

# Committee plans Rust recall drive

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Lane County Commissioner Jerry Rust may have to face a recall election if the Committee to Recall Rust procures the necessary 15,333 signatures from registered voters in Lane County.

The committee claims Rust has voted against the best interests of taxpayers and presented a seven point list of allegations against Rust at a Tuesday press conference.

Ralph Peterson, a county commissioner during the 1950's and John Dotsun, an unsuccessful county commissioner candidate in 1976, are chair and treasurer of the group. Dotsun

claimed that "at least" 600 people from around the county are working on the recall drive.

"Naturally we'll get the signatures," Dotsun said, "A representative from every community in the county came to pick up a petition today."

If the recall drive is successful Rust, who is currently chair of the board, can choose to resign within five days or face a recall election within the following 20 days.

"If they do get the signatures," Hal Hartzell, a Rust aid said, "Jerry will not resign." Rust has stated he is willing to defend his record in public and openly debate with his opponents.

Hartzell stated the recall drive was something they'd "been expecting for a while...it just hit the fan Tuesday."

The committee charged Rust with intemperate behavior for drinking while driving a county car and of being drunk and rowdy in public. They also stated Rust failed to publicly announce before his election his previous conviction of possession of marijuana, which was then a felony crime.

The remaining five allegations were: that Rust has repeatedly voted against taxpayers best interests and welfare; that he has acted irresponsibly in performing his duties; that he has caused a breakdown of working relations between county and municipal governments; that

he's been unresponsive to the county's citizens; and that he has encouraged excessive spending of the tax money.

Hartzell called some of the points "out and out falsehoods" and that there is "no real merit" in any of the points.

"This is just crazy," Dotsun said, referring to Rust's behavior. "Now he's trying to get 1200 new CETA jobs and get funding for all his friends." Dotsun elaborated saying the friends were members of Hoedads, a local tree-planting cooperative which Rust used to belong to.

"He's already got about 200 on the payroll," Dotsun said. "He's building a dynasty."

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