CANDIDATE'S STATEMENT FOR COUNTY VOTERS' PAMPHLET (2015)

Name of Candidate _____

Office _____

District _____

Position/Zone No. _____

Part One: Required Information (shall be typed)

OCCUPATION (Present Employment – Paid or Unpaid)

OCCUPATIONAL BACKGROUND (Previous Employment – Paid or Unpaid)

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND (Schools Attended, Last Grade Completed; Degree(s), if any)

PRIOR GOVERNMENTAL EXPERIENCE (Elected or Appointed)

By signing this form I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT all information supplied by me about my occupation, occupational and educational background, and prior governmental experience is true to the best of my knowledge.

Any person, who supplies any information in this part, knowing it to be false, is subject upon conviction to imprisonment for up to five years or a fine of $125,000 or both.

X _____ _____

Candidate's Signature Date

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Part Two: Optional Information (shall be typed)

X _____

Signature of Candidate or Person responsible for the content of PART TWO (OPTIONAL INFORMATION) of the Candidate's Statement.

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Word Count:
Part One Total: _____
Part Two Total: _____
Grand Total: _____ (325 Maximum)

Instructions

1. **The Candidate's Statement shall be typed. The text of the statement will be printed as submitted**.

2. Use semicolons (;) to separate items such as jobs, organizations, dates, etc.

3. The word "None" must be used in any section which does not contain any information. The word "None" shall count as part of the word/number count.

4. The combined word count total for PART ONE and PART TWO shall not exceed 325 words/numbers, including the eight words in the heading of PART ONE (Occupation, Occupational Background, etc.).

5. PART ONE (REQUIRED INFORMATION) shall be signed by the candidate and PART TWO (OPTIONAL INFORMATION) shall be signed by either the candidate or the person responsible for the content of that section.

6. All information cited or quoted from previously published material SHALL INCLUDE the source and date of publication. (Example: *The Oregonian*, January 2, 2006.)

7. Any endorsement by an individual or an organization, which was not previously made public, shall be accompanied by a Statement of Endorsement.

8. The Election Official shall reject any Candidate Statement (ORS 251.415) which:

   a. Contains any obscene, profane or defamatory language;
   b. Incites or advocates hatred, abuse or violence toward any person or group; or
   c. Contains any language which may not legally be circulated through the mails.

9. The Candidate's Statement will not be accepted without the filing fee:

County and City Offices	
Electoral District's Active Voter Registration	**Candidate Fee**
Less than 1,000 within the county	$25
1,000 to 9,999 within the county	$50
10,000 to 49,999 within the county	$100
50,000 and over within the county	$300

Special Districts	
Salaried Position	$100
Non-Salaried Position	$25

10. If a candidate desires to provide a photograph, the candidate shall provide two (2) identical photographs (black and white), not later than 5:00 p.m. on the filing deadline. 5" x 7" portrait style photographs are recommended.

    Photographs Must:
    a. Be less than four (4) years old when it is filed;
    b. Be reproducible to a finished black and white picture which is not smaller than 1.5 inches by 1.75 inches;
    c. Have a plain background (Note: A grey background reproduces the best); and
    d. Show the face, neck and shoulders only.

Photographs Must Not:

a. Include the hands or anything held in the hands;
b. Show the wearing of a judicial robe, hat, or military, police or fraternal uniform; or
c. Show the uniform or insignia of any organization.

11. Any cost incurred for retouching the photograph(s) to meet the requirements will be billed to the candidate.

12. The Candidate's Statement will not be returned to the candidate for proofreading.

13. The Candidate's Statement, photograph(s) and filing fee **shall be filed no later than 5:00 p.m. on the filing deadline shown in the table below**.

ELECTION:	**March 10, 2015**	**May 19, 2015**	**September 15, 2015**	**November 3, 2015**
Deadline for Candidates to file Candidate Statement:	January 12, 2015	March 23, 2015	July 20, 2015	September 8, 2015

14. The required and optional information may be submitted on a separate piece of paper with the PART ONE form completed, **and both** signed and dated. Indicate on the form in the area designated for required information "SEE ATTACHED". **The Attachment must be signed and dated**.

15. A refund may be requested by the person who paid the filing fee no later than the last day for filing the Candidate's Statement. If a refund is made, the Candidate's Statement will not be printed in the Voters' Pamphlet.

16. Candidate's Statements shall become public record on the 4th business day after the filing deadline (ORS 251.430).

17. Voters' pamphlets are prepared county by county. If your name will appear on the ballot in more than one county, and you wish to have your statement and photograph in more than one county's voters' pamphlet, you must contact each individual county for information on the appropriate forms.

Print, sign and submit original form with payment to:

Nancy Blankenship
Deschutes County Clerk
PO Box 6005
1300 NW Wall Street, Suite 202
Bend, OR 97708-6005

Please email an electronic version to nancyb@deschutes.org. The text will be directly copied into the Voters' Pamphlet.

ORS 251.049

Statement of Endorsement for Deschutes County Voters' Pamphlet

☐ Primary Election 20____	☐ General Election 20____	☐ Special Election _____ (date)

Statement of Endorsement for:

☐ Candidate's Statement:_____
(name of candidate)

☐ Measure Argument:_____
(measure # and name of person who furnished argument)

In this endorsement designation box, type or print the name of person and/or organization the person is authorized to represent exactly as it should appear in the voters' pamphlet statement or argument. An organization's name should be used only if the organization is endorsing the argument or statement. The person's title must also be listed if it is to appear in the voters' pamphlet statement or argument.

I, _____ (print person's name), consent to the use of my name or the name of the organization I am authorized to represent exactly as it appears in the box above.

_____

Signature of Individual Date Signed

Note: Submitting A False Signature On This Statement Is A Violation Of ORS 251.049.

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Instructions

If the name of a person or organization is used in your statement or argument as supporting or endorsing the statement or argument, you must either:

1. Use the name of the person or organization with a quotation made by the person on behalf of the person or by an authorized person on behalf of an organization. The quotation must have been disseminated to the public prior to its inclusion in the statement or argument and it must be identified in the statement or argument by its source (such as the name of the newspaper in which it appeared) and date of dissemination/publication. Examples for identifying the source of a quote are:

   James Joyce, *The Oregonian*, 1/22/90

   Bob Dole, *Time Magazine*, July 7, 1997

   John F. Kennedy, *Profiles in Courage*, 1960

2. File a Statement of Endorsement signed by the person, or by an authorized person on behalf of an organization, stating that the person consents to the use of the name of the person or organization in the statement or argument. An organization's name should only be used if the organization is endorsing the statement or argument.

This Statement of Endorsement should be filed with the statement or argument it relates to and must be filed no later than the voters' pamphlet filing deadline.

Note: If a Statement of Endorsement is not received, the person or organization whose name is included in the argument will be edited from the statement or argument. If the information contained in the endorsement designation box on the front of this form does not match what is printed in the statement or argument, the statement or argument will be edited to match the Statement of Endorsement form.