

Sample Ballot  
2015 General Election Sample Ballot  
Skagit County, Washington  
November 03, 2015

All Precincts

Instructions

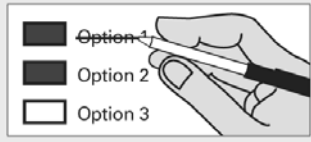
How to vote



Use a dark blue or black ink pen to completely fill in the box to the left of your choice.

Vote for one in each race. If you vote for more than one, no votes will be counted for that race.

If you make a mistake



Draw a line through the entire measure response or candidate's name.

Then you may make another choice.

Optional write-in



To vote for a candidate not listed for that race, fill in the box to the left of "or write-in" and print the name on the dashed line.

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Statewide Measures

State Initiatives

Initiative Measure No. 1366

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.

Should this measure be enacted into law?

Vote for one

Yes

No

Initiative Measure No. 1401

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.

Should this measure be enacted into law?

Vote for one

Yes

No

Advisory Votes

Advisory Vote No. 10

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.

This tax increase should be:

Vote for one

Repealed

Maintained

Advisory Vote No. 11

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.

This tax increase should be:

Vote for one

Repealed

Maintained

Advisory Vote No. 12

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.

This tax increase should be:

Vote for one

Repealed

Maintained

Advisory Vote No. 13

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.

This tax increase should be:

Vote for one

Repealed

Maintained

Cities and Towns

City of Anacortes

Ward 1

Council Position 1

Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one

Ryan Walters

or write-in:

City of Anacortes

Ward 2

Council Position 2

Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one

Brad Adams

or write-in:

City of Anacortes

Ward 3

Council Position 3

Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one

Eric Johnson

or write-in:

City Of Burlington

Mayor

Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one

Steve Sexton

or write-in:

City Of Burlington

Council Ward 1

Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one

Ted Montgomery

or write-in:

City Of Burlington

Council Ward 2

Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one

Edith (Edie) Edmundson

or write-in:

City Of Burlington

Council Ward 3

Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one

Richard (Rick) DeGloria

or write-in:

Town of Concrete

Proposition No.1

Annexation into Upper Skagit

Partial-County Rural Library District

Shall the Town of Concrete be annexed into and be part of the Upper Skagit Partial-County Rural Library District?

Vote for one

Yes

No

Town Of Concrete

Council Position 1

Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one

Rob Thomas

Bill Sullivan

or write-in:

Town Of Concrete

Council Position 2

Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one

David Pfeiffer

Maryann Holbrook

or write-in:

Town Of Concrete

Council Position 4

Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one

Marla Reed

or write-in:

Town Of Concrete

Council Position 5

Non-partisan office/2 year unexpired term/Vote for one

Ginger Kyritsis

or write-in:

Town Of Hamilton

Mayor

Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one

Joan Cromley

Mathew Coker

or write-in:

Town Of Hamilton

Council Position 1

Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one

Timothy Morrison

or write-in:

Town Of Hamilton

Council Position 2

Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one

Brian Kirkpatrick

or write-in:

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Town Of Hamilton  
Council Position 3  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Bethany Betlem  
 or write-in:

Town Of Lyman  
Council Position 3  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Charles (Dick) Saunders  
 Mike Swanson  
 or write-in:

City of Sedro-Woolley  
Council Ward 1  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Judith Dunn Lee  
 or write-in:

Concrete School District No. 11  
Director District 2  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Michael Brondi  
 or write-in:

Town Of Hamilton  
Council Position 4  
Non-partisan office/2 year unexpired term/Vote for one  
 James S. Bates  
 or write-in:

Town Of Lyman  
Council Position 4  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Ryein Kitchen  
 Mike Couch  
 or write-in:

City of Sedro-Woolley  
Council Ward 4  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Robert Hickman  
 Julia M. Johnson  
 or write-in:

Concrete School District No. 11  
Director District 5, At-Large  
Non-partisan office/4 year short-full term/Vote for one  
 Dolores Elliott  
 or write-in:

Town Of Hamilton  
Council Position 5  
Non-partisan office/2 year unexpired term/Vote for one  
 Lisa R. Johnson  
 Mike Brockman  
 or write-in:

Town Of Lyman  
Council Position 5  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Donald Frye  
 Gail Ganga  
 or write-in:

City of Sedro-Woolley  
Council Ward 5  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Charles (Chuck) Owen  
 Hugh Galbraith  
 or write-in:

Conway School District No. 317  
Director Position 1  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Thomas Sicklesteel  
 or write-in:

Town Of La Conner  
Mayor  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Ramon Hayes  
 or write-in:

City Of Mount Vernon  
Mayor  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Bob Fiedler  
 Jill Boudreau  
 or write-in:

**School Districts**  
Anacortes School District No. 103  
Director Position 3  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Marilyn Hanesworth  
 or write-in:

Conway School District No. 317  
Director Position 4  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Wade Melton  
 or write-in:

Town Of La Conner  
Council Position 1  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Charity Christine Starkenburg  
 Jacques Brunisholz  
 or write-in:

City Of Mount Vernon  
Council Ward 1  
Position 1  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Joe Lindquist  
 or write-in:

Anacortes School District No. 103  
Director Position 4  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 William Shaw  
 or write-in:

Conway School District No. 317  
Director Position 5  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Jessica Bell Hinderstein  
 or write-in:

Town Of La Conner  
Council Position 4  
Non-partisan office/2 year unexpired term/Vote for one  
 David Ritchie  
 MaryLee Chamberlain  
 or write-in:

City Of Mount Vernon  
Council Ward 2  
Position 1  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Mark Hulst  
 or write-in:

Anacortes School District No. 103  
Director Position 5  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Karl W. Yost  
 or write-in:

Darrington School District No. 330  
Director District #1  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Jennifer M. West  
 or write-in:

Town Of La Conner  
Council Position 5  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Bill Bruch  
 or write-in:

City Of Mount Vernon  
Council Ward 3  
Position 1  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Patrick Miller  
 Mary A Hudson  
 or write-in:

Burlington-Edison School District No.100  
Director District 1  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 David D. Lowell  
 or write-in:

Darrington School District No. 330  
Director District #2  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 W. Alan Pickard  
 or write-in:

Town Of Lyman  
Mayor  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Edward E. Hills  
 or write-in:

City Of Sedro-Woolley  
Mayor  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Kevin Loy  
 Keith Wagoner  
 or write-in:

Burlington-Edison School District No.100  
Director District 3  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Bill Wallace  
 or write-in:

Darrington School District No. 330  
Director District #3  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Dana Meis  
 or write-in:

Burlington-Edison School District No.100  
Director District 4  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Rich Wesen  
 or write-in:

Darrington School District No. 330  
Director-At-Large Position 5  
Non-partisan office/2 year unexpired term/Vote for one  
 Joe Perrault  
 or write-in:

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La Conner School District No. 311  
Director District 1  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Kate Szurek  
 or write-in:

Hospital Districts

Hospital District 1  
Commissioner Position 1  
Non-partisan office/6 year term/Vote for one  
 Balisa Koetje  
 Al Dennis  
 or write-in:

Port Of Skagit  
Commissioner Position 3  
Non-partisan office/6 year term/Vote for one  
 William J. (Bill) Shuler  
 Pola Kelley  
 or write-in:

Fire District 8  
Commissioner Position 3  
Non-partisan office/6 year term/Vote for one  
 Jonathan H LaCount  
 Chester (Chet) Griffith  
 or write-in:

La Conner School District No. 311  
Director District 2  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Janie Beasley  
 or write-in:

Fire Districts

Fire District 1  
Commissioner Position 3  
Non-partisan office/6 year term/Vote for one  
 Daryl A. Hamburg  
 or write-in:

Fire District 9  
Commissioner Position 3  
Non-partisan office/6 year term/Vote for one  
 Steve Harmon  
 or write-in:

La Conner School District No. 311  
Director District 4  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Rick Thompson  
 or write-in:

Hospital District 1  
Commissioner Position 6  
Non-partisan office/6 year term/Vote for one  
 Peter Browning  
 Pattie K. Lewis  
 or write-in:

Fire District 2  
Commissioner Position 3  
Non-partisan office/6 year term/Vote for one  
 Lance Masonholder  
 or write-in:

Fire District 10  
Commissioner Position 3  
Non-partisan office/6 year term/Vote for one  
 Richard Taylor  
 or write-in:

Mount Vernon School District No. 320  
Director District 1  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Olivia Deleon  
 or write-in:

Hospital District 1  
Commissioner Position 7  
Non-partisan office/6 year term/Vote for one  
 Bruce G. Lisser  
 or write-in:

Fire District 3  
Commissioner Position 3  
Non-partisan office/6 year term/Vote for one  
 Travis W. Coulter  
 or write-in:

Fire District 11  
Commissioner Position 3  
Non-partisan office/6 year term/Vote for one  
 Thomas R. Walsh  
 or write-in:

Mount Vernon School District No. 320  
Director District 2  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Robert Coffey  
 or write-in:

Hospital District 2  
Commissioner Position 2  
Non-partisan office/6 year term/Vote for one  
 Warren Tessler  
 or write-in:

Fire District 4  
Commissioner Position 2  
Non-partisan office/2 year unexpired term/Vote for one  
 John Matterand  
 or write-in:

Fire District 12  
Commissioner Position 3  
Non-partisan office/6 year term/Vote for one  
 Norm Jenkins  
 or write-in:

Mount Vernon School District No. 320  
Director District 3  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Thomas (TJ) Larrick  
 or write-in:

Hospital District 2  
Commissioner Position 3  
Non-partisan office/6 year term/Vote for one  
 Paul M. Maughan  
 or write-in:

Fire District 4  
Commissioner Position 3  
Non-partisan office/6 year term/Vote for one  
 Gary Friend  
 or write-in:

Fire District 13  
Commissioner Position 2  
Non-partisan office/2 year unexpired term/Vote for one  
 Larry Kibbee  
 or write-in:

Sedro-Woolley School District No. 101  
Director District 2  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Christina Jepperson  
 or write-in:

Hospital District 304  
Commissioner Position 1  
Non-partisan office/6 year term/Vote for one  
 Andrew C. Hunter  
 or write-in:

Fire District 5  
Commissioner Position 3  
Non-partisan office/6 year term/Vote for one  
 David Lohman  
 or write-in:

Fire District 13  
Commissioner Position 3  
Non-partisan office/6 year term/Vote for one  
 Charles (Chuck) Hedlund  
 or write-in:

Sedro-Woolley School District No. 101  
Director District 3  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Rich Weyrich  
 Gary K Johnson  
 or write-in:

Port Districts

Port Of Anacortes  
Commissioner Position 3  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Joe Verdoes  
 Judy L. Berentson  
 or write-in:

Fire District 6  
Commissioner Position 3  
Non-partisan office/6 year term/Vote for one  
 Jerry Kaufman  
 David Smoots  
 or write-in:

Fire District 14  
Commissioner Position 3  
Non-partisan office/6 year term/Vote for one  
 Steve Thomas  
 or write-in:

Port Of Anacortes  
Commissioner Position 4  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Pat D. Mooney  
 John Pope  
 or write-in:

Fire District 7  
Commissioner Position 3  
Non-partisan office/6 year term/Vote for one  
 Larry Hawk  
 or write-in:

Fire District 15  
Commissioner Position 1  
Non-partisan office/4 year unexpired term/Vote for one  
 Lowell E Jonson  
 or write-in:

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Fire District 15  
Commissioner Position 3  
Non-partisan office/6 year term/Vote for one  
 Wes Miller  
 or write-in:

Cemetery District 3  
Commissioner Position 1  
Non-partisan office/6 year term/Vote for one  
 Adam Veal  
 or write-in:

Fidalgo Pool And Fitness Center District  
Commissioner Position 4  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Melvin Larsen  
 or write-in:

Fire District 16  
Commissioner Position 3  
Non-partisan office/6 year term/Vote for one  
 Kathy Henderson  
 or write-in:

Cemetery District 3  
Commissioner Position 3  
Non-partisan office/2 year unexpired term/Vote for one  
 Daniel Burnett  
 or write-in:

**Sewer Districts**

Sewer District 1  
Commissioner Position 2  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 John Nagel  
 or write-in:

Fire District 19  
Commissioner Position 1  
Non-partisan office/4 year unexpired term/Vote for one  
 Lee Fenley  
 or write-in:

Cemetery District 4  
Commissioner Position 1  
Non-partisan office/6 year term/Vote for one  
 C. Henrik Brameus  
 or write-in:

Sewer District 2  
Commissioner Position 3  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Jim Hanson  
 or write-in:

Fire District 19  
Commissioner Position 3  
Non-partisan office/6 year term/Vote for one  
 Clay Norris  
 or write-in:

Cemetery District 6  
Commissioner Position 1  
Non-partisan office/6 year term/Vote for one  
 D. Scott Thompson  
 or write-in:

**Water District**

Skagit County Water District 1  
Commissioner Position 1  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Josh Guffie  
 or write-in:

Fire District 24  
Commissioner Position #2  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Dale Hamlin  
 or write-in:

**Park District**

Fidalgo Pool And Fitness Center District  
Proposition No. 1  
**Maintenance Operation Levy**  
Shall Fidalgo Pool & Fitness Center District continue to be funded for the six years (2016-2021) by a tax of approximately \$0.1394 cents per \$1,000 assessed valuation (for example \$100,000 assessed property value equals \$13.94 per year) to provide \$618,394 in 2016, with additional increases if deemed necessary that will not exceed 1% each year, to pay part of maintenance and operational expenses, with taxes to be collected in 2016-2021. This amount is exclusive of additional revenue resulting from new construction, improvements to property, newly constructed wind turbines, any increase in value of state assessed property, and any annexations that have occurred or refunds made.  
Vote for one  
 Yes  
 No

**End of ballot**

Fire District 24  
Commissioner Position #5  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Richard Dahl  
 or write-in:

**Cemetery Districts**

Cemetery District 1  
Commissioner Position 1  
Non-partisan office/6 year term/Vote for one  
 Gail Thulen  
 or write-in:

Cemetery District 1  
Commissioner Position 2  
Non-partisan office/4 year unexpired term/Vote for one  
 Eric L. Anderson (Rick)  
 or write-in:

Fidalgo Pool And Fitness Center District  
Commissioner Position 1  
Non-partisan office/4 year term/Vote for one  
 Jeremy F. McNett  
 or write-in:

Cemetery District 2  
Commissioner Position 1  
Non-partisan office/6 year term/Vote for one  
 John Pinquoch  
 or write-in:

Fidalgo Pool And Fitness Center District  
Commissioner Position 2  
Non-partisan office/4 year short-full term/Vote for one  
 David Way  
 or write-in:

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