



# Clackamas County Republican Party November Newsletter

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## Clackamas County Republican Party (CCRP)

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10pm - 2pm

### November Update

*Fresh off a successful fundraising event, now we need to turn our attention to training and continued work on voter registration. The Party will be hosting training for candidates and volunteers in the next few months to make sure all are prepared for the 2022 primaries. If you want to get engaged in this effort please contact the party office. We would love to hear from you. Thank you to all of the candidates that have already stepped up.*

The Oregon Mom's Union continues to fight to make a difference to make sure our children get the education they need. For more information visit [Oregon Moms Union](#).

### 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.

### CCRP Fall Gala Recap

*Keynote Former Congressman  
Greg Walden*

We wanted to extend our sincere thanks to each and every single one of our guests, PCPs and volunteers that made the event truly special. We extend our heartfelt thanks to Fmr. Congressman Walden for speaking to us and helping to engage the attendees to stand up and let their voices be heard in Salem and in Washington DC. It was the most successful auction that the Party has had. We feel truly blessed by the outpouring of support.

Thank You

#### CCRP Info Outreach Plan

We as Republicans need to share information with the voters about issues important to them. Click here for a 1 page flyer on issues important to our County [CCRP Issues](#)

#### UPDATED CCRP Bylaws

The amended bylaws for the CCRP have been updated on the website and can also be accessed here. [CCRP Amended Bylaws](#)

### Redistricting Update

There have been 2 separate court challenges to the Congressional maps that were approved by the legislature and signed by the Governor last month. Until these challenges are heard and adjudicated, people seeking office to Congress, State House and State Senate will be unable to file. We will keep you informed on the latest information via our website.

**SAVE the DATE**  
**February 12, 2022**  
**Lincoln Day Gala**

**How to get involved with Clackamas County**

We would like to encourage all of our residents to get involved with the County by serving on an Advisory Board or Commission. 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](#)

**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.

**Thank you to Senator Girod for your Leadership**

Last week State Senator Fred Girod (District 9) stepped down from being the Senate Republican Leader. We extend our sincere thanks for his leadership of the last year and wish him well as he continues to serve District 9. The Senate Republicans elected Tim Knopp as the new leader. We look forward to working with him as we move forward.

**Oregon Republican Party Platform is Updated**

Thank you to our delegates and Alternates that attended the convention. It was great to see you get involved and share your perspectives and values to make the platform better. Linked is the update Party Platform.

[Oregon Republican Party Platform](#)

Name of Elected Official	Title	District
<a href="#">Fred Girod</a>	State Senator	9
<a href="#">Kim Thatcher</a>	State Senator	13
<a href="#">Bill Kenemer</a>	State Senator	20
<a href="#">Chuck Thomsen</a>	State Senator	26
<a href="#">Christine Drazan</a>	State Representative	39 (House Republican Leader)
<a href="#">Rick Lewis</a>	State Representative	18
<a href="#">Tootie Smith</a>	Commission Chair	Clackamas County
<a href="#">Paul Savas</a>	Commissioner	Clackamas County
<a href="#">Mark Shull</a>	Commissioner	Clackamas County



**Thank you to all of our Veterans for your Service!!!**

**Election 2022 is Now Underway**

Candidates seeking election can now start filing. There are many positions open in our County and Statewide.

- US Senate
- Three Congressional Districts now touch Clackamas County
- Governor
- BOLI Commissioner
- State Representatives
- State Senators
- County Commissioners
- County Clerk
- County Assessor
- Justice of the Peace

For more information about any of these offices contact us @ [CCRP.PCPs@gmail.com](mailto:CCRP.PCPs@gmail.com)

*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](#).