

Sample/Provisional Ballot

November 8, 2016, General Election

Snohomish County, Washington

How to vote

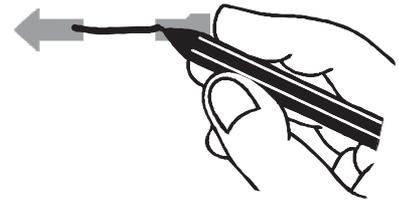
Mark your vote with a single line. Voting more than once per question or race will cancel that vote.

How to change a vote

Draw a line through the entire incorrect name or choice. You may then make another selection.

How to vote for a person not on the ballot

Write the name of the person in the space provided and connect the arrow.



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<p>Initiatives to the People</p> <p>Initiative Measure No. 1433 concerns labor standards.</p> <p>This measure would increase the state minimum wage to \$11.00 in 2017, \$11.50 in 2018, \$12.00 in 2019, and \$13.50 in 2020, require employers to provide paid sick leave, and adopt related laws.</p> <p>Should this measure be enacted into law?</p> <p>Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Initiative Measure No. 735 concerns a proposed amendment to the federal constitution.</p> <p>This measure would urge the Washington state congressional delegation to propose a federal constitutional amendment that constitutional rights belong only to individuals, not corporations, and constitutionally-protected free speech excludes the spending of money.</p> <p>Should this measure be enacted into law?</p> <p>Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Proposed Amendments to the Snohomish County Charter</p> <p>Proposition No. 1</p> <p>Commission on Human Rights</p> <p>The Snohomish County Charter Review Commission has proposed amendments to the Snohomish County Charter concerning a county commission on human rights. This proposition would add a new section to the charter that requires the County Council to keep or create a county commission to advise the County Council, County Executive, and other county officers and agencies on matters concerning human rights, and repeal inconsistent transition provisions. Should this proposition be:</p> <p>Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Rejected <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>
<p>Initiative Measure No. 1464 concerns campaign finance laws and lobbyists.</p> <p>This measure would create a campaign-finance system; allow residents to direct state funds to candidates; repeal the non-resident sales-tax exemption; restrict lobbying employment by certain former public employees; and add enforcement requirements.</p> <p>Should this measure be enacted into law?</p> <p>Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Advisory Votes</p> <p>Advisory Vote No. 14</p> <p>House Bill 2768</p> <p>The legislature extended, without a vote of the people, the insurance premium tax to some insurance for stand-alone family dental plans, costing an indeterminate amount in the first ten years, for government spending.</p> <p>This tax increase should be:</p> <p>Repealed <input type="checkbox"/> Maintained <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Proposition No. 2</p> <p>Establishing Office of Public Advocate</p> <p>The Snohomish County Charter Review Commission has proposed amendments to the Snohomish County Charter concerning establishing an office of public advocate. This proposition would direct the County Council to establish an office of public advocate to investigate complaints and respond to inquiries from the public concerning the operation of county government and to monitor and report to the County Council on certain whistleblower, ethics, and human rights proceedings; and repeal inconsistent transition provisions. Should this proposition be:</p> <p>Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Rejected <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>
<p>Initiative Measure No. 1491 concerns court-issued extreme risk protection orders temporarily preventing access to firearms.</p> <p>This measure would allow police, family, or household members to obtain court orders temporarily preventing firearms access by persons exhibiting mental illness, violent or other behavior indicating they may harm themselves or others.</p> <p>Should this measure be enacted into law?</p> <p>Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Advisory Vote No. 15</p> <p>Second Engrossed Substitute House Bill 2778</p> <p>The legislature imposed, without a vote of the people, certain limitations on the retail sales and use tax exemptions for clean alternative-fuel vehicles, costing \$2,000,000 in the first ten years, for government spending.</p> <p>This tax increase should be:</p> <p>Repealed <input type="checkbox"/> Maintained <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Proposition No. 3</p> <p>County Policy on Nondiscrimination</p> <p>The Snohomish County Charter Review Commission has proposed amendments to the Snohomish County Charter concerning county policy on nondiscrimination. This proposition would revise existing county policy on nondiscrimination to incorporate protections provided by state and federal anti-discrimination laws and eliminate outdated or incomplete references to protected classes, substitute gender neutral language for masculine pronouns, and repeal inconsistent transition provisions. Should this proposition be:</p> <p>Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Rejected <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>
<p>Initiative Measure No. 1501 concerns seniors and vulnerable individuals.</p> <p>This measure would increase the penalties for criminal identity theft and civil consumer fraud targeted at seniors or vulnerable individuals; and exempt certain information of vulnerable individuals and in-home caregivers from public disclosure.</p> <p>Should this measure be enacted into law?</p> <p>Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Proposed Amendment to the State Constitution</p> <p>Senate Joint Resolution No. 8210</p> <p>The legislature has proposed a constitutional amendment on the deadline for completing state legislative and congressional redistricting.</p> <p>This amendment would require the state redistricting commission to complete redistricting for state legislative and congressional districts by November 15 of each year ending in a one, 46 days earlier than currently required.</p> <p>Should this constitutional amendment be:</p> <p>Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Rejected <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	
<p>Initiatives to the Legislature</p> <p>Initiative Measure No. 732 concerns taxes.</p> <p>This measure would impose a carbon emission tax on certain fossil fuels and fossil-fuel-generated electricity, reduce the sales tax by one percentage point and increase a low-income exemption, and reduce certain manufacturing taxes.</p> <p>Should this measure be enacted into law?</p> <p>Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>		

Proposed Amendments to the Snohomish County Charter

Proposition No. 4
 Revising Hearing Examiner System and Appeals
 The Snohomish County Charter Review Commission has proposed amendments to the Snohomish County Charter concerning County Council authority over appeals of certain administrative decisions. This proposition would restate the County Council's existing charter authority to adopt a hearing examiner system but eliminate the Council's review in certain quasi-judicial land use or environmental proceedings, and repeal inconsistent transition provisions. Should this proposition be:

Approved ←

Rejected ←

Proposition No. 5
 Requiring Additional County Council Meetings and Hearings
 The Snohomish County Charter Review Commission has proposed amendments to the Snohomish County Charter concerning County Council meetings and hearings. This proposition would require the Council to hold an evening meeting in each County Council district at least once each calendar year; require evening public hearings on proposed budgets presented by the County Executive and on any proposed ordinance to adopt, amend, or repeal a county comprehensive plan; and repeal inconsistent transition provisions. Should this proposition be:

Approved ←

Rejected ←

Proposition No. 6
 Revising Procedures for Appointment and Confirmation of Chief Executive Officers
 The Snohomish County Charter Review Commission has proposed amendments to the Snohomish County Charter concerning the procedures for appointment and confirmation of chief executive officers. This proposition would establish a sixty-day deadline for County Council action to confirm or reject appointments by the County Executive, prohibit reappointment of rejected appointees for a period of one year, and repeal inconsistent transition provisions. Should this proposition be:

Approved ←

Rejected ←

Proposition No. 7
 Revising County Redistricting Process
 The Snohomish County Charter Review Commission has proposed amendments to the Snohomish County Charter concerning the process used for redrawing County Council districts. This proposition would revise and update the process by setting workable deadlines for appointing the Districting Committee and districting master and for action by the Districting Committee and County Council; restrict the County Council's ability to revise districting plans adopted by the Districting Committee, by requiring approval by a supermajority vote and limiting revisions to one percent of the population of any Council district; and repeal inconsistent transition provisions. Should this proposition be:

Approved ←

Rejected ←

Federal Partisan Office

President / Vice President
 4 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

Hillary Clinton / Tim Kaine ←
 Democratic Party Nominees

Donald J. Trump / Michael R. Pence ←
 Republican Party Nominees

Alyson Kennedy / Osborne Hart ←
 Socialist Workers Party Nominees

Gloria Estela La Riva / Eugene Puryear ←
 Socialism & Liberation Party Nominees

Jill Stein / Ajamu Baraka ←
 Green Party Nominees

Darrell L. Castle / Scott N. Bradley ←
 Constitution Party Nominees

Gary Johnson / Bill Weld ←
 Libertarian Party Nominees

Write-in (if any) ←

READ: Each candidate for President and Vice President is the official nominee of a political party. For other partisan offices, each candidate may state a political party that he or she prefers. A candidate's preference does not imply that the candidate is nominated or endorsed by the party, or that the party approves of or associates with that candidate.

U.S. Senator
 6 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

Patty Murray ←
 (Prefers Democratic Party)

Chris Vance ←
 (Prefers Republican Party)

Write-in (if any) ←

U.S. Representative Congressional District 1
 2 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

Suzan DelBene ←
 (Prefers Democratic Party)

Robert J. Sutherland ←
 (Prefers Republican Party)

Write-in (if any) ←

U.S. Representative Congressional District 2
 2 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

Rick Larsen ←
 (Prefers Democratic Party)

Marc Hennemann ←
 (Prefers Republican Party)

Write-in (if any) ←

U.S. Representative Congressional District 7
 2 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

Pramila Jayapal ←
 (Prefers Democratic Party)

Brady Piñero Walkinshaw ←
 (Prefers Democratic Party)

Write-in (if any) ←

State Partisan Office

Governor
 4 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

Jay Insee ←
 (Prefers Democratic Party)

Bill Bryant ←
 (Prefers Republican Party)

Write-in (if any) ←

Lieutenant Governor
 4 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

Cyrus Habib ←
 (Prefers Democratic Party)

Marty McClendon ←
 (Prefers Republican Party)

Write-in (if any) ←

State Partisan Office

Secretary of State
 4 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

Kim Wyman ←
 (Prefers Republican Party)

Tina Podlodowski ←
 (Prefers Democratic Party)

Write-in (if any) ←

Treasurer (MARK ONLY ONE)
 4 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

Duane Davidson ←
 (Prefers Republican Party)

Michael Waite ←
 (Prefers Republican Party)

Write-in (if any) ←

Auditor
 4 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

Mark Miloscia ←
 (Prefers Republican Party)

Pat (Patrice) McCarthy ←
 (Prefers Democratic Party)

Write-in (if any) ←

Attorney General
 4 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

Bob Ferguson ←
 (Prefers Democratic Party)

Joshua B. Trumbull ←
 (Prefers Libertarian Party)

Write-in (if any) ←

Commissioner of Public Lands
 4 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

Steve McLaughlin ←
 (Prefers Republican Party)

Hilary Franz ←
 (Prefers Democratic Party)

Write-in (if any) ←

Superintendent of Public Instruction Nonpartisan Office
 4 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

Erin Jones ←

Chris Reykdal ←

Write-in (if any) ←

Insurance Commissioner
 4 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

Mike Kreidler ←
 (Prefers Democratic Party)

Richard Schrock ←
 (Prefers Republican Party)

Write-in (if any) ←

Legislative Partisan Office

1st District Senator
 4 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

Mindie Wirth ←
 (Prefers Republican Party)

Guy Palumbo ←
 (Prefers Democratic Party)

Write-in (if any) ←

1st District Representative Position 1
 2 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

Derek Stanford ←
 (Prefers Democratic Party)

Neil Thannisch ←
 (Prefers Republican Party)

Write-in (if any) ←

Legislative Partisan Office

1st District Representative Position 2
2 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

Jim Langston (Prefers Republican Party)

Shelley Kloba (Prefers Democratic Party)

Write-in (if any)

10th District Senator
4 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

Barbara Bailey (Prefers Republican Party)

Angie Homola (Prefers Democratic Party)

Write-in (if any)

10th District Representative Position 1
2 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

Norma Smith (Prefers Republican Party)

Michael Scott (Prefers Libertarian Party)

Write-in (if any)

10th District Representative Position 2
2 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

Dave Hayes (Prefers Republican Party)

Doris Brevoort (Prefers Democratic Party)

Write-in (if any)

21st District Representative Position 1
2 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

Strom Peterson (Prefers Democratic Party)

Alex Hels (Prefers Libertarian Party)

Write-in (if any)

21st District Representative Position 2
2 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

Lillian Ortiz-Self (Prefers Democratic Party)

Jeff Scherrer (Prefers Republican Party)

Write-in (if any)

32nd District Representative Position 1
2 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

Cindy Ryu (Prefers Democratic Party)

Alvin Rutledge (Prefers Republican Party)

Write-in (if any)

32nd District Representative Position 2
2 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

Ruth Kagi (Prefers Democratic Party)

David D. Schirle (Prefers Republican Party)

Write-in (if any)

38th District Representative Position 1
2 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

June Robinson (Prefers Democratic Party)

Write-in (if any)

38th District Representative Position 2
2 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

Mike Sells (Prefers Democratic Party)

Bert Johnson (Prefers Independent Party)

Write-in (if any)

Legislative Partisan Office

39th District Senator
4 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

Kirk Pearson (Prefers Republican Party)

Write-in (if any)

39th District Representative Position 1
2 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

Dan Kristiansen (Prefers Republican Party)

Linda M. Wright (Prefers Democrat Party)

Write-in (if any)

39th District Representative Position 2
2 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

John Koster (Prefers Republican Party)

Ronda Metcalf (Prefers Democratic Party)

Write-in (if any)

44th District Representative Position 1
Short & 2 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

John Lovick (Prefers Democratic Party)

Janice Huxford (Prefers Republican Party)

Write-in (if any)

44th District Representative Position 2
2 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

Mark Harmsworth (Prefers Republican Party)

Katrina Ondracek (Prefers Democratic Party)

Write-in (if any)

County Partisan Office

County Council District 5
1 Year Unexpired Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

Sam Low (Prefers Republican Party)

Hans Dunshee (Prefers Democratic Party)

Write-in (if any)

State Supreme Court Nonpartisan Office

Justice Position 1
6 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

Mary Yu

David DeWolf

Write-in (if any)

Justice Position 5
6 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

Barbara Madsen

Greg Zempel

Write-in (if any)

Justice Position 6
6 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

Charles (Charlie) Wiggins

Dave Larson

Write-in (if any)

Court of Appeals Nonpartisan Office

Judge Division 1 District 2 Position 1
6 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

Steve Dwyer

Write-in (if any)

Superior Court Nonpartisan Office

Judge Position 3
4 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

Cindy Larsen

Rico Tessandore

Write-in (if any)

Public Utility District No. 1 Nonpartisan Office

Commissioner District 3
6 Year Term (VOTE FOR ONE)

Tanya (Toni) Olson

Gordon Sibley

Write-in (if any)

City of Bothell

Advisory Proposition No. 1

Sale, Possession and Discharge of Consumer Fireworks in the City of Bothell

The Bothell City Council is calling for an advisory election to determine whether the sale, possession, and discharge of consumer fireworks should be prohibited within the City of Bothell. The prohibition of the sale, possession or discharge of consumer fireworks would not affect properly licensed and permitted public displays of fireworks.

Shall the sale, possession and discharge of consumer (commonly referred to as safe and sane) fireworks be prohibited in the City of Bothell?

Yes

No

Proposition No. 1

Levy for Safe Streets and Sidewalks

The Bothell City Council passed Ordinance No. 2193 concerning a proposition for a street improvement levy rate increase. To fund street maintenance and safety improvements for neighborhood streets and arterials, including resurfacing, school walk routes, sidewalks and crosswalks, the City's regular property tax levy shall be increased for a period of nine years by \$0.50 per \$1,000 of assessed value for collection beginning in 2017 and such amount shall be used for the purpose of computing the limitations for subsequent levies provided under RCW ch. 84.55. Should this proposition be:

Approved

Rejected

City of Everett

Proposition No. 1

Amendment to the City of Everett Charter, Section 3.2 (Council meetings)

The Everett City Council proposes an amendment to Charter Section 3.2 (Council meetings). This proposition would eliminate the weekly council meeting requirement, permit the meeting to be held at locations within the City other than City Hall and eliminate inconsistency and redundancy with State Law. Should this proposition be approved?

Yes

No

Proposition No. 2

Amendment to the City of Everett Charter, Section 15.9 (Gender references, correction of scrivener's errors)

The Everett City Council proposes an amendment to Charter Section 15.9 (Gender references, correction of scrivener's errors). This proposition would allow the City Clerk to make corrections in the Charter to eliminate archaic terminology such as "hereof," "heretofore," "thereof," and replace such terms with equivalent, modern language. Should this proposition be approved?

Yes

No

Proposition No. 3

Adding a new section to the City of Everett Charter, Section 15.10 (Diversity – boards, commissions and committees)

The Everett City Council proposes adding a new section to the City of Everett Charter, Section 15.10 (Diversity – boards, commissions and committees). This proposition would require that appointments to City boards, commissions and committees strive to reflect the makeup of the community in demographic terms such as ethnic diversity, gender, age and geography. Should this proposition be approved?

Approved ←

Rejected ←

City of Mill Creek

Proposition No. 1

Emergency Medical Services Levy

For the purpose of continuing to deliver emergency medical care or emergency medical services and providing staffing for emergency medical care or emergency medical services, shall the City of Mill Creek be authorized to impose a regular property tax levy of fifty cents (\$0.50) or less per thousand dollars (\$1,000) of assessed valuation for each of six consecutive years, commencing in 2016 with collection beginning in 2017, as provided in City of Mill Creek Resolution 2016-548 and in accordance with RCW 84.52.069?

Levy Yes ←

Levy No ←

City of Snohomish

Proposition No. 1

Fireworks Advisory Measure

Should the Snohomish City Council prohibit the possession, sale, and discharge of fireworks within the City limits of Snohomish?

Yes ←

No ←

Proposition No. 2

Whether to Adopt the Mayor/Council Form of Government Within the City of Snohomish

Shall the City of Snohomish Adopt The Mayor/Council Form Of Government And Abandon The Current Council/Manager Form Of Government?

Yes ←

No ←

Town of Woodway

Proposition No. 1

Levy to Support Police, Fire and Emergency Medical Services and Existing Town Operations

The Town Council of the Town of Woodway adopted Resolution No. 16-386 concerning property taxes to support Town operations. This proposition will increase the 2017 regular property tax levy to \$2.48 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation, and use this levy to compute subsequent levies. This increase is estimated to be \$500 a year for a home with a 2016 assessed value of \$1 million. These funds will be used to maintain existing Town operations (including police, fire, emergency medical services, road maintenance and administrative services). Should this proposition be:

Approved ←

Rejected ←

Fire District 1

Proposition No. 1

Re-authorization of Regular Property Tax Levy

The Board of Fire Commissioners of Fire Protection District No. 1, Snohomish County, Washington, adopted Resolution No. 07222016-10 re-authorizing a regular property tax levy of \$1.50 per \$1,000. This proposition would authorize the District to maintain its regular property tax levy of \$1.50 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation for 2016 and thereafter subject to any otherwise applicable statutory dollar rate limitations. The dollar amount of this levy would be used for the purpose of computing the limitations for subsequent levies under RCW 84.55.050. Should this proposal be approved?

Levy Yes ←

Levy No ←

Sound Transit (A Regional Transit Authority)

Proposition No. 1

Light-Rail, Commuter-Rail, and Bus Service Expansion

The Sound Transit Board passed Resolution No. R2016-17 concerning expansion of mass transit in King, Pierce, and Snohomish counties. This measure would expand light-rail, commuter-rail, and bus rapid transit service to connect population and growth centers, and authorize Sound Transit to levy or impose: an additional 0.5% sales and use tax; a property tax of \$0.25 or less per \$1,000 of assessed valuation; an additional 0.8% motor-vehicle excise tax; and use existing taxes to fund the local share of the \$53.8 billion estimated cost (including inflation), with continuing independent audits, as described in the Mass Transit Guide and Resolution No. R2016-17. Should this measure be:

Approved ←

Rejected ←

Lynnwood Transportation Benefit District

Proposition No. 1

Sales and Use Tax for Transportation Improvements

The Board of the Lynnwood Transportation Benefit District, Lynnwood, Washington, adopted Resolution 8 concerning a sales and use tax to fund transportation improvements. This proposition would authorize a sales and use tax of one-tenth of one percent (0.1%) to be collected within the District in accordance with RCW 82.14.0455 for a term of ten years. Such revenues would be used for the purpose of funding the following transportation improvements: preventative and routine pavement maintenance and reconstruction, street and traffic maintenance and operations, and other capital projects as identified in the City's Transportation Plan. Should this proposition be:

Approved ←

Rejected ←