

**County Commissioner** - The three member county commission is both a local government and a subdivision of state government. Its primary responsibility is serving as the general purpose local government and legislative authority outside city limits. Many county responsibilities are mandated by state law; others are permitted by state law allowing considerable local discretion. The commission is responsible for county policies relating to public safety and health, community development, human services, environmental protection, solid waste, county finance, transportation, parks and recreation, and other state legislative directed duties.

- All voters in the county will vote for the positions in the General Election.

### Thurston County Commissioner, District No. 1



Cathy Wolfe, a 33 year resident of Thurston County, has served as your county commissioner for 7 years. Prior to that, she served 8 years in the legislature. With a record of voting to protect the environment, family wage jobs and working families, she is a leader with a proven ability to work with people on both sides of an issue. Cathy has worked hard for the responsible management of growth, enhanced public safety, clean air and water, and careful stewardship of your tax dollars, including the difficult balancing of the county budget in times of steadily declining revenues.

Cathy volunteers with many organizations, including Community Youth Services, the YMCA, and United Way. She is proud of her efforts to establish a mental health court, enhance drug court and other alternative courts, and to reduce homelessness in Thurston County.

Cathy has three daughters and eight grandchildren.  
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We face county-wide challenges, such as finding the right balance of growth, environmental protection and fair treatment of property owners, meanwhile managing the high cost of public safety while maintaining other essential county services. My background, high energy and proven problem solving abilities are needed to change these difficult issues into opportunities. I'm Judy Wilson, a long-time Thurston County parent, nurse, business owner, state employee, former County Commissioner

and School Director. As an elected official and volunteer I have a solid record of facing tough issues, bringing people together, and charting practical courses. We have roads to fix, water to protect, an environment to preserve, and citizens who deserve fair, decisive government. Today, the budget is the top priority. We must stick to basics and be absolutely certain your money is wisely spent. Vote for Judy Wilson!  
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### Thurston County Commissioner, District No. 2



I am a business Chief Executive with a Bachelor's Degree in Global Economics and Management. I bring you over 25 years of experience encompassing Executive Management, Project Management, Strategic Planning, Finance, Securities, Budget Analysis, Business Development, and International Marketing. I support: Open Government, where you have the right to know; Conservative Spending, where you have the right to save; Absolutely Balanced Budget, where you always benefit: Reducing Government, where you have fewer regulations; Thurston

County Culpability, where they take responsibility; Conservative Environmental Practices, where we use less energy and save more; Private Property Ownership and respect for ownership rights.

I am encouraged in knowing that Thurston County residents are now ready for the Cultural Changes that will make them the full beneficiaries of decisions that will provide the services they expect without having to pay so much for them. See much more at www.robinedmondson.com

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Sandra Romero is an experienced leader: 22nd District State Representative for 12 years, an Olympia City Council member for 3 years and has served our community as a volunteer on many social service boards and commissions. She will bring valuable and needed experience to our County Commission, including a proven ability to work with diverse groups. Sandra's vision for Thurston County is founded on fiscal responsibility and sustainable land-use planning. Sandra is passionate that Thurston County must retain its unique character and not become

just "Anywhere else, USA." She believes environmental quality and economic growth can go together; that County Commissioners must be good stewards of our resources; and that sensible planning must assure quality public services. As a recognized champion of open and responsive government, she's received endorsements from state and local leaders, numerous organizations, and many citizens. Please visit: www.sandraromero.com

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**We will be open  
Saturday, November 1st,  
10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.  
to issue  
replacement ballots**

**You must sign the  
"voter's affidavit"  
on your  
outer mailing  
envelope for  
your vote  
to be counted**

