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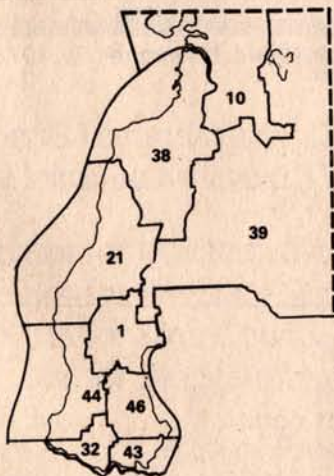
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## VOTERS AND CANDIDATES PAMPHLET



Edition 6 contains the ballot title, explanatory statement, arguments, rebuttals, and text of Initiative Measure 350 and the statements and photographs of candidates for U.S. Representative in Congressional Districts 1 and 2; State Supreme Court; King County Superior Court; State Senator in Legislative Districts 21, 32, 38, 43, 44, and 46; and State Representative in Legislative Districts 1, 10, 21, 32, 38, 39, 43, 44, and 46.

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## How to Obtain an Absentee Ballot:

Any registered voter who cannot vote in person may apply directly to his or her county auditor or department of elections for an absentee ballot. Any signed request containing the necessary information will be honored. For your convenience, an application is reproduced below. The addresses of the auditors or departments of election are also listed below. In order to be certain that the voters' application is authentic, the election laws require that the signature on the application be verified by comparison with the signature on the voter's permanent registration record. For this reason, if a husband and wife both wish to vote by absentee ballot, **separate**, signed requests should be submitted. An additional copy of this application form is printed in the inside back cover of this pamphlet. In order to be counted, an absentee ballot must be voted and postmarked no later than the day of the election. For this reason, sufficient time must be allowed for an exchange of correspondence with the county auditor or department of elections.

COUNTY	ADDRESS	CITY	ZIP	COUNTY	ADDRESS	CITY	ZIP
Adams	County Courthouse	Ritzville	99169	Lewis	344 West Main	Chehalis	98532
Asotin	135 Second Street	Asotin	99402	Lincoln	450 Logan Street	Davenport	99122
Benton	County Courthouse	Prosser	99350	Mason	Fourth & Alder	Shelton	98584
Chelan	County Courthouse	Wenatchee	98801	Okanogan	149 Third North	Okanogan	98840
Clallam	319 South Lincoln	Port Angeles	98362	Pacific	Memorial Avenue	South Bend	98586
Clark	12th & Franklin	Vancouver	98660	Pend Oreille	625 West Fourth	Newport	99156
Columbia	341 East Main	Dayton	99328	Pierce	930 Tacoma Avenue	Tacoma	98402
Cowlitz	309 Academy Street	Kelso	98626	San Juan	P. O. Box 638	Friday Harbor	98250
Douglas	County Courthouse	Waterville	98858	Skagit	205 Kincaid Street	Mount Vernon	98273
Ferry	County Courthouse	Republic	99166	Skamania	County Courthouse	Stevenson	98648
Franklin	1016 North Fourth	Pasco	99301	Snohomish	3000 Rockefeller	Everett	98201
Garfield	County Courthouse	Pomeroy	99347	Spokane	1116 West Broadway	Spokane	99201
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Jefferson	Jefferson & Cass	Port Townsend	98368	Walla Walla	315 West Main	Walla Walla	99362
King	500 Fourth Avenue	Seattle	98104	Whatcom	311 Grand Avenue	Bellingham	98225
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# Absentee Ballot Request

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ADDRESS CITY OR TOWN ZIP

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SEND MY BALLOT TO: ☐ SAME ADDRESS AS ABOVE: ☐ THE ADDRESS BELOW:

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STREET ADDRESS CITY OR TOWN STATE ZIP

This application is for the state general election to be held November 7, 1978.

**TO BE VALID, YOUR  
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# 1978 Official Voters and Candidates Pamphlet

On November 7, you will have the opportunity to vote on a statewide initiative measure and on federal, state, and local offices. This voters' and candidates' pamphlet is sent to you and all other residents of Washington State to assist you in making informed decisions on those measures and candidates which will appear on the ballot statewide.

The first section of the pamphlet contains the official ballot title and explanatory statement for the initiative as prepared by the Attorney General. Statements "for" and "against" and rebuttal statements for each argument have been prepared by both the proponents and opponents of this measure, as prescribed by law. The second section of the pamphlet contains the statements and photographs of candidates for federal, state, and legislative office. This section of the pamphlet is divided into seven geographic editions for the convenience of publication.

As Secretary of State of the State of Washington, I certify that the text of each proposed measure, ballot title, explanatory statement, statement for and against, rebuttal statement and candidate's statement which appears in the pamphlet is a true and correct copy of the original document filed in my office. Witness my hand and the seal of the State of Washington.



**BRUCE K. CHAPMAN**

Secretary of State

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# Initiative Measure 350

TO THE PEOPLE

## Official Ballot Title:

Shall public educational authorities be prohibited from assigning students to other than the nearest or next-nearest school with limited exceptions?

## The Law as it now exists:

Under existing law, school districts have broad control over matters that affect the assignment of students to schools.

Each school district board of directors has the authority to adopt reasonable regulations which establish attendance areas, the grades to be offered at a given school, and otherwise directly or indirectly determine which schools within the district students shall attend.

## Statement for

Over 180,000 citizens from around the state signed Initiative petitions to enable you to decide whether forced school busing is either wise or necessary.

### 350 PROTECTS LOCAL CONTROL OF SCHOOLS

Initiative 350 returns the most basic decision in education (i.e., where a child is to be educated) to the parent. 350 keeps local parental control of schools from being subverted by federal bureaucrats and promoters of forced busing.

Initiative 350 ensures that smaller school districts and rural school districts will not have their transportation funds reduced to pay for forced busing in Washington cities.

### 350 PRESERVES LOCAL NEIGHBORHOOD SCHOOLS

Initiative 350 guarantees children the right to attend the school nearest or next nearest their home. It is carefully worded so as to permit exceptions (such as special education of the handicapped student, health or safety hazards, physical barriers, unsafe conditions or overcrowding). Current essential busing in rural areas, for example, would not be affected. 350 permits the voluntary attendance of students in open enrollment or magnet programs, also.

### 350 SAVES TAX DOLLARS

Voters can prevent millions of tax dollars from being wasted this school year on forced busing. Those dollars could be spent on better classroom education. Children are not being taught the basics while they are unnecessarily riding a bus across town (past the school nearest their home).

### 350 IS EXERCISING YOUR LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHT TO CHOOSE

You have the choice between bureaucratic control and common sense. Forced busing in our state has not been ordered by the Courts . . . BUT is another product of pressure by the pro-busing lobby on local administrators. Exercise your freedom of choice and **VOTE "YES" ON INITIATIVE 350.**

## Rebuttal of Statement against

Initiative 350 keeps local, neighborhood schools from coming under the control of bureaucratic busing planners. The opponents' argument avoids the real issue, i.e., the value of forced school busing. Busing children away from the school nearest their home does not make common sense. Forced busing nonsense is financed by state taxes. Your tax dollars would pay for cross-city busing. Initiative 350 is carefully written to return local control of schools to parents (where it belongs).

### Voters' Pamphlet Statement Prepared by:

HUBERT F. DONOHUE, State Senator; JIM MATSON, State Senator; WILLIAM M. POLK, State Representative.

Advisory Committee: ORVILLE L. BARNES, Member, State Board of Education; J. DORM BRAMAN, former Mayor, City of Seattle; WILLIAM L. WILKINS, retired Judge, King County Superior Court; ROBERT O. DORSE, President, Citizens for Voluntary Integration Committee (CIVIC).

# The effect of Initiative 350, if approved into Law:

Initiative Measure 350, if approved, would limit the control of school officials over the assignment of students to particular schools.

This initiative would prohibit school officials from either directly or indirectly requiring a student to attend a school other than the school which is geographically the nearest or next-nearest the student's residence within the school district and which offers the course of study pursued by the student. The types of "indirect" action that would be prohibited if the action would prevent a student from attending his or her nearest or next-nearest school include, but are not limited to, plans involving: (1) The redefining of attendance zones; (2) feeder schools; (3) the reorganization of the grade structure of the schools; (4) the pairing of schools; (5) the merging of schools; (6) the clustering of schools; or (7) any other combination of grade restructuring, pairing, merging or clustering.

This initiative would allow school officials to require a student to attend a school other than the school nearest or next-nearest the student's residence only in the following instances: (1) If a student requires special education, care or guidance; (2) if there are health or safety hazards or physical barriers or obstacles between the student's

residence and the nearest or next-nearest school; or (3) if the nearest or next-nearest school is unfit or inadequate because of overcrowding, unsafe conditions or lack of physical facilities. If a student is assigned to a school other than the school nearest or next-nearest the student's residence because of one or more of these reasons, the assignment must be to the next geographically nearest school within the school district with the necessary courses and facilities.

This initiative does not affect the right of a student voluntarily to attend a school other than the school nearest or next-nearest the student's residence or the right of school districts to close school facilities.

NOTE: The ballot title and explanatory statement were written by the Attorney General as required by state law. The complete text of Initiative Measure 350 begins on page 6.

## Statement against

### INITIATIVE 350 WOULD INTERFERE WITH EFFICIENT LOCAL CONTROL OF EDUCATION

350 would hamper local management in all of the state's school districts by taking away the authority of locally elected school boards to assign students in an educationally and economically sound manner. It would disrupt schools in the middle of this school year.

350 prohibits assignment of students outside their district; thus, it would restrict interdistrict cooperative programs.

350 would in some cases prohibit changing the grades offered in particular schools, such as converting some three-year to four-year high schools. It would prohibit most disciplinary transfers and the redrawing of school boundary lines to make efficient use of buildings. It would mean costly interference with location of special education programs. Because it is so poorly drafted, 350 would trigger costly court battles, interfere with school operation, and would present many implementation problems.

### 350 WOULD CAUSE SEGREGATION AND FEDERAL COURT INTERFERENCE JUST TO SOLVE A SEATTLE PROBLEM

350 was specifically written to rescind Seattle's locally developed desegregation plan.

Applying 350 to Seattle, Tacoma, Pasco, and other desegregated school districts would significantly increase racial segregation. This resegregation of schools could easily result in the initiative being found unconstitutional. This would mean that desegregation plans in Seattle and elsewhere would continue but the rest of the state would still be saddled with the initiative.

350 litigation could lead to court ordered busing between Seattle and surrounding districts, as well as to court imposed costs to the State.

The best way to avoid interference with local control of your own school policies and the possibility of court ordered busing is to vote no on 350.

## Rebuttal of Statement for

Initiative 350 threatens every school district. 350 restricts all school districts' power of pupil assignment, severely damaging local control. 350 could require *massive school closures*, and *increased*, not decreased, mandatory busing. By restricting local options, 350 would *increase*, not decrease, bureaucratic control. 350 would cause extensive and expensive court battles which would burden Washington taxpayers. To save neighborhood schools, keep costs down, and prevent elaborate court-ordered busing plans, vote NO on 350.

### Voters' Pamphlet Statement Prepared by:

JOHN S. MURRAY, State Senator; ALAN THOMPSON, State Representative; EBEN CARLSON, Chairman, State Committee for Local Control.

Advisory Committee: DR. FRANK B. BROUILLET, Superintendent of Public Instruction; CAROL COE, President, Washington Education Association; DR. GEORGE T. DANIEL, President, Washington Association of School Administrators; DAVID J. WHITMORE, President, Washington State School Directors' Association; WALTER H. LEWIS, State Board of Education.



## Initiative Measure 350

AN ACT Relating to school attendance; creating new sections; adding new sections to chapter 223, Laws of 1969 ex. sess. and a new chapter to Title 28A RCW; and providing penalties.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

**NEW SECTION.** Section 1. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, after the effective date of this act no school board, school district, educational service district board, educational service district, or county committee, nor the superintendent of public instruction, nor the state board of education, nor any of their respective employees, agents or delegates shall directly or indirectly require any student to attend a school other than the school which is geographically nearest or next nearest the student's place of residence within the school district of his or her residence and which offers the course of study pursued by such student, except in the following instances:

(1) If a student requires special education, care or guidance, he may be assigned and transported to the school offering courses and facilities for such special education, care or guidance;

(2) If there are health or safety hazards, either natural or man made, or physical barriers or obstacles, either natural or man made, between the student's place of residence and the nearest or next nearest school; or

(3) If the school nearest or next nearest to his place of residence is unfit or inadequate because of overcrowding, unsafe conditions or lack of physical facilities.

**NEW SECTION.** Sec. 2. In every such instance where a student is assigned and transported to a school other than the one nearest his

place of residence, he shall be assigned and transported to the next geographically nearest school with the necessary and applicable courses and facilities within the school district of his or her residence.

**NEW SECTION.** Sec. 3. For purposes of section 1 of this act, "indirectly require any student to attend a school other than the school which is geographically nearest or next nearest the student's place of residence within the school district of his or her residence and which offers the course of study pursued by such student" includes, but is not limited to, implementing, continuing, pursuing, maintaining or operating any plan involving (1) the redefining of attendance zones; (2) feeder schools; (3) the re-organization of the grade structure of the schools; (4) the pairing of schools; (5) the merging of schools; (6) the clustering of schools; or (7) any other combination of grade restructuring, pairing, merging or clustering: PROVIDED, That nothing in this chapter shall limit the authority of any school district to close school facilities.

**NEW SECTION.** Sec. 4. For the purposes of section 1 of this act "special education, care or guidance" includes the education, care or guidance of students who are physically, mentally or emotionally handicapped.

**NEW SECTION.** Sec. 5. The prohibitions of this chapter shall not preclude the establishment of schools offering specialized or enriched educational programs which students may voluntarily choose to attend, or of any other voluntary option offered to students.

**NEW SECTION.** Sec. 6. This chapter shall not prevent any court of competent jurisdiction from adjudicating constitutional issues relating to the public schools.

**NEW SECTION.** Sec. 7. Sections 1 through 6 of this act are added to chapter 223, Laws of 1969 ex. sess. and shall constitute a new chapter in Title 28A RCW.

**NEW SECTION.** Sec. 8. If any provision of this act, or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of the act, or the application of the provision to other persons or circumstances is not affected.



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## THE OFFICE OF PRECINCT COMMITTEEMAN

In addition to the various state and county offices which will appear upon the general election ballot, most voters will have the opportunity to vote for the office of "precinct committeeman". At the 1977 session of the state legislature, the laws governing the official candidates' pamphlet were amended to provide for the inclusion of this description of the office of precinct committeeman and the duties and responsibilities of persons elected to that office.

### WHO IS ELIGIBLE

State law (RCW 29.42.040) provides that any person who is a registered voter and a member of a major political party may become a candidate for the office of precinct committeeman by filing a declaration of candidacy and paying a one dollar filing fee to the county auditor. Since voters do not register by political party in Washington, a candidate declares himself or herself to be a Democrat or a Republican at the time he or she files for the office. The filing period for the office of precinct committeeman begins at the same time as the filing period for other partisan offices (the last Monday in July in even-numbered years), and lasts for three weeks, ending on the third Friday following that date.

### ELECTION OF PRECINCT COMMITTEEMEN

Candidates for precinct committeeman do not appear on the primary ballot but rather are placed directly on the general election ballot, and the candidate receiving the most votes in his or her precinct for each political party is declared elected. State law (RCW 29.42.050) does provide, however, that to be declared elected, a candidate must receive at least ten percent (10%) of the number of votes cast for the candidate of his or her party receiving the greatest number of votes in that precinct.

### TERM OF OFFICE AND VACANCIES

The term of office for anyone elected to the office of precinct committeeman is two years, and commences upon the official canvass of election returns by the county canvassing board. Should a vacancy occur in the office (caused by death, disqualification, resignation, or failure to elect), the usual process is for the chairman of the party central committee to fill the vacancy by appointment. Appointments to fill vacancies cannot be made between the state general election and the organization meeting of the county central committee, which must be held prior to the second Saturday in January following the election of precinct committeemen.

### DUTIES OF PRECINCT COMMITTEEMEN AS MEMBERS OF THE COUNTY AND STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEES

1. Each precinct committeeman is a member of the county central committee. The county central committee has the authority to fill vacancies on the party ticket for partisan county offices and for

legislative offices in districts entirely within that county when no candidate files for such a position or when a candidate or nominee dies or is disqualified leaving no candidate of that party for such an office; they may also nominate persons for appointment to these offices if an incumbent of that party resigns.

2. The state central committee has the authority under state law (RCW 29.42.020) to:
  - Call caucuses and conventions.
  - Provide for the election of delegates to national nominating conventions.
  - Fill vacancies on the party ticket for any federal, state or legislative office which encompasses more than one county.
  - Nominate persons to fill vacancies in state or legislative offices caused by resignation or death of an incumbent of that party.
  - Provide for the nomination of presidential electors.
  - Perform other functions inherent in such an organization.

### NON-STATUTORY DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF PRECINCT COMMITTEEMEN

Specific duties and responsibilities of a precinct committeeman are usually determined by either the county or state central committees. The following duties are commonly assigned to precinct committeemen by their party organization:

- Keep informed on current issues and candidates, study the party platform.
- Attend meetings of county committees and actively participate in fund-raising activities.
- Obtain lists of registered voters from the County Auditor's office.
- Canvass the precinct and become acquainted with the voters residing therein.
- Establish a record of eligible voters and party members within the precinct.
- Encourage voter registration within the precinct.
- Distribute party election materials during election campaigns.
- Recommend party members to work as precinct election officers.
- Encourage voters to get out and vote on election day.
- Encourage the use of absentee ballots, when the need arises.
- Hold precinct caucuses at certain selected times for the purpose of adopting resolutions and selecting delegates to the county conventions.

Individuals who are interested in serving as precinct committeemen should contact the chairman of the county central committee of their party or the state committee office of that party. Their addresses are as follows:

Republican State Committee  
of Washington  
1509 Queen Anne Avenue  
North  
Seattle, WA 98109

Washington State Democratic  
Committee  
Lobby—Arctic Building  
Seattle, WA 98104



## United States Representative

### First Congressional District



**Joel  
PRITCHARD**  
Republican

Congressman Joel Pritchard has worked for six years in the house of Representatives representing all the people in the First Congressional District. His experience in the House adds significantly

to his ability to represent the people of his District.

He is one of the two U.S. Congressmen named to the National Commission on Neighborhoods, is the ranking minority member of the Oceanography Subcommittee, Chairman of the House Wednesday Group, a member of the Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee, and the Coast Guard and Navigation Subcommittee.

While moving steadily into Congressional leadership positions, he has not lost touch with the people of his district. Pritchard's record is built on effective communications with citizens at home. At least once every three weeks, Congressman Pritchard comes home to the First District, holding informal meetings with citizens. He holds "District Day" meetings in every neighborhood in the district to meet with any citizen who wishes to talk with him.

He has done more than give lip-service to the problems of inflation. He has co-sponsored a bill which calls for a substantial tax cut over a three-year period. In other areas of vital interest to his district, he helped lead the fight in the House to enact the 200-mile fisheries limit. He co-sponsored the Tanker Safety Act, tightening Coast Guard supervision of oil tankers, and he has consistently voted to hold down government spending.

Joel Pritchard believes in the accountability of his office. He has opened all of his campaign and personal finances to the public. He accepts no contributions of any kind from any special interest groups, corporations, labor unions or political action committees. His only obligation is to the voters of the First District.



**Janice  
NIEMI**  
Democrat

Janice Niemi can make the 1st District count in Congress. A Democrat, Janice Niemi has the sensitivity, practical experience and majority party affiliation necessary to solve the problems of our urban

district. Good voting attendance and staying in touch with citizens are important for a Representative, but Janice Niemi can do more.

Twice elected King County Superior Court Judge, Janice Niemi knows the legal system. She advocates prompt justice and guaranteed equal rights. She will produce clear legislation that won't require definition in the courts.

Janice Niemi believes government social programs should equip people to support themselves. She is committed to seeing that health care costs don't drive senior citizens into tax-supported institutions. She favors a national health insurance program.

Government seems to aid everyone except middle-income taxpayers. Janice Niemi wants action to slow inflation and ease the economic bind on families of average means. She wants to assure the survival of small businesses and guard consumers against the abuses of corporate giants. Janice Niemi will take a hard look at what our tax dollars are buying and vote for elimination of costly, ineffective federal programs.

A wife and mother of two grown children, Janice Niemi has successfully combined a full family life, a legal career and community involvement. She understands neighborhood issues.

Janice Niemi has spent her life working with people, making tough decisions and getting results. We need Janice Niemi's sound judgment and straightforward approach in Congress.



# United States Representative

## First Congressional District



**John H.  
ADDISON**  
Libertarian

Government is the problem, not the solution!

Governments have a terrible record: slavery, war, inflation, and depression. In contrast, when individuals have been free to control their own lives, times are stable and prosperous. American history has

followed such a course. Until the 20th century, there was a strong popular sentiment for individual liberty. The "no-government men" attacked slavery, government regulation and foreign entanglements. Unfortunately, the political commitment to freedom declined, as big businesses and power-hungry politicians united to push for domestic and foreign interventionism.

We now face the consequences of these disastrous policies: four wars in fifty years, crippling taxation, and simultaneous inflation and depression. With our tax money, bureaucrats control what we read, write, eat or drink and tell us how to conduct our business and pleasure. Thousands of small firms have been driven to bankruptcy by irrational regulations, while favored businesses are awarded government guarantees, subsidies, and bailouts. Inflation is fueled by government spending more money than it confiscates—we always get stuck with the bill. After 42% of our income goes to taxes and over \$2500 per household pays for regulations, what's left of our money loses value to double-digit inflation.

Fortunately, the tide is turning. The tax revolt is the start of people saying "No" to the injustices of big government. Libertarians are leading the drive to roll back taxes, controls and special interest politics. Standing solidly on the principle that individuals are the sole owners of their lives, we advocate a return to the ideals that sparked the first libertarian revolution in 1776: a consistent stand for civil liberties, a truly free-market economy, and a non-interventionist foreign policy. For those of you who want neither to rule nor be ruled, vote for your freedom; vote Libertarian!



## United States Representative

Second Congressional District

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**John Nance  
GARNER**  
Republican

As a small businessman with his own independent insurance agency in Everett, John Nance Garner is no stranger to hard work — the kind of hard work it will take to be an effective Congressman.

Born and raised on a small Washington farm, he started his working career at the age of 13 as a janitor and messenger. He also became an Eagle Scout.

In college, John majored in Business Administration and Communications at Eastern Washington University.

Following graduation, John received his commission in the U.S. Army. He continues to serve in the Army Active Reserve as a Lieutenant Colonel and is President of the Snohomish County Reserve Officers Association.

Now 44, John is active in community and church affairs. He is a member of the National Congressional Advisory Council and has served on the National Advisory Commission on Oceans and Atmosphere. He knows his way around Washington, D.C., and how the system works.

John Nance Garner is concerned about the size of government and the amount you have to pay for it. He is the only candidate who supports a 10-percent reduction in the number of Federal civilian personnel and a 33-percent across-the-board tax cut (the Kemp-Roth Bill).

"Inflation must be controlled if we are to improve our quality of life and the place to start is by reducing government spending," he says.

Long ago, John called on Congress to nullify the Boldt Decision and give *all* fishermen an equal chance to catch salmon and steelhead outside the Indian reservations.

He believes we must responsibly manage our forests to achieve a harmonious blend of land available for family recreation, timber production, and wilderness.

John Nance Garner and his wife, Marlene, a fifth-grade school teacher in Marysville, have two children, Lorelei and John, Jr.

**United States Representative**  
Second Congressional District



**Al  
SWIFT**  
Democrat

Al Swift is a leader in his own community. He'll be a congressman for all of us. Al won several awards as Public Affairs Director for KVO5-TV in Bellingham. His wife, Paula, is a school teacher, and the Swifts have two daughters.

Al has gotten things done by working well with his neighbors. Al Swift helped revise the Bellingham City Charter, served on the Bellingham Housing Authority, and was Chairman of the Citizens Committee on the Bellingham Schools. In 1965-69, he served as chief of staff to Rep. Lloyd Meeds.

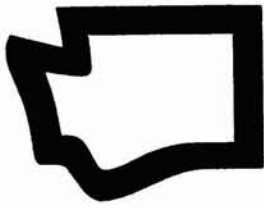
"We can cut spending, and Congress should go first," said Swift. "Congress should set an example by restraining its own salaries and expenses. After restricting itself, Congress will be in a better position to ask other people to accept the restraints in spending necessary to curb inflation." Swift's budget priorities are education, seniors, and a responsible national defense.

Al Swift favors a moratorium on the Boldt Decision until the Supreme Court acts. He feels Congress should examine all aspects of treaties.

Swift supports a tax cut and wants the income tax rates "indexed" to reflect the cost of living, rather than absolute dollars. He favors reducing capital gains taxes to stimulate new plant investment and more jobs. He opposes log exports and supports a gradual change to create more mill jobs. Swift wants Congress to accelerate research on alternative energy sources and feels the job can't be left to the energy industry.

Swift has specific plans to curb over-regulation and wants Congress to supervise agency rules before they go into effect. Al Swift is a leader who will listen to all of us and work for all of us.





## State Supreme Court

### State of Washington

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**William H.  
WILLIAMS**  
Nonpartisan

Each year, the responsibilities of the state's highest Court increase. Therefore, 'experience . . . where it counts' is the issue that is most important when you make your selection of Supreme Court Justice. Judge Williams, a man of 56, has served 20 years as Superior Court Judge. In addition, he has twice been Justice Pro Tem of the Supreme Court, served as Deputy Prosecuting Attorney for Spokane County, as Juvenile Court Judge, and in private practice of law.

Judge Williams enjoys the endorsement of many attorneys on both sides of the state, as well as that of Frank Hale and Robert Hunter, both retired Supreme Court Justices and co-chairmen of his committee. He was elected by his fellow judges and served as president of the Washington State Judges Association, and he now is chairman of the Judicial Ethics and Grievance Committee.

During WW II, Williams piloted a B24 bomber on 28 combat missions over Europe. A Spokane native, he is a graduate of the University of Idaho and received his law degree from Gonzaga University. Married and the father of five children, Williams has been active in the law since 1951.



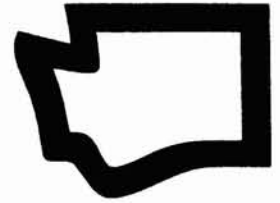
**Francis E.  
HOLMAN**  
Nonpartisan

Judge Francis E. Holman, recognized among the state's leading lawyers and jurists, is 63 years old, married, with three children; educated in the Seattle Public Schools; graduated from Stanford, Oxford and Harvard Law School; served overseas in World War II with the state's 41st Infantry Division, and had active duty in the Korean War.

Judge Holman's experience has not been narrowly confined to the law. He has served in all three branches of government at both state and local levels, including: state representative and senator; mayor; member, Seattle's Metro Council; school director; hospital trustee; chairman, Carman Scholarship Committee. His accomplishments for public and private education are known statewide.

As first Chairman of the Public Disclosure Commission, Holman provided the essential leadership for implementing Initiative 276.

Judge Holman's 37 years in the legal profession include: membership on the Senate Judiciary Committee; American, Washington State and King County Bar Associations; and the American Judicature Society. Currently, he serves on the State Judicial Council and represents our state on the national Uniform Law Commission. Appointed Superior Court Judge for King County in 1973, he was twice re-elected without opposition, and is a graduate of the National College for the State Judiciary.



**Arthur E.  
PIEHLER**  
Nonpartisan

Rated "Well Qualified," after written and oral interviews, by the Seattle-King County Bar Association's Judicial Evaluation Committee. Seattle-King County Bar poll vote — Piehler 845; Nuxoll 177 and Pekelis 285.

Piehler has been an active trial attorney for over 25 years, trying cases in many fields of law. His skills and experience have often led to his being retained by attorneys to try their cases; "ask your lawyer."

Piehler is the only candidate with substantial trial experience in many fields of the law. He feels lack of experience leads to delay and errors, resulting in added expense to taxpayers and litigants.

He has lectured and written on subjects concerning trial and appellate practice for many years and in many states.

He would be a fair but firm trial judge, believing that a primary consideration in criminal sentencing is the protection of society.

He is endorsed by the Seattle Police Officers Guild, Seattle-King County Teamsters Unions, Seattle-King County Labor Council C.O.P.E., Washington Taxpayers Association and The United Republicans of Washington. He is a member of Seattle-King County Bar Association, Washington State Bar Association, Washington State Trial Lawyers Association, and American Trial Lawyers Association.



**Rosselle  
PEKELIS**  
Nonpartisan

Roselle Higgins Pekelis, Seattle attorney and mother of three teenagers, has a broad range of experience. She worked for a Prosecuting Attorney's office and the Seattle Public Defender before entering private practice in 1974. Presently at the firm of Helsell, Fetterman, Martin, Todd and Hokanson, her practice embraces the legal problems of the family including marriage and separation contracts, divorce, adoption and juvenile cases, as well as employment problems and personal injury suits.

Rosselle Pekelis is a member of the Washington Women Lawyers, and serves on three committees of the Washington State Bar Association and the American Bar Association.

Prior to attending law school, Rosselle Pekelis held a variety of part-time and volunteer jobs. She has been active in community service and political projects; a language teacher, a mental health therapist and a dance instructor. Her understanding of people and their problems is extensive and personal. Her common sense approach to solving those problems is combined with competence in the law.

Rosselle Pekelis believes that the courts can and must be responsive to the communities they serve. The first step towards attaining that goal is to elect hardworking, competent judges with a fresh outlook on the law.



## State Representative

### First Legislative District

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**Doug  
KIRK**  
Republican

Doug Kirk, 51, owns his own fuel oil business, and serves his community with Chamber of Commerce, PTSA, YMCA, Boy Scouts, and local church.

Doug Kirk believes we need a working legislator. Looking at the myriad of state agencies, commissions and task forces, ask yourself; "How many of these have you dealt with in the last year? How many have you ever dealt with?" Let's face it. Government can never be all things to all people. Somebody has to pay! And I for one would like more of a say in what we are paying for.



**Audrey  
GRUGER**  
Democrat

During her first term in the legislature, Audrey Gruger won respect for her leadership qualities. She chairs two subcommittees: Child Care (part of the Social and Health Services) and the State Environmental Policy Committee (under Ecology).

With a strong background in citizen governmental reform, she will play a vital role as a member of the Election and Governmental Ethics Committee.

Her chief concerns continue to be school funding, tax reform and open and responsive government.

Audrey has been married 26 years and is the mother of three young adults. She is a graduate of the University of Washington.

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**Dennis G.  
HAGEN**  
Republican

When asked the main reason I am running, my answer must be "the state budget"! The increase between 1976-77 (\$5.5 billion) and the 1978-79 (over \$8 billion) budgets is more than the total budget for 1965-67 (\$2 billion). Something is out of hand besides inflation! This race is a classic conflict of fiscal differences. The incumbent has a nearly perfect voting record—"yes" on most spending programs. He sponsored legislation to remove constitutional limits on state spending and permit deficit financing! With 42% of the average taxpayer's income going to government, we can't afford that anymore.



**Rick S.  
BENDER**  
Democrat

Rick Bender, 28, attended 12 years of school in the Shoreline District. A veteran, he attended North Seattle Community College, U of W, and did his undergraduate work in economics at UPS. He is employed as a liaison on a federal project to mobilize private sector resources for emergency services.

For the past three years, Rick has been elected the Assistant Majority Floor Leader. He serves on the Education, Transportation, and Rules Committees. During his three terms, Rick has worked hard for stable funding of our public schools, limitations on special levies to reduce property taxes, and consumer interest legislation.



# State Representative

## Tenth Legislative District



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**Sim  
WILSON**  
Republican

Sim Wilson is seeking re-election to a fourth term as 10th District Representative. Wilson is a life-long resident of the district, a local small businessman publishing weekly newspapers—The Marysville Globe and The Arlington Times—and is active in civic and service organizations.

Wilson feels the chief issues to face the legislature are: property tax changes to ease the pressures on the homeowner; keeping the state budget within current tax income; solving the problems plaguing our timber and fisheries industries. Wilson serves on the Transportation, Energy and Utilities, and Natural Resources Committees.



**Rita  
MATHENY**  
Democrat

As a homemaker, Rita is concerned about the same pocketbook issues that affect us all. She knows that income has not kept pace with costs for most of us. She is concerned about rapidly increasing property valuations, high interest rates, escalating costs of energy and health care, and the ever increasing cost of government. This spiralling cost needs to be checked and Rita has pledged to work to cut costs wherever possible.

Rita realizes these are all complex problems and admits there are no simple solutions. But she does promise to be your full-time representative, working hard to find solutions.

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**Joan  
HOUCHEN**  
Republican

Concerned about the cost of living, government spending, education and property taxes, Joan feels the voters of the district are entitled to have a no-nonsense legislator who will listen to all sides of an issue and make decisions for young people, working people and senior citizens, not just special interest groups. She believes in real tax limitations rather than band-aid proposals.

Because she has children in school, a working husband, operates a small family farm and has senior citizen parents living close by, Joan has first-hand knowledge of the problems facing the people in her district.



**Eleanor A.  
FORTSON**  
Democrat

During the years she has lived and worked in the 10th District, Eleanor Fortson has compiled an outstanding record of community services and legislative achievement. Representative Fortson, who holds a Masters Degree in Administration, is currently Chairman of the House Constitutions Committee, serves as Chairman of the Social and Health Services Committee's Subcommittee on Aging and serves on the Education Committee. Rep. Fortson is the vice-president of the Oceanographic Commission. Eleanor Fortson serves her entire district well and will continue to work to cut excessive spending and put a lid on taxation.



## State Senator

Twenty-first Legislative District

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**Sue  
GOULD**  
Republican

Sue Gould has been state senator from south Snohomish County for 4 years. She has helped pass laws which make schools accountable to students and the public, which define basic education and which provide for its funding by the state, thus taking the pressure off special levies. "Now," she states, "we must maintain a commitment to fully fund schools while keeping a lid on property taxes."

Other problems which the legislature must face include continuing services within tight budgetary limits. "We'll have to make tough decisions as to where the money can be used most effectively," Gould says.

As a member of the Select Sunset Committee, Senator Gould recommends state agencies and programs for review and termination. She also serves on the Senate committees dealing with Social and Health Services, State Government, and Education.

Mrs. Gould and her husband Ray, a City Councilman, have lived in Edmonds 18 years, raising their 3 children there. She was elected to the Edmonds School Board for 2 terms, served on the Governor's Committee on Law and Justice, was president of the League of Women Voters, and has long been active in church and community.

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**David R.  
DeLAMATER**  
Democrat

A graduate of Edmonds High with one year in the U. of W. and six months in business college before going to work. Three years as a truck driver, a line driver, and a teamster. Left truck driving to go railroading for 24 years. In 1969, after recovering from a train accident and back injury, I became a building maintenance engineer in Local #6, S.E.I.U.

During the last two years, I have been taking political science and real estate. I was in the legislature for one year about 20 years ago. Now I want to go back, as I am too young to retire.

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# State Representative

## Twenty-first Legislative District



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**Walt  
SPRAGUE**  
Republican

Walt Sprague and his family have resided in South Snohomish County for thirty years. He has operated a successful landscape construction business in the district and been active in every aspect of our community from soccer to the Lynnwood City Council, to Chairmanship of the Park Board.

Walt believes his opponent is out of touch with our desires to limit government spending, control taxation at every level, and to limit the interference of government in our lives and work. Walt knows his district.

Walt Sprague will be South Snohomish County's friend in Olympia.



**John M.  
FISCHER**  
Democrat

John Fischer is a Registered Pharmacist and a business representative. He has a degree in Pharmacy and in Economics; is a Commissioner in the Olympic View Water District; a Past Lieutenant-Governor of Kiwanis; and Past President of Lynnwood Kiwanis.

Fischer is presently serving on the House Financial Institutions, Labor, and Institutions Committees. He is chairman of the Subcommittees on Financial Affairs and Employment and Civil Service.

John takes a responsible view on state finances and has concentrated his efforts in the area of consumer protection with action on hazardous substances, cemetery pre-arrangements and various individual's problems.

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**Gary A.  
NELSON**  
Republican

During his six years as legislator, Gary Nelson always represented the *Priorities of the People*.

Among other things, he was instrumental in defining "basic education" to enable the state to fully fund education; caused elimination of seventeen unnecessary boards and commissions; was prime sponsor of legislation to provide tax relief to senior citizens and successfully led the fight against additional taxes.

"I'll continue to be a watchdog over the use of hard-earned taxpayers dollars."

Veteran, honor graduate of WSU, recipient of numerous community service awards and lifelong Washington resident, Gary served 7 years as City Councilman. Wife, Joanne; three sons.



**Margaret  
BERNARD**  
Democrat

Margaret Bernard is a college counselor at North Seattle Community College, experienced in working with groups to help achieve agreement. She has learned how to listen to your concerns. An action-oriented leader in her community and in various organizations, she is energetic in working through the system to accomplish goals. A homeowner and resident of Edmonds for eighteen years, she believes, "We can do better for ourselves and for each other by working together more effectively. I'm a moderate in politics, but people are what I care about most. We can work together."





## State Senator

### Thirty-second Legislative District



**Tod  
DANIELS**  
Republican

Tod Daniels has been a citizen leader in the 32nd District for 10 years. He has fought and won battles for community participation in government decisions that affect the lives of everyone. As a systems analyst and manager, he knows how to make zero base budgeting work. He is trained to watch-dog programs and achieve results without additional spending. As chairman of the Lincoln School Advisory Council, he implemented the first real program in Seattle of parental choices in education—at no additional cost to the school district.

He does not dodge the hard issues. As Western Washington co-chairman of Citizens Against 345, he fought hard for responsible tax cuts. He took on the 1978 School Levy and won it by 68.6%. He has faced the school closure program head-on as chairman of the Joint Advisory Commission (JACE) with the first workable proposal on joint community-city-school use of surplus classroom space. He is a founding member of Citizens for Fair School Funding, whose well-planned assault on a reluctant legislature resulted in the School Property Tax Levy Lid and a promise of full funding—a promise that Tod means to see kept.



**Al  
WILLIAMS**  
Democrat

Some politicians sponsor hundreds of bills and call a press conference to trumpet each accomplishment. Al Williams doesn't grandstand . . . but he's out front when it matters.

When he found the leadership of the House lacked integrity, Al Williams fought for change. He succeeded. When the Legislature didn't take the sales tax off food, he took it to the people. Now our groceries cost less.

But the answers don't come easy. Problems haven't gone away by throwing money at them. We need to stop wishing for big, ideal solutions and take one step at a time. Removing the sales tax from food didn't accomplish total tax reform, but it moved a step in the right direction.

Senator Williams is known for the enemies he's made. Much of his work in the Legislature has been defensive, like keeping oil tankers out of Puget Sound and interest rates a little lower than they might have been. The special interests he's fought are spending big money to defeat him this year.

The Legislature's a tough grind . . . steady work on problems that just won't go away. It's not as dramatic as talk of instant solutions, but Al Williams will stay on the job.

# State Representative

## Thirty-second Legislative District



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**Richard E.  
VAN HORN**  
Republican

I work for a *living*! Government is paid for by the sweat of men and women who labor and pay taxes. What is needed in Olympia is *frugality* and a penny-pincher legislature working for justice, moderation and temperance.

I will work for a realignment of unfair, inequitable taxes and try to find alternatives to the present callous penal and mental institutions, reduce crime and the high cost of medical care and bring legislative government back to the neighborhoods.

We need to establish a *Judicial Qualifications Commission* to remove, censure or discipline corrupt and/or incompetent judges.



**Joanne  
BREKKE**  
Democrat

Joanne Brekke now serves as 32nd District Representative, appointed February 1978. She has been studying many legislative issues that will be debated in the 1979 Legislative Session.

Joanne was citizen lobbyist in Olympia in 1977 for funding K-12 education, has put many hours of other volunteer work into community interests: schools, March of Dimes, Campfire, etc.

Joanne will work toward full state funding of education, a responsible, equitable system of taxation with protection for homeowners, prison reform, maintaining the independence of seniors, cutting administrative waste, eliminating unnecessary legislation, utilizing our limited tax resources in the most responsible manner.

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**R. P. "Dick"  
NELSON**  
Democrat

"Taxpayers are concerned about government spending. Yet, many government programs provide necessary services to the elderly and others with insufficient incomes. We can help the needy and also reduce costs through tax reform. Fairer taxation would give more people the funds to purchase needed services. The legislature should provide an opportunity to vote on alternative tax reform proposals."

A Seattle native, Dick graduated from Ballard High, University of Washington, and MIT. He is a self-employed technical consultant. During his first term, Dick served as vice-chairperson of the Elections and Governmental Ethics Committee, and headed special Revenue and Labor subcommittees.



**James E.  
NORAN**  
U.S. Labor

Jim Noran is a programmer/analyst who lives with his wife and daughter in Wallingford. Noran is the leader needed to clean up the mess created by Dick Nelson. Noran, like Governor Ray, wants nuclear power development. Nelson, an extreme environmentalist, opposes it. Noran wants to stop the spread of mind-destroying drugs. Nelson co-sponsored marijuana decriminalization in the 1977 legislature. Noran wants government to promote economic growth. Nelson accepted \$6,000 in state fees as project technician on a 1977 'recycling' project that lost Washington State \$40,000. For traditional Democrats and Republicans, Noran is the only candidate.



**Maurice  
WILLEY**  
Libertarian

People across the district have told me it's time for a change. I promise I will support only legislation that reduces taxes or lessens governmental waste. Specifically, I support: a freeze on property tax increases until property is resold to prevent people from being taxed out of their homes; a restricted definition of basic education coupled with tax credits for personal educational costs; an end to corporate welfare which extends expensive, privileged status to influential special interests; tightening up the welfare system to eliminate the burden of supporting persons simply unwilling to work. Get yourself a Reasonable Alternative. Vote Libertarian!



## State Senator

Thirty-eighth Legislative District

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**Larry L.  
VOGNILD**  
Democrat

Thirty year resident of 38th legislative district; 23 years as Everett Fire Fighter (retired Battalion Chief).

Member: Everett Elks, Everett Eagles, Everett Yacht Club, Evergreen Kiwanis, and Normanna Lodge. Former member: U.G.N. Board of Directors; Former member, YMCA membership drive. Salty Sea Days volunteer; Muscular Dystrophy drive volunteer. Active in numerous community athletic programs (currently Girls' Slow Pitch coach).

Former Chairman, 38th District democratic organization. Eight years in Naval Reserve. Two years active duty in Korea. Currently operator of wholesale greeting card business. Son of late J. Howard Vognild and Helen M. Vognild, both Everett pioneers and community activists.

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**State Representative**  
Thirty-eighth Legislative District



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**Lawrence "Larry"**  
**BALDWIN**  
Republican

Larry Baldwin is running for the state legislature because he is concerned about taxes and the high cost of government. He is appalled because salaried workers like himself are not being represented by the incumbent who has a long record of supporting nearly every spending proposal before the legislature.

Larry is an Everett homeowner, married and with two children and he lives every day with the needs for changes in state spending and taxation. Larry is a veteran, active in cub scouts and informed and articulate in our community and individual needs.



**Richard "Dick"**  
**KING**  
Democrat

Representative Dick King can view his 14 years of legislative achievement with understandable pride. Implementation of his Emergency Medical Technicians' bill could save thousands of lives; and passage of the "Sunset" law could save thousands of tax dollars.

During the last two years, his leadership status in state government was recognized by his election as Majority Leader for the House of Representatives and Vice-chairman of the National Conference of State Legislatures' Committee on Ethics and Elections. However, Dick King is particularly proud of his reputation as a legislator who is available, aware and responsive to 38th District concerns.

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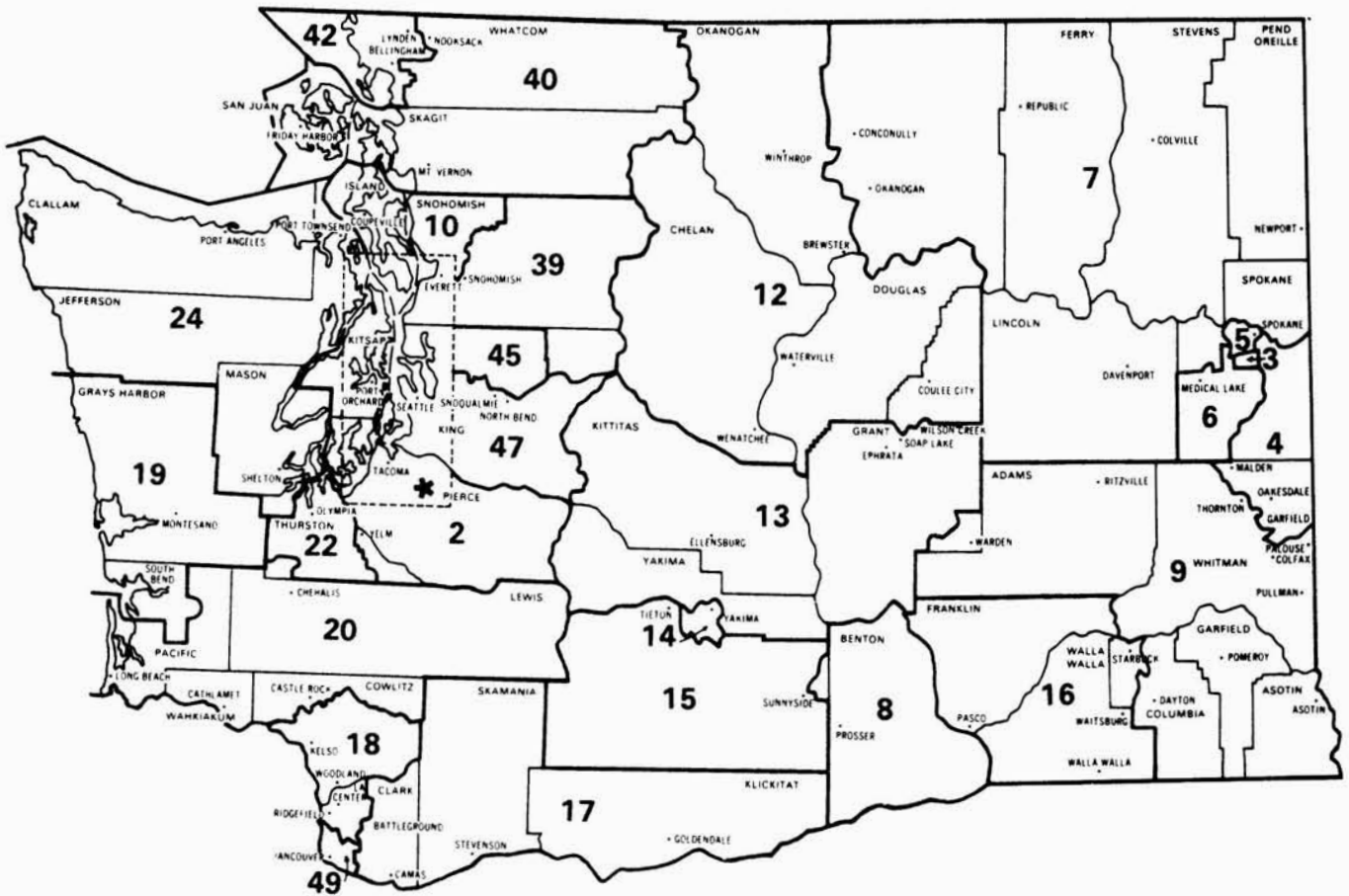
**John**  
**MARTINIS**  
Democrat

John Martinis, age 48, a lifelong resident of the 38th District, owned and operated Bob's Sporting Goods in Everett for 23 years. He has served two terms as a Commissioner for the Port of Everett. Martinis has been in the legislature for five terms and is currently Chairman of the House Natural Resources Committee. He also serves on the Transportation Committee and the Committee on Energy. Currently, Martinis is also serving as Chairman of the Pacific Fishery Management Council. Martinis is a member of the Western States Forestry Task Force. His community involvement includes many civic and fraternal organizations.



# LEGISLATIVE DISTRICTS

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\* Detail maps of the Everett, Seattle, Tacoma, Spokane, and Yakima areas appear on page 30 of this pamphlet.

## CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS

Each of Washington's seven congressional districts is composed of seven legislative districts, grouped as follows:

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# State Representative

## Thirty-ninth Legislative District



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**Jim  
MITCHELL**  
Republican

Jim Mitchell, lifetime resident of Lake Stevens, owns and operates Mitchell's Pharmacy. He is a founder of the Snohomish County Blood Bank, a director on the Board of Everett's Providence Hospital, Stillaguamish Senior Citizen Center, and a member of the Washington State Board of Pharmacy. Married and has two sons.

Jim is keenly aware of, and concerned about, the real burden inflation and high taxes have placed on the citizens of Washington. Jim feels that we must stop the growth of Big Government, Bureaucracy and High Taxes. He believes in government for the people, not people for the government.



**Vern  
ANDERSON**  
Democrat

Tough decisions must be made in Olympia for common-sense solutions to problems facing the people of our district and state. Action must be taken on property taxes, education, local government and consumer protection legislation.

Vern Anderson, 35, self-employed businessman (research consultant on public policy), has the experience, commitment and know-how to represent the people of our district.

Vern has a demonstrated record of public service and responsive leadership on community level and statewide citizen committees and commissions. Previously, he earned an outstanding reputation as effective community college educator/author in the field of government and public policy.

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**Paul  
SHINODA**  
Republican

Paul Shinoda Jr., independent wholesale floral grower/businessman, "productivity oriented", favors no new taxes, would consider readjustment of current revenues to benefit local government's needs.

The incumbent favors sunset legislation, zero based budgeting (agencies justifying the existence of their programs), more accountability—particularly at the mid-management level—review of laws regarding assessment of property, and proposals to preserve agricultural land.

The candidate stated, "Government exists to serve the people, not control their lives—to assist them, not undermine their initiative—to deliver needed services, not burden them with excessive taxation and non-productive regulations."



**Gary  
SCOTT**  
Democrat

Gary is currently employed as professional negotiator in labor relations for I.B.E.W. Local 77, giving him the experience of working with business and labor. He feels that they must work together just as government and its people must work together. People are becoming frustrated and alarmed in dealing with bureaucrats. Gary believes government can be simplified.

Gary's only promise is to listen to people and work to accomplish their wishes. Tax reform, inflation, welfare reform, funding basic education—these are the issues that are affecting your lives, as well as Gary and his family.



## State Senator

Forty-third Legislative District



**Ann  
SANDSTROM**  
Republican

Ann Sandstrom is energetic, intelligent and respected. Ann works toward real solutions and will involve the voters of this urban district in her decisions. She is the only candidate for this position rated "Outstanding" by the Municipal League.

Full funding of basic education is Ann's first priority. Even after the Seattle Schools, through the courts, forced the legislature to pass a Basic Education Act, the legislature left it unfunded. It is still an empty promise.

Other important issues also need a forceful approach in the State Senate where rural influences now dominate.

These challenges require Ann's civic background: President of the League of Women Voters of Seattle, 1975-77, following five years in other board positions; Citizens Advisory Board, Northwest Energy Policy Project; Co-moderator of Channel 9's election series; Lay member, Professional Standards Review Committee, Washington State Psychological Association; Board of Trustees, Plymouth Church. For Ann's leadership in Plymouth's budget process, she was named "Church Woman of the Year" in 1972.

Ann and Wayne Sandstrom have lived in their home for 22 years and raised three children. Ann has a B.S. degree from Stanford University.



**Jim  
McDERMOTT**  
Democrat

During his first term in the State Senate, Jim McDermott's leadership was recognized by his colleagues when he was appointed Chairman of the Education Committee and Vice-chairman of the Ways and Means Committee. He wrote the Basic Education Act of 1977, the law which ensures full state funding of our public schools, and was responsible for the establishment of the Senate Select Committee on Nursing Homes. Jim has worked hard to improve state programs in mental health and aging, and he has consistently supported the rights of all persons to equal opportunity.

Jim McDermott cares about his community and his state. He recognizes that new and difficult challenges are facing us now, demanding imaginative, affordable answers. His skill and experience make his a strong and effective voice for the 43rd District in the State Senate.

McDermott is a child psychiatrist in private practice in Seattle.

# State Representative

## Forty-third Legislative District



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**Warren  
PETERSON**  
Republican

Warren Peterson was endorsed by *The Seattle Times* (9/10/78). The nonpartisan Municipal League gave Warren its highest rating of "outstanding" in 1976 and again this year. His opponent has consistently been rated lower.

The 43rd District ranges from Laurelhurst and the University District to Capitol Hill and Madison Park. It takes an understanding, able person like Warren to represent such an economically, socially and politically diverse area. Warren will work hard for schools, neighborhoods, reasonable taxes and responsible budgets. Warren Peterson has the right combination of talent and experience to significantly improve our representation in Olympia.



**Jeff  
DOUTHWAITE**  
Democrat

Jeff Douthwaite, an associate professor of engineering, has eight years experience as a legislator. Bills he has sponsored, now laws, include the State Risk Management office, State Commission for the Blind, the Sea-Tac Noise Abatement Program, Bicycle Trails funding, and several insurance consumer protection laws. Helped pass Initiative 345, eliminating sales tax on food.

Always rated tops by environmentalists, educators, civil rights protection groups, labor, and consumer protection organizations.

Top priority in 1979 is full funding of basic education by 1980-81 as promised in 1977. Jeff and Mary, his wife, have three children—Charles, 25; John, 24; and Julia, 20.

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**Drake Harrison  
SISLEY**  
Republican

Every voter has the choice of higher *Taxes, Increased Inflation* and resultant lower standard of living or electing *Drake Harrison Sisley*, a fiscal conservative and inflation fighter. He is for economy and efficiency before new taxes, cost-effective state programs, a work ethic for our crowded prisons and a citizen suggestion and award system.



**William L. "Bill"  
BURNS**  
Democrat

As President of Montlake Community Club and Central Seattle Community Council Federation, Bill's vigorous work for the elderly, consumer rights, housing rehabilitation, schools without boarded windows, and neighborhood quality brought him well-deserved recognition. In his first term, he serves as Vice-chairman of the Higher Education Committee and Chairman of the Subcommittee on Services and Activities Fees. Bill also sits on the Transportation and State Government Committees and chairs the Housing Subcommittee.

In his second term, Bill will work for full funding of basic education, the creation of a State Housing Finance Agency, and preserving neighborhood quality.



**Bob  
ELLISON**  
Libertarian

We are over-regulated and over-taxed. By definition, government is not the solution, it's the problem. What we need is a new direction, a new dawn in politics. For too long, we've been inviting the politicians and bureaucrats to interfere with our lives and affairs.

If elected, I'll support legislation which reduces spending or taxes. I'll advocate decriminalizing victimless crimes. This will permit the courts and prisons to utilize their limited resources more effectively against force and fraud. I'll oppose transfer payments such as welfare, unemployment benefits, and subsidies to business.

Remember, there ain't no such thing as a free lunch.





## State Senator

Forty-fourth Legislative District



**Lois  
NORTH**  
Republican

Lois North is completing her first term in the State Senate after serving six years in the House. During these years, she has demonstrated consistent support for consumer protection, quality education, equal rights for women, environmental preservation, and economy and efficiency in government.

Lois has been a resident of the 44th District for nineteen years. She is a homeowner, mother of three sons and is presently employed in the King County Budget Department. A graduate of the University of California, she has served as President of the Seattle League of Women Voters, and was elected a Freeholder to draft a home rule charter for King County. She is a Northwest Hospital Board Trustee; member of United Way's Council of Planning Affiliates and the Shoreline Chamber of Commerce.

"The limitation of state spending by the limitation of state taxes will be one of my top priorities in the 1979 Session. By restricting state revenues to the growth or decline in state personal income, we can effectively combat the expansion of state government."

"In 1977 the Legislature made a commitment to full state funding of basic education by 1981. That promise must be kept."

Has Municipal League's highest rating — "Outstanding Incumbent."



**Emmet T.  
WALSH**  
Democrat

The voting record and personal actions of the incumbent Senator from this district do not, and never have, reflected the beliefs and aspirations of the people who reside here. I am running for the position to bring much-needed change to our lawmaking process.

I have lived in the 44th District the past fourteen and one half years at 13558 Northshire Road N.W. and have a law office on the edge of the district at 2115 N. Northgate Way. I have been married to the former Jean Jordet since 1950, and we have four children: John, 24, who is enrolled in Gonzaga Law School in Spokane; Julie, 22, a junior at Western State University in Bellingham; Jeannie, 18, a freshman at North Seattle Community College; and Jackie, 13, an eighth grader at Thomson Jr. High School.

I am a trial attorney representing the interests of individuals. After graduation from the University of Montana Law School, I served as an Assistant Attorney General in the state, and was elected twice as Prosecuting Attorney for Deer Lodge County (Anaconda, Montana). In this latter service, I had a no-nonsense approach on offenders, and kept the rights of the public uppermost in my mind.

**State Representative**  
Forty-fourth Legislative District



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**Jim  
LYON**  
Republican

Jim was born in Seattle; he is 26. He is a graduate of Ingraham High School; he holds a B.A. from Seattle Pacific University, and studied law at the University of Washington. He is employed as the Administrative Assistant for the Woodland Park Church of God, where his family has been active for four generations.

"A good representative must be a good listener. I hear people asking for a state government that will provide necessary services—like funding basic education—without new or additional taxes. I do not hear people asking for a state income tax. I hear you."



**Donn  
CHARNLEY**  
Democrat

Under Donn's leadership as Assistant Majority Floor Leader, the Scenic Rivers Act, senior citizens' tax relief and services Acts, stiff oil tanker regulations and the Transportation Act were passed. Charnley is Chairman of the Local Government Committee, where legislation affecting cities, counties, fire and sewer districts is considered.

Donn refuses to make "deals"; each issue is judged upon its own merits. Next session must review the Education Act and provide adequate funding for our schools. Charnley feels our level of taxation is adequate, but the method of taxation, which taxes most those least able to pay, must be revised.

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**Steve  
TUPPER**  
Republican

Steve Tupper opposes politicians who vote for more spending and increased taxes and then campaign as born-again fiscal conservatives.

In the next session, Steve will support: a lid on state spending so taxes don't grow faster than the average individual's income; continued 6% limitation on property tax increases; certainty of punishment, with criminals compensating victims; and property tax relief through full state funding of basic education.

The Tupperes are homeowners in North Seattle, where Steve helped found the Broadview Community Council and serves on the board of METRO's Transit Advisory Committee, American Cancer Society, Shoreline YMCA, and Ballard Rotary.



**George S.  
HURLEY**  
Democrat

George S. Hurley is running for his third successive term to the state legislature. Hurley is recognized as a "plain spoken truth teller in the House."

He believes property tax assessments should be limited to slow down increases; retired and low income property tax owners should receive exemptions; the 6% lid on property taxes (which Hurley has continued to fight for) should be maintained; lobbyist entertainment expenses for legislators should be curtailed; prisons should be upgraded and enlarged; education should not be downgraded and that a stable tax system is absolutely essential.

Hurley will work for a fair tax system.



**State Senator**  
Forty-sixth Legislative District

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**George W.  
SCOTT**  
Republican

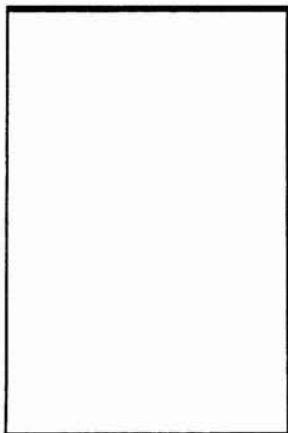
George Scott earned a Ph.D. in Northwest History at the University of Washington, taught, and was Assistant to the Dean of the Medical School before becoming Vice President and Manager of the Social Policy Department of Rainier Bancorporation. His wife, Carol, teaches music at Seattle Pacific University.

George played a key role in the successful five year fight for pension reform, and has sponsored measures to make our tax system more equitable, including senior citizen levy relief. He helped write a majority of the state's model environmental acts. Senator Scott hopes to continue service on the Higher Education and Judiciary Committees, and on Ways and Means, where he is the ranking minority member.

The Legislature's first obligation is to fulfill its pledge on full school funding, and reduced special levies. He is also at work on a constitutional amendment to limit bonded debt, a maximum security prison, a genuine merit system for state employees, limiting sessions to ninety (90) days, and consolidation of Metro and school transportation.

George wishes to express his appreciation to his constituents for the privilege of serving in the House and Senate.

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**Lawrence  
NAIL**  
Democrat

Candidate did not submit a statement and photograph for publication.

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# State Representative

## Forty-sixth Legislative District



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**Irv  
GREENGO**  
Republican

Design engineer. Graduate, University of Minnesota. Resident, Seattle, since 1949. Active in community affairs prior to appointment to the House in 1975; elected, unexpired term in 1975; re-elected in 1976. Served as member of Social and Health Services, Institutions, House Select Committee on Commerce and Economic Development, Municipal Research Council. Currently, ranking minority member on Commerce Committee and serves on Revenue and Natural Resources Committees.

Recognized as one of House's most expert members on licensing regulation. Supported educational reform measures. Believes we must work toward common-sense answers to problems with programs we can all afford. Advocate of limited length sessions.



**Jim  
TODD**  
Democrat

Jim Todd, 38, has been an active citizen in the 46th District. He led the successful effort to obtain the Burke-Gilman Trail. He's worked hard to keep our neighborhood schools open.

As an administrator, he spearheaded legislation in energy conservation, transportation planning and growth management.

Currently, the 46th District is exclusively represented by members of the minority party. This means our community is excluded from the arena where most of the decisions are made. Effective representation means getting access to the majority party leadership and seeking solutions that both parties can support. Jim Todd can be effective in this.

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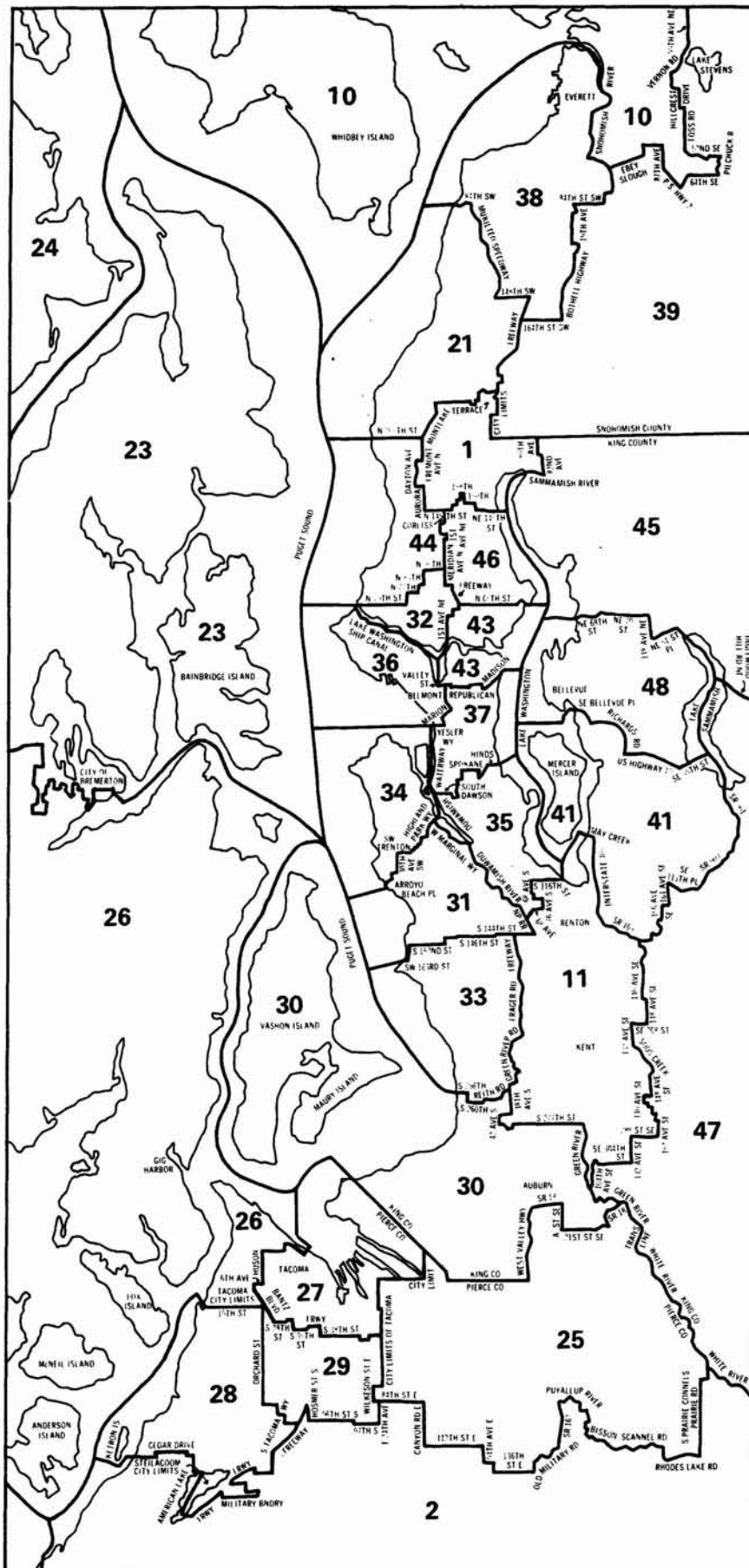
**Scott  
BLAIR**  
Republican

Scott Blair has represented the 46th District since 1971 and has also been active in many civic and community groups. He is a mechanical engineering graduate of the University of Washington, and is 48 years of age.

He is currently the ranking Republican member of the House Appropriations Committee and chairs the Subcommittee on Public Employee Compensation. He also serves on the Insurance, Elections and Governmental Ethics, and Legislative Budget Committees.

Blair is recognized as a leader in the area of public pension reform and represents Washington State on the Pensions Task Force of the National Conference of State Legislatures.



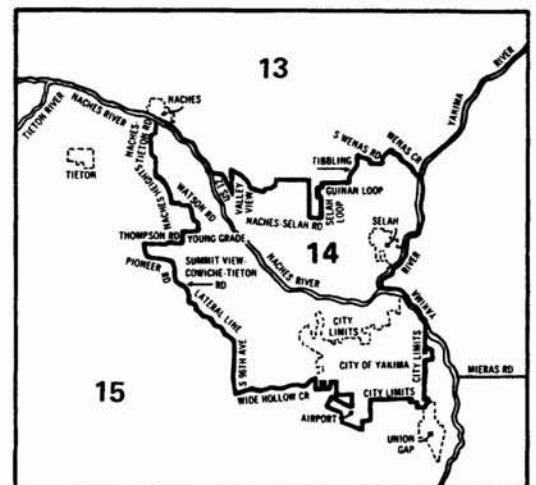


Seattle, Everett, Tacoma and vicinity

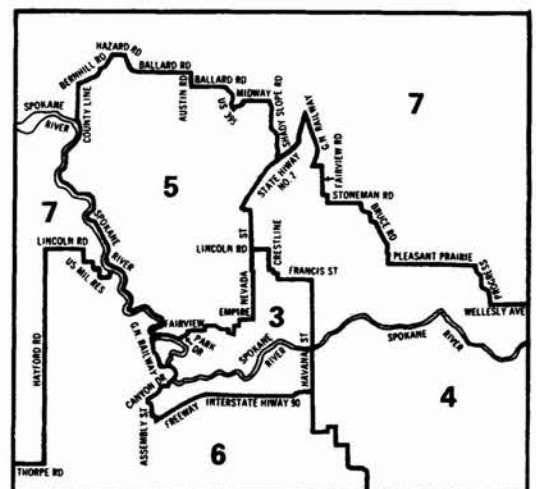
## CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS

Each of Washington's seven congressional districts is composed of seven legislative districts, grouped as follows:

CD	LEGISLATIVE DISTRICTS
1	1, 32, 36, 43, 44, 46, 48
2	10, 21, 38, 39, 40, 42, 45
3	2, 18, 19, 20, 22, 24, 47
4	8, 12, 13, 14, 15, 17, 49
5	3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 16
6	23, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30
7	11, 31, 33, 34, 35, 37, 41



Yakima and vicinity



Spokane and vicinity

## How to Obtain an Absentee Ballot:

Any registered voter who cannot vote in person may apply directly to his or her county auditor or department of elections for an absentee ballot. Any signed request containing the necessary information will be honored. For your convenience, an application is reproduced below. The addresses of the auditors or departments of election are also listed below. In order to be certain that the voters' application is authentic, the election laws require that the signature on the application be verified by comparison with the signature on the voter's permanent registration record. For this reason, if a husband and wife both wish to vote by absentee ballot, **separate**, signed requests should be submitted. An additional copy of this application form is printed in the inside front cover of this pamphlet. In order to be counted, an absentee ballot must be voted and postmarked no later than the day of the election. For this reason, sufficient time must be allowed for an exchange of correspondence with the county auditor or department of elections.

COUNTY	ADDRESS	CITY	ZIP	COUNTY	ADDRESS	CITY	ZIP
Adams	County Courthouse	Ritzville	99169	Lewis	344 West Main	Chehalis	98532
Asotin	135 Second Street	Asotin	99402	Lincoln	450 Logan Street	Davenport	99122
Benton	County Courthouse	Prosser	99350	Mason	Fourth & Alder	Shelton	98584
Chelan	County Courthouse	Wenatchee	98801	Okanogan	149 Third North	Okanogan	98840
Clallam	319 South Lincoln	Port Angeles	98362	Pacific	Memorial Avenue	South Bend	98586
Clark	12th & Franklin	Vancouver	98660	Pend Oreille	625 West Fourth	Newport	99156
Columbia	341 East Main	Dayton	99328	Pierce	930 Tacoma Avenue	Tacoma	98402
Cowlitz	309 Academy Street	Kelso	98626	San Juan	P. O. Box 638	Friday Harbor	98250
Douglas	County Courthouse	Waterville	98858	Skagit	205 Kincaid Street	Mount Vernon	98273
Ferry	County Courthouse	Republic	99166	Skamania	County Courthouse	Stevenson	98648
Franklin	1016 North Fourth	Pasco	99301	Snohomish	3000 Rockefeller	Everett	98201
Garfield	County Courthouse	Pomeroy	99347	Spokane	1116 West Broadway	Spokane	99201
Grant	P.O. Box 1028	Ephrata	98823	Stevens	South Oak Street	Colville	99114
Grays Harbor	100 West Broadway	Montesano	98563	Thurston	County Courthouse	Olympia	98502
Island	Seventh & Main	Coupeville	98239	Wahkiakum	County Courthouse	Cathlamet	98612
Jefferson	Jefferson & Cass	Port Townsend	98368	Walla Walla	315 West Main	Walla Walla	99362
King	500 Fourth Avenue	Seattle	98104	Whatcom	311 Grand Avenue	Bellingham	98225
Kitsap	614 Division Street	Port Orchard	98366	Whitman	North Main Street	Colfax	99111
Kittitas	205 West Fifth	Ellensburg	98926	Yakima	North 2nd & East "B"	Yakima	98901
Klickitat	County Courthouse	Goldendale	98620				

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# Absentee Ballot Request

I ..... HEREBY DECLARE THAT I AM A REGISTERED VOTER  
PRINT NAME FOR POSITIVE IDENTIFICATION

AT .....  
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SEND MY BALLOT TO: ☐ SAME ADDRESS AS ABOVE: ☐ THE ADDRESS BELOW:

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STREET ADDRESS CITY OR TOWN STATE ZIP

This application is for the state general election to be held November 7, 1978.

**TO BE VALID, YOUR  
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## VOTERS AND CANDIDATES PAMPHLET

### **AVISO:**

Existe traducción al español de la mayor parte del texto del Panfleto de Votantes. Si Ud desea recibir esta información en español, hágalo ordenando su ejemplar (copia) a la oficina del auditor del condado, departamento de elecciones del condado, o bien enviando su nombre y dirección a:

**SECRETARY OF STATE  
LEGISLATIVE BUILDING  
OLYMPIA, WA 98504**

El Panfleto le será enviado gratis a vuelta de correo.

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