

Questions about the new primary?



Give us a call at 786-5408

Legislative District No. 2, Senator



Democrat

Marilyn Rasmussen

Marilyn Rasmussen calls them as she sees them. She stands up for what's right. *She's the neighbor we trust.* Marilyn's straight talking, common sense approach at the state Capitol has provided real benefits for all of us here at home. Marilyn is a friend to veterans, public schools, vulnerable adults and children. She works to ensure that all of our citizens are prepared for tomorrow's jobs and have the opportunity to succeed. Marilyn is a powerful voice for our unique needs: fighting for access to health care, protecting our agricultural base, and working for targeted tax incentives that attract new business and create more family wage jobs. Making certain our tax dollars are spent wisely is second nature to Marilyn. Check her record. She's always there for us.

Marilyn Rasmussen has lived on a 360-acre farm near Eatonville for 45 years. She has seven children and 19 grandchildren.

Legislative District No. 2, State Representative, Position No. 1



Democrat

Cindy Poysnick

There comes a time when representation *must* reflect the rich diversity of the community. A *new voice* with a *new energy* has emerged to listen to the concerns, and fight for the values of the district and the state. Cindy Poysnick is that new energy! Cindy has the willingness to tackle tough issues with bold ideas, and a bulldog-type determination. Small business, the backbone of our economy, must be promoted, protected, and maintained. Our antiquated tax system must be overhauled to provide resources for the things that really matter to us. Education, transportation gridlock, and maintenance of our environment are important issues that need to be addressed in the upcoming legislative session. The citizens of the community deserve active, meaningful representation. Elect Cindy Poysnick to be the *new energy* in the House!



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Dennis Townsend

Dennis Townsend is an outstanding community volunteer, citizen and elected public trustee. He is a lifelong Pierce County resident. Public service includes: Bethel School Board, 13 years; coaching in the Bethel Recreation Association since 1986; Chair, Mountain Highway Safety Corridor and member of the Washington State Community Economic Revitalization Board. He's been President of the Graham Business Association and a member of the Pierce County Planning Commission. Dennis has worked as a technician and manager for USWest and Mashell Telecom in our neighborhoods for the past 30 years, married, and a proud father of three grown children with five grandchildren.

He's worked hard for us - and has the trust, integrity, experience and public service track record to prove it. We want good roads, good schools, safe streets and the right to protect ourselves, instead of focusing on fringe issues. He will be an effective legislator for you in Olympia.

Legislative District No. 2, State Representative, Position No. 1, continued...



Democrat

Ronald Springer

I will be in Olympia to represent the opinions and views of the people of the district, not my own. Too often members of a governing body ignore the majority of the people that they represent.

I recently served a four-year term on the Eatonville School Board. As a Legislative Representative, I serve on the Governors Veterans Affairs Advisory Committee. I hold a Bachelor of Law Degree from La Salle Extension University. My background in Education, Veterans Affairs, Marine Transportation, and Senior concerns give me the history to be an able representative.

We must keep American Jobs in America.



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Larry Nelson

Our health care system is in crisis! We must find a solution! Larry will fight for health care and prescription drug reform. Larry proves his commitment to our community as a Bethel High School science teacher, since 1967, and Central Pierce Fire Commissioner (chair). Larry and his wife Debbie have been married for 38 years. They have 2 married children and 3 grandchildren. Larry takes a vigorous role in volunteer groups and community affairs. These include Central Pierce Fire and Rescue, Spanaway Lions, anti-landfill activist, Frederickson Community Planning Board, Boy Scoutmaster, coach, Shrine clown (Poppi), and Spanaway United Methodist church.

Larry will take his 37 years experience to Olympia to make our education system work for us. As a Frederickson Planning Board member and fire Commissioner Larry realizes concern people have with urban sprawl. He will continue to make sure we have safe communities while representing us in Olympia.

Legislative District No. 2, State Representative, Position No. 2



Democrat

Rick Payne

We must find a solution to fix and get a handle on the problems we are facing and to end partisan gridlock. The bottom line is we have to stand up and draw the line somewhere. We want lower property taxes, and have affordable health care cost, we want construction to start on our traffic gridlock, and we want to give raises to teachers & state employees who are long over due and deserve them. I believe all this can be done and more without having to raise taxes on the working family and take even more from their paycheck. I thank you for your support.



Democrat

Glen Nutter

Glen Nutter has served his community for more than 25 years as an educator and college professor. For 18 years, Glen was the highly regarded Superintendent of Yelm Schools.

Glen handled complex budgets and large staffs, negotiated contracts and built schools. When working on school business, Glen made sure all sides were considered and that decisions benefited students. He was successful because he had the trust of his school board, staff and community.

Glen also served in overseas missions funded by the State Department. While he believes one of government's roles is to serve the less fortunate, this can't be done without a healthy economy. Glen is committed to both of these.

He's running this fall because he wants to do more. No false claims, no hidden agendas, no special interests. Glen wants you represented by someone you can believe in and trust. It's time to elect Glen Nutter.