

Joint County Voters' Pamphlet Candidate Statement

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Use this form when filing a 'JCVP-01 Joint County Voters' Pamphlet Candidate Statement' with your County Elections office. Please note that each county produces a separate County Voters' Pamphlet. If the jurisdiction or district is located in more than one county, a separate JCVP-01 form must be filed and the filing fee paid to each county where the 'Candidate Statement' is to be printed.

Filing Information

Election Date: May 17, 2022

Amended Statement

Name of Candidate (as it should appear on the ballot):

Mei Wong

Filing for the Office of (complete what's applicable):

District/Position: Metro Councilor, District #2

"This information furnished by" (Required: Name of Candidate or Committee as it should appear in the Voters' Pamphlet):

Mei Wong

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Note: Language which violates any provision of ORS 251.415 will be excluded from the Voters' Pamphlet

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- That all information provided by me on this form and in this 'Candidate Statement' is true to the best of my knowledge.
- I am the author of this 'Candidate Statement' (ORS 251.415);
- I have read and understand the instructions for submitting this 'Candidate Statement'; and
- The portrait, if provided, is less than four (4) years old.

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Mei Wong

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Voter's Pamphlet Statement

Mei Wong

Occupation: President Royal Comfort, LLC; Founder People For Choice (Non-Profit)

Occupational Background: President Silver Life; Chair Easter Seals SCSEP Program (Non-Profit)

Educational Background: Portland State University

Prior Government Experience: N/A

My family immigrated to the United States when I was six years old. I grew up in Portland and lived in Milwaukie and Clackamas for the last 25 years. Although I have traveled around the world, I love Oregon and am proud to call it my home.

According to a Portland State University Urban Growth Boundary Report, Clackamas will increase its population by 107,000 people by 2035. Along with the growth, we've recently experienced an influx in homelessness, increasing crime, and highest inflation rates in 40 years. Oregon approved \$25 million to disburse on July 1st of 2021 (from a Metro tax) to help Clackamas County with homeless services but was delayed until Spring of 2022. Then to take out a loan from Metro instead. We need to have more accountability and transparency.

I know what it is like to be poor and hungry. My parents were typical Asian immigrants, working in factories and restaurants. They tirelessly helped to put their children through school. I am forever grateful for their sacrifices and struggles.

It's very challenging raising a family, especially in these uncertain times. I raised my family in Oregon and want to help establish a bright future for all of us in our beautiful State.

As an owner of a business that focuses on logistics and numbers, I feel I can help to make a change for the better. Address the current issues and come up with solutions. We can agree what is happening now is not working. Let us work together as a community to solve these problems on the local level. I ask for your vote to elect me for Metro Council and support my efforts to give back to Oregon what this beautiful state has given me. Thank you.

Endorsed By:

Woodstock Wine & Deli

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