

Thurston County, Washington

November 08, 2011

General Election

Total Number of Precincts	297
Total Number of Staffed Ballot Drop-Off Sites (courthouse only)	01
Total Number of open permanent ballot drop boxes	25
Active Registered Voters (approx.)	152,000

General Election Turnout percentages – Past Odd Years

2009	51.77%	2001	44.01%
2007	49.98%	1999	62.35%
2005	55.82%	1997	60.69%
2003	39.29%	1995	56.67%

Election Result Information

On Election Day, the Logic and Accuracy test will begin at 7:00 a.m. followed by the first count of ballots, with a second count in the late afternoon. Printouts of the first election results will be available Election Night shortly after 8:00 p.m.

Additional counts will be conducted daily beginning at 5:00 p.m. (weekends and holidays excluded) as required by law.

Updated results will be available each day after all processed ballots have been counted. Daily tabulation may be postponed if the Auditor’s Office is not in possession of at least 500 valid, processed ballots at the scheduled time.

County Certification will be November 29, 2011 at 4:00 p.m.
 State Certification will occur on December 8, 2011.

Levy Lid Lifts and the Olympia proposition require a simple majority to pass (50% +1).

Bonds require 60% majority to pass.

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City of Olympia
Proposition No. 1
Fireworks Ban within the City of Olympia

Shall the sale and discharge of fireworks be prohibited within the City of Olympia at all times of the year with the exception of public displays and the sale, use and discharge of small trick and novelty devices?

Shall this ban be enacted?

- Yes
- No

Past Statistics:				% Yes
1998/11	Prop. 1	FluoridationAdvisory	Fail	47.85%
1995/11	Prop. 1	Firearms Laws Advisory	Fail	35.42%
1988/11	Prop. 1	Sewer Advisory	Pass	67.72%
1984/11	Prop. 1	FluoridationAdvisory	Against	49.17%

This proposition requires 50% + 1 for approval.

Fire Protection District No. 3 (Lacey)
Proposition No. 1
Levy Lid Lift

The Board of Fire Commissioners of Fire Protection District No. 3 Thurston County, Washington, (Lacey Fire District 3) adopted Resolution No. 812-08-11 concerning a proposition to restore the District's regular property tax levy. The proposition would authorize the District to restore its regular property tax levy to an amount not to exceed \$1.50 per \$1,000 of assessed value for collection in 2012 to pay increases in operational costs, and set the limit factor at 106% for each of the five succeeding years (2013-2017). The 2017 levy amount will be used to calculate subsequent levy limits.

Should this proposition be:

- Approved
- Rejected

Past Statistics:

% Yes

2008/11	Prop. 1	Levy Lid Lift	Fail	48.04%
2008/08	Prop. 1	Levy Lid Lift	Fail	49.55%
2006/05	Prop. 1	Levy Lid Lift	Fail	39.31%
2004/04	Prop. 1	Levy Lid Lift	Pass	52.33%
1993/11	Prop. 1	Levy Lid Lift	Fail	43.82%
1982/09	Prop. 1	Levy Lid Lift	Fail	40.9%

Levy Lid Lifts require 50% + 1 for approval.

Fire Protection District No. 8 (South Bay)

Proposition No. 1

General Obligation Bonds

The Board of Fire Commissioners of Fire Protection District No. 8 adopted Resolution No. 11-04 concerning a proposition to issue general obligation bonds.

This proposition would authorize the District to construct and equip a full-service fire station to replace two outdated garage stations and issue no more than \$1,200,000 of general obligation bonds maturing within 12 years and authorize the annual levy of excess property taxes upon all taxable property within the District to pay the debt service on the bonds in the 3rd through 12th years, as provided in Resolution No. 11-04.

Should this proposition be:

Approved

Rejected

Past Statistics:

% Yes

1996/09	Prop. 1	Bond	Pass	74.59%
1992/11	Prop. 1	Bond	Pass	65.55%
1992/09	Prop. 1	Bond	Fail	54.81%
1978/11	Prop. 1	Bond	Pass	74.05%

Bonds require 60% approval.