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committed to serving only two terms but has ended up serving four terms.

He told the *Keizertimes* in an interview that he's always believed legislators should have "self-imposed" term limits and when their time is up, they should let the next citizen step up.

"This isn't supposed to be some career life-long thing. That's why I've

never been for raising our pay. As bad as our pay is, it's not supposed to be a career," said Post. "Now, it's time for somebody else to step up."

Post said he initially planned on stepping down after his third term but was convinced to stick around until 2022. The past 18 months, Post said, have been harder than any other term.

"The last 18 months have been 24 hours per day, seven days a week, 365 days a year. It's been overwhelming," Post said. "My doctor literally said your job is killing you."

Post will continue to serve the

district until the end of 2022 and said he looks forward to completing the redistricting process. Post said he thinks the district will look very different by the end of redistricting and hopes whoever is chosen in 2022 to represent District 25 fits the district.

Post is currently the assistant deputy leader in the House Republican Caucus and serves on five different House Committees. One of the Post's biggest accomplishments during his time was securing \$800,000 in funding for the City of Keizer.

Post's time in Oregon legislation

will officially be finished when the next representative is sworn-in sometime in January 2023.

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