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ELECTIONS -- (503) 986-1518

August 3, 2009

The Honorable Pete Sorenson, Chairperson Lane County Commissioners 125 E 8th Ave Eugene OR 97401

Re: Vacancy in Senate District 7

Dear Chair Sorenson and Commissioners:

Effective July 15, 2009, there is a vacancy in Senate District 7 due to the resignation of State Senator Vicki Walker.

Pursuant to ORS 171.060(1) and OAR 165-010-0060, you are hereby notified of the vacancy. The Democratic Party precinct committee persons of Senate District 7 met on July 30, 2009, to choose nominees to fill the vacancy. The nominees chosen are:

- 1. Robert L. Ackerman
- 2. Mark Callahan
- 3. Chris Edwards

The Lane County Board of Commissioners is hereby directed to meet to appoint one person from the list. The time and location of the meeting are as follows:

Time:

9:45 a.m.

Date:

August 5, 2009

Place:

County Courthouse, Harris Hall

125 E 8th Ave.

Eugene, Oregon 97401

Enclosed is a copy of the Administrative Rule outlining the procedures to conduct a meeting to fill a vacancy in the Legislative Assembly. Also enclosed is a Statement for use in notifying the Secretary of State of the appointment including a signature sheet and a vote tabulation sheet. You may produce and use your own version of these documents if you wish. Please complete and return the Statement, signature sheet and tabulation sheet immediately after the meeting.

Please contact me at (503) 986-1518 if you have any questions about this process.

Sincerely,

Margie Franz

Compliance Specialist

Enclosures

c: Lane County Elections

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FOR LANE COUNTY

In the matter of Filling the Vacancy in the Legislative Assembly, State Senate, District 7

WHEREAS, pursuant to state law, the Democratic Party Precinct			
Committeepersons in Senate District 7 made nominations to fill the vacancy; and			
WHEREAS, in accord with procedures established by the Secretary of			
State, the Board of County Commissioners of Lane County considered the			
nominations at a public meeting on August 5, 2009; and			
WHEREAS, at the conclusion of the public meeting the Commissioners			
voted to appoint (nominee) to fill the vacancy, said			
nominee having received the highest number of votes as indicated on the vote			
abulation attached as Exhibit A,			
NOW, THEREFORE, is selected as the appointee t			
ill the vacancy in the Legislative Assembly, State Senate, District 7;			
This Statement shall promptly be forwarded to the Secretary of State as			

required by ORS 171. 060(3).

ADOPTED this 5th day of August, 2009.

By:	
	Pete Sorenson, Chair
	Lane County
	Bill Dwyer, Commissioner
	Lane County
	Faye Stewart, Commissioner
	Lane County
	Bill Fleenor, Commissioner
	Lane County
	Rob Handy, Commissioner
	Lane County

EXHIBIT A

VOTE TABULATION

In the matter of filling the vacancy in the Legislative Assembly, State Senate, Seventh District, the following votes were cast at the public meeting held on <u>August 5, 2009</u>:

Pete Sorenson, Chair Lane County	<u>Nominee</u>
Bill Dwyer, Commissioner Lane County	
Faye Stewart, Commissioner Lane County	
Bill Fleenor, Commissioner Lane County	
Rob Handy, Commissioner Lane County	