

**METRO CHARTER COMMITTEE
MEMBER BIOS**

CARNAHAN, JUDY

APPOINTED BY: Districts 7 and 10 (McFarland and Buchanan)
COUNTY: Multnomah

OCCUPATION: Sales Associate, Bridgetown Realty

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE:

Former Chair, Democratic Party of Oregon
Former Oregon State Senator
Former Member, Joint Legislative Committee for Land Use and Development
Former Member, Maywood Park Planning Commission
Current Board Member, Portland Housing Center

CEASE, RON

APPOINTED BY: Metro Executive Rena Cusma
COUNTY: Multnomah

OCCUPATION: Legislator
Professor at PSU

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE:

DERR, LARRY

APPOINTED BY: Washington County
COUNTY: Washington

OCCUPATION: Attorney

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE:

EGGE, JON

APPOINTED BY: Clackamas County
COUNTY: Clackamas

OCCUPATION: Owner, MP Plumbing Company

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE:

Former Clackamas County Representative, T.P.A.C.
Former Member, Clackamas Blue Ribbon Task Force-Government Service Delivery
Former Member, Clackamas Community College Foundation
Current Board Member, Willamette Falls Hospital Board
Current Board Member, Mahonia Hall-Worker's Compensation
Current Council Member, Oregon State Apprentice and Training Council
Current Member, National Federation Independent Business

HALES, CHARLIE

APPOINTED BY: Districts 3 and 4 (Gardner and Devlin)
COUNTY: Multnomah

OCCUPATION: Staff Vice President, Director of Government Affairs
Home Builders Association of Metropolitan Portland

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE:

Chair, Hayhurst Neighborhood Association
Member, Metro Policy Advisory Committee on Urban Growth Management
Member, 1000 Friends of Oregon-Transportation/Air Quality Project
Member, Portland Future Focus
Member, American Planning Association
Board Member, Portland-Vancouver Metropolitan Area Solar Access Project

HENNESSEE, MATT

APPOINTED BY: Multnomah County
COUNTY: Multnomah

OCCUPATION: Director of Service Systems, Customer Service Administration
Nike, Inc.

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE:

Former City Manager, Ypsilanti, Michigan
Former Oregon Workers' Compensation Administrator
Former Chair, Michigan Municipal League Finance and Taxation Committee
Former Board Member, Washtenaw Affordable Housing Corp.
Former Board Member, Michigan City Management Association
Current Board Member, Governor's Task Force on State Government Reorganization
Current Board Member, The Morrison Center
Current Board Member, Urban League of Portland
Current Board Member, Portland Community Reinvestment Initiatives, Inc.
Current Board Member, Martin Luther King, Jr. Special Fund, Atlanta
Current Board Member-Designate, Friends of the Washington Park Zoo

JOSELSON, FRANK

APPOINTED BY: Clackamas Cities
COUNTY: Clackamas

OCCUPATION: Senior partner, attorney, Josselson, Potter and Roberts

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE:

Former Ohio Assistant Attorney General
Former Special Hearings Officer, Oregon Land Conservation and Development
Commission
Former Special Hearings Officer, State Health Planning and Development Agency
Former Special Hearings Officer, Metropolitan Service District
General Counsel to a number of local government units

LOOK, NED

APPOINTED BY: Multnomah Cities
COUNTY: Multnomah

OCCUPATION: retired

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE:

Former Executive Director, Oregon Community Foundation
Former Board Member, City Club of Portland
Former Chair, City County Civic Center Committee
Former Chair, Regional Government Component of Civic Auditorium
Former Member, Regional Government and Role of Metro Task Force
Former Member, Portland Development Committee
Current Member, Policy Committee of Portland Future Focus
Current Vice President, Oregon Trails Advisory Council

MEEK, JOHN

APPOINTED BY: Speaker of the House
COUNTY: Washington

OCCUPATION: Senior Agent, Standard Insurance Company
Oregon State Representative

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE:

Former Washington County Commissioner
Former Cornelius City Councilor
Former Gaston City Councilor
Former Member, Cornelius Planning Commission
Former Board Member, Washington County Fair
Former Board Member, Washington County Block Grant
Former Board Member, Forest Trust Lands
Former Board Member, Washington County Community Action
Former Member, Council of Forest Trust Land
Current Member, Hispanic Commission
Current Chair, Hillsboro Downtown Business Association Task Force
Current Board Member, Tualatin Valley Mental Health

MYERS, HARDY (CHAIR)

APPOINTED BY: Districts 8 and 9 (Wyers and Collier)
COUNTY: Multnomah

OCCUPATION: Partner, attorney, Stoel Rives Boley Jones and Grey

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE:

Former President, Portland City Planning Commission
Former Member, Mayor's Citizen Budget Review Task Force
Former Oregon State Representative
Former Speaker of the House
Former Councilor, Metropolitan Service District
Former Chair, Oregon Criminal Justice Council
Former Chair, Portland Future Focus

MYLLENBECK, WES

APPOINTED BY: Districts 1 and 2 (McLain and Bauer)
COUNTY: Washington

OCCUPATION: Governmental Consultant, Columbia Research Institute

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE:

Former Planning Associate, Multnomah County
Former Planning Director, Washington County
Former Interim City Manager, King City
Former Chair, Washington County Commission
Former Board Chair, Unified Sewerage Agency
Former Commissioner, Wolf Creek Water District
Former Member, Metro JPAC
Former Advisory Committee Member, Boundary Commission
Former Member, Metro Law Enforcement Committee
Former Member, Metro Regional Jails Committee
Former Chair, Washington County Transportation Task Force
Former Co-Chair, Governor's Task Force on Public Works
Current Vice-Chair, Water Quality Advisory Committee for Portland
Current Member, Water Resource Advisory Committee for Portland

PHELPS, RAY JR.

APPOINTED BY: Metro Executive Rena Cusma
COUNTY: Clackamas

OCCUPATION: Director of Public Affairs, Associated General Contractors

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE:

Former Assistant to Oregon's Secretary of State
Former Director of Finance and Administration for Metropolitan Service District
Former Director of Operations for Oregon's Speaker of the House of Representatives

SHOEMAKER, BOB

APPOINTED BY: President of the Senate
COUNTY: Multnomah

OCCUPATION: Counsel with Ater, Wynne, Hewitt, Dodson and Skerritt.
Oregon State Senator

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE:

Former President, Portland City Club
Former Chair, Multnomah County Planning Commission
Former President, Schools for the City
Former President, The Nature Conservancy
Former Board Member, World Affairs Council
Current Board Member, Washington County Community Action Organization

TOBIAS, MARY

APPOINTED BY: Washington Cities
COUNTY: Washington

OCCUPATION: President, CEO, Tualatin Valley Economic Development Corporation

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE:

Former Mayor of Sherwood
Former Member, Washington County Criminal Justice Task Force
Former Member, Legislative Committee-League of Oregon Cities
Former Board Member, Oregon Graduate School of Professional Psychology-Pacific University
Former Vice President, Oregon Mayors Association
Former President, I-5 Corridor Association
Former Board Member, Washington County Community Action Organization
Former Board Member, Tualatin Valley Mental Health Center
Current Member, Citizen Advisory Committee on the Western Bypass
Current Member, President's Council-Portland State University
Current President, Council for Economic Development in Oregon
Current President, Washington County Public Affairs Forum

**URBIGKEIT, MIMI
CHITTY, MIMI**

APPOINTED BY: Districts 5 and 6 (DeJardin and VanBergen)
COUNTY: Clackamas

OCCUPATION: homemaker
community volunteer

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE:

Former President, Friends of West Linn Library
Former Member, Clackamas County Election Board
Former Member, Clackamas County Compensation Review Board
Former Member, Clackamas Education Service District Budget Committee
Former Member, West Linn School Board
Former Member, West Linn Library Board
Current Board Member, Clackamas Community College
Current Board Member, Clackamas Community College Foundation

WYERS, NORMAN

APPOINTED BY: Districts 11 and 12 (Knowles and Hansen)
COUNTY: Multnomah

OCCUPATION: Professor, School of Social Work, PSU

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE:

Former consultant, Hazardous Waste Management Planning, Multnomah County
Department of Environmental Services
Former Consultant, School of Community Service and Public Affairs, University of Oregon
Former Assistant Dean, School of Social Work, PSU
Current Director, MSW program, PSU
Current Member, Urban League of Portland
Current Member, City Club of Portland

TIMOTHY J. SERCOMBE

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Education

- J.D., University of Oregon School of Law (1976)
- B.A., Northwestern University (1971)

Honors

- University of Oregon School of Law Honor Graduate for 1976
- Order of the Coif
- League of Oregon Cities Fellowship Award, 1982

Bar Admissions

- Oregon
- U.S. District Court for the District of Oregon
- U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit

Employment

- Preston Thorgrimson Shidler Gates & Ellis (Portland, Oregon), 1991
- Harrang Long Watkinson Arnold & Laird (1977-1991)
 - Partner/Shareholder (1981-1991)
 - Chair, Public Law Department
- Law Clerk, Hons. Kenneth J. O'Connell and Berkeley Lent, Oregon Supreme Court (1976-1977)

Employment Experience

- Principal legal advisor (City Attorney) for the City of Eugene, Oregon (1985-1990)
- Representation of the League of Oregon Cities in Oregon appellate proceedings involving municipal powers
- Representation of public and private parties in proceedings before the Land Use Board of Appeals, Oregon Court of Appeals, Oregon Supreme Court, United States District Court, and United States Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals
- Representation of municipal governments, including cities, counties, service districts and sewerage agencies, in environmental, land use, state constitutional law, election law, airport law, municipal powers, franchise negotiations, development projects and administrative law matters
- Frequent lecturer on land use law, municipal law, and governmental transactions

Publications

- Co-editor, *Oregon Government Law*, (Oregon Law Institute, 1991)
- Author, "Bias, Prejudgment and Conflict of Interest", *State Administrative Law*, (Oregon CLE, 1985)
- Co-author, "Legal Issues in Public/Private Ventures" (Oregon Law Institute CLE, 1989)
- Author, "Municipal Immunity and Liability Under the Sherman Act: An Overview and Suggested Risk Management System" (League of Oregon Cities, 1980)