



A UNION GUIDE TO THE 2021 GENERAL ELECTION FOR SW WASHINGTON

Washington's 2021 general election determines who leads city councils and school districts. After its political action committee interviewed all candidates seeking labor's endorsement, **Southwest Washington Central Labor Council, AFL-CIO**, endorsed eight of them. Ballots are being mailed out Oct. 15 and are due Nov. 2.

CITIES

BATTLE GROUND

City Council, Position 4

Adrian Cortes is the current mayor, and before that served on city council for the district. SWWCLC

VANCOUVER

Mayor

Anne McEnery-Ogle, incumbent, faces Earl Bowerman. SWWCLC, IAFF 452, IBEW 48, LIUNA 335, SEIU 775 AnneOgle.com

City Council, Position 1

John Blom, a former Republican Clark County Council member, is a real estate broker active in state and local realtors groups. SWWCLC, IAFF 452, IBEW 48, LIUNA 335 JohnBlom.com

Kim Harless, co-chair of the Clark County Charter Review Commission, has a background in environmental science and works as a coordinator for a paint recycling program in Washington. SEIU 725, SEIU 925 VoteKimHarless.com

City Council, Position 2

Eric Paulsen, incumbent, faces Kara Tess. SWWCLC, IAFF 452 ep4cc.com

City Council, Position 3

Diana Perez faces David Gellatly. SWWCLC, IAFF 452, IBEW 48, ILWU 4, SEIU 775 ElectDianaPerez.com

SCHOOL BOARDS

CAMAS SCHOOL DISTRICT

Position 1

Corey McEnry, incumbent, is a teacher and band director for Hockinson High School, and has served as union vice president with Hockinson Education Association. SWWCLC ElectCoreyMcEnry.com

VANCOUVER SCHOOL DISTRICT

Position 2

Sandra Zavala-Ortega, incumbent, faces Michelle Belkoti. SWWCLC ElectSandraZavala.com

Position 3

Wendy Smith, incumbent, faces Jorge Bailey. SWWCLC

LEGEND

IAFF Fire Fighters
IBEW Electrical Workers
ILWU Longshore Workers
LIUNA Laborers
SEIU Service Employees
SWWCLC Southwest Washington Central Labor Council, AFL-CIO

Daycare workers unionize

Twenty-one workers at a Southeast Portland daycare and preschool are now represented by International Longshore and Warehouse Union (ILWU) Local 5. In mail ballots counted Oct. 8, the tally was 13 to 2.

Wild Lilac Child Development Community, located at 3829 SE 74th Ave., is a non-profit, and management didn't oppose the union effort, says Local 5 organizer Ryan Takas. The organization's director and several board members even issued statements of support for workers' right to unionize.

That wasn't the case at for-profit Growing Seeds, a daycare provider with three Portland locations. Workers there voted to join ILWU Local 5 in March 2020 and still don't have a first union contract, though negotiations continue.

Local 5 isn't one of ILWU's

longshore locals, but includes workers at Powell's Books, Oregon Historical Society, and a Clackamas Veterinary Hospital.

Frontline healthcare workers strike McKenzie-Willamette

More than 400 frontline healthcare workers at for-profit McKenzie-Willamette Medical Center in Springfield, OR went on an unfair labor practice strike Oct. 5-7. The housekeepers, certified nursing assistants, respiratory therapists, pharmacy technicians and others are members of Service Employees Local 49

Workers are fighting for wage increases, improved job safety, and to stop the hospital from outsourcing jobs.

The Medical Center is one of only two Oregon for-profit hospitals and is owned by Tennessee-based Quorum Health Corp.

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ILWU LOCAL 4

SWWA CENTRAL LABOR COUNCIL



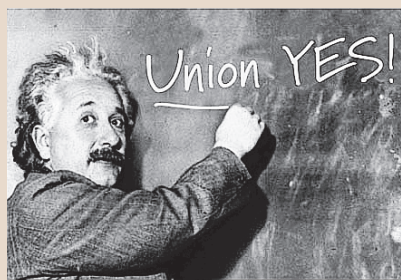
DIANA PEREZ

For Vancouver City Council

UNION DUES PAYING MEMBER OF NATIONAL FEDERATION OF
FEDERAL EMPLOYEES, FOREST SERVICE COUNCIL (NFFE-FSC)

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Albert Einstein, Time Magazine's "Person of the 20th Century" was a visionary scientist, philosopher, teacher — and a union member. In fact, he was a founding member of the Princeton Federation of Teachers Local 552, signing its charter in 1938.



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CITY COUNCIL
POSITION 1



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