

## Candidate draws outline for jobs

by DAN DILLON

When Steve Starkovich, Democratic candidate for Senate District 14, announced his candidacy, he said the main campaign issue would be jobs for Oregonians.

Since that time, the 27-year-old Canby warehouseman has spent a lot of time thinking about how new businesses can be attracted to the state to provide those jobs.

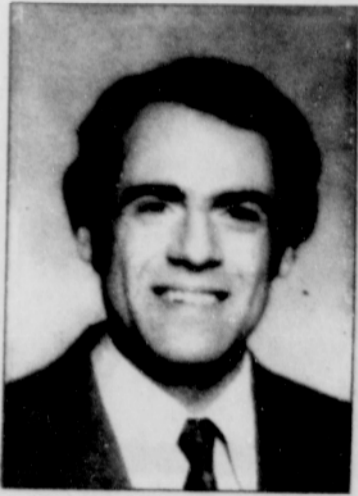
"The people in the district want to see the economy diversify," Starkovich told The Post this week.

Attracting those new industries into a district that is traditionally based on a forest products and agricultural economy provides a challenge, but Starkovich sees a variety of enhancements to make the area more attractive to businesses looking to relocate or expand.

He favors a state bank that could help community development projects, financed by general fund revenues and providing lower-interest loans.

Starkovich likes the idea of tax incentives for small businesses, but not necessarily for bigger businesses.

The candidate endorses an industrial revenue bond program for businesses that create jobs. The business wants a loan, he said, and



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a bank will give it at the prime rate plus a bit more. The state treasury could give a tax incentive or eliminate taxes, provided the bank offers lower rates to its small business customers.

"Tourism should be recognized as an industry by the state," Starkovich said. That doesn't necessarily mean creating a Department of Tourism, he said. More simply, it means promoting the state.

"Sandy could benefit from this," he feels, "because it's on a major east-west highway.

"Sandy's problems aren't isolated. This district is made up of small towns and farms. It's remarkably homogeneous, given the size of the district," Starkovich said.

At 5,000 square miles, it is the largest district in western Oregon. Attracting new business and industry means being able to provide a work force. A great many people in the 14th district have one skill that they have applied throughout their life, Starkovich said. "That's why community college education is so important."

People who want to better themselves can go back and learn a new marketable skill, he said. "Higher education shows a commitment that turns around in subtle ways" and is an attractive magnet for moving businesses.

Another consideration for business attraction is land use. Starkovich feels the permit process should be a "one-stop process" instead of the maze of bureaucracy it can be, but he doesn't deny the importance of land-use planning.

"Anyone who denies the need of land-use planning is being shortsighted," he said.

"Voters have said on three successive elections that they want planning," Starkovich added.

## Democrats rap Smith record

by DAN DILLON

Democratic candidates for Oregon's 5th Congressional seat had little good to say about Denny Smith, R-Ore., who currently represents the 2nd District, Sunday when they stopped at a forum for party candidates in Sandy.

Larry Gray, an Oregon City man who operated a Washington, D.C., radio news bureau before entering politics, chastised Smith as a "fair weather friend of seniors" for his position on the Social Security issue.

Speaking first, Gray took aim at defense spending and the Northwest Power Bill.

He called the defense budget "the primary place where the (federal) budget can be cut," citing five weapons he believes the United States can get along without.

If elected to Congress, Gray promised to work for the repeal of the Northwest Power Bill or, at the very least, work for changes in it that would further conservation.

As a former "paid observer" of the scene at Capitol Hill, Gray said he has the ability to communicate with the people of the Northwest and let them know what the Congress is doing.

He encouraged tax incentives to wage earners who hold back on hourly wage demands and businesses who have reduced prices.

He warned that the incentives should not be across the board, because there is no guarantee that some larger companies would do with the additional funds.

State Sen. Ruth McFarland, of Boring, told the small gathering that Smith deserves some credit.

"He has kept his campaign promise," she said. "He said he wanted to be a congressman in the worst way and he has been a congressman in the worst way."

McFarland contended that the wrong things have been cut in the federal budget. She cautioned that military spending isn't necessarily the same thing

as defense spending. "We probably can't beat our swords into plowshares," she said, but added that Congress could quit handing a "blank check" to the Pentagon.

She said that with the depressed job market, the nation needs more retraining and vocational education. A Mt. Hood Community College biological sciences instructor, McFarland praised Oregon's system of vocational education and community colleges.

She cautioned that the unemployment figures banded about could be worse than they appear because they don't reflect the self-employed who aren't working and under-employment.

"Oregon is worse off than people perceive," she said. McFarland said there needs to be an additional

tax roll-back next year, but said she can't see taking money and creating a larger deficit with the roll-back or giving breaks to those who are best able to pay.

The candidates' forum which also featured county races was organized by Carolyn Smith of Rhododendron, a candidate for House District 23.

Smith expressed her concern for land-use matters, environmental issues and cutbacks in human services. "I'm concerned about the future environment for our children," she said.

Dale Harlan, of Milwaukie, a candidate for Clackamas County Commissioner, contended that incumbent Stan Skoko is "out of touch with the times." He said the County needs long-range industrial planning to attract new business.

### Keeping posted:

## Scouts set registration, paper drive

**THURSDAY, APRIL 22**  
The Sandy Golden Age Club will hold at potluck luncheon at the Sandy Senior Center at noon.

Sandy Elementary School will hold pre-registration for new first graders at 1 p.m. in the school library.

Cub Scout Pack 248 will have registration at 7 p.m. in Building B at Firwood School for any boy who is 8 years old or finishing second grade. The pack also needs interested parents who would like to be den leaders. For more information, call Sharen York at 668-4425 after 4 p.m.

Sandy Elementary District Board of Directors meets at 7 p.m. in the

library at Cedar Ridge School to revise the 1982-83 budget proposal and authorize a June levy election.

Rebekah Lodge meets at the Odd Fellows Hall at 8 p.m.

**FRIDAY, APRIL 23**  
The annual Volunteer Firemen's Sportsmen Breakfast will be held at the Sandy Fire District main station beginning at 6 p.m. and running continuously until noon Saturday, April 24.

The Nike-Blazer Oldtimers will challenge Sandy High School Alumni All-Stars in a basketball game at 8 p.m. at Sandy High Gymnasium. The 6

p.m. preliminary game will pit the Central Catholic Alumni Champions against the Sandy Alumni Champions.

**SATURDAY, APRIL 24**  
Cub Scout Pack will hold its annual paper drive. The boys will go door-to-door collecting newspapers. The papers don't need to be tied. There will also be a drop box in front of Sandy Grade School. For more information, call Chuck Morgan at 668-8652.

**SUNDAY, APRIL 25**  
The annual get-together for Kelso School graduates, past members, parents and friends will be held at the old Kelso School House

with a potluck at 1:30 p.m.

**MONDAY, APRIL 26**  
Senate District 14 candidate John Thompson will host a property tax meeting at TJ's Fireside Dining at 7 p.m. He is urging an appeal of recent property tax assessments.

**TUESDAY, APRIL 27**  
Clackamas County Commissioner Stan Skoko will be the guest speaker at the weekly luncheon meeting of the Sandy Area Chamber of Commerce at noon at the Tollgate Inn.

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 28**  
The Sandy TOPS Club meets at 9 a.m. in the Sandy Community Action Center.

## Dessert features AFS students

A dessert and program sponsored by the Sandy Union High School chapter of the American Field Service will be held from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. next Thursday, April 29, in Rooms 50-51 at

the school. Dian Hutchin, adviser to the student chapter of AFS, said the program will feature talks by two exchange students from foreign countries.

The event, which has been organized to raise funds to pay the Sandy chapter's dues to the national AFS office, is open to the public. Tickets are \$5 per family, or \$2.50 for adults and \$1.50 for students.

Hutchin said dues of \$900 must be sent to the AFS national office in order for Sandy to host a foreign exchange student next school year.

Local host families and involvement of more parents in the AFS program are also needed.

### Gospel quartet plans concert

A special evening of music will be presented this Sunday, April 25, at the Gospel of Christ Community Church, 13050 SE Bobby Bruce Lane.

"To God Be The Glory,"

a quartet of young men from the Portland area, will bring a program of gospel music. The public is invited to attend and enjoy this evening of music, worship and testimony.

### Obituaries

#### Bobbie Minyard

Funeral services for longtime Sandy resident Bobbie Gene Minyard were held April 16 in the chapel of Sandy Funeral Home. Burial was at Cliffside Cemetery in Sandy.

Born Aug. 11, 1932 in Blanco, Okla., to Robert and Winnie V Minyard, the family moved to the Sandy area when he was 7 years old.

After attending Cottrell, Kelso and Sandy elementary schools, Mr. Minyard graduated from Sandy Union High School in 1950.

After graduation, he entered the Naval Reserve and went into full-time service in 1952 during the Korean War.

He returned to Sandy in 1953 and worked at Reynolds Aluminum for 13 years. He moved to Nevada for a short time and worked in mining, but retired due to health reasons.

Sandy remained his home.

Mr. Minyard died April 14 in Gresham. He was 49.

He is survived by his parents, Robert and Winnie V Minyard of Sandy; two children, Nicholas and Robbie, both of Sandy; four sisters, Nadine Miller and Jeri Richardson, both of Sandy, Gloria Haselwander of Troutdale, and Lillie Barlow of Lake Oswego.



### THE SABBATH

28. The word Sunday never occurs in the Bible at all.
29. Neither God, Christ, Holy Spirit, nor inspired men ever said one word in favor of Sunday as a Holy Day.
30. The FIRST DAY of the week is mentioned only eight times in all the New Testament. (Mat. 28:1; Mark 16:2,9; Luke 24:1; John 20:1,19; Acts 20:7; 1 Cor. 16:2.)
31. Six of these texts refer to the same first day of the week.
32. Paul directed the saints to look over their secular affairs on that day. 1 Cor. 16:2.
33. In all the New Testament we have a record of only one religious meeting held upon that day, and even this was a night meeting. Acts 20:5-12.
34. It was not their custom to meet on that day.
35. There was no requirement to break bread on that day.
36. We have an account of only one instance in which it was done. Acts 20:7
37. That was done in the night — after midnight. Acts 20:7-11. Jesus celebrated it on Thursday evening Luke:22, and the disciples sometimes did it every day. Acts, 2:42-46.
38. The BIBLE nowhere says that the first day of the week commemorates the resurrection of CHRIST. This is a tradition of men, which contradicts the law of God. Matt. 15:1-9. Baptism commemorates the burial and resurrection of Jesus. Rom. 6:3-5
39. Finally, the New Testament is totally silent with regard to any change of the SABBATH day or any SACREDNESS FOR the FIRST DAY — SUNDAY.

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