

Law: Mabon disappointed by court

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"It's important to remember we can't stop paying attention to the OCA," she said. "If [OCA chairman] Lon Mabon were the only person in the organization, that's still a threat."

Mabon, a candidate for the Republican nomination to the U.S. Senate, is currently working toward getting another anti-gay-rights measure on the November ballot.

"I'm very disappointed because what the Supreme Court has done is basically say that the citizens of Colorado can't set their own moral standards," Mabon said.

"To one degree or another, the court has really established gay and lesbian as a class and not a behavior. And that is extremely disturbing to me and, I think, extremely problematic for our society for the future in setting

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what is right and wrong sexual behavior."

However, Brooks said the court's decision has indicated a distinction between morality and the law.

"That a people can try to mandate morality ... that's just wrong," she said. "It's not something I want to see happen in my country."

The Oregon American Civil Liberties Union also said they

are rejoicing the court's ruling. "This should be the death of the OCA's latest anti-gay and lesbian measure," said David Fidanque, executive director of the Oregon ACLU. "My feeling is Mabon can talk until he's blue in the face, but he's not going to make it constitutional. The court's decision couldn't have been clearer."

However, Mabon said he believes the Supreme Court ruling would not apply to the proposed Oregon measure because it differs from the Colorado law. He said his group has collected between 35,000 and 40,000 signatures. They need 97,000 signatures by July 5 to make the November ballot.

"We're going to continue our work to make sure the measure never reaches the ballot," Fidanque said. "And if it does, it will be defeated. The OCA should give it up."

Ballots: Final tabulations expected on Friday

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Only voters who have already registered as absentee voters received ballots through the mail. More than 350,000 of Oregon's 1.8 million registered voters — about 20 percent — have received absentee ballots for the primary election.

Many of these are permanent absentees, meaning they will automatically receive a mail ballot for the general election as well.

Some county clerks don't expect final tabulations until Thursday or Friday. Absentee ballots cannot be counted until after the polls close to ensure that no one has voted twice.

Ballots must be received by a county elections office no later than 8 p.m. Voters can also hand-deliver their ballot to any of the approximate 1,700 polling places statewide.

The primary election includes the Eugene mayoral election. Candidates are Mike Albers, Neale Hyatt, Tim Laue, Ron "Misha" Seymour, Frank Soifer, Dave Sweet, Jim Torrey, James Weaver and James "Izzy" Whetstone.

Eugene and Lane County positions to be voted

on include Eugene City Council, Eugene Water and Electric Board, Lane County sheriff, Lane County Commissioner and Lane County district attorney.

State positions to be voted on include secretary of state, state treasurer, attorney general, state senators, state representatives, Supreme Court judge and District Court judge.

Ballot Measures 23, 24 and 25 are also on the ballot. Measure 23 would increase minimum value in controversy (from \$200 to \$750) required to obtain jury trial.

Measure 24 would amend the law so that initiative petition signatures must be collected from each congressional district. Measure 25 would require a 3/5 majority in the legislature in order to pass revenue-raising bills.

More information about these measures, the candidates and the locations of polling precincts can be found in the Voter's Pamphlet, which can be picked up at the Lane County Election Office or at a post office.

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