

# Democrats: 2022 ‘could be a very interesting year in Oregon politics’

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“It’s long-term history and short-term history that come into play there,” Horvick said.

The race for state House District 32 underscored the growing influence of liberal priorities locally. In May, Tiffany Mitchell, a political newcomer aligned with progressives and labor unions, defeated Tim Josi, a Tillamook County commissioner who had previously served in the state Legislature, for the Democratic nomination.

With more experience and financial support, the more conservative Josi was viewed as the favorite. But Mitchell, due partially to a focus on canvassing in cities, emerged with the victory and went on



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**Volunteers conduct a ballot count.**

to defeat Republican Vineeta Lower in November.

Local Republicans are beginning to think through different ways to promote the

party’s message ahead of the 2020 election, Hoffman said. Eric Leggett, who helped lead Lower’s campaign, is now the county Republican chairman.

Early in the process, it appears the message will center on connecting nagging local problems, such as housing and the cost of living, to left-wing

policies.

“We need to share information and let people know the threats we face,” Hoffman said. “We need to wake people up and let them know that liberalism is destroying this state.”

Democrats, meanwhile, need to focus on issues that affect people both in cities and rural areas, Kidder said. One of the issues he listed was emergency preparedness, specifically the different evacuation needs between cities and unincorporated areas.

“There are similar issues that affect you whether you live in a city or out in Lewis and Clark,” Kidder said.

What is still unclear, though, is what issues will drive Democratic and Republican messaging nationally and, then, filter

down locally. Strategies will heavily depend on the Democrats’ choice to counter Republicans in the presidential race.

“Until Democrats coalesce around a candidate for president, they’re going to be kicking around different themes,” Horvick said. “Whoever comes out on top will, sort of, drive that conversation.”

The 2022 election may be even more interesting, Horvick said. Redistricting after the 2020 census may give Oregon another seat in Congress, and a number of legislative seats could be in play.

“People who have political ambitions have to think beyond 2020 and into 2022,” Horvick said. “That could be a very interesting year in Oregon politics.”

# Port: Co-owner Morrill said he is still on good terms with the Port

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The Port recently agreed to leave its lease at North Tongue Point, where the agency estimated it had lost \$2 million while renting, so that Hyak could purchase the property and begin creating a boat fabrication and repair facility.

Moving to Tongue Point had not been a viable option until

the purchase by Hyak, Morrill said, but the location provides more space and safer moorage for the company’s vessels.

“I think in the end, it will be a good deal for us,” Morrill said.

That Bergerson had been asked to leave had not come to light until Tuesday, when Port Commissioner Bill Hunsinger brought the matter up while

complaining about the agency’s treatment of tenants during a discussion of the Port’s closure of a failing causeway at the East Mooring Basin.

Hunsinger said he had been told the Port will make \$3,000 a month more by renting the property to Astoria Forest Products, but had not yet received any evidence of the increased revenue.

“That really bothers me, because we are definitely strapped for money,” he said.

Hunsinger has been critical of the Port’s decision to leave its lease prematurely at North Tongue Point so that Hyak could purchase the property. Now the Port is giving the company its tenants, he said.

“We’re getting rid of the best tenant we’ve ever had,

and probably the longest tenant we’ve ever had, and we give them to our competitor, because that’s the only place they could go, even though they wanted to stay here,” Hunsinger said. “They have protected us in numerous occasions where we were in serious trouble. My question is: Why do we continue to treat tenants the way we treat them?”

Morrill said he is still on good terms with the Port, one of Bergerson’s largest local clients for dock work. The company has vacated all its rented properties on the central waterfront to North Tongue Point. The office building on Portway Avenue will likely become available the first half of next year, Morrill said.

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8 Garbage barge

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13 Mandela's org.

14 Arm bone

15 Actress Sorvino

16 Hide-hair insert

17 Disorder

18 Grads

20 Miles away

22 Wallet thief

26 Cads

29 "Fresh Air" aircr

30 Wedding words

31 Vogue rival

32 Coquet-tish

33 "Young Frankenstein" role

34 Soul, to Sartre

35 Spill catcher

36 Egged on

37 Small

40 Elling-ton's "Take — Train"

41 NHL team

45 Brazilian rubber

47 Part of DJIA

49 Now, in a memo

50 Out of control

51 Historic period

52 Peace-keeping org.

53 Hindu royal

54 Actor Cariou

55 Pair's air

**DOWN**

1 — Sutra

2 Wicked

3 Lima's land

4 Crush under-foot

5 Frenzied

6 Year in Acapulco

7 Full of spunk

8 Poison —

9 Working for a judge

10 Clip- (some ties)

11 Existed

19 Serbian city

21 In favor of

23 Door handles

24 Rim

25 Frog's skin

26 Pile

27 Ticklish Muppet

28 Charged particle

32 Fortress

33 The Emerald Isle

35 Spell-off

36 Sub-machine gun

38 Uniform color

39 Hawkeye

42 Jacob's twin

43 Assess

44 Leopard's feature

45 Standard

46 "I — Rock"

48 Mined-over matter

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