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Oregon Secretary of State

# DIRECTIVE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

**NUMBER:** 2026-07  
**DATE:** June 16, 2026  
**SUBJECT:** 2026 Primary Election Automatic Recount of Ballots: State Representative, 57<sup>th</sup> District, Democratic Nomination

The Secretary of State, in carrying out the duties of the office, shall issue detailed directives necessary to maintain uniformity in the application, operation, and interpretation of Oregon election laws.<sup>1</sup> The information provided here is an official directive of the Secretary of State.

The Secretary of State is the filing officer for the office of State Representative, 57<sup>th</sup> District. According to the results certified to the Secretary of State by the county election officials in the counties that make up State Representative, District 57, there is a tie for the Democratic nomination. Pursuant to ORS 258.280(1)(a), an automatic recount is ordered on State Representative, 57<sup>th</sup> District, for the Democratic nomination. The automatic recount must be conducted and results certified to the Secretary of State no later than June 24, 2026. Based on the results certified by each county election official, the following batches or precincts are subject to the automatic recount in the identified county.

Clackamas	355
Gilliam	PRECINCT 1, PRECINCT 6, PRECINCT 7
Jefferson	WARM SPRINGS (14), AGENCY PLAINS (23)
Marion	982, 983
Morrow	01 BOARDMAN, 02 IRRIGON, 03 LEXINGTON, 04 IONE, 05 HEPPNER/HARDMAN
Sherman	Rufus, Wasco, Moro, Grass Valley, Kent

<sup>1</sup> [ORS 246.110](#); [ORS 246.120](#).

Umatilla	101-UMATILLA, OUTSIDE CITY, 102-UMATILLA, CITY OF, 103-HERMISTON, OUTSIDE CITY, 104-HERMISTON, OUTSIDE CITY, 105-HERMISTON, OUTSIDE CITY, 106R-STANFIELD, OUTSIDE CITY, 108C-HELIX, CITY OF, 108R-HELIX, OUTSIDE CITY, 115-PENDLETON, OUTSIDE CITY, 119-UMAPINE, OUTSIDE CITY, 120-MILTON-FRWTR, OUTSIDE CITY, 123-MILTON-FRWTR, OUTSIDE CITY, 124R-ATHENA, OUTSIDE CITY, 125R-WESTON, OUTSIDE CITY, 126-HERMISTON, CITY OF, 127-HERMISTON, CITY OF, 128-HERMISTON, CITY OF, 129-HERMISTON, CITY OF, 130-HERMISTON, CITY OF, 131-MILTON-FRWTR, CITY OF
Wasco	07 Mill Creek South - Dry Hollow, 08 Dufur, 09 Tygh Valley-Wamic, 10 Maupin City, W Maupin, Warm Springs, 11 Antelope, Shaniko, E Maupin, 12 Petersburg
Wheeler	FOS, MIT, SPR

Please provide notice of the following to the Elections Division before the recount:

- The date, time and location of the recount
- The expected duration of the recount
- The number of counting boards to be appointed for the recount

Follow instructions in the attached Automatic Recount Instruction document and:


- Appoint Counting Boards
- Collect written authorization from affected parties as Official Observers
- Record vote tally on SEL 797 form
- Certify Votes for Recount to the Secretary of State.

**APPEAL**

This Directive 2026-07 may be appealed to the Marion County Circuit Court within 60 days of its issuance under ORS 246.910.

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