State Voters' Pamphlet Deadlines

Applicable to candidates for state offices and candidates for local offices eligible to appear in the state voters' pamphlet.

First Day to File Prospective Petition (other than candidates for US Representative or State Legislature)	September 9, 2021
First Day to File Prospective Petition (candidates for US Representative or State Legislature)	January 1, 2022
First Day to File by Fee or Completed Petition	January 17, 2022
Last Day to File by Fee or Completed Petition	March 10, 2022, 5:00:00 pm
Last Day to Withdraw	March 10, 2022, 5:00:00 pm
Last Day to Submit Signatures for Guaranteed Verification	February 24, 2022, 5:00:00 pm
Statements Become Public	March 16, 2022



We can provide information on who has submitted a voters' pamphlet filing, but cannot disclose the content until the 4th business day after the filing deadline.

Filing Requirements for State Candidates

Office	Fee	Word Count	Signature	Requirements
US Senator US Representative	\$3,000 \$2,500	325 325	500 300	✓ Signers must be active registered voters of the district
Governor	\$3,000	325	500	 ✓ Signers DO NOT have to be registered in the same political party as the candidate ✓ Signatures are verified by the Elections Division on a first come, first serve basis
State Senator State Representative	\$750	325	200	
Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor and Industries	\$3,000	325	500	
Supreme Court Judge Court of Appeals Judge	\$3,000	325	500	
Circuit Court Judge District Attorney	\$600	325	200	

Filing Requirements for Local Candidates

Local candidates, including metropolitan service district candidates, county candidates or city candidates in cities with populations over 50,000 (Albany, Beaverton, Bend, Corvallis, Eugene, Gresham, Hillsboro, Medford, Portland, Salem, Springfield and Tigard) may file statements for inclusion in the state voters' pamphlet **only** if the county does not print its own voters' pamphlet.

County Office	Fee	Word Count	Signature	Requirements
Eligible offices	\$600	325	200	✓ Signers must be active registered voters of the district
i If the county is producing a voters' pamphlet the statement must be filed directly with the county. Contact the county elections official for information as to whether the county is publishing a voters' pamphlet and if so, how to be included.				 ✓ Signers DO NOT have to be the same political party as the candidate ✓ Signatures verified by Appropriate County Elections Official

City Office	Fee	Word Count	Signature	e Requirements
Eligible offices (i) Candidates in a multi-count producing a voters' pamphle filing for the state voters' pamphlet. Contact the count to whether the county is purhow to be included.	et. In some i mphlet as w ty elections	nstances, this ma vell as a county vo official for inform	y mean oters' nation as	 ✓ Applicable for cities with population over 50,000 ✓ Signers must be active registered voters of the district ✓ Signers DO NOT have to be the same political party as the candidate ✓ Signatures verified by Appropriate County Elections Official

District Office

Metropolitan service district candidates may appear in the state voters' pamphlet only if the county the district is located in, is not producing a voters' pamphlet. No other district candidates may appear in the state voters' pamphlet. If the county the special district is located in does not produce a voters' pamphlet, the candidate will not appear in any official voters' pamphlet. Contact the county elections official for information as to whether the county is publishing a voters' pamphlet and if so, how to be included.

Filing Requirements for State and Local Measures

State Measure

At this time no state measures will appear on the 2022 primary election ballot.

Local Measure

- (i) A county measure, a community college district measure relating to bonding, or metropolitan service district measure may only appear in the state voters' pamphlet in the following circumstances:
- **1** The county is not producing a voters' pamphlet;
- **2** A ballot title and explanatory statement are drafted and a process is in place for review of the ballot title and explanatory statement;
- 3 Submission of arguments is allowed by county charter or ordinance and the cost of submission is no more than \$300 or 1,000 signatures;

and

- 4 A request is filed with the county elections official that the measure be included in the voters' pamphlet.
- (1) City measures are not eligible to appear in the State Voters' Pamphlet.

Eligible Measures	Fee	Word Count	Required	l Signatures
Contact your county.	County sets	325	County sets	 ✓ Signers must be active registered voters of the county ✓ Process is coordinated by county elections official

How to File in ORESTAR

All candidate statements must be submitted electronically using ORESTAR. Filers are required to have a user account in ORESTAR to submit a statement for inclusion in the state voters' pamphlet. General steps to get filers started are outlined on the next page. Detailed steps can be found in the ORESTAR User's Manual: Voters' Pamphlet Filing available at www.oregonvotes.gov.

Basic ORESTAR Steps

- 1 Create an ORESTAR user account.
- **2** Access your Private Workshop by logging into ORESTAR.
- 3 Click Submit New Filing from the vertical menu bar in the left frame of ORESTAR and select File Voters' Pamphlet Statement/Argument.
- **4** Complete all required fields in the Filing Information and Statement Tabs.
- If you are submitting signatures instead of paying the fee, you cannot change your statement or argument unless you begin the petition process again or pay the required filing fee.
- **5** Upload photos and statement of endorsements in the Uploads tab.
 - ✓ Your photo and any statements of endorsements are due no later than 5:00:00 pm, on March 10, 2022. They are not required to be submitted with your initial filing.
- **6** Once complete click Submit Filing to attest to the accuracy of the statement/argument and to pay fee or request approval to circulate.

Statement of Endorsements

If you use the name of a person or organization in your statement or argument as supporting or endorsing your or a measure, you must have that person's or the organizations permission. Their permission for you to use their name is documented on the SEL 400 Statement of Endorsement form. You must submit a completed and signed SEL 400 for each person or organization identified in your statement or argument or include a publicly disseminated quote identified by source and date.