



Clackamas County Republican Party August Newsletter

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August Update

As we return to normal and get back to our lives of getting out and seeing our family friends. We are thankful the restrictions are gone so we can get back to meeting in person to plan how to help support our neighbors, our communities, our cities and our State. Many events are starting to happen again and we need to get out and talk with everyone about how to get back involved and engaged.

For continued information on how to ensure our children get back to learning in the classroom, visit the [Oregon Moms Union](#).

Check out their new [Ad](#) in support of our children.

Beliefs of the Clackamas County Republican Party

We BELIEVE the strength of our nation lies with the individual and that each person's dignity, freedom, ability and responsibility must be honored.

We BELIEVE in equal rights, equal justice and equal opportunity for all, regardless of race, creed, sex, age or disability.

We BELIEVE free enterprise and encouraging individual initiative have brought this nation opportunity, economic growth and prosperity.

We BELIEVE government must practice fiscal responsibility and allow individuals to keep more of the money they earn.

We BELIEVE the proper role of government is to provide for the people only those critical functions that cannot be performed by individuals or private organizations and that the best government is that which governs least.

We BELIEVE the most effective, responsible and responsive government is government closest to the people.

FINALLY, We believe the Republican Party is the best vehicle for translating these ideals into positive and successful principles of government.

August 17-21st Clackamas County Fair

The Clackamas County Republicans will have a booth at the Fair in Canby. Please stop by and say Hi. To find out more or to volunteer please contact our office at 503-303-7312. We look forward to seeing everyone to experience the fun and Summer joy that only a County Fair can bring. Many Candidates and Elected Officials will be at the booth all week. Pictured below is Chair Tootie Smith.



Protecting our History

Please check out the recent story about Sandy wanting to move statutes to the town to honor them and help others learn about them. [Story](#)



Petitions to Sign

There are Petitions to sign at the office to protect your 2nd Amendment Rights and to help ensure our voting rolls are accurate.



County Fair Booth in Canby

Clackamas County
Republicans,
helping to engage the
public in the process.



Voter Registration Drive

We would like to have everyone engaged in the political process. We want to make sure you have all the information before you make your decision.

We want you to ask yourself a couple key questions. "Do you feel heard by your elected officials" "Do you feel that you can easily get a hold of them when you have a question or concern" "Do you feel your community is being well represented"

"Do you feel your tax dollars are being spent wisely" "Do you feel frustrated by the process" The Clackamas County Party wants to hear from you.

We are here to answer questions and give information. We want to empower you, your families and your community to decide what is best for you. We believe in the power of the people.

Please consider joining us. For more information about the Party, view our resources on this website or call our office at 503-303-7312.

Precinct Committee Persons

Precinct Committee Persons "put a face" on the Republican Party in their neighborhoods and community help elect local Party leaders and set the agenda for the Republican Party in their county.

To become one today click the [Link](#)

Clackamas County Republican Office

The County Party Office is open for business to support our elected officials and provide information to all who seek it about what your government is doing.

Monday, Wednesday, Friday
10pm - 2pm

We will have merchandise to sell including hats, beanies and long sleeve shirts. Swing by the office and pickup up before they are gone. Photos of items on page 1. We will have Volunteers to help you with questions.

Please call us with any questions
503-303-7312

Elected Officials

State Senator [Fred Girod](#) (District 9)

Senate Minority Leader

State Senator [Kim Thatcher](#) (District 13)

State Senator [Bill Kenemer](#)

(District 20)

State Senator [Chuck Thomsen](#)

(District 26)

State Representative [Rick Lewis](#)

(District 18)

State Representative - [Christine Drazan](#)

House Minority Leader

(District 39)

Clackamas County Commission Chair

[Tootie Smith](#)

County Commissioner

[Paul Savas](#)

County Commissioner

[Mark Shull](#)

How to get involved with Clackamas County

The Party has launched a new endeavor to get more County Residents engaged with their County Elected Officials

Please think about applying to serve on one of the many advisory boards and commissions that

communicate directly with the Board of Commissioners.

These boards are vital to providing insight and perspective about how to improve our County.

Visit this link for more information on how to apply.

[Clackamas County](#)

2022 Primary Election Information

As we enter the heart of Summer, we are reminded that the 2022 election cycle is fast approaching. There have been many candidates announcing for offices across our State. The filing period opens in early September. We will update our website with a list of candidates once the period opens. We would like to encourage all residents to gather information and meet as many candidates as you can to find the one that best represents your values. Also remember that Oregon has gain an additional seat in Congress. We are unsure where this new district will be located but we will update as soon as we know. The legislature has until September 27th to redraw all of the State Representative and State Senate Districts.

Oregon Republican Party Platform Convention October 1 and 2nd

Delegates from across the State will meet to discuss, debate and adopt the Oregon Republican Party Platform for 2021-2022

Connect with your Clackamas County Commissioners

Please reach out and connect with our County Commissioners. They need to hear from the people on important issues. Planning and Zoning, Public Health and Economic Development. The Commissioners hold policy sessions every Tuesday and Public Board meetings on Thursdays. Click [Here](#) to visit their page and [Submit](#)

[Testimony](#).