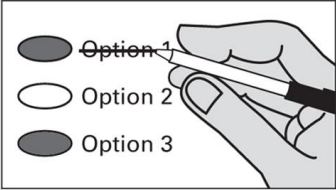


Sample Ballot Instructions

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Marking Your Ballot
Use a dark pen. Vote for one. If you vote for more than one, that race or measure will not count. To vote for a candidate not on the ballot, print the name on the blank line and fill in the oval to the left.



Making A Correction
Draw a line through the entire candidate's name or response. To vote for another candidate or response, fill in the oval to the left of your new selection.

Additional Information
Sign and date the voter's declaration on the return envelope.
For a replacement ballot, or to update your address, contact the Thurston County Auditor's Office at 360.786.5408 or elections@co.thurston.wa.us.
Return your ballot in a ballot drop box no later than 8:00 p.m. Election Day, or by mail (postmarked on or before Election Day).
For a list of the people and organizations that donated to state and local candidates and ballot measure campaigns, visit www.pdc.wa.gov.

For information about the location, hours, and services of the voting center; ballot drop boxes; and availability of accessible voting equipment and locations, call the Thurston County Auditor's Office at 360.786.5408 (or 711 Washington Relay) or visit ThurstonWAVotes.gov.

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

Note: Not all of these candidates and measures will appear on your regular ballot. Your ballot will only contain the races and measures for which you are eligible to vote. Be sure to follow all instructions on your ballot.

Proposed Constitutional Amendment

Senate Joint Resolution No. 8201

The legislature has proposed a constitutional amendment on allowing money in Washington’s long-term care fund to be invested. This amendment would allow the state fund dedicated to providing long-term care benefits for eligible seniors and people with disabilities to be invested as authorized by law.

Should this constitutional amendment be:

- ☐ Approved
- ☐ Rejected

Port of Olympia
Nonpartisan Offices

Commissioner, District No. 2
Four Year Term

Vote for One

- ☐ Jerry Toompas
- ☐ Bob Iyall
- ☐ _____

Commissioner, District No. 3
Four Year Term

Vote for One

- ☐ Krag Unsoeld
- ☐ Anthony Hemstad
- ☐ _____

Commissioner, District No. 4
Four Year Term

Vote for One

- ☐ Joel Hansen
- ☐ _____

Town of Bucoda
Nonpartisan Offices

Mayor
Short + Four Year Term

Vote for One

- ☐ Callie Carpenter
- ☐ _____

Town Council, Position No. 1
Two Year Unexpired Term

Vote for One

- ☐ Laura Wilson
- ☐ _____

City of Lacey
Nonpartisan Offices

City Council, Position No. 4
Four Year Term

Vote for One

- ☐ Charles Beck
- ☐ Maren Turner
- ☐ _____

City of Lacey Cont.
Nonpartisan Offices

City Council, Position No. 5
Four Year Term

Vote for One

- ☐ Andy Ryder
- ☐ _____

City Council, Position No. 6
Four Year Term

Vote for One

- ☐ Evette Temple
- ☐ Ryan Siu
- ☐ _____

City Council, Position No. 7
Four Year Term

Vote for One

- ☐ Carolyn H. Cox
- ☐ Michael Ron Steadman
- ☐ _____

City of Olympia
Nonpartisan Offices

City Council, Position No. 4
Four Year Term

Vote for One

- ☐ Clark Gilman
- ☐ Wendy Carlson
- ☐ _____

City Council, Position No. 5
Short + Four Year Term

Vote for One

- ☐ Kelly Green
- ☐ _____

City Council, Position No. 6
Short + Four Year Term

Vote for One

- ☐ Robert Vanderpool
- ☐ Justin Stang
- ☐ _____

City Council, Position No. 7
Four Year Term

Vote for One

- ☐ Paul Berendt
- ☐ Caleb Gieger
- ☐ _____

Municipal Court Judge, Position No. 1
Short + Four Year Term

Vote for One

- ☐ Pamella Nogueira
- ☐ _____

City of Rainier
Nonpartisan Offices

Mayor
Four Year Term

Vote for One

- ☐ Bob Shaw
- ☐ _____

City Council, Position No. 1
Four Year Term

Vote for One

- ☐ Amy N. Baker
- ☐ _____

City Council, Position No. 3
Four Year Term

Vote for One

- ☐ Tom Arnbrister
- ☐ Bill Koutrouba
- ☐ _____

City Council, Position No. 5
Four Year Term

Vote for One

- ☐ Dennis C. McVey
- ☐ _____

City of Tenino
Nonpartisan Offices

City Council, Position No. 1
Four Year Term

Vote for One

- ☐ Linda Gotovac
- ☐ _____

City Council, Position No. 3
Four Year Term

Vote for One

- ☐ Adam Carney
- ☐ _____

City Council, Position No. 4
Four Year Term

Vote for One

- ☐ Tianne Curtiss
- ☐ _____

City of Tumwater
Nonpartisan Offices

Mayor
Four Year Term

Vote for One

- ☐ Leatta Dahlhoff
- ☐ Lance Brender
- ☐ _____

City of Tumwater Cont.
Nonpartisan Offices

City Council, Position No. 4
Four Year Term

Vote for One

- ☐ Eileen Swarthout
- ☐ _____

City Council, Position No. 5
Four Year Term

Vote for One

- ☐ Rachelle Martin
- ☐ Meghan Sullivan
- ☐ _____

City Council, Position No. 6
Four Year Term

Vote for One

- ☐ Peter Agabi
- ☐ _____

City of Yelm
Nonpartisan Offices

Mayor
Four Year Term

Vote for One

- ☐ Joe DePinto
- ☐ JW Foster
- ☐ _____

City Council, Position No. 3
Four Year Term

Vote for One

- ☐ Joshua Crossman
- ☐ Griselda Arias
- ☐ _____

City Council, Position No. 4
Short + Four Year Term

Vote for One

- ☐ Stephanie Kangiser
- ☐ _____

City Council, Position No. 5
Four Year Term

Vote for One

- ☐ Brian G. Hess
- ☐ Kayla Russell
- ☐ _____

City Council, Position No. 6
Two Year Unexpired Term

Vote for One

- ☐ David Johnstone
- ☐ Nicole Sims
- ☐ _____

**City of Yelm Cont.
Nonpartisan Offices**

City Council, Position No. 7
Four Year Term **Vote for One**

○ Terry Kaminski

○ _____

Centralia School District No. 401-L
Nonpartisan Offices

School Board Director, Position No. 1
Four Year Term **Vote for One**

○ Deb Parnham

○ _____

School Board Director, Position No. 3
Two Year Unexpired Term **Vote for One**

○ Lisa A Leon

○ Cameron McGee

○ _____

School Board Director, Position No. 5
Four Year Term **Vote for One**

☐ Tim Browning

☐ _____

Griffin School District No. 324
Nonpartisan Offices

School Board Director, Position No. 4	
Four Year Term	Vote for One

☐ Julie Osterberg

☐ _____

School Board Director, Position No. 5
Four Year Term **Vote for One**

☐ Trish Gregory

☐ _____

North Thurston Public Schools Nonpartisan Offices

School Board Director, District No. 2	
Four Year Term	Vote for One

○ Jeremy Ryan

○ Tim Bullus

○ _____

School Board Director, District No. 3
Four Year Term **Vote for One**

☐ Sarah Tracy

☐ Loretta Byrnes

☐

Olympia School District No. 111 Nonpartisan Offices
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School Board Director, District No. 3	
Four Year Term	Vote for One

☐ Renee Fullerton

☐ Rhyan Smith

☐ _____

School Board Director, District No. 5
Four Year Term **Vote for One**

☐ Gilbert Lamont
☐ Emily Leddige
☐ _____

Rainier School District No. 307 Nonpartisan Offices

School Board Director, District No. 4
Four Year Term **Vote for One**

☐ Edgar Ooms

☐ _____

School Board Director, District No. 5
Four Year Term **Vote for One**

☐ Rebecca Stillings

☐ _____

Rochester School District No. 401
Nonpartisan Offices

School Board Director, District No. 1
Four Year Term **Vote for One**

☐ Francisco J. Villanueva A

☐ _____

School Board Director, District No. 5
Four Year Term **Vote for One**

☐ Heather Harris

☐ _____

Tenino School District No. 402
Nonpartisan Office

School Board Director, District No. 5
Four Year Term **Vote for One**

☐ Chato Salisbury

☐

Tumwater School District No. 033
Nonpartisan Offices

School Board Director, District No. 1	
Four Year Term	Vote for One

☐ Julie Watts

☐ Sarah Overbay

☐ _____

**Tumwater School District No. 033 Cont.
Nonpartisan Offices**

**School Board Director, District No. 3
Two Year Unexpired Term** **Vote for One**

- ☐ Ty Kuehl
- ☐ Daniel Mies
- ☐ -----

**School Board Director, District No. 4
Four Year Term** **Vote for One**

- ☐ Melissa Determan Beard
- ☐ Aimee Staudt
- ☐ -----

**School Board Director, District No. 5
Four Year Term** **Vote for One**

- ☐ Rob Warner
- ☐ Mike McGowan
- ☐ -----

**Yelm Community Schools
Nonpartisan Offices**

**School Board Director, District No. 1
Four Year Term** **Vote for One**

- ☐ Frank King
- ☐ Ray Duncan
- ☐ -----

**School Board Director, District No. 4
Four Year Term** **Vote for One**

- ☐ Ryan Jewell
- ☐ Debbie Edwards
- ☐ -----

**Fire Protection District No. 03 (Lacey)
Nonpartisan Offices**

**Commissioner, Position No. 2
Six Year Term** **Vote for One**

- ☐ Sylvia Sonne Roberts
- ☐ -----

**Commissioner, Position No. 5
Six Year Term** **Vote for One**

- ☐ Melissa Gamble
- ☐ -----

**Fire Protection District No. 6 (East Olympia)
Nonpartisan Office**

**Commissioner, Position No. 1
Six Year Term** **Vote for One**

- ☐ Kevin A. Pierce
- ☐ -----

**Fire Protection District No. 08 (South Bay)
Nonpartisan Offices**

**Commissioner, Position No. 3
Six Year Term** **Vote for One**

- ☐ Douglas Kilpatrick
- ☐ -----

**Commissioner, Position No. 4
Six Year Term** **Vote for One**

- ☐ Pamela L. Long
- ☐ -----

**Fire Protection District No. 9 (McLane Black Lake)
Nonpartisan Office**

**Commissioner, Position No. 1
Six Year Term** **Vote for One**

- ☐ Dale M. Putnam
- ☐ -----

**Fire Protection District 12
Nonpartisan Offices**

**Commissioner, Position No. 2
Six Year Term** **Vote for One**

- ☐ Cary Williams
- ☐ -----

**Commissioner, Position No. 5
Six Year Term** **Vote for One**

- ☐ Eric Klein
- ☐ -----

**Fire Protection District No. 13 (Griffin)
Nonpartisan Office**

**Commissioner, Position No. 2
Six Year Term** **Vote for One**

- ☐ Meredith Hutchins
- ☐ -----

**Fire Protection District No. 17 (Bald Hills)
Nonpartisan Office**

**Commissioner, Position No. 3
Six Year Term** **Vote for One**

- ☐ Diana Anaya-McMaster
- ☐ -----

**SE Thurston Fire Authority
Nonpartisan Offices**

**Sub Region 1 Commissioner, Position No. 1
Six Year Term** **Vote for One**

- ☐ Jonathan A. Sprouffske
- ☐ -----

**SE Thurston Fire Authority Cont.
Nonpartisan Offices**

**Sub Region 2 Commissioner, Position No. 1
Six Year Term** **Vote for One**

- ☐ Stewart Kunkel
- ☐ _____

**West Thurston Regional Fire Authority (Rochester)
Nonpartisan Offices**

**Commissioner, Position No. 2
Two Year Unexpired Term** **Vote for One**

- ☐ Chris White
- ☐ Vernon Merryman
- ☐ _____

**Commissioner, Position No. 3
Short + Six Year Term** **Vote for One**

- ☐ Robert W. Scott
- ☐ _____

**West Thurston Regional Fire Authority (Littlerock)
Nonpartisan Office**

**Commissioner, Position No. 1
Six Year Term** **Vote for One**

- ☐ Thomas Culleton
- ☐ _____

**Tanglewilde Parks & Recreation District No. 1
Nonpartisan Offices**

**Commissioner, Position No. 1
Short + Four Year Term** **Vote for One**

- ☐ Tony Barrett
- ☐ _____

**Commissioner, Position No. 2
Short + Four Year Term** **Vote for One**

- ☐ Brandyn Lindsey
- ☐ _____

**Commissioner, Position No. 3
Two Year Unexpired Term** **Vote for One**

- ☐ Steve Pogue
- ☐ Jerome Cruz
- ☐ _____

**Commissioner, Position No. 4
Two Year Unexpired Term** **Vote for One**

- ☐ Michael J. Murphy
- ☐ _____

**Tanglewilde Parks & Recreation District No. 1
Cont.
Nonpartisan Offices**

**Commissioner, Position No. 5
Four Year Term** **Vote for One**

- ☐ Alexis Wallace
- ☐ _____

**Cemetery District No. 1 (Grand Mound)
Nonpartisan Office**

**Commissioner, Position No. 1
Six Year Term** **Vote for One**

- ☐ Pete Duranceau
- ☐ _____

**Cemetery District No. 2 (Yelm)
Nonpartisan Offices**

**Commissioner, Position No. 1
Short + Six Year Term** **Vote for One**

- ☐ Tracie Choate
- ☐ _____

**Commissioner, Position No. 2
Two Year Unexpired Term** **Vote for One**

- ☐ Lisa Declercque
- ☐ Jesse Kellems
- ☐ Angela Taylor
- ☐ _____

**Commissioner, Position No. 3
Four Year Unexpired Term** **Vote for One**

- ☐ Kim Harmon
- ☐ _____

Local Measures
City of Olympia
Proposition No. 1
Citizen Initiative – Fair Wages, Fair Schedules

The Olympia City Council passed Resolution No. M-2633 concerning an initiative to the voters.

Shall the Olympia Municipal Code be amended to add a new chapter titled an “Ordinance Concerning Labor Standards for Certain Employees” to establish labor standards for work scheduling, a minimum wage, a safe workplace environment, and other labor regulations.

Should this initiative ordinance be approved?

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

Local Measures Cont.

Yelm Community Schools
Proposition No. 1
Replacement Educational Programs and
Operations Levy

The Board of Directors of Yelm Community Schools adopted Resolution No. 09-24-25, authorizing a replacement levy to continue support for educational programs. This proposition would authorize the District to levy the following excess taxes, replacing an expired levy, on taxable property within the District, for essential educational programs, extracurricular activities, and operations (including, but not limited to, teachers, arts, nurses, counselors, classified staff, paraeducators, safety, graduation readiness, technology, athletics, facilities, curriculum, training):

Collection Year	Estimated Levy Rate/\$1,000 Assessed Value	Maximum Levy Amount
2026	\$1.30	\$8,955,000
2027	\$1.30	\$9,495,000

all as provided in Resolution No. 09-24-25.

Should this proposition be approved?

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

Thurston County Fire Protection District 12
Proposition No. 1
Authorizing Restoration of Previous Property Tax
Levy

The Board of Fire Commissioners of Thurston County Fire Protection District #12 adopted Resolution No. 2025-01 concerning a proposition to restore the District’s regular property tax levy. This proposition would restore the regular property tax levy to an amount not to exceed \$1.50 per \$1,000 assessed valuation and set the limit factor for calculating levy rates in 2026 through 2031 at 106% (but not to exceed a rate of \$1.50).

Revenues would fund fire protection, prevention, and emergency medical services, including maintenance, operation and replacement costs. The maximum permitted levy amount for 2031 would become the base for computing levy limits after this measure’s expiration.

Should this proposition be:

- ☐ Approved
- ☐ Rejected

Local Measures Cont.

Thurston County Fire Protection District No. 17
(Bald Hills)
Proposition No. 1
Levy Lid Lift

The Board of Fire Commissioners of Thurston County Fire Protection District #17 adopted Resolution No. 25-07-01 concerning a proposition relating to the District’s regular property tax levy. The proposition would keep the District’s regular property tax levy for maintenance and operations in an amount not to exceed \$1.50 per \$1,000 assessed valuation for collection in 2026 and authorize setting the limit factor at 106% (not to exceed \$1.50 per \$1,000), for each of the five succeeding years; the 2031 levy limit will be used to calculate subsequent levy limits. The funds will improve fire protection and medical services, replace equipment and provide for firefighter safety.

Should this proposition be:

- ☐ Approved
- ☐ Rejected