
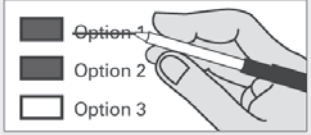






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<p>Instructions</p>	<p>State Initiatives</p>	<p>Advisory Vote No. 13 Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill 6138</p>	<p>Charter Amendment No. 4 TRANSMISSION OF REFERENDA TO VOTERS</p>
<p>How to vote</p>  <p>Use a dark blue or black ink pen to completely fill in the box to the left of your choice.</p> <p>Vote for one in each race. If you vote for more than one, no votes will be counted for that race.</p>	<p>Initiative to the People Initiative Measure No. 1366</p> <p>Initiative Measure No. 1366 concerns state taxes and fees. This measure would decrease the sales tax rate unless the legislature refers to voters a constitutional amendment requiring two-thirds legislative approval or voter approval to raise taxes, and legislative approval for fee increases.</p> <p>Should this measure be enacted into law?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p>	<p>The legislature increased business and occupation tax revenues and excluded certain software manufacturers from a retail sales tax exemption, without a vote of the people, costing \$1,449,000,000 for government spending.</p> <p>This tax increase should be:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Repealed <input type="checkbox"/> Maintained</p>	<p>The Clallam County Charter Review Commission proposes an amendment to the Clallam County Home Rule Charter, concerning the Board of Commissioners' participation in transmitting citizen referenda. This amendment would require qualified referenda to be proposed directly to the voters without prior consideration, adoption, or rejection by the Board of County Commissioners. Should this amendment be:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Rejected</p>
<p>If you make a mistake</p>  <p>Draw a line through the entire measure response or candidate's name.</p> <p>Then you may make another choice.</p>	<p>Initiative to the People Initiative Measure No. 1401</p> <p>Initiative Measure No. 1401 concerns trafficking of animal species threatened with extinction. This measure would make selling, purchasing, trading, or distributing certain animal species threatened with extinction, and products containing such species, a gross misdemeanor or class-C felony, with exemptions for certain types of transfers.</p> <p>Should this measure be enacted into law?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p>	<p>Clallam County Home Rule Charter Amendments</p> <p>Charter Amendment No. 1 ELECTIONS FOR BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS</p> <p>The Clallam County Charter Review Commission proposes an amendment to the Clallam County Home Rule Charter, concerning elections of Commissioners to the Board of County Commissioners. This amendment would require each Commissioner to be nominated and elected solely by the voters of his or her represented district, replacing the provision that allows each Commissioner to be elected at large, i.e. by a countywide majority, during the general election. Should this amendment be:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Rejected</p>	<p>Charter Amendment No. 5 SIGNATURE GATHERING FOR INITIATIVES</p> <p>The Clallam County Charter Review Commission proposes an amendment to the Clallam County Home Rule Charter, concerning the time period to gather signatures for citizen initiatives. This amendment would increase the time for gathering signatures for initiatives from ninety (90) days to one hundred and twenty (120) days. Should this amendment be:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Rejected</p>
<p>Optional write-in</p>  <p>To vote for a candidate not listed for that race, fill in the box to the left of the line and print the name of the candidate.</p>	<p>Advisory Votes</p>	<p>Charter Amendment No. 2 FREQUENCY OF CHARTER REVIEW</p> <p>The Clallam County Charter Review Commission proposes an amendment to the Clallam County Home Rule Charter, concerning the frequency the County reviews its Home Rule Charter. This amendment would require Clallam County to review its Home Rule Charter, by electing commissioners to serve on a Charter Review Commission, every five (5) years instead of every eight (8) years. Should this amendment be:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Rejected</p>	<p>Charter Amendment No. 6 DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DIRECTOR</p> <p>The Clallam County Charter Review Commission proposes an amendment to the Clallam County Home Rule Charter, concerning the Director of the Department of Community Development (DCD). This amendment would require the DCD Director to become an office appointed by the Board of County Commissioners instead of an office elected by the voting public at large. Should this amendment be:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Rejected</p>
<p>Clallam County Elections</p> <p>For a replacement ballot, or for information on Accessible Voting Units (available 20 days before Election Day), please call us at: (360) 417-2221</p>	<p>Advisory Vote No. 10 Engrossed Substitute House Bill 1449</p> <p>The legislature imposed, without a vote of the people, oil spill response and administration taxes to apply to crude oil or petroleum products transported by railroad, costing \$17,000,000, for government spending.</p> <p>This tax increase should be:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Repealed <input type="checkbox"/> Maintained</p>	<p>Charter Amendment No. 3 TRANSMISSION OF INITIATIVES TO VOTERS</p> <p>The Clallam County Charter Review Commission proposes an amendment to the Clallam County Home Rule Charter, concerning the Board of Commissioners' participation in transmitting citizen initiatives. This amendment would require qualified initiatives to be proposed directly to the voters without prior consideration, adoption, or rejection by the Board of County Commissioners. Should this amendment be:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Rejected</p>	<p>Charter Amendment No. 7 HOME RULE CHARTER INTERPRETATION</p> <p>The Clallam County Charter Review Commission proposes an amendment to the Clallam County Home Rule Charter, concerning the interpretation of the Clallam County Home Rule Charter. This amendment would require charter interpretations to afford Clallam County those powers conferred to charter counties under state law and this home rule charter. Should this amendment be:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Rejected</p>
<p>Be an Informed Voter</p> <p>Local Voters' Pamphlet</p> <p>Looking for information about local candidates and ballot measures? Our new Clallam County Voters' Pamphlet can be found inside the State Voters' Pamphlet. Or visit the Clallam County Elections website to view our Online Voters' Guide.</p> <p>www.clallam.net/elections</p>	<p>Advisory Vote No. 11 Second Substitute Senate Bill 5052</p> <p>The legislature imposed, without a vote of the people, the marijuana excise tax on medical marijuana sales, costing an amount that cannot currently be estimated, for government spending.</p> <p>This tax increase should be:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Repealed <input type="checkbox"/> Maintained</p>	<p>Advisory Vote No. 12 Second Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill 5987</p> <p>The legislature imposed, without a vote of the people, additional taxes on motor vehicle and special fuels costing an estimated \$3,707,000,000 in the first ten years, for government spending.</p> <p>This tax increase should be:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Repealed <input type="checkbox"/> Maintained</p>	<p>Charter Amendment No. 8 CHARTER REVIEW COMMISSIONERS' ELECTED TERM</p> <p>The Clallam County Charter Review Commission proposes an amendment to the Clallam County Home Rule Charter, concerning the Charter Review Commission Members' one-year term of office. This amendment would cause the commissioners' one-year term to begin on the first day of January, instead of beginning on the day of their election. Should this amendment be:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Rejected</p>
<p>Who donates to campaigns? View contributors for candidates and measures</p> <p>Public Disclosure Commission www.pdc.wa.gov Toll Free (877) 601-2828</p>			<p>Continue voting next side </p>



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<p>If a primary election was held for an office, the two candidates who received the most votes in the Primary advanced to the General Election.</p>	<p>City Offices</p> <p>City of Forks Council Position No. 1</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Juanita Weissenfels</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>School District</p> <p>Port Angeles School District 121 Director Position No. 3</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Joshua Jones</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Gene Erickson</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Sequim School District 323 Proposition No. 1 SCHOOL IMPROVEMENTS GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS - \$49,300,000</p> <p>The Board of Sequim School District No. 323 adopted Resolution No. 06-2014/2015 concerning capital improvements to District facilities. This proposition authorizes the District to renovate Greywolf Elementary School to increase its capacity, repurpose Haller Elementary, construct a new elementary school, expand the capacity of Sequim High School, improve school safety and security, and make other capital improvements, and authorizes the District to issue \$49,300,000 of general obligation bonds maturing within a maximum term of 20 years and levy annual excess property taxes to repay the bonds, as provided in Resolution No. 06-2014/2015. Should this proposition be:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Approved</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Rejected</p>
	<p>City of Forks Council Position No. 4</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Kevin Hinch</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Port Angeles School District 121 Director Position No. 4</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Lonnie Linn</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Rick Marti</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>County: Partisan Office</p> <p>County Commissioner District No. 1</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Jim McEntire (Prefers Republican Party)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Mark Ozias (Prefers Democrat Party)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>
<p>City of Forks Council Position No. 5</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Christina (Stina) Kohout</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Jon Preston</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Port Angeles School District 121 Director Position No. 5</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Jerusha Henson</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Susan Shothhafer</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>		
<p>City of Port Angeles Council Position No. 5</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Michael Merideth</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Marolee Smith</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Crescent School District 313 Director Position No. 3</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Trisha Haggerty</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Cape Flattery School District 401 Director District No. 2</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Gregory Colfax</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>	
<p>City of Port Angeles Council Position No. 6</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Sissi Bruch</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Crescent School District 313 Director Position No. 4</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Susan Hopper</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Cape Flattery School District 401 Director District No. 4</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Donald R. Baker</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>	
<p>City of Port Angeles Council Position No. 7</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Dan Bateham</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Cherie Kidd</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Sequim School District 323 Director District No. 1</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Robin Henrikson</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Heather Jeffers</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Cape Flattery School District 401 Director District No. 5</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Tracey Rascon</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>	
<p>City of Sequim Council Position No. 1</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Brandon Janisse</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Pam Leonard-Ray</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Sequim School District 323 Director District No. 3</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Jim Stoffer</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Charla Wright</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Quillayute Valley School District 402 Director District No. 1</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Val James Giles</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>	
<p>City of Sequim Council Position No. 2</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> John Miller</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Susan Lorenzen</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Sequim School District 323 Director At Large, Position No. 5</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Heather Short</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> William Payne</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Quillayute Valley School District 402 Director District No. 3</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Bill Rohde</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>	
<p>City of Sequim Council Position No. 6</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Ken Hays</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>		<p>Quillayute Valley School District 402 Director District No. 5</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Mike Reaves</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>	
<p>City of Sequim Council Position No. 7</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> James Russell</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Candace Pratt</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>		<p>Fire District</p> <p>Fire District 1 Commissioner Position No. 4 4-year unexpired term</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> James Lew McGill</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>	
<p>Hospital District</p> <p>Hospital District 1 Commissioner District No. 3</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Donald Lawley</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>		<p>Fire District 1 Commissioner Position No. 5</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Lowell P. McQuoid</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>	
<p>Hospital District 2 Commissioner District No. 1 Position No. 2</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> J. Thomas Oblak</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>			
<p>Hospital District 2 Commissioner District No. 3 Position No. 1</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Jim Cammack</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>			
<p>Hospital District 2 Commissioner At Large</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Jim Leskinovitch</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>			



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<p>Fire District 1 Proposition No. 1 Proposition Authorizing Property Tax Levy</p> <p>The Board of Clallam County Fire Protection District No. 1 adopted Resolution No. 2015-051, concerning a proposition to fund District operations.</p> <p>This proposition authorizes the District to establish a regular property tax levy of \$.75 per \$1,000.00 of assessed valuation for collection in 2016 and authorizes annual increases of up to 3% for each of the five succeeding years to fund a paid fire chief position and to maintain or increase staffing and service levels. The maximum allowable levy in 2020 shall serve as the base for subsequent levy limitations as provided in Chapter 84.55 RCW.</p> <p>Should this proposition be approved or rejected?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Rejected</p>	<p>Parks & Recreation District</p> <p>Park and Rec District 1 (SARC) Commissioner Position No. 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Melinda Griffith <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Park and Rec District 1 (SARC) Commissioner Position No. 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Bill Jeffers <input type="checkbox"/> Gill R. Goodman <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Park and Rec District 1 (SARC) Commissioner Position No. 5 <input type="checkbox"/> Jan L. Richardson <input type="checkbox"/></p>		
<p>Fire District 2 Commissioner Position No. 2 <input type="checkbox"/> David R. Whitney <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Quillayute Valley Park and Rec District Commissioner Position No. 3 4-year short and full term <input type="checkbox"/> David Gedlund <input type="checkbox"/></p>		
<p>Fire District 3 Commissioner Position No. 1 6-year short and full term <input type="checkbox"/> G. Michael Gawley <input type="checkbox"/> Sean Ryan <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Quillayute Valley Park and Rec District Commissioner Position No. 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Nedra Reed <input type="checkbox"/></p>		
<p>Fire District 4 Commissioner Position No. 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Donna Kay Buck <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Quillayute Valley Park and Rec District Commissioner Position No. 5 <input type="checkbox"/> Gordon Gibbs <input type="checkbox"/></p>		
<p>Fire District 5 Commissioner Position No. 2 6-year short and full term <input type="checkbox"/> Glen McDaniel <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Water District</p> <p>Black Diamond Water District Commissioner District No. 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Sarah Martinez <input type="checkbox"/></p>		
<p>Fire District 6 Commissioner Position No. 1 2-year unexpired term <input type="checkbox"/> Scott Horton <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Sunland Water District Commissioner Position No. 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Albert Friess <input type="checkbox"/></p>		
<p>Fire District 6 Commissioner Position No. 3 6-year short and full term <input type="checkbox"/> Tom Rosmond <input type="checkbox"/></p>			



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