



# Clackamas County Republican Party March Newsletter

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## Clackamas County Republican Party (CCRP)

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### March Update

*As we enter March, our mission is heating up. We are approaching the filing deadline on March 8<sup>th</sup>. We need to make sure that there are candidates for all Oregonians to have a choice on who represents them both in Salem and in Washington DC. If you are interested in running, please contact us today. Thank you to those who have already stepped up to serve.*

**Clackamas County  
Republican Central  
Committee Meeting  
Saturday March 12  
At 9:00 am**

PCP Updates  
Elected Officials  
Update  
House Captain  
District Updates

Don't Miss It.

### 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.

### Legislative Update

Guests and friends received a legislative update from House Republican Leader Vikki Breese-Iverson at their Lincoln Day Gala event. She highlighted that the Short Session should be used to restore education standards, holding state government accountable and enabling our law enforcement to do its job. She said the party will push to remove roadblocks to health care access and preserve Oregon's natural environment while protecting the way of life of people relying on these resources. Republicans would like to give Oregonians the freedom to recover financially from government-mandated shutdowns by fighting the state's regulatory burdens and mandates. The Party will continue to update the website with press releases from the House and Senate Caucuses.

### 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](#)

### List of Governors Candidates

The current list of Republican Candidates is listed on the County website. [Clackamas County Republicans](#)

Since this is a contested primary, the Party will help all candidates equally until after the primary.

### Virtual Tour of your State Capitol

The Oregon Legislature has created an online tool for you to visit and learn about the capitol from your home. We encourage everyone to learn.

[Oregon Capitol Tour](#)

### Open Seats for 2022 Election

Congressional Representatives for the 3<sup>rd</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> and new 6<sup>th</sup> District.

Current candidates can be found on the CCRP Website front page.

BOLI – Bureau of Labor and Industries  
State House Seats – 18, 26, 37, 39, 40, 41, 48, 51, 52  
State Senate Seats – 11, 13, 19, 20, 24, 26  
County Commissioners – Positions 2 and 5

**Legislative Session Update**

The 2022 Short Session of the Legislature has begun. [Click Here for details](#)  
The County website will be updated daily with the latest information and schedules.

**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](#)

**2022 Goals**

- Increase our number of PCPs appointed and elected so we can have neighborhood teams to share our message with the voters.
- Continue to have the most up to date information on our website.
- Offer trainings to potential candidates and campaign volunteers.
- Support our candidates in the Primaries
- Continue building our Relationships with the House and Senate Caucus.
- Win the Governor’s office for the first time since the 1980s.
- Elected Republican Congressional members.

**Remember a Red Oregon begins in Clackamas County**

*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](#).

**PCP 2022 Filing Update**

All Elected and Appointed PCPs will have to file for the May 2022 election. We have received the updated [SEL105 Form](#). Please fill out and return to the CCRP office or turn into County Elections before March 8, 2022. We need to ensure our grassroots team is in place for a busy election season. [PCP information](#). The above link highlights the below.  
1) Final PCP Calculations, 2) SEL 105 filing options, and 3) PCP update of who has filed.

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="#">James Hieb</a>	State Representative	39
<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



**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.

Wishing Everyone a very Happy St. Patrick’s Day

**2022 Lincoln Day Gala Recap**

Thank you to all that attended the Lincoln Day Gala. We so appreciate all of the volunteers that worked to put on a wonderful event. A sincere thank you to all of our Speakers. Thank you to all of the Elected Officials who attended. Thank you to all of the candidates that have stepped up to run to serve our County and State. Finally thank you to all of our friends, family and guests who came out to support the party; it was a wonderful turnout and one of the most successful gala in the history of the party. We truly cannot succeed without your support.