### Ballot Content

**Election : 11/07/2023 - Special Election**

#### City Offices

City of Eugene Ward 7  
City of Eugene Councilor Ward 7  
Vote for 1  
1 Year Term - Unexpired Term  
Lyndsie Leech  
Barbie Walker  
Number Candidates Filed: 2  
Contest Total: 1

#### District Offices

Proposed Pleasant Hill Goshen RFPD  
Director  
Vote for 5  
To Be Determined  
Kevin Flory  
Paul Filson  
Todd A Anderson  
Rose M Reinertson  
Matt Brown  
William A Bronson  
Tom McClellan  
Terry McDiarmid  
Number Candidates Filed: 8  
Contest Total: 1

#### Siuslaw School District #97J

Measure No: 20-348  
Caption: Renewal of Five-Year Local Option Levy for School Operations  
Question: Shall the District renew its $0.75 per $1,000 of assessed value to support operations for five years beginning 2024-2025? This measure renews current local option taxes.  
Summary: In November 2017, voters approved a local option levy at $0.75 per $1,000 of assessed value to support the Siuslaw School District 97J. This measure would renew the levy expiring June 2024 for five years at the same rate approved by voters in 2017.

The Siuslaw School District 97J will use the revenue to maintain stability of our current programs through 2028-2029; provide learning resources for students utilizing technology and online learning. The ability to continue offering reduced classroom sizes, vocational classes, fine arts, music programs and physical education. The levy has provided approximately 8.5% of the School District's annual operations since 2009.

This measure authorizes the District to levy property tax at a rate of $0.75 per thousand dollars of assessed value each year commencing July 1, 2024 for five consecutive years. The estimated revenue from the levy would $1,614,014 in fiscal year 2024-2025, $1,662,434 in fiscal year 2025-2026, $1,712,307 in fiscal year 2026-2027, $1,763,676 in fiscal year 2027-2028, and $1,816,587 in fiscal year 2028-2029, for a total of $8,569,018.

The estimated tax of a median assessed home valued at $216,863 would be $13.55 per month or $162.64 per year.

The estimated tax cost for this measure is an ESTIMATE ONLY based on the best information available from the county assessor at the time of estimate and may reflect the impact of early payment discounts, compression and the collection rate.

Contest Total: 1
Goshen RFPD

Measure No: 20-345

Caption: Dissolution of Goshen Rural Fire Protection District

Question: Shall the Goshen Rural Fire Protection District be dissolved, contingent on formation of a new district?

Summary: Measure would dissolve Goshen Rural Fire Protection District and eliminate Goshen Rural Fire Protection District’s permanent tax rate.

Measure would take effect only if two separate measures for Dissolution of Pleasant Hill Fire District and for Formation of Pleasant Hill Goshen Rural Fire Protection District are approved by voters. These districts consolidated operations under the entity of Pleasant Hill Goshen Fire & Rescue, but it is not permanent or tax funded. The proposed new district follows existing Goshen and Pleasant Hill Fire Districts and encompasses the unprotected area at the perimeter between Goshen and the City of Eugene and unprotected properties in Pleasant Hill. The election shall include both Districts and the unprotected area specified. Formation of the Pleasant Hill Goshen Rural Fire Protection District will include a permanent tax rate of $2.20 per $1,000 of assessed value.

All assets and liabilities of Goshen Rural Fire Protection District would transfer to Pleasant Hill Goshen Fire District. The plan of dissolution is available for examination at the County Clerk’s office.

Contest Total: 1

Pleasant Hill RFPD

Measure No: 20-344

Caption: Dissolution of Pleasant Hill Rural Fire Protection District

Question: Shall the Pleasant Hill Rural Fire Protection District be dissolved, contingent on formation of a new district?

Summary: Measure would dissolve Pleasant Hill Rural Fire Protection District and eliminate Pleasant Hill Rural Fire Protection District’s permanent tax rate.

Measure would take effect only if two separate measures for Dissolution of Goshen Fire District and for Formation of Pleasant Hill Goshen Rural Fire Protection District are approved by voters. These districts consolidated operations under the entity of Pleasant Hill Goshen Fire & Rescue, but it is not permanent or tax funded. The proposed new district follows existing Goshen and Pleasant Hill Fire Districts and encompasses the unprotected area at the perimeter between Goshen and the City of Eugene and unprotected properties in Pleasant Hill. The election shall include both Districts and the unprotected area specified. Formation of the Pleasant Hill Goshen Rural Fire Protection District will include a permanent tax rate of $2.20 per $1,000 of assessed value.

All assets and liabilities of Pleasant Hill Rural Fire Protection District would transfer to Pleasant Hill Goshen Fire District. The plan of dissolution is available for examination at the County Clerk’s office.

Contest Total: 1
River Road Park & Recreation District

Measure No: 20-346

Caption: Five-year renewal of local option tax to maintain general operations.

Question: “Shall the District renew a tax of $0.47 per $1000.00 of assessed value for operations for five years beginning 2024-2025?” This measure renews current local option taxes.

Summary: River Road Park & Recreation District would use the tax revenue from this measure to maintain current programming and staff levels. In 2008, the City of Eugene eliminated all reimbursement revenues of annexed properties. In addition, collected tax revenue has also declined while utilities and other expenses have continued to increase. Without additional tax revenue, the District would be forced to reduce and/or eliminate program offerings, reduce operating hours, reduced maintenance of the park and eliminate both part-time and full-time staff. The local option tax would be $0.47 per $1,000 of assessed property value per year. Based on the average current assessed value of a home of $188,000, a homeowner would pay approximately $7.36 per month for the first year of the levy and approximately $8.28 per month for the final year of the levy. The proposed rate would raise approximately $284,048 in 2024-2025, $292,569 in 2025-2026, $301,347 in 2026-2027, $310,387 in 2027-2028, and $319,699 in 2028-2029 for a total of $1,508,050 over five (5) years. The estimated tax cost for this measure is an ESTIMATE ONLY based on the best information available from the county assessor at the time of estimate and may reflect the impact of early payment discounts, compression and the collection rate.

Contest Total: 1

Proposed Pleasant Hill Goshen RFPD

Measure No: 20-347

Caption: Pleasant Hill Goshen Fire Protection District Formation with permanent tax

Question: Form Pleasant Hill Goshen Rural Fire Protection District, with a permanent tax rate of $2.20/$1,000 assessed value, beginning FY 2024/2025?

Summary: The Pleasant Hill Rural Fire Protection District formed in 1969 and the Goshen Rural Fire Protection formed in 1962. These adjacent districts provide fire protection and emergency medical services to residents within established district boundaries. These districts consolidated operations under the entity of Pleasant Hill Goshen Fire & Rescue, but it is not permanent or tax funded. The proposed district follows existing Goshen and Pleasant Hill Fire Districts and encompasses the unprotected area at the perimeter between Goshen and the City of Eugene. The election shall include both districts and the unprotected area specified.

Formation of the Pleasant Hill Goshen Rural Fire Protection District with a permanent tax rate of $2.20 per $1,000 of assessed value will allow for the new district to directly address the operational challenges that impact resident safety it has identified. If approved, the dissolution of the two separate fire districts can proceed. The formation of the proposed fire district cannot occur without approval of those dissolutions on the ballot. At this election, the proposed district’s board shall be voted on.

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