tai Tucker

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**Education:** Harvard University: AB, American History and Literature. UW: BS in Zoology, MOT. Fordham University: MSW.

**Occupation:** Pediatric occupational therapist, social worker, community volunteer

**Statement:** I am seeking re-election. During my first term, as a board officer, I helped steer the district through the pandemic and personally ran our superintendent search process. I look forward to continuing to serve our students, families, teachers, and staff while remaining accountable to taxpayers.

Professionally, I have worked with and advocated for children for many years, first as an occupational therapist (OT) and now as both an OT and a social worker. While working and volunteering, I have leveraged technology to increase community engagement. I have brought this same approach to my board duties.

As a parent of three on M.I., I have a lived understanding of the need for differentiated learning, a curriculum challenging all students, mental health counselors in schools, and diversity/equity initiatives. I am always interested in hearing from community members and in learning about new ways to help our children excel.



## Director Position No. 5

### Jody Lee

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**Education:** American University: MA, Conflict Resolution/Cross-Cultural Communication. Rutgers University: BA, Political Science/French

**Occupation:** Community volunteer; Former Dispute Resolution Specialist, U.S. State Department

**Statement:** Our schools are among the state's best; I want to make them better. Volunteering for many years in the classroom, PTSA, and district committees, I have learned of opportunities to close gaps in communication, funding, and support for our children.

Student mental health is critically important. I'm a board member of MIYFS Foundation, which co-funds our counselors. I want every student to see themselves reflected and feel they belong in our schools. Our vibrant arts, music, and extracurricular programs are critical to the student experience.

Academic rigor is also a top priority. Students need learning opportunities that challenge them, while also having access to appropriate support so they can thrive. I trust our educators. I think the structure of the board in our district is solid, but I'm always looking for ways to improve any organization of which I am a part. Endorsements: MI Education Association, 41st/KC Dems, NWPC-WA

### Todd White

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**Education:** MS, Aeronautical Engineering, U.S. Naval Postgraduate School Monterey, CA. BS, Engineering Technology, Arizona State University

**Occupation:** Experimental Test Pilot, The Boeing Company

**Statement:** Our district is among the best in the state. My priorities are deteriorating academic standards, declining student enrollment and financial sustainability. Our family has two children attending elementary school in the district.

With over 20 years working as an engineering experimental test pilot and having served as an executive director leading teams and budgets very similar in size to the district, I understand the importance of a STEM-focused, inclusive curriculum supporting the academic and emotional well-being of all students.

Hicap and AP classes are foundational. I understand the necessity for services which provide life skills for our special learners. I am committed to identifying needed resources to maintain small class sizes and providing additional support to our teachers. I am endorsed by Mercer Island Mayor Salim Nice, council members Lisa Anderl and Jake Jacobson, former school board director Dave Myerson and past council members Tom Acker and Mike Cero.

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## Director District No. 2

### Elisabeth Sotak

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**Education:** Master's in Special Education, University of Washington, TSVI Certificate, Stephen F. Austin State University

**Occupation:** Teacher of Children with Visual Impairments, Kinderling

**Statement:** As a special educator, mother of a Northshore student, and community member, I am running for school board to enact positive change for each child in the Northshore School District. My time on the board will be guided by putting students' needs first.

In my role as an educator, I collaborate with families and other professionals daily to support children with visual impairments under three. As a member of the board, I will embrace community voices and actively listen to concerns. Together we will build the best path forward for Northshore Schools.

My priorities are fully funding special education, paying teachers and staff competitive wages, and equitable access to programs for children across the district. I ask for your vote and your support to make the next four years meaningful to our students.

My endorsements include the Northshore Education Association (NSEA), the Northshore Education Office Professionals Association (NEOPA), the 45th District Democrats, the National Women's Political Caucus, and the 1st District Democrats.



## Director District No. 3

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**Education:** Harvard Business School CORE Credential of Readiness, Master of Science in Electrical and Computer Engineering

**Occupation:** Electrical Engineer and Washington Human Rights Commissioner

**Statement:** As a school board member, I would empower students to reimagine their education system and equip them with the skills to thrive in an ever-evolving world. As a product of Northshore and an immigrant myself with children attending school in the district, I understand the transformative power of quality education. My deep connection to this community drives my commitment to ensuring *every* student has the opportunities they deserve.

In my role as a Washington Human Rights Commissioner, I support labor rights and anti-discrimination policies. This gives me experience navigating the complexities of Olympia to champion public school funding where it matters most.

As a school board member, I will be a strong advocate for students, families, and educators. I will actively listen to our educators and create forums for discussion. I believe in transparent and inclusive decision-making that prioritizes the needs of our community. Together, we can ensure our schools are a place where students can dream big and achieve their goals. *I humbly ask for your vote.*

**Endorsements:** Washington/Northshore Education Association, King County Young Democrats, Senator Derek Stanford, Woodinville Councilmember Sarah Arndt, Bothell Deputy Mayor Rami Al-Kabra, King County Councilmember Rod Dembowski, and many more Northshore community members.

## Myriam Juritz

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**Education:** Doctor of Engineering & International Management, Texas A&M University; Chemical Engineer, University of Buenos Aires

**Occupation:** Northshore Schools Foundation Board Member, District Grants; NSD Substitute Teacher

**Statement:** As a Spanish-speaking immigrant NSD parent and 10+ years volunteer with a Doctorate degree, I know the impact education can have on people's lives. I believe that all students deserve the best education possible so they achieve their fullest potential in a safe and financially sound system. Our future depends on their present!

Schools should provide *all* students with *healthy, suitable challenges for all learning levels*, to create resilience, develop love for learning, and promote growth. We must prepare them for a competitive world through appropriate academic excellence and consistent opportunities. I believe in critical thinking, fact-based education, and open respectful debate on controversial topics to foster problem-solving and independent thinking.

*Safety* has to be our top priority. Amidst concerns with mental health, crime, bullying and drugs, we must restore *physical and mental safety* for our students and staff. We must adopt evidence-based solutions to keep our kids safe so they focus on learning to better their lives.

The *current budget deficit* calls for tough decisions and disciplined prioritization. Fiscal responsibility and long-term stability should be our guiding principles. *Please enable me to put my passion, energy and skills to serve you by trusting me with your vote!*



## Director District No. 1

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submitted

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**Education:** Associate's Degree of Business Administration, Bellevue College

**Occupation:** Office Manager, Seattle School District

**Statement:** I am running for School Board because I believe in our public schools. I am a proud product of Renton schools - Honeydew Elementary School, McKnight Middle School, Hazen High School. My educational experience along with 31 years of service in Seattle Public Schools, has given me a strong grasp of what educators and students need to be successful.

I believe that all students and families should be represented in the choices we make when it comes to curriculum, hiring, and safety in schools. And while I believe that each student reaching proficiency is imperative, I also believe that teachers and students must have the support to prepare them for state assessments. I believe in inclusivity and will advocate for all our students and families.

If elected, I will build strong community partnerships to fill the gaps that we are seeing in funding and equity so we can ensure that every student gets a high-quality education through the Renton School District and are successful when they graduate from school. I will use my robust experience in tandem with building strong partnerships with educators, students, parents, and the community to ensure every school and student has the tools to be successful.



Director District No. 3

Stefanie  
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**Education:** Doctor of Education (Ed.D.), University of Washington Tacoma; Master of Public Administration (M.P.A.), Seattle University  
**Occupation:** Small Business Owner and Project Manager at Renton Technical College

**Statement:** Dr. Stefanie McIrvin was elected to the Renton School Board in 2019. She brings over a decade of experience working in education where she has developed and implemented new programs and policies, managed budgets, and provided teacher support and supervision.

During her time on school board Dr. McIrvin has worked to create partnerships with the City of Renton, the state legislature, and many local community organizations. She has worked to increase dual credit and Running Start pathways for high school students and is very proud to have supported the development of the new Family First Community Center. She continues to serve on the district's Citizens Bond Oversight Committee as well as the district Computer Science and Business/Marketing Advisory Boards. Prior to working in higher education, Dr. McIrvin was an organizer for the successful Simple Majority for Schools statewide initiative campaign. She is also a former Vice-President of the New Horizon School Board and past President of the Renton Historical Society.

Stefanie owns a home in the Cascade neighborhood with her husband, Ryan, and two young daughters Molly and Lena. Molly and Lena attend Cascade Elementary and will begin fourth and first grade this fall.



Director District No. 4

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**Education:** Bachelor's in Political Science, University of Washington, Master of Public Administration, California State East Bay

**Occupation:** School Administrator, Seattle Public Schools

**Statement:** I am a proud graduate of Renton High School and have greatly benefited from my experiences of being a part of the beloved community at Renton High. Currently, I serve as a school administrator in the Seattle School District and have previously served as an elementary, middle, and high school teacher in the Oakland Unified School District. I am the parent of two children currently attending elementary and middle school in the Renton School District.

I am committed to building a transformational relationship between the community of District 4 and the school board who serves them. In July, I attended Nia Fest in Skyway Park and asked community members what their dreams are for their children and how the Renton School District can support their dreams.

Based on their feedback I will advocate for greater transparency in how board decisions are made, more inclusion of community voice in decisions regarding our children, expanded school programming to meet the interests of our children and bringing more joy to our children's educational experience. I will continue to look for ways to uplift the voice and values of the community and ensure they are represented in our schools.



## Director District No. 2

### Jodi Fletcher

No photo  
submitted

**Education:** Illinois State University

**Occupation:** Director of Domestic Affairs

**Statement:** Jodi Fletcher was elected to the RSD Board of Directors in November 2011.

Ms. Fletcher has been employed in various positions, including working with Walt Disney Feature Animation, ILM, and the airline industry. She has two children who graduated from Cedarcrest High School. Her children attended RSD schools from Kindergarten through High School graduation. She has participated in a variety of programs, and she brings with her a wealth of knowledge and experience to the board table. Her experiences include participating in the Honors and Academically Talented Programs, PTSAs and supporting Riverview Education Foundation. She is a graduate of the RSD Ambassador program and participates with Washington State School Directors Association (WSSDA) at the state level through conferences and public education advocacy in Olympia. She is passionate about individualized learning, preparing all students for a successful future and providing them with the resources needed to prepare for work, career, college.



## Director District No. 3

### Carol Van Noy



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**Education:** Concordia College, Valparaiso University, American Colleges of the Mid-West, University of Washington

**Occupation:** Fund Development, Grant Writer, Consultant

**Statement:** I am running for Re-Election to the Riverview School Board. It is my priority to continue to work diligently to build Riverview into a great school district, ensuring that every student's need is recognized and supported. *Special Education, Student Voice and Behavioral Health* are three areas that matter a lot to me. I work at Empower Youth Network and have been a mentor for 6 years and love it. Collaborating with community partners helps students and families.

As a Board Member, I seek to improve transparency in decision making, more student, family, staff and community engagement to increase equity and inclusiveness in our school system. I advocate for more voices in the room so that we can make our best decisions that reflect community.

I love our community and am passionate about public education. I am grateful for your support.

### Genessa Rose



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**Education:** Graduate at Mount Si. High School, Student at Highline Community College, FF/EMT Certification

**Occupation:** Retired Firefighter FCFD, Retired EMT American Medical Response

**Statement:** I would be honored to represent the Parents, Staff, and Students as a new liaison between our community and the district. I will bring representation, communication, transparency and accountability to the board. As parents, we need to know we are represented, heard and are the number one stakeholders when it comes to our children's education and well-being. I am a mother of a CHS graduate and will have a student at Tolt.

It's vital that our teachers and staff have an open line of communication to prioritize acquiring tools and resources to teach and inspire our students academically.

I am active within the community and have volunteered my time on PTSA boards. I am an active member for our local sports programs that feed our High School. Additionally, I have served as a front-line volunteer Firefighter for 18 years, and served on a committee to analyze a district wide merger.



## Director District No. 4

### Danny L. Edwards

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**Education:** ChFC®, CLU® - The American College AAMS™ - College for Financial Planning

**Occupation:** Financial Advisor

**Statement:** It's been my privilege to have served our community as a Director for the Riverview School District since 2007. As a parent, I'm keenly aware of how important my role is. I look forward to continuing to represent you, your families, and our community.

My family has lived in Duvall for over 30 years, and I run my business right here on Main Street. I'm a strong advocate for quality public education. We've had some unique challenges over the last several years, but our bottom line goal remains student achievement. I've been diligent in advocating for our kids on a state and federal level, and mine is often one of the loudest voices reaching out to our lawmakers in Olympia. I absolutely plan to continue to advocate for our kids to the legislature. I'm here to represent you, the citizens and taxpayers of our valley.

Thank you for your support.





## Director District No. 2

### Linda Grez

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**Education:** B.A., St. John's College, MD; Bronx High School of Science, NY  
**Occupation:** Paralegal, Athira Pharma, Inc.; small business owner, PropEle

**Statement:** I am passionate about public schools and effective government. Our children are our future community. Our District has made progress to improve student learning, but we can adopt modern transparency in budgets and decisions so parents can provide meaningful input, making our District the best it can be. My service as a dedicated volunteer, leader, and elected Commissioner has provided me with the insight and courage to ask the necessary, difficult questions needed for progress and improvements.

In 2022 I received a Rise & Shine Award. I've volunteered in classrooms, been appointed to District committees (MS High School Visioning team), led the Mount Si HS Band Boosters, MSHS Drama Boosters, Twin Falls Music Boosters, Middle School and Elementary PTAs, and recently was President of the Snoqualmie PTSA Council. *I was elected twice as Si View Metro Park District Commissioner so I understand how responsive and accountable local governments should be.*

### Judith Milstein

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**Education:** BS Applied Learning and Development - High Honors, Elementary Education University of Texas, 1998

**Occupation:** Part-time at FTRS, LLC.; Community Volunteer

**Statement:** I have two kids in the Snoqualmie Valley School District. I am the Treasurer for the MSHS Volleyball Boosters and a proud four-year mentor with Empower Youth Network. I served eight years in PTA leadership, including President and Treasurer at both NBE and TFMS and almost five years on the NBE Learning Improvement Team.

I believe the school board's time, focus, and resources should be tied to improving measurable student outcomes - steadfastly committed to continued progress in all areas. I will be a trustworthy steward of your taxpayer dollars and make sure spending aligns to what most impacts student learning.

School boards have a responsibility to ensure the voices of all our families are heard, considered, and valued. I will take the time to understand the issues facing our District and seek solutions so all kids in the Valley have the opportunities for success they deserve.



## Director District No. 3

### Rene Price

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**Education:** Bachelor of Arts, Elementary Education and Special Education, Dual Licensure. (In progress)

**Occupation:** Educator, advocate, and community volunteer

**Statement:** Our schools have the opportunity and the responsibility to support the healthy learning and development of each and every student in our care. That core value has driven my work for over ten years. When engaging with students, educators, advisory groups, advocacy organizations, legislators, or an OSPI committee, student needs remain my focus.

As a mom of one alumnus and two current Snoqualmie Valley students, I am confident in our district's ability to build on our strengths and grow through our challenges. We have highly skilled and passionate educators who work every day to create the best possible environments and learning opportunities for students. They need our support and we need theirs. Together we are growing the future of every student.

As a long-time advocate and community volunteer, I look forward to serving our community in this new role. Thank you for your vote.



Director District No. 5

Ram Dutt  
Vedullapalli



**Education:** MS Mechanical Engineering

**Occupation:** CEO Meylah Corporation

**Statement:** Navigating the pandemic, we achieved a challenging but successful transition, swiftly adopting technology and ensuring effective virtual learning through equitable access. The success of the Snoqualmie Valley School District is testament to our unwavering student focus, and to our commitment to shaping future-ready citizens. Our return to traditional learning has reinforced my drive for innovation, intertwining technological advancements with educational improvements. My joy and satisfaction come from student interactions, their feedback, and the emotional reward of their graduation. In my next term, I pledge to amplify our tech-enabled education, empower our students, and continue prioritizing their future readiness. Serving our community and fostering an education that champions our students’ ambitions is an honor. Together, we can build a brighter, smarter future.



## Director District No. 2

**Michael  
Wiggins**

No photo  
submitted

No statement submitted.



## Director District No. 3

**Malia  
Hollowell**



**Education:** Master's in International Education, Stanford University; Bachelor's in Elementary Education, University of Arizona

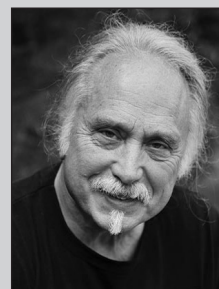
**Occupation:** Small Business Founder and CEO

**Statement:** Eleven years ago, I transitioned from being an elementary teacher to building a successful online company that supports teachers around the world. Because of my career, I am deeply knowledgeable about what is working in today's classrooms and am proud to have shared my expertise with our community as a school board director for the past four years.

In my second term, I will continue working with our community to develop a long-term solution that will enable *every* student to benefit from lower class size, even as our population continues to grow. I will also continue developing a sustainable funding plan to ensure that Tahoma is responsible with the money we have while also working with the state for more stable funding in the future.

As a teacher, Tahoma mom, and current school board director, I'm excited to continue ensuring our district provides cutting-edge education to *all* of our students.

**Stephen "Dutch"  
Deutschman**



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**Education:** Harper CC Highline CC and Multiple Management Training Seminars

**Occupation:** Community Volunteer

**Statement:** As a Parent, Grandparent and Tahoma Community member for 46 years, I am eager to bring my vast experience and perspective to the School Board!

This is a pivotal year for Tahoma with bonds and levies being voted on. The Financial Stewardship of the next board will be vital. Having TSD subcommittee experience and a passion for Facility Operations, I plan to assist in harboring a Functional School District focused on the Safety and Security of our students. We are fortunate to have First Class Teachers in TSD. I look forward to working with the community to strengthen our Parent-Teacher Partnership.

I have served on the Greater Maple Valley Unincorporated Area Council, President of Maple Valley Jr. Football, Jr. Wrestling and Pony Baseball Mustang. Umpire of the year Twice, Voice of the Valley Good Egg Award twice, Joe Segar Award Jr. Football. Viet Nam Veteran and VFW Lifetime Member.



## Director District No. 4

### Pete Miller

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**Education:** Bachelor's in Accounting from Western Washington University

**Occupation:** Certified Public Accountant, specializing in auditing and forensics

**Statement:** It has been my honor to serve Tahoma for four years as an elected director. I am passionate about providing every student an opportunity to grow and succeed in a safe and inclusive environment. As a parent, I know firsthand that each student has unique resource needs and advocacy is critical to their success. I will bring experience, leadership, and collaboration from my 17 years as a parent of Tahoma students and my 23 years as a Certified Public Accountant.

Tahoma has much to be proud of and students continue to shine. I will continue to help students reach their full potential, strike a balance between student achievement and growth, and partner with our community to establish a sustainable budget (using my skills as a CPA). I commit to continue representing the community and facing challenges with transparency and collaboration in service of these goals. Thank you for your support!

### Vincent Powell

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**Education:** MBA from Indiana University, B.S. Mathematics and Economics from Brigham Young University, raising my children

**Occupation:** Manager specializing in improving processes and helping teams excel

**Statement:** My family and I love living in Maple Valley and have had positive interactions with each of our children's teachers and schools. We live in a good school district but there is definitely room for improvement. After speaking with many in the community and reviewing data on our school district, I see two areas in need of change. Namely, academics and safety.

Did you know approximately 40% of Tahoma School District students are failing to meet grade level standards? Did you know each of our schools have safety concerns identified by a recent audit? Tahoma has good teachers, bright students, and engaged parents so with proper leadership we can turn these problems around. We need a school board that will be transparent with our shortcomings and help all students excel academically in a safe environment. We can do better and together we can take this district from good to great!



## Director District No. 5

### Matt Carreon

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**Education:** BS Mathematics, United States Naval Academy; MBA, U of W Foster School of Business

**Occupation:** Vice President, Business Development

**Statement:** A veteran and someone with 15 years in the corporate world, I have the business and life experiences that will provide value to this community. My time in Iraq and Afghanistan, Boeing, and as a corporate leader will allow me to bring leadership and problem solving our district needs to tackle the obstacles our schools are facing today.

I am also a strong representative for the minority population in Tahoma. As a third generation hispanic, I can bring an understanding of what some of our children are going through and provide that perspective to the district for guidance.

Finally, I want to continue being on the board to keep Tahoma the best school district in the state - for my kids and your kids! An education from a quality learning environment enables our kids to be the best version of themselves and set them up for future success.

### Patrick Peacock

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**Education:** Bachelor's of Arts, Philosophy, University of Washington; Master's of Business Administration, Finance, Webster University

**Occupation:** Senior Industrial Security Specialist, Army Reserve Chief Warrant Officer 3

**Statement:** Our Tahoma Family is a special place, a thoughtful and caring community. My family has been blessed to be members of Tahoma for six generations. My son is a current student. We owe the students the highest quality education possible. Board decisions should answer, "How does this course of action achieve defined educational goals?"

As a concerned father, I attended over 60 Tahoma School Board Meetings, Working Groups and Retreats. I served on the Tahoma Safety and Bond Committees.

I bring diverse skills to serve your children. As a teacher at the Army Intelligence School, I gave platform instruction, developed Points of Instruction, and designed curriculum. My MBA/Finance provides understanding of budgets, bonds, and levies. As an Army Warrant Officer, I craft policies and procedures. As a Sr. Industrial Security Specialist, I protect people and places. Together, we can provide your children with the education needed for amazing futures. Electpatrickpeacock.org



## Commissioner Position No. 1

**Gloria  
Hatcher-Mays**

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**Education:** BA, University of Washington, Communication, Project Management Certification, University of Denver.

**Occupation:** Executive Director, Rainier Valley Food Bank, Fire Commissioner

**Statement:** My husband and I have lived in the Renton Highlands for the last sixteen years and love this community. As a member of the Fire District 10 Commissioners, I will faithfully honor my responsibility to provide oversight and management of the fire district with my fellow board members. I am passionate about community support for first responders, and am equally passionate that our community protectors should be good partners in our neighborhoods. I have successfully managed organizational budgets and human resource matters as an Executive Director for two non-profits in the Puget Sound region, and have been a leader in both business and government over the course of my career. I am a 'systems thinker' which means I look at overall operations when planning for change or celebrating successes.



## Commissioner Position No. 2

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Hatcher-Mays**

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No statement submitted.



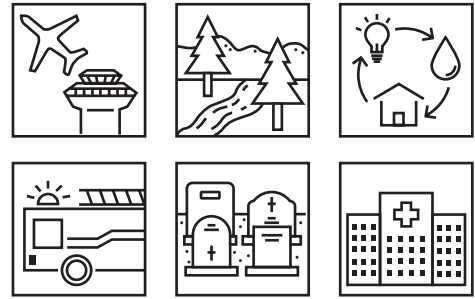
## Commissioner Position No. 4

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Mullen**

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submitted

No statement submitted.



## Special Purpose Districts are Extra Special

Every election, voters get to make their voices heard about who they'd like to represent them at different levels of government. Local elections provide voters the chance to choose who will represent them in local government, from county and city councilmembers, to mayors.

Special Purpose Districts are particularly special parts of our local government. These districts take care of specific tasks for our communities, from parks to power (and more). When voters choose representatives for their Special Purpose Districts, they are influencing their communities in crucial ways.





## Commissioner Position No. 1

**Eric L.  
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submitted

**Education:** BA Economics, University of Washington; Paramedic certification, UW/Harborview Paramedic Training Program

**Occupation:** Firefighter/Paramedic

**Statement:** Thank you for your support of the Northshore Fire Department. I am happy to continue my position as Fire Commissioner. The Northshore Fire Department is now about two years into a long-term contract for service with our neighboring fire department, the Shoreline Fire Department. The net effect of this is that the two fire departments are operating as one. In conjunction with this change, we added an aid car to Station 57 in Lake Forest Park to better serve the community. We also now rely much less on private ambulance transport, and primarily transport via fire department staffed vehicles. All of these changes have improved and streamlined services. Please feel free to reach out to me with questions and concerns about your local fire and emergency medical services, and/or attend one of our board meetings. Meetings are on-line and in-person, on the first Tuesday of each month.



Commissioner Position No. 1

Marcus  
Morrell



No statement submitted.



Commissioner Position No. 3

Sean  
Cook



**Education:** Proud graduate of Central Washington University and Liberty High School

**Occupation:** Software Sales Executive at Salesforce

**Statement:** In my role as Fire Commissioner I will continue to always work with honor and integrity. I will strive to make the best possible decisions to protect our everyday hero firefighters and the community we honorably serve. I am a proud American and love my community.



## Commissioner Position No. 1

**Lilly Hansen**

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**Education:** High school

**Occupation:** Small business owner

**Statement:** I am a mother, wife, and small business owner who has lived in Fall City for more than 20 years. For the last 11 years I have enjoyed serving and giving back to our community as one of your elected fire commissioners.

I look forward to continuing to serve the Snoqualmie Valley by working with the Fall City Fire Department to provide excellent Fire and EMS service for our citizens. We will continue to utilize the latest tools, technology, and training while being financially responsible to our community.

Thank you for your support.



## Commissioner Position No. 2

**Kristopher Belfield**

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**Education:** Port Angeles High School, Peninsula College, Industry/ Technical Certifications

**Occupation:** Director Advertising Services - Microsoft, Retired volunteer FF/EMT/SRT for KCFD27

**Statement:** I would be honored to continue to serve as one of your Fall City Fire Commissioners. I proudly served as a volunteer firefighter from 2017 through 2021. In 2022, I was honored to be selected and appointed as a commissioner.

Serving as a volunteer firefighter provided me with invaluable insights into the needs of our department and the challenges our firefighters face daily. I learned that one of the best ways we can keep our community safe is to support the needs of our first responders. I believe we can balance the needs of the department while safeguarding the financial well-being of our community. I will foster open communication and collaboration with our residents, firefighters, and administration. Together, we can ensure that our community has the best emergency services available, supported by a financially responsible approach. I respectfully ask for your support to continue to serve this great community.



## Commissioner Position No. 1

### Jerry Nuernberger



**Education:** Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering and Masters in Business Administration, Lehigh University, Bethlehem, Pennsylvania

**Occupation:** Commissioner King County Fire District 34 since January 2020

**Statement:** My goal as Fire Commissioner is to assure that the district makes effective use of taxpayer resources in providing highly functional facilities and equipment for our professional firefighters and emergency responders; enabling them to provide the district with outstanding levels of emergency services. This is a dynamic time for Fire District 34. We successfully completed negotiations for new multi-year emergency services agreement with the City of Redmond and continue to work on improving the functionality of that critical relationship.

I had a career of over 40 years in the electrical power equipment industry. I was employed by Westinghouse and Eaton Electric, working with major clients in the process and data management industries to ensure that critical power needs were met. My prior experience as fire commissioner and my career background in industry provides me with a solid foundation for the duties of Fire Commissioner.

I respectfully ask for your vote.

### Kamil Zaidi



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**Education:** Seattle University student, Class of 2027

**Occupation:** Elected Democratic Precinct Committee Officer, Eastridge precinct

**Statement:** In a world that's rapidly changing, times call for new leaders to step up and push for policies and ideas that help make our communities a better place for everyone. With your vote, I would like to be that force for change.

If elected, some of the policies I will fight for include working to facilitate more outreach between the fire departments and the communities they serve, advocate for better equipment, pay, and other benefits for our firefighters and other first responders, and invest more resources towards fire prevention solutions to fight the threats to our neighborhoods brought by climate change.

I'm endorsed by State Senator Patty Kuderer, as well as by the King County and 45th District Democrats. My motivation for running for this office is simple and straightforward: to help better the community I'm proud to call home. I would be honored to earn your vote.



## Commissioner Position No. 1

**Stephen  
McNey**

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**Education:** BA Communications, Washington State University.

**Occupation:** Political and Marketing Consultant.

**Statement:** As a father of three boys in the Tahoma School District, and a local Football Coach, I am proud to call Maple Valley my home. We are fortunate to live in a wonderful community, full of natural beauty and great neighborhoods.

We have a top-notch Fire Department and I am running for Commissioner to ensure our First Responders have the support and tools they need to be successful. It is important to balance those needs with sound fiscal management and transparent, responsive government.

I was raised by a single working class Mom in a wheelchair, who taught me the value of public service. Consequently, I have spent the majority of my adult life in the service of others. From the US Air Force to working at all levels of State and local government, I have never lost sight of those ideals. I would be honored to earn your vote!



## Commissioner Position No. 2

**Russell  
Calcote**

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**Education:** Bachelor's of Science in Biology, University of Washington

**Occupation:** District Asset Protection Manager, Volunteer Firefighter/EMT

**Statement:** My fellow neighbors,

I have been proud to serve you as one of your fire commissioners for the last two years and will appreciate your support in continuing to serve. I have been a member of the Maple Valley community since 2013 when I first began as a volunteer firefighter/EMT with the legacy Maple Valley Fire department, and now as a resident of this great community.

I believe very much in ensuring our department meets our current and future needs while staying fiscally responsible. The landscape of our community is ever changing and I will work to see that the department keeps pace with that change. Thank you for your consideration, I hope I can count on your vote.



## Commissioner Position No. 4

### Laura Buckley



**Education:** Associate Degree in Business, Green River College

**Occupation:** Finance/HR Specialist, Enumclaw Fire Department; District Secretary, Fire District #40

**Statement:** As a long-time Maple Valley resident, I hold a vested interest in the stable growth and preservation of the community I call home.

I joined Puget Sound Fire in 2015 specializing in Finance Administration; a growing organization leading the collaborative effort to join local fire agencies to reduce emergency response times and costs to taxpayers. Within the last year I transitioned to Enumclaw Fire Department as the Finance and HR Specialist. This organizational change allowed me to gain operational and financial knowledge essential to the successful function of fire departments on a more granular scale.

Concurrently I work as the King County Fire District #40 District Secretary serving the Board of Fire Commissioners and as the fire district's finance and payroll administrator. I am committed to using the knowledge I have obtained in my career in fire department administration to secure the community's growing fire and life safety needs.

## Voting FAQ

### ○ HOW DO I VOTE?

Fill in the bubble next to the candidate or measure that you choose.

### ○ DO I HAVE TO USE A PEN?

You can use pen, pencil, crayon, or anything else that clearly fills in the bubble next to your choice.

### ○ DO I HAVE TO VOTE ON EVERY RACE?

It's up to you which races you vote on. You can vote on one race, two races, or all races. We will count whichever votes you make.

### ○ WHAT IF I CHANGE MY MIND OR MADE A MISTAKE?

Make a line through the option you do not want. Then, fill in the bubble next to your correct choice.

### ○ DO I HAVE TO SIGN MY BALLOT?

You must sign the outside of the return envelope for your ballot to be counted. Your signature doesn't have to be neat or legible, but it does have to match the signatures in your voter registration file.

### ○ HOW DO I RETURN MY BALLOT?

You can put your ballot into any USPS mailbox as long as it will be postmarked by Election Day. You can also return your ballot to any of the 78 ballot drop boxes around King County. We recommend mailing your ballot by the Friday before Election Day or using a drop box in the final days of the election.





## Commissioner Position No. 1

**Michel  
Beard**

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**Education:** Bachelor of Science in Nursing, Northwest University

**Occupation:** Registered Nurse, Certified Emergency Nurse

**Statement:** My desire to serve as Commissioner results from my vested interest as a taxpayer, emergency RN, and firefighter's wife. I respect the tension between tax burden and benefits. I have intimate knowledge of emergency services and want their critical work done safely and effectively.

A fire commissioner is to be the representative of the citizens, responsible for seeing that the department is appropriately funded and performing the necessary duties; establishing policies for the department to operate, and communicating with the citizens. My duty to the citizens is to ensure reliable service and fiscal responsibility. My obligation to the firefighters is to facilitate a healthy, productive environment using best practices.

KCFD45 needs a commission that is cooperative, responsive, and transparent. Our families and neighbors deserve excellent services and our firefighters deserve leadership that offers them respect and support. Thank you for your vote!

**Brian  
Robertson**

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**Education:** Capital High School, Washington State Fire Academy

**Occupation:** West coast/International Sales Manager Jiffy Air Tool

**Statement:** As a member of King County Fire District 45 for 12 years, I have seen many changes in the community and how KCFD 45 has evolved to meet those changes. I believe that my years of experience in sales and as a volunteer firefighter gives me unique insight as to what will be required to ensure that our fire department is able to keep pace with the needs of our community.

My family has lived in the Valley for 27 years. My three children were raised here and graduated from Cedarcrest. I have been an active volunteer in the Valley in youth sports and as a volunteer firefighter. During this time, I have witnessed the rapid growth of the area. Our fire district needs continued leadership to ensure that it can maintain the high standards of service that we currently provide.

I appreciate your support and ask for your vote.



Commissioner Position No. 1



Commissioner Position No. 1

**Derek  
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No statement submitted.

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## Commissioner Position No. 1

### Alvin Materi

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**Education:** B.A. in Business Administration, Western Washington University; Master of Business Administration, University of Puget Sound

**Occupation:** Commissioner Position 1, King County Water District #90

**Statement:** My family and I have been residents of Water District 90 for 21 years. Every time we have turned the water on it has been safe and reliable. We need to maintain this great water system and safe supply for all customers and future generations.

It has been my honor to represent and serve our community as current KCWD90 Water Commission president. I will continue to advocate for safe and affordable water. You have my commitment to ensure our district water system remains safe, infrastructure remains in good working order, rates remain affordable, costs are managed, reliable water supplies are maintained and stay prepared for future challenges.

My 41 years of experience in business, accounting, facilities management and long-range planning provide the knowledge and tools to represent my neighbors and all district customers in oversight of our water district. Thank you for your vote.



## Commissioner Position No. 1

### James Hanley

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**Education:** MS Aeronautical Engineering, Air Force Institute of Technology, Air Force Academy

**Occupation:** Experimental Test Pilot

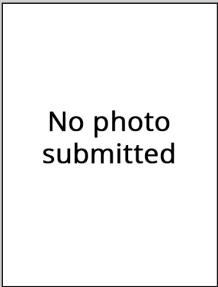
**Statement:** Thanks for the opportunity to serve our ocmunity as Water Commissioner.



Commissioner Position No. 1

Eric  
Overholt

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**Education:** Finance - Western Washington University

**Occupation:** Residential Construction - local small business owner

**Statement:** As a resident of Preston for 25 years, I am requesting the opportunity to serve my community as one of three elected water commissioners.

Working with the current commissioners, over the last four months, has been a fulfilling endeavor. I am pleased with the improvements of our water system and venture to help streamline our processes and keep costs affordable for water district customers. Our Bookkeeper, Debra, who many of you know, is a blessing to our staff.

The current Commissioners have done a tremendous job of bringing a new water tower to fruition. This will provide clean water for decades to come. I believe my background in all phases of construction and business ownership will prove a valuable asset to the water district team. Please reach out to me, in the coming weeks, for any questions you may have. I look forward to serving my community!



## Commissioner Position No. 1

### Julie Belt

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**Education:** WSU BArch; UW Certificate GIS

**Occupation:** Retired Woodinville business owner

**Statement:** After attending regular Commissioner meetings for 18 months, the following issues are critical. How will Woodinville Water District respond to increasing requests for exceptions to sewer and water standards to accommodate commercial or residential development and still maintain the reliability of the overall system? What are the most effective measures to elevate security at district facilities? How can we continue prioritizing retaining qualified staff?

As water commissioner, I will apply my combined 22 years of experience in project accounting, contract administration, negotiated design and construction services, and oversight of professional teams to uphold our district's mission. I will champion rate payers, appropriate development and work to protect and improve existing water and sewer operations.

Providing safe and reliable essential services is a 24/7 responsibility I am prepared to shoulder. I am passionate about serving this community where I have lived since 2015. I humbly ask for your vote.

### Ramesh Singh

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**Education:** Master's in science (Physics)

**Occupation:** Software Professional

**Statement:** Being a resident and customer of the Woodinville Water District for 25 years, I realize how *vital safe drinking water and reliable sewer service* are for our community to survive and thrive.

Through family and friends working for utilities, I've had the opportunity to get behind-the-scenes knowledge about utility services.

I'm committed to serving the public interest and enhancing the quality of life in our community. Using my technical and management skills from the technology industry, I will help the district develop and implement policies that ensure Woodinville customers continue to have safe, reliable, affordable, environmentally sustainable water and sewer services. *I respectfully ask for your vote.* To get involved and more details visit [www.singh4woodinville.org](http://www.singh4woodinville.org) Endorsed by: Lloyd Warren, President Sammamish Plateau Water Commissioner, Retired Bellevue Utilities Director; Nav Ota, Sammamish Plateau Water Commissioner, Retired Bellevue Utilities Director; Ryika Hooshangi, Vice-President Sammamish Plateau Water Commissioner.



## Commissioner Position No. 5

### Preeti Shridhar

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**Education:** Bachelor's, Business Administration, St. Catherine's University, St. Paul, MN; Master's, Business Administration, University of Minnesota

**Occupation:** Deputy Director. Seattle's Office of Economic Development; Administrator, Renton (former)

**Statement:** I raised my family in Woodinville since 1994, and understand it is important to have safe, clean, water and affordable rates for all. I have 30-years experience in water service, starting my career at Seattle Public Utilities. I launched the Saving Water Partnership initiative and worked with Woodinville Water District to ensure safe, clean drinking water at affordable rates for working families. As Deputy Administrator to Renton's Mayor, I negotiated contracts for the city to ensure drinking water and wastewater rates were the lowest in the region.

*As your Commissioner, I will work diligently to represent your needs and make wise fiscal decisions while the District is negotiating contracts to secure water for the next 60 years.*

Endorsements: Senator Manka Dhingra, KC Councilmember Sarah Perry, State Representative Bill Ramos, Assistant AG Sarah Reyneveld, Woodinville Fire & Rescue Commissioner Angela Barton, Woodinville Water District Commissioners, 45th. District Democrats, King County Democrats.

### Mark Roark

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**Education:** Education: Washington State University, Western Washington University

**Occupation:** Occupation: Synergy Roof Services Business Owner

**Statement:** 23-year Woodinville resident/local business owner for 15+ years, I've proudly sponsored Woodinville High School's Football and Theater programs, supporting our youth's development and community spirit.

During this time, I've closely experienced our district's evolving needs. Balancing sustainable conservation with responsible economic growth is my mission. Reflecting lessons learned through my business, I've successfully navigated these challenges while maintaining fiscal discipline and prioritizing environmentally friendly practices. My dual perspective as resident and business owner informs my approach to the Water Commissioner role, integrating insight into infrastructure, water use, and conservation. Prioritizing strategic financial decisions and thoughtful infrastructure investments, I'm committed to ensuring our Water District's viability, while respecting our environment. I advocate for greater transparency, efficiency, community involvement, and collaboration to create a water system that reflects our shared values.

I ask for and am grateful for your vote to empower a resilient, fiscally responsible, and sustainable water system for Woodinville.



Commissioner Position No. 1

Tom  
Harman

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**Education:** Bachelor of Science Construction Management

**Occupation:** Medicare Insurance Agent

**Statement:** Tom Harman and his wife Jeanne have lived on the Sammamish Plateau for over 35 years. Tom has been active in community affairs as a past board member of the Sammamish Chamber, Beaver Lake Community Club and Klahanie HOA. Tom's Business Consulting and experience as a Certified Waterworks Operator provides the leadership needed as Commissioner. *Tom has been active* with the Washington Association of Sewer and Water Districts and Evergreen Rural Water. Tom is *committed* to preserving the integrity of a well-run district while maintaining his accessibility to the community. Tom has made a *full commitment* to develop a close working relationship between the district and its customers. Tom Harman has been committed to his community and will bring that energy, professional experience and fiscal responsibility to keep the district moving in the right direction. It is important that we re-elect Tom to another six years as your Water Commissioner.



Commissioner Position No. 4

Lloyd  
Warren

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**Education:** Bachelor's, Summa Cum Laude, and Master's in Civil Engineering, University of Washington

**Occupation:** Retired as Utilities Director, City of Bellevue

**Statement:** I will continue to focus on a clean, reliable, and affordable source of drinking water and exceptional utility services for District customers. With over forty years of municipal utility experience, I have the knowledge, and leadership skills to continue to guide the District. Issues on which I will focus my energies include protecting our ground water aquifers, removing PFAS from our drinking water, implementing sound business and financial management practices, assuring that our water and sewer systems are well maintained into the future, and working closely with the Cities of Sammamish and Issaquah to assure coordinated services. As a forty-year resident of Sammamish I look forward to continuing my service to our community and the customers of the District.





Commissioner Position No. 1

**Paul  
Robinett**



No statement submitted.



## Commissioner Position No. 1

## Trudy C. Rolla

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**Education:** Bachelor of Science Environmental Health, University of Washington; Master Business Administration, University of Puget Sound.

**Occupation:** Retired (Senior Environmental Health Specialist, Seattle King County Public Health)

**Statement:** You should expect safe and reliable drinking water and sewage disposal provided in an efficient, skilled and cost-effective way. Protecting the public health and meeting the growing needs of this area are challenges for the District.

I am proud to have been able to help ensure these goals since 1996. My professional expertise helps guide the District in areas such as: Emergency Preparedness; Fats/Oils/Grease program; Community Outreach; Performance and Evaluation; Comprehensive Plans; fair wages and rate setting.

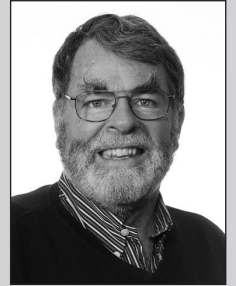
I will use my knowledge in public health and management to help NUD meet the demands of this growing community, while ensuring that you have safe drinking water and a reliable sewage system.



## Commissioner Position No. 4

## Bruce Gardiner

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**Education:** BA, Univ of Washington, JD, Univ of Puget Sound (Seattle U)

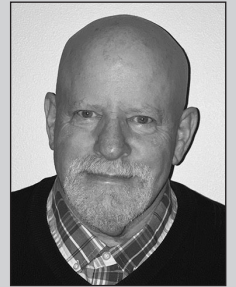
**Occupation:** Attorney; current Commissioner, Northshore Utility District

**Statement:** Northshore Utility District has five excellent commissioners who work well together to bring you safe, low-cost water. Keeping your water and sewer rates as some of the lowest in King County, we are working efficiently to maintain the utility facilities in excellent condition while having an exceptionally low employee to connections ratio. Having completed a survey of the entire district, we are on track in a comprehensive program to replace the older parts of the system to insure continuing safe and trouble-free service. With prudent financial management, we have maintained an outstanding AAA rating from Standard and Poor's.

We have made a multi-million-dollar investment to strengthen our facilities and reservoirs from earthquakes. We exercise a leading role among the north Lake Washington municipal agencies in emergency preparedness, to which I bring a 30-year military background in security. I appreciate your continued support in me by reelecting me as a Commissioner.

## Steve Hamilton

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**Education:** BS Business Management (1983), Accounting (1987), University of Montana

**Occupation:** Retired (Finance Director-Northshore Utility District), 2021

**Statement:** After serving 9 years as the Finance Director for the Northshore Utility District (NUD), and with over 35 years of total experience as a CPA in the public, corporate, governmental, and non-profit sectors, I am uniquely qualified for this position. I am a Director Emeritus at Kinderling (an organization for developmentally disabled children) and have served as volunteer Treasurer for multiple local organizations.

To protect customer interests at a business level, it is crucial to have a governing board member with financial expertise. This critical role has been missing from NUD's Board of Commissioners for many years.

My commitment to NUD's customers will be to preserve low rates, ensure clean and plentiful drinking water, provide safe sanitary sewer services, maintain strong reserves to meet the demand for growth and asset replacement, minimize operating costs, and help ratepayers become more involved with important issues at the District. I appreciate your vote.



## Commissioner Position No. 5

**Suzanne  
Greathouse**

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**Education:** BS Computer Science, MA Technical Writing**Occupation:** Owner REPSVR

**Statement:** Suzanne Greathouse, current Board President of Northshore Utility District, is a dedicated community professional who brings a vast amount of knowledge and experience to support NUD's continued ongoing mission to provide necessary services to the community in a safe, reliable, economical, and ecologically responsible manner.

Suzanne is CEO/Co-Founder of REPSVR, a virtual reality skills training platform. As a business owner, educator/trainer, executive and consultant she developed and led multi-cultural/virtual teams and managed complex business environments. She is an expert at applying industry best practices and emerging research to specific challenges, enabling and empowering success while improving performance, motivation, and job satisfaction.

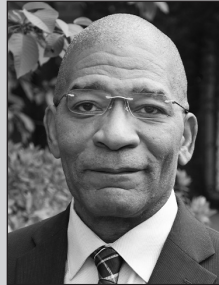
She worked for AT&T for nearly 20 years and led efforts in Construction and Engineering, Research and Development, Emergency Preparedness/ Disaster Recovery, Network Security, Network Operations, and IT Product Development/Support. In 2017, after a family tragedy, she decided to leave AT&T and focus on serving the community. Position: No. 5



## Commissioner District No. 1

## Anthony R. Berkley

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**Education:** Job Corps- St. Paul, MN GED 1988, Minneapolis Technical College- GPN 1990

**Occupation:** Licensed Practical Nurse at MCC, Small Business Owner

**Statement:** I've been a nurse for 33 years. Additionally, my wife of 29 years and I have worked side by side as owner/operators of Adult Family Homes, Nursing Personnel Service and currently a brick-and-mortar retail store. I'm proud to be an active member of my union, Teamsters 117, through my job as a nurse at Monroe Correctional Complex.

I am running because I believe bold new leadership is needed to take on the complex healthcare challenges our communities are facing. We must continue to protect a woman's right to access reproductive healthcare. We must prioritize access to behavioral health resources and address the opioid epidemic that has become far too pervasive in our community. And we must ensure people know what treatment options are available to them right here in our community.

As a nurse and union member I am proud to have the support of the healthcare workers at Valley Medical Center and their union, SEIU 1199. Far too often the expertise of those on the frontline providing our care is ignored in the decision-making process. I'll bring my years of healthcare experience and the voice of healthcare workers into the Boardroom to ensure we never lose sight of the goal—providing quality healthcare to our community.

**Endorsements:** King County Democrats, MLK Labor, MLK Working Families Party, State Senator Karen Keiser, State Senator John Lovick, SeaTac Mayor Jake Simpson, Tukwila City Councilmember Kate Kruller, Auburn City Councilmember Larry Brown, Seattle City Councilmember Teresa Mosqueda, SEIU 925, SEIU 1199, Teamsters 117, IBEW 46, 11th LD Dems, 33rd LD Dems, 41st LD Dems, and many more unions, community leaders and healthcare professionals.

## Erin Smith Aboudara

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**Education:** Graduate of Seattle Pacific University, Bachelor of Science in Nursing; Highline College; Kentridge High School

**Occupation:** Board of Commissioners (2018-present); Kent SD Staff (WEA-KAP)

**Statement:** A Strategic Alliance Agreement with UW Medicine was enacted by vote of the Board of Commissioners. This agreement has failed to create the positive impacts for Valley Medical Center which were envisioned 12 years ago. It's a 15-year initial contract which is soon up for renewal, or with changes, or we can end the partnership.

It provides scant community benefits and doesn't offer additional revenues. In fact, they're actually competing against Valley just like others in the region! *We'd rather invest in our facilities and our talented patient care professionals and providers to expand services to our patients!*

It's harder than ever to keep a provider, and even harder today to keep qualified patient caregivers such as nurses and assistants! There is a growing, culturally-diverse community in South King County who need specialized patient care more than ever, such as advanced cancer care which we've been building for on Valley's main campus, as well as the sense of community that Valley seeks to provide you and your family. We live in an increasingly competitive healthcare marketplace. The Board of Commissioners is committed to the future of healthcare access/equity in our Valley community, for our shared goals for improved health and inclusion of all whom we care!

I promise to continue this good work for the Valley community if re-elected. I appreciate you all. Staff members, I care about your wellbeing as you care for the community.

With the Board of Commissioners and Board of Trustees, we hired a new CEO, and we filibustered the vote until we were allowed by UW Medicine to hire her. I'm proud to have taken on such challenges in leadership for this hospital and it's people! They have saved my own life--twice!

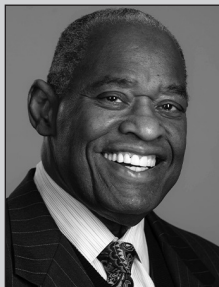
*I respectfully ask for your votes, and I am proud to serve Valley!*



## Commissioner District No. 3

### Norman Seabrooks

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**Education:** Bachelor's in History, The Citadel

**Occupation:** Retired Market President (Pacific Northwest), Aetna, Inc.

**Statement:** I retired from Aetna, Inc. after a 47-year career in the health insurance industry, beginning as a sales representative and ending my career as Market President for the Pacific Northwest market. In that role I had the responsibility for 1.2 million members accounting for billions of dollars of claim payments. I represented the employers who entrusted us with their employee health plans, and oversaw contract negotiations with hospitals, medical groups, nursing homes, rehabilitation centers etc. over 13 western states. This experience provides me with a comprehensive understanding of health care business operations.

I have been a resident of Redmond for 22 years, and have seen the region evolve, along with its needs for health care. While EvergreenHealth has grown and expanded its services to support those needs there is still more work to be done. My entire family receives care through EvergreenHealth. Since retirement I have been serving as a volunteer on EvergreenHealth's Planning Board. I know firsthand the challenges facing this extremely valuable community asset, as both a member of that board, and as a patient. I am personally invested in seeing responsible growth to support the continued growth and changing demographics.

In 2021, my alma mater, The Citadel, awarded me an honorary Doctor of Leadership and Ethics in Commerce degree, in acknowledgment of my "legacy of ethical leadership, sportsmanship, and service to his community." As your hospital commissioner on the board of EvergreenHealth, I will offer the experiences of my 47-year health insurance career, my continued commitment to responsible growth and development, recognition of the importance of effective and ethical leadership, and continued advocacy for the EvergreenHealth system and its constituents.



## Commissioner Position No. 6

## Jeffrey Cashman

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**Education:** BA Political Science, WSU; JD Seattle University Law School

**Occupation:** Investment Advisor/Retirement Plan Consultant

**Statement:** As a long time community volunteer, EvergreenHealth advocate and board member, it was an honor to be appointed to fill the open seat on the Hospital District Board of which I am now running to retain. My wife, Judy, and I have lived on English Hill for 35 years. EvergreenHealth has been our family hospital from the time our kids were young to the birth of our two grandkids. I have witnessed the important role Evergreen plays in our growing community and I am committed to its continued well-being.

Evergreen was front and center During the COVID-19 pandemic. The hard work and dedication of all—nurses, physicians, medical technicians, maintenance, and administration—as a team they worked together in the most difficult of circumstances. Our ability to survive during this crisis was a testament how leadership and front-line staff work together to meet our community needs. My commitment is to continue to foster this team-based approach to patient care, the wellbeing of our staff and transparency to our community.

In addition to my 15-years on the EvergreenHealth Foundation Board, I have served on Boards of Hopelink, Rotary, and United Way. My background in law and as successful business owner, I, most importantly, want to be of service to my community hospital. In doing so I will work collaboratively in helping steer Evergreen through whatever crisis might come our way so that we remain financially strong and continue to meet your needs.

Hospitals across the State are in difficult financial positions and Evergreen is no exception. Insurance companies and Medicare are limiting reimbursements, yet patients expect and deserve the highest level of care. It takes experience to navigate these waters and I have that experience. In my position on the Board, I work tirelessly to put the patient and our employees first.

## Amber Wise

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**Education:** Meatcutter Apprentice Program, Sno-Isle TECH Skills Center

**Occupation:** Meatcutter Apprentice, PCC - Redmond

**Statement:** Being a woman meat cutter apprentice, I'm no stranger to hard work and what it takes to break down barriers. As commissioner, I'm able to bring a fresh perspective and deep passion for positive change to healthcare by creating a system that fosters collaboration, promotes mental health and creates connections toward a stronger, healthier community.

I'm dedicated to advocating for the hardworking employees within the hospital. I know firsthand the compassionate, quality care these professionals provide. By ensuring they have a positive, empowering work environment we can attract and retain the best talent so they can continue providing exceptional and timely care to our communities.

Mental health is crucial to overall wellbeing and I understand the importance of these services. I will push to expand the mental health services provided by the hospital and ensure accessible, quality care for all. By breaking down stigmas and providing vital care to patients and their families we can create a supportive and compassionate environment for those in need.

I believe community engagement is crucial to building a stronger, more resilient healthcare system and I will work to create stronger relationships between the hospital, local organizations, residents, and healthcare providers to ensure services provided by the hospital align with the communities requirements.

I'm proud to be endorsed by the King County Democrats, the Eastside Firefighters and leaders who know me and my work like Attorney General Bob Ferguson and city council members throughout the district. Most importantly, I am proud to have earned the support of SEIU 1199NW, the Union of nurses and health care professionals at Evergreen.

I humbly ask for your vote. Together we can create a hospital that not only provides top notch healthcare, but truly reflects the values of respect, compassion, and collaboration.





## Commissioner Position No. 7

### Virgil Snyder

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**Education:** BS Mechanical Engineering, Utah State; MBA, City University; Advance Bellevue graduate; WSHA Healthcare Governance Certification

**Occupation:** Process, Systems and Computing Tools Engineer and Manager (Boeing Retired)

**Statement:** As a resident of Bothell for twenty-eight years, I have had the opportunity to serve as an EvergreenHealth Community Advisor for eighteen years and the past seven years on the EvergreenHealth Board of Commissioners (King County Public Hospital District #2). I have gained a greater understanding and appreciation of the importance of quality healthcare for our community.

EvergreenHealth has grown from a small community hospital to a regional medical center providing outstanding services to our residents. EvergreenHealth is rated one of America's 50 Best Hospitals (top 1%). This is seen throughout the continuum of patient care, services such as women's health, labor and birth, cancer care, heart care, stroke, orthopedics, pulmonary care, hospice, patient education and many more. I am focused on seeing EvergreenHealth provide a complete range of nationally recognized healthcare services for you, your family, friends, and neighbors within the EvergreenHealth community.

As a member of the board, I chair the EvergreenHealth Board of Commissioners, the Strategic Planning and Construction board committee, the Digital Health and Consumer Innovation board committee, am a member of the Board Governance committee, and serve on the Board of Directors for the Eastside Health Alliance.

As your hospital commissioner, I will continue to ensure that EvergreenHealth provides safe, high quality patient care, innovative solutions, cost-effective service, press for the continued financial health of the hospital, and the effective, efficient use of our public tax dollars. I am committed to improving communication within our community and will continue to be out in the community engaging with our residents.

Thank you for providing me with the opportunity to serve you these past seven years and would appreciate your continued support to retain me as your PHD #2 Hospital Commissioner.



## Commissioner Position No. 3

### Emma Herron

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**Education:** B.A History, University of Washington Masters in Healthcare Administration, City University

**Occupation:** Former Long Term Care Ombudsman, Family Caregiver

**Statement:** Healthy Communities, Better Outcomes.

I seek re-election to continue to build healthy community relationships across diverse communities in our Hospital District. I want to serve everyone with respect and honesty. As an Advocate I will be the Voice committed to work hard to make our community a healthy place to live and heal. A healthy community is engaged and supports environment for *All* to grow and flourish. Most community and hospitals are English only. Many don't know how to respond or perform outreach to rural areas. I will work to address cultural competency and understanding one's culture way of life, beliefs, and traditions. We need to invest in providers education and training able to serve and deliver quality health services, address complex needs, regardless of language, race, gender, and socioeconomic background. I will work to establish transparency and healthy budget for the district. I ask for your support.

### Robert Angrisano

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SVHDist4.com



**Education:** University of Oregon, Business Administration

**Occupation:** Emergency Medical Technician and EKG Technician, Swedish Hospital, Issaquah

**Statement:** I have dedicated most of my life to serving our community and helping others, as demonstrated by 33 years of service as a volunteer Firefighter/Emergency Medical Technician and through my employment at the hospital. I focus special efforts on helping our aging population, people with intellectual and developmental challenges, and physical challenges.

I spent 30 years as an executive in the high-tech industry, and 17 years as a Fire Commissioner. I have the experience and business knowledge needed to guide the hospital.

I'm in our community responding to medical emergencies and in the hospital, caring for patients, daily. I'm in constant touch with our community members and understand the challenges we all face with our healthcare system, providing me the unique opportunity to drive needed change. By electing me, you are choosing a dedicated advocate, who will work with you to improve our healthcare. "Thank you for your support!"



## Commissioner Position No. 3

## Charlie Kellogg

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**Education:** BA, Colorado College; Aquaculture program, UW School of Fisheries

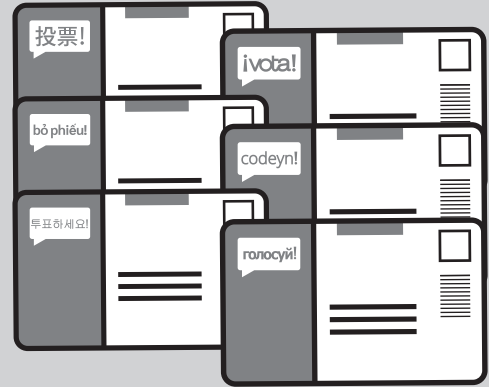
**Occupation:** Building and real estate investment; Owner, Musgrave Shellfish Company

**Statement:** Our parks are natural jewels of our community and our region. They provide important opportunities for our residents and, increasingly, for guests from outside the local area to enjoy the outdoors and rural beauty of the Snoqualmie Valley. These opportunities depend on our ability to develop, maintain and improve our parks to meet current and future needs in a fiscally responsible way.

I've been a resident of Fall City for over twenty years and a Fall City Metropolitan Parks District Commissioner for the past six; I'm familiar with the issues that affect our community and our open spaces.

As your Parks District Commissioner, I have worked creatively and efficiently to provide you with the best possible parks system. I look forward to continuing to do so.

Thank you for your vote.



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**Proposition No. 1**

# Levy Lid Lift for Expanded Aquatics, Recreation, and Parks Facilities, Operations, and Programs

The Kirkland City Council adopted Ordinance No. O-4857 concerning funding for expanded aquatics, recreation, and parks facilities, operations, and programs. This proposition funds aquatic and recreation center operations, parks maintenance, year-round restrooms, park rangers, beach lifeguards, sports courts, teen services, and green loop trail networks by increasing the City's regular property tax levy to a maximum rate of \$1.38386/\$1,000 of assessed valuation (generating approximately \$10,800,000 for these purposes) for collection in 2024. The 2024 levy amount will be the basis to calculate subsequent levies (RCW 84.55). Qualifying seniors, disabled veterans, and others would be exempt (RCW 84.36).

Should this proposition be approved:

Yes

No

*The complete text of this measure is available at the Elections Office or online at [kingcounty.gov/elections](http://kingcounty.gov/elections).*



You will be voting to  
**Yes or No**  
to approve Proposition No.1

*Requirement passage: Simple majority (RCW 84.55.050)*

## Explanatory statement

Kirkland has proposed a levy lid lift to expand aquatics, recreation, and parks facilities, operations, and programs. If approved, Kirkland's regular property tax levy would increase by approximately \$0.28054/\$1,000 of assessed valuation (AV) to a maximum total rate of \$1.38386/\$1,000 AV, generating approximately \$10,800,000 for these purposes in 2024. Ordinance O-4857 commits Kirkland to collect only what is needed for these investments. This incremental increase is ongoing after 2024 to fund the expanded parks programs and services described below.

As described in Ordinance O-4857, Kirkland would construct a new 86,000-square-foot aquatic and recreation center with warm water and lap pools, two gyms, classrooms, fitness rooms, and community spaces at Houghton Park & Ride off I-405 at NE 70<sup>th</sup> Place. Construction would be funded separately by the City. Ballot measure revenue would fund operations and programming at the center.

This measure would also provide the following enhancements and annual operations: 9 year-round restrooms; park safety and security including additional park rangers and automatic gates; new sport courts including pickleball and volleyball; expanded beach lifeguard hours; new water safety programs; Kirkland Teen Union Building services, programs, and classes; green loop trail networks; and park and recreation operations, maintenance, and improvements. These investments were selected based on community input from the PROS Plan, Parks Funding Exploratory Committee, Park Board, and Kirkland Youth Council.

The cost to a 2024 median-valued home (estimated \$1,000,000) is about \$280/year. Estimate your cost: King County Assessor's Taxpayer Transparency Tool: [www.kingcounty.gov/assessor](http://www.kingcounty.gov/assessor). Qualifying seniors, disabled veterans, and others are exempt.

### For questions about this measure, contact:

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## Statement in favor

Susan Pappalardo, Scott Morris, Jory Hamilton  
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Now is the time to answer Kirkland's need for affordable access to year-round aquatics and recreation. We've consistently funded our wonderful parks, which make Kirkland an exceptional place to live, work, and play. But we haven't kept pace with the growing demand for public swim and gym facilities.

We've outgrown our summer-only, over 50-year-old Peter Kirk Pool. The 2022 waitlist for swim lessons was 10,500; 50% of children and adults who want lessons can't get them. Drowning is a leading cause of death among America's youth and a disproportionate risk for people of color: as a waterfront city, we must expand access to essential swim lessons. Residents of all ages, abilities, and backgrounds will benefit from an indoor year-round center that offers lessons, a recreational pool, a lazy river, lap swimming, senior programs, fitness classes, two gyms, and community rooms.

Proposition 1 lets us build the center we need plus provide more year-round restrooms, expanded trails, pickleball courts, and safer parks and beaches – all top-rated by the thousands of residents surveyed for the 2022 PROS Plan.

Waiting only means higher costs. Vote "Yes" for Proposition 1, a financially and socially responsible measure, benefiting every resident for generations to come.

## Statement in opposition

Vince Campos, Ken MacKenzie, Yuri Yulaev  
www.goodkirkland.org

Kirkland needs an aquatics/rec center. This proposal is way expensive, misleading, and needs a re-do.

The City proposes a *permanent* \$10,800,000 annual levy and uses \$6,033,000 of it yearly plus financial maneuvering to borrow to build the center. The tax continues forever after the City pays off the loan. Demand a regular bond so the tax stops when the loan is paid. A more central location should be selected. The Houghton P&R location is hard to get to from Finn Hill, Juanita, and Kingsgate by car, bike and bus.

The City doesn't talk about the planned \$1,560 yearly family membership fee – on top of the \$250-\$700 annual homeowner tax increase; likely \$110-200 for apartment renters. The proposed \$108,000,000 build cost is too expensive because 86,000 square feet is larger than necessary and includes elements deemed unimportant in multiple community surveys. Sammamish's sensible 69,000 square foot center has similar aquatics and exercise features without the excess and is operated by the YMCA solely on memberships (\$1,848 for a family) at no cost to taxpayers.

Over 10 years, Kirkland's 2-year budget has nearly doubled to \$1,056,494,327 despite a mere 10% increase in population. Taxpayers deserve a break. Vote "No". Demand a re-do.

## Rebuttal of statement in opposition

The opponents want another "re-do". They said that in 2015. More waiting means higher costs and unmet needs.

Proposition 1 reflects substantial community input and professional analysis. The aquatic center is right-sized for anticipated growth. Houghton is easily accessible. Permanent financing to cover capital costs, future maintenance, and ongoing park operations is responsible and good stewardship. A public facility will discount fees for residents and all incomes. Vote Yes Now.

## Rebuttal of statement in favor

Proposition 1 says that taxpayers (homeowners and renters) pay to build the center, operate it, and membership to use it. An aquatics center where membership fees pay all operating costs will be more equitable and self-sustaining.

The proposition's explanation is intended to distract. A tiny amount is for parks: only 3 new restrooms, 3 sports courts, 1 new park ranger, and perhaps 1 hour more hour/day for lifeguards, and almost nothing for water safety programs.

**Proposition No. 1**

# Property Tax Levy for Fire Protection and Emergency Medical Services

The Board of King County Fire Protection District No. 27 adopted Resolution No. 2023-2 concerning a proposition to maintain and adequately fund District operations.

This proposition would authorize the District to establish its 2023 property tax levy at \$1.50 per \$1,000.00 of assessed valuation with annual adjustments for the five succeeding years based on the greater of three percent or the annual CPI-U for Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue as reported in June each year subject to statutory limits. The maximum allowable levy in the final year shall serve as the base for subsequent levy limitations.

Should this proposition be:

Approved

Rejected

*The complete text of this measure is available at the Elections Office or online at [kingcounty.gov/elections](https://kingcounty.gov/elections).*



You will be voting to  
**Approve or Reject**  
Proposition No.1

*Requirement passage: Simple majority (RCW 84.55.050)*

## Explanatory statement

King County Fire Protection District No. 27 provides emergency fire protection, rescue and emergency medical services to its community.

The maximum regular levy rate for Washington fire districts is \$1.50 per \$1,000 of assessed value. Due to the statutory 1% limitation on property tax increases, the Fire District's current levy rate includes a regular property tax levy of approximately \$.78 per thousand of assessed valuation and a maintenance and operations excess levy of approximately \$.31.

If approved by the voters, this proposition will authorize the District to establish its regular property tax levy rate at \$1.50 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation in 2023 for collection in 2024. The proposition will also allow the District to keep pace with inflation by establishing an annual growth factor based on the greater of 3% or the annual consumer price index identified in the Board's Resolution. At the end of the six-year period, absent further voter approval, the District tax levy rate will be subject to statutory limitations.

If this proposition is approved by the voters, the Board will not levy the final year of the approximately \$.31 per thousand of assessed valuation maintenance and operations levy.

The Board of Commissioners has determined that the tax levy and the revenue it will produce is necessary to maintain the current level of services, fire fighter staffing, equipment and facilities and to purchase updated apparatus to continue to improve services for the protection of life and property in the growing District and to enhance public safety.

### For questions about this measure, contact:

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## Statement in favor

Chris Connor, Kevin Hauglie  
kj7ww@hotmail.com

Our Fire Department has consistently demonstrated responsible management of the resources we have entrusted to them. Our Fire Department currently funds daily operations and most capital replacement needs through a combined levy that pays for staffing, repairing and replacing equipment. In 2022 our department responded to 1,009 calls of which 700 were emergency medical calls. Our staffing needs and labor cost have increased, the number of emergency responses, and the cost of goods, services, and equipment continue to rise.

Our Fire Departments last regular levy lid request was in 2004, this levy has eroded down to \$0.776 per \$1,000/AV., an additional \$0.313 per \$1,000/AV is collected from a Maintenance and Operations levy which would not be collected in 2024, reducing the net increase of tax revenue.

This multiple year levy request would increase the combined levy rate from \$1.09/\$1,000 AV to \$1.50/\$1,000 AV in 2024, and would then include an inflationary factor of the greater of 3% or the increase of our local CPI index in each of the subsequent five years. This levy request will cost the average taxpayer approximately \$16.26 per month. More information [www.king27fire.com](http://www.king27fire.com)

Please join us as we support Our Fire Department with a Yes vote!

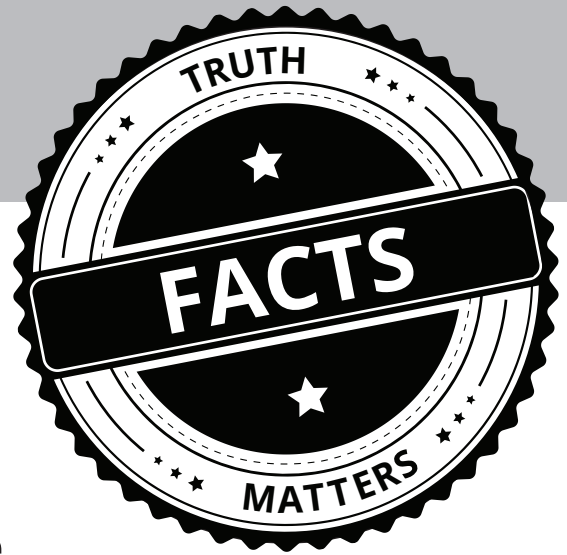
## Statement in opposition

No statement submitted.

Statements in favor of and in opposition to a ballot measure are submitted by committees appointed by the jurisdiction. No persons came forward to serve on the committee and to write a statement in opposition. If you would like to be involved with a committee in the future please contact the jurisdiction.



# Truth matters



Between partisan arguments and misinformation, sometimes the path to the truth is unclear. Here are some tips for finding your way to the facts:



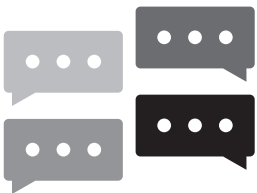
## Question the source.

Whether you see something confusing online or hear it from a friend, family member, or colleague, take a moment to find out where the information came from. Learning whether the source is known and trusted can help you figure out whether the information is true.



## Think critically.

It can be helpful (especially when we feel strongly about something) to take a moment and apply curiosity to the situation. Pause to consider a few simple questions: Who is sharing this information? Why? When was it originally published? What else might be helpful for me to know?



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