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Matthew Murray

(Prefers Republican Party)

Information

Candidate Statement

Elected Experience
Instagram Bluephoenix916

Other Professional Experience
8 years military service

Education
Bachelors degree

Community Service
Helped disabled youth

Statement
My purpose will always be to better our lives collectively

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Dylan B. Nails

(Prefers Independent Party)

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Candidate Statement

Elected Experience

While still young, gubernatorial candidate Dylan Nails has had the elected opportunity to serve in whatever capacity he could, at the level he was at. Serving two years as Associated Student Body President of Colfax Jr./Sr. High School, and Representative of Eastern Oregon University's Residence Hall Association for one year. He looks forward to gaining more elected experience, and publicly serving his community and home state.

Other Professional Experience

N/A

Education

Current University Student studying Secondary Education.

Community Service

Former Event Coordinator for St. Baldrick's Head Shaving Event for Childhood Cancer Research, Tom's Turkey Drive Volunteer, current Summer Camp Youth Counselor, and Youth Snow Ski Instructor.

Statement

Dylan Nails, a 20 year old college student, comes from the beautiful hills of the Palouse in Eastern Washington State where he has lived, worked, and went to school most all of his life. Dylan loves skiing, videography, traveling, and exploring what Washington State, and the greater Pacific Northwest has to offer. He currently attends Northwest Nazarene University, and studies Secondary Education, with an Emphasis in History, and a minor in Special Education. When elected, Dylan is in favor of encouraging increases for Teacher Salaries, increase funding for State Parks and conservation, Debt Relief program for students of Washington, promoting more representation of young people in politics, and being a voice for Washington State, as much the East as the West.

Dylan's weakness is also what makes him shine as a candidate. While Dylan is young, and may be lacking some of the elected experience his opponents may have, he brings as fresh, new outlook and perspective for Washington State, that is both beneficial and crucial for the next stage in our States history. As a college student, he is not looking to make a career in politics, but in fact getting in, and getting what needs to be done for Washington State accomplished.

He can't wait to see what the future holds, and looks forward to seeing what he can do for our State.

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Cameron M. Vessey

(States No Party Preference)

Information

Candidate Statement

Elected Experience
President Of the Spokane Community College Computer Club; Team Leader and TSR Represented at Dakotah Direct Inc.

Other Professional Experience
sales and customer service Administrator, Telecommunications, Marketing, Helped small Business with SEO, and IoT and Branding development. Owned and operated multiple automotive businesses. Co-owned a thriving 24 hour Espresso Café / Pool Hall , Car sales, Kirby Sales. Fast food cook to Bus boy at fine dining Restaurant. Cattle hand on Youth ranch.

Education
ITT CAD program, SCC software Development, Para legal training, online course in Psychology and Philosophy. a Student of Thomas Sowell of the Hoover Institute Stanford.

Community Service
Consultant for Social Team on Homelessness

Statement
Wheeling for Governor as Paraplegic

"Keep Washington Wonderful"

Why am I Wheeling for Governor? Because I believe Times of Crisis Reveal Women's and Men's Hearts. Panic initiates Response. It's fundamental Darwinism! It's fundamental Christianity, It's fundamental Religion and Community! Stand and fight or Retreat and compromise. Live with honor and show your opponent some Quarter in mutual times of Crisis or Live for power and take advantage of your opponent purely because the opportunity is there to be had!

The colonies did not rebel Because the Time was ripe, the moment opportune! What Great things could possibly come from such virtues less tactics? We Stood up against an ever-increasing Tyrannical King and decided the time of being ruled by other's was an inequity we would no longer justify. We did not take on the issue of slavery out of convenience or because the political landscape was ripe. We took up the fight against slavery because the owning of slaves was tearing our country apart and we had to decide "Do we really Believe all men to be equal."

Maybe this is why War is always doomed to fail. When Struggling for survival against lions and tigers and Bears and maybe such monster's like Hitler and Stalin and Mao, attacking such monsters when they sleep or find themselves in an unforeseen snare is validated. But using such means whenever they present themselves against other human beings may in the end be the end of us all!

I believe Many have shown their true colors and are using this time of crisis as justifications to Grab power and justify authoritarianism and chip away at the foundations of our country. Not money, not slavery, not fear, not greed or power. That Every Citizen has the right To Freedom!

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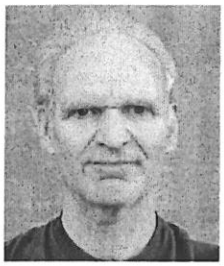

David W. Blomstrom

(Prefers Fifth Republic Party)

Information

Candidate Statement

Elected Experience

No information submitted

Other Professional Experience

My life experience has been diverse and educational. I was raised in rural West Dakota and spent four years in the U.S. Navy. I worked as a wildlife biologist in Alaska for nearly a decade before moving to Seattle, where I worked as a teacher for sixteen years. I have also worked for the U.S. Postal Service and UPS. Today, I am a student of political science and philosophy, a writer and website designer.

Education

I obtained a BS in ecology from Western Washington University/Huxley in Bellingham.

Community Service

No information submitted

Statement

We meet again. I ran for this office in 2016, introducing a word I coined. Do you remember that word?

I've learned a lot since then. In fact, I've been working on a series of books focusing on politix, as I call it. They include the first ever general political reference focusing on Washington State and its de facto capital, Seattle. *SeaWA Politix* and what may be the first truthful book about Bill Gates will be published before the general election. A third book, focusing on coronavirus conspiracy theories will probably be published by the time you read this. You can learn about my books @ www.kpowbooks.com.

I'm not afraid to tackle the toughest issues, from sex trafficking to telling Bill Gates to shut up and pay his fair share of taxes. As a former teacher with the corrupt Seattle School District, education reform has always been one of my top issues. As a former wildlife biologist in Alaska, I recognize environmental protection as the most important issue of all.

On the international scene, we need to put an end to our decades-old tirade against China. I view China as a friend. *Israel is the enemy*. In fact, my book *SeaWA Politix* is illustrated with photos taken with a Chinese Huawei smartphone, which boasts the best camera(s) of any smartphone.

Please ignore the *Seattle Times* and other sleazy media and their endorsements! If voters can't think for themselves, what hope is there?

In these trying times, it's more important than ever to believe in the power of one. As Edward Abbey said, a patriot must always be ready to protect his country from his government. In that spirit, my crusade won't end with this election campaign. Elected or not, I will continue to learn and fight the good fight.

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Anton Sakharov

(Prefers Trump Republican Party)

Information

Candidate Statement

Elected Experience
Non-career politician

Other Professional Experience
Anton Sakharov has over a decade of technology, project and product management experience in the private sector. In successive management roles, he has overseen the development and launch of new products and technologies of all sizes and scope - from start-up companies with international operations to Amazon.com. His leadership and consensus building skills have made his business career successful and he will use those skills to bring leadership and accountability back to Washington State government.

Education
Johns Hopkins University - Masters of Science in Project and Organization Management; San Jose State University - Bachelors of Science in Finance

Community Service
No information submitted

Statement
Anton brings years of leadership experience in the private sector where he has spent his career solving problems. Anton understands the important issues facing Washingtonians, but are ignored by the out of touch political establishment. Anton is not a career politician, will not play politics and will not be bought. His businesslike approach offers real solutions to the soaring issues we face.

Anton's vision for Washington to be a state that is efficiently and effectively serving its people. He sees what is broken and will enact real solutions. He will respect the will of voters, cut taxes, reduce bureaucracy, and uphold the Constitution and Individual Rights. He will drain the Olympia swamp and end the drug fueled and government enabled homelessness by holding agencies accountable to their budgets and outcomes. He will end government interference in our lives, the extreme liberal agendas pushed on our children and attacks on personal freedom. He envisions a Washington that is friendly to businesses and individual liberty – a Washington where Constitutional rights are protected, businesses thrive, and individual success is not punished by uncontrolled taxation through the death tax, estate recovery tax and real estate taxes.

Under Anton's leadership, the state will reduce regulations, attract new businesses, allow existing businesses to thrive and reopen closed industries.

As a refugee from the Soviet Union, he has seen the damage caused by too much government, too much regulation, and the importance of a balance of powers in maintaining a free and prosperous life.

The Governor of Washington State should not be a career politician but instead a leader and executive manager who is working for the people. As a proud American citizen whose family escaped communism, Anton has realized the American Dream – a dream that is alive and is deserving of every hard-working Washingtonian.

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Craig Campbell

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Nate Herzog

(Prefers Pre2016 Republican Party)

Information

Candidate Statement

Elected Experience

Two-term City Councilmember, City of Lake Forest Park (1998-2005); *Member of King County Regional Law, Safety, and Justice Committee*; *City Representative to Seashore Transportation Forum, (Seattle & North King County cities)*

Other Professional Experience

Operations Management, *UPS*; Small Business Owner, App Creation and Design, *PQR Capitalization*

Education

Shoreline Community College 1998-2001; University of Washington 2003-2005, Studies in Communication *(Major)*, Political Science *(Minor)*; Association of Washington Cities: *Certified Municipal Leadership Program*

Community Service

Youth Basketball Coach and Shoreline Public Schools volunteer; 32nd District & King County Republicans; Bob Ferguson campaign for County Council '03, '05 (*not* for Attorney General!)

Statement

Putting people over party. It's what I did as a City Councilmember in my hometown of Lake Forest Park. It's what I'll do if elected as your Governor.

As an anti-Trump Republican, I know Washingtonians appreciate a leader who tells it like it is. Many of my fellow Republicans get upset when I say Donald Trump is a phony and an assclown. As is Tim Eyman. Fair enough.

Valuing individuals over party affiliation, I've supported sensible Democrats who've proven competency to govern. I proudly helped Bob Ferguson's campaign for County Council. He was a great Councilmember; he's a *dreadful* Attorney General. This year, I backed Senator Amy Klobuchar for President and endorse Hilary Franz' reelection for Lands Commissioner.

As for Jay Inslee? 32 years in office, now he wants 4 more. Has he earned it? Traveling the country last year, utilizing $4 million dollars of *taxpayer* money for travel and State Patrol security detail. All for a miserably failed campaign in which he never had a chance.

I'm writing this in May, as a first time, soon-to-be dad late this summer, wondering about the world into which my daughter will be born. 2020 will be a depression year: GDP down 10%, DOW below 20,000, 40 million unemployed, and staggering deaths from coronavirus. But out of despair... we can find hope.

It's time to End 36 Years of One-Party Rule. I support two-year terms for the Governorship. If elected, I will step aside in 2022 so Washingtonians can elect a new Governor that November. I invite you *right now* to pause your reading, and visit *ResetWA.org* to learn my plans for advancing electoral reform, balancing our massive budget shortfall, and to fight COVID-19 to save lives and restore our economy. Please join me, let's Reset Washington.

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Cregan M. Newhouse

(States No Party Preference)

Information

Candidate Statement

Elected Experience

Initial filing for state office. Served as board member and union rep for SPEOG. Served as union rep for Local 763 (Inspectors). Past President FSI, (private investment group).

Other Professional Experience

Station Manager, Unalaska Community Broadcasting. Acting Manager, Regulatory Compliance & Consumer Protection; Enforcement Supervisor, Consumer Protection Division; On-site Supervisor, Covid-19 Emergency PPE warehouse, Logistics & Emergency Management, City of Seattle.

Education

University of Southern California, School of Cinema & Television
University of Washington, Integrated Social Sciences, BA anticipated Fall/2020

Community Service

Edmonds School District; Relay for Life; City of Seattle FAS employee recognition volunteer.

Statement

The State of Washington is incomparable. Her diversity, geography and economy would power a strong independent nation. The upcoming term demands one of the hardest working governors in history, to halt in-fighting and guide our state to a swift, safe recovery.

My grandparents immigrated to Washington in the early 20th century, starting a small dairy farm. They would be proud of their descendants - children and grandchildren who have become professionals in almost every imaginable industry, served their country, and of course continued to farm. I was raised on a hop farm along the Yakima River. I drove tractor, fed the pigs, lugged irrigation pipes and worked non-stop through summer harvests.

After attending the USC Film School, I was hired as the station manager for KUCB, a public TV and radio station in Alaska. I met a remarkable, strong woman in Dutch Harbor, and we returned to Washington to start a family. Our oldest son recently graduated from the University of Washington, where our youngest son is a freshman.

I have been in public service for eleven years, working closely with city, state and county agencies. I am best positioned to oversee the executive branch of our state, and will make the most efficient use of my time while never fundraising. In addition to working across the aisle, the Governor needs to thoroughly understand all state agencies, and earn the respect of employees and the public. I have demonstrated the ability to work with all levels of government, bringing together opposing ideas for stronger solutions.

This election must be about independence. Washington is independent. Republicans and Democrats are good people, though the current party leadership promotes divisiveness and distrust. I would be honored to be your Governor, and will promote respect for all Washingtonians.

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Ian Gonzales

(Prefers Republican Party)

Information

Candidate Statement

Elected Experience

Ian Gonzales brings a clean slate to politics. He is someone who has no affiliation with interest groups, lobbyists, or large corporations. This means Ian has no other motive than to do what is best for Washington.

Other Professional Experience

Ian started his business in 2018. The company Yesu Creations, although a for-profit company, has donated to local organizations helping veterans returning home with PTSD.

Education

Attendee of Washington State University since age 15. Majoring in biology and minoring in business administration, he's finished his junior year, completing his business minor.

Community Service

Spent nearly 10 hours a week serving at church and the community.

Statement

I'm running for Governor because my generation and those that follow will reap both the benefits and the long term *consequences* of the decisions made by our current administration. Washington has become increasingly tax-happy, yet many of the programs that tax dollars are being dumped into aren't reaping their intended benefits which needs to change. These programs have better solutions waiting to be applied that would allow the people of Washington to pay less taxes; yet still fund the things that are necessary, like quality roads. Washington as it stands is more divided than ever. Our state needs a leader who is invested into the prosperity of our state's future, someone who can unite both sides of the mountains, and is willing to govern *all* 39 counties. Homelessness is a major challenge being presented in King and surrounding counties. This is an issue that everyone's tax dollars have a stake in, though it could be 200 miles away, and still the problem has not been solved. Either our money is not going where the state says or our current leadership isn't able to find ways to better the homeless situation. Either way, homelessness needs to be addressed in all counties.

Even more cause for concern with our current leadership, I-976 which would have decreased vehicle tabs to $30, was *voted* on and passed, then held up in court, not giving the people what they voted for. While similarly, I-1639 which inaccurately portrays all semi-automatic rifles as "assault rifles" is a direct hit to our second amendment rights. These alarming events shows us Washingtonians that our voice is dwindling. If you want a governor who you can trust, believe in, and know won't ignore your votes, remember me, Ian Gonzales, with your primary vote on August 4th.

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Cairo D'Almeida

(Prefers Democratic Party)

Information

Candidate Statement

Elected Experience

Not a Professional Politician; President of Local 1121, since 2014

Other Professional Experience

Helped build the Washington D.C. Metro 1976-82. Promoted to supervisor. Own business 1986-96. TSA 2010-19.

Education

PhD of Industrial and Organization Psychology 9/2007. Dissertation "The Effects of Cultural Diversity in the Workplace," published with the library of congress and sited 5 times.

Community Service

Volunteered over 1000 hours a year since 2013 to represent TSA officers. Reported officers' welfare to the media 12/2018 shutdown. Helped officers get over 2,500 gifts cards from passengers, other unions and residents during the shutdown. Cook for homeless on occasion.

Statement

Dr. D'Almeida has always been vocal about the inhuman treatment of homeless and lack of affordable housing. Veterans and foster parents need more psychological support. Housing the homeless and treating their medical issues is cheaper than leaving them on the streets. The money used to clean after the homeless, will be used to house them.

Students should not have to be punished with student loans when trying to become productive members of society. The Police; firefighter and schools, should have better and more up-to-date technology. All students and teachers should be provided with free bus and light rail pass for as long as they carry partial credits. Kindergarten to high schools need free nutritional lunches. Free day care for low income people.

I will introduce a bill to protect first responders and give them hazard's pay and another bill that will protect small business during a pandemic. Pandemics will be dealt with one city and one county at a time.

Those with substance abuse need medical and psychological support. A woman's body belongs to her, not the government. No Second Amendment violation. Our 70 million backup army does not kill innocent people, criminals use guns to kill innocent people! Property Taxes stays the same until the minimum wage goes up. Women and other minorities need more support. Our Immigration Laws are in shambles and must be Updated. LGBTQ, WOMXN and LatinX have rights too and need support. State Parks must be upgraded. No more for-profit jail or detention centers.

It is not what we have, but what we do to help others during a time of struggle that define us who we are. My goal is to serve "The People," not control them! Where we go from here is up to you.

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Elaina J. Gonzalez

(Prefers Independent Party)

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Jay Inslee

(Prefers Democratic Party)

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Candidate Statement

Elected Experience

Washington State House of Representatives 1989-1992 representing Yakima Valley; U.S. House of Representatives 1993-1994 representing Eastern Washington; U.S. House of Representatives 1999-2012 representing Kitsap, King and Snohomish Counties; Washington State Governor 2013-present.

Other Professional Experience

Attorney; *Author, Apollo's Fire: Igniting America's Clean Energy Economy.*

Education

Ingraham High School, Seattle, WA; graduated University of Washington with a B.A. in economics, 1972; graduated Magna Cum Laude from Willamette University Law School, 1976.

Community Service

Charter member of Hoopaholics to raise money for Childhaven; coached youth sports; served as an honorary board member of the Washington Wildlife and Recreation Coalition.

Statement

The people of Washington are resilient and deserve leadership that reflects their character. Jay Inslee's proven experience in difficult times and his successful economic vision are exactly what Washington needs as we rebuild our economy and help families and businesses recover from the pandemic.

The measure of our leaders is how they respond to unexpected crises. When Washington became ground zero in the country for COVID-19, Governor Jay Inslee met this health and economic crisis head-on, with bold action based on science and guided by public health experts.

The Ellensburg Daily Record praised Governor Inslee, writing, "In the moment when he has been tested the hardest, Inslee has stepped up, making the tough calls and providing the leadership needed to get this state through the COVID-19 crisis." The Chair of the University of Washington's Department of Global Health praised Inslee's leadership for "having saved countless lives."

Under Inslee's leadership, Washington recovered from the last great recession to become the country's #1 rated economy, and our state is poised to rebound more quickly thanks to the Governor's progressive policies. Our state has the nation's best Paid Family and Medical Leave, we have expanded health care coverage to 800,000 Washingtonians and created a long-term care benefit for seniors that puts us in a better position to address public health dangers and immediate economic hardship.

Inslee's Career Connect program provides on-site training and apprenticeships for thousands of students who have plans other than four-year college and his investments in forward-thinking renewable energy industries have prepared us to endure and recover from the economic pain so many are now living through.

Governor Inslee's steady leadership and pioneering vision make him exactly the governor we need now to guide us to a better, stronger and more just future for Washington.

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Joshua Freed

(Prefers Republican Party)

Information

Candidate Statement

Elected Experience
Mayor of Bothell; City Council

Other Professional Experience
Investor and Small Business Owner; Mental Health Counselor; Protect-A-Child-Today – Chair; King County Mental Health Advisory Board; Puget Sound Regional Council - Economic Development; East King County Chambers of Commerce Legislative Coalition; Eastside Transportation Partnership; YMCA Fundraiser; International Experience: Globe Leadership - Founder; Vital Solutions Board - Kenya; International Deaf Education Association - Philippines

Education
Inglemoor HS - Washington; Seattle Pacific University B.A. Business Management; M.A. Counseling, Western Seminary

Community Service
Led the fight against government run heroin injection sites through Initiative 27; Co-Sponsor Referendum 90; Helped build health centers, built homes and drilled wells in Kenya and the Philippines.

Statement
Are you better off today than you were four years ago?

Is it easier to find a job, keep your business open, walk safely in your community, educate your children and protect your family's health?

Under this Governor unemployment has skyrocketed, homelessness, crime and drug abuse have exploded and public health bureaucrats spent time pushing for heroin injection sites instead of preparing for a pandemic. We need a Governor who will listen to everyone, not just the powerful and well connected. Olympia is working for political insiders who don't need the help while ignoring those devastated by a health crisis and economic collapse. Our state's only mental health hospital was so poorly mismanaged it was decertified by the federal government leaving the mentally ill to wander the streets.

As I've travelled to all 39 counties, the message is consistently clear: *we need a Governor to bring Washington together, not divide us into camps of "essential" versus "non-essential". I will lead Washington's economic recovery.* I have a lifelong record of community service here and around the world. I will not take a salary as Governor and will instead donate it to local nonprofits helping the mentally ill and homeless. I have a track record of bringing people together as a successful businessman and bipartisan leader who has cut taxes while protecting the most vulnerable. *I will veto any attempt at a state income tax.* I will never use my office to take away liberties our founders fought and died for and will uphold our U.S. and State Constitutions.

My wife Lindie and I are both the product of Washington public schools and believe in supporting education. Our five kids join us in serving the disadvantaged around the world.

I humbly ask for your vote. I won't let you down. #freedom

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David Voltz

(Prefers Cascadia Labour Party)

Information

Candidate Statement

Elected Experience
No information submitted

Other Professional Experience
No information submitted

Education
David has AAS degrees in Television production from Spokane falls

Community Service
David is a member of demolay in his teens like bill Clinton

Statement
David is an ubres and lifts drivers who saw his income literally die over night when Jay Sleezee Shutdown the state and is why running for Washington State gouvenour as the Cascadia Labour Party, because Jay Sleezee has to go he has increased taxes on everyone shut down construction on Spokane north moterways and killed the economy and increased unemployment in this state to double digits, he also supported Crooked Hillary in 2016 David asks for your vote please check out Davids Facebook page

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Joshua Wolf

(Prefers New-Liberty Party)

Information

Candidate Statement

Elected Experience

N/A

Other Professional Experience

I have worked as a dockhand, Laborer, carpenter, Alaskan fisherman, and now as a mental health professional. I chose to work these jobs to allow me to "walk a mile in the shoes" of as many Washingtonians as possible.

Education

I completed High school in Friday harbor and did some college at George Fox University. I'm mostly self-educated, using experience and books to continue my learning.

Community Service

I have been a leader for my local church youth group for the last six years, and I work for a nonprofit In addition to minor things like beach clean-ups.

Statement

Unity, Prosperity, Honor these are the things I want to bring to Washington. They are the hallmarks of a stable, reliable government and a functioning society. These three things will bring Washington into a new golden age. With them, we can create "a city on the hill" to the rest of our nation!

Unity It's a powerful hopeful word, especially because today we live divided. From our state to our families and communities. Red and Blue, a Donkey and an Elephant. We let these things define us and divide us. Why? is that the Washington we want? I don't think so. Cooperation and unity between the major parties, Working together despite our differing opinions to build a better, unified Washington. That's what Washington needs and what's what I'll bring.

Prosperity, how you go about bringing prosperity? I believe prosperity comes from three things the land, the People, and the Schools. The land is our natural resources, our farms, our forest, and our seas. The people are our culture, our businesses, and our dreams. Lastly, schools are how we teach our young people. To be independent, resourceful, insightful, courageous, and honorable. Instead of boring them to death, I want to create a love of learning and life long growth. Not just ensuring a better education but a better economy as companies flock to our superior workforce.

Finally, *Honor*, Honor, is everything. It means leaders you can trust. Politicians, working towards what's best for the people, never being bought, always leading from the front, and doing the hard jobs no one else will. A state where people are always worried about the integrity of their leaders can never move forward. Because if you can't believe that the other side is saying. you can never understand each other.

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Loren Culp

(Prefers Republican Party)

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Candidate Statement

Elected Experience
No information submitted

Other Professional Experience
No information submitted

Education
No information submitted

Community Service
No information submitted

Statement
Loren Culp was born in Everett, WA and is a lifelong Washington resident—except during his service in the US Army's 101st Airborne Division. He currently serves as the Chief of Police in Republic, WA, and is a bestselling author. For over 20 years he owned and operated a construction company in Olympia, WA before moving to Republic and joining the law enforcement community. He has been married to his high school sweetheart, Barb, for 43 years. They have two grown sons and seven grandchildren. His platform advocates a return to respecting citizen rights and accountability for state government.

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Richard L. Carpenter

(Prefers Republican Party)

Information

Candidate Statement

Elected Experience

No information submitted

Other Professional Experience

Forman for 20 years for mechanical contractor, Stirrett Johnsen, Total 30 years with the same company. Lead Pond man at Pope and Talbot in Port Gamble 8 years with this company .

Education

Graduated West High School. Bremerton, WA 1978; Olympic College two years. Plumbers and Steamfitters Union Apprenticeship program, 5 years. Mathematics has been my strong point since being a small child, algebra in 6th grade, trigonometry in seventh, and progressed up through schooling.

Community Service

Worked under the direction Of Murrel and Betty Carpenter for many years with the Warren Avenue PeeWees, a very good cause .

Statement

I am choosing to run for Governor of the Great state of Washington because I believe it is time for change. I see money for the homeless, yet our homeless population does not diminish. I see money spent on the schools, yet the districts are wildly unequal. Poor districts do not have the computers and laptops that the wealthier districts have, even as technology becomes more vital to our children's education. I am very concerned that we are overtaxed and our money is being misspent .

Many want to spend effort and money to focus on all of the state's problems. I want to create new solutions for those problems. I want to live in a state where men and women who work their 8-hour day -40 hour work week have the health insurance they need. The middle class fuels the economy in our state and I want to protect that. Under my leadership you would see these changes in policy.

At the top of my list I want to create equality in education for every district. I will apply common sense to the validity and effectiveness of each program and determine if they produce adequate results relative to their cost. As Governor, I will prioritize a balanced budget. As one of the most overtaxed states I want to bring our state back into focus and lower our spending to a reasonable level with the ultimate goal of lowering state taxes for all.

For the sake of the future of you and your children *please vote*.

Thank you
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4 Year Term – Statewide

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Elected Experience
High School Senior Class President

Other Professional Experience
Retire Boeing Engineer 36 years

Education
BS and MS Engineering Iowa State University

Community Service
No information submitted

Statement
My previous 8 campaigns have never been to win but to tell voters Sound Transit should've never been allowed to spend billions adding Prop 1 extensions to Central Link. Now it's only a question of whether it's the Northgate operation in 2021 or East Link in 2023 that vindicate my concern

This year it's to debunk claim fossil emissions are an existential threat. That Al Gore's "Incomvenient truth" is in fact a monumental lie. Ice core temperatures from four prior interglacial periods were higher than current levels with 300 ppm CO2 far lower than current 410 ppm. That during those periods the CO2 level was the result of increased out gasssing from ocean when temperatures were warming and increased dissolution when temperatures were cooling. Both warming and cooling were driven by the Sun.

It was the Sun that raised temperatures and CO2 levels after the last ice age, culminating in the Medieival Warming Period, Little Ice Age, and subsequent warming prior to significant fossil emissions. The increased fossil emissions have added to the Sun's impact on CO2 over the last 60 years raising level to the current 410 ppm.

However it's the Sun not higher CO2 levels from increasing fossil emissions that can significantly inccrease global temperatures. The ~5 gigaton carbon (GtC) annual fossil emissions currently increase CO2 by ~2ppm. If emissions averaged 10 GtC over the next 50 years the additional 500 GtC would add 200 ppm raising the current level from 410 to 610 ppm, or from 0.041 to 0.061%, still a tiny fraction of the 96.5% CO2 that warms Venus.

My campaign and stopeastlinknow blog are to expose the futility of adding trillions more in an attempt to limit global warming by reducing that increase.

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