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# Prospective Petition Local Initiative and Referendum

**SEL 370**

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250.165, 250.265, 255.135

**Warning** Supplying false information on this form may result in conviction of a felony with a fine of up to \$125,000 and/or prison for up to 5 years. Each chief petitioner is required to provide, on the same form, their name, residence address, contact phone number and signature attesting that the information on the form is true and correct. Changes to the information provided for a chief petitioner or to the circulator pay status must be reported to the filing officer no later than the 10th day after a chief petitioner first has knowledge or should have had knowledge of the change. At least one original chief petitioner must remain throughout the petition process or the petition is void.

Petition Information	Type
This filing is an	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original	<input type="checkbox"/> Amendment
<input type="checkbox"/> Initiative	<input type="checkbox"/> Referendum

Jurisdiction	Some Circulators may be Paid
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> County	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes
<input type="checkbox"/> City	<input type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> District	

Title Subject or name you give your petition.  
**Voices for All of Deschutes**

Petition Correspondence Select the method of receiving notices or other correspondence from the Filing Officer.

Correspondence Recipient       Email Chief Petitioners       Mail Chief Petitioners

Recipient Information

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**Chief Petitioner Information** Only chief petitioner's residential city and state will appear on petition sheets.  
→ By signing this document, I hereby state that all information on the form is true and correct and attest that no circulators will be compensated money or other valuable consideration on this petition based on the number of signatures obtained by the circulator.

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Signature <b>Redacted</b>	Date Signed 04/27/26

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Return Methods: email, fax, or mail to the local filing officer

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# Agent Authorization

**SEL 307**

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ORS 250.052

## Filing Information

- This form may be used by chief petitioners of an initiative or referendum, the chief petitioner of a recall or the chief sponsor of a political party formation. It will allow anyone named by all current chief petitioners or the chief sponsor to act on their behalf in matters regarding the petition process.
- Once listed an agent will remain authorized until the petition is withdrawn or expires or their authorization is terminated.
- To notify the filing officer of additional or terminated authorized agents, submit this form, completed in its entirety and signed by all current chief petitioners or the chief sponsor.

This filing is an:  **Original**       **Amendment** List agents below       **Termination** Identify Agent below

Petition Information	Type
Petition Title or Number Voices for All of Deschutes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Initiative <input type="checkbox"/> Recall <input type="checkbox"/> Referendum <input type="checkbox"/> Political Party Formation

## Authorized Agent Information

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Name	Contact Phone	Email Address
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Name	Contact Phone	Email Address

## Terminations

Name	Name
Name	Name

## Chief Petitioner/ Sponsor Information All chief petitioners must sign the same form.

→ By signing this document, I hereby state that the above named individuals are authorized to act on my behalf.

Name Amanda Page	Contact Phone 541-771-1098	Email Address pagecrawley@gmail.com
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Signature <b>Redacted</b>		Date Signed 27 April 2026
Name Tawny Barin Howlett	Contact Phone 541-904-0490	Email Address tawny.barin@gmail.com
Signature <b>Redacted</b>		Date Signed 27 April 2026

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## B. Round-By-Round Tabulation

1) Single-Winner Tabulation. In any election for one office conducted by ranked choice voting, each ballot counts as one vote for its highest-ranked active candidate. Tabulation proceeds in rounds as follows:

(a) If no active candidate has received a majority of votes, the active candidate with the fewest votes is eliminated, and votes for the eliminated candidate count for each ballot's next-ranked active candidate.

(b) If an active candidate receives a majority of votes, that candidate is elected and tabulation is complete.

2) Multi-Winner Tabulation. In any election for more than one office conducted by ranked choice voting, each ballot counts in whole or in part for its highest-ranked active candidate in each round. Each ballot starts tabulation with an active value of one vote. Tabulation proceeds in rounds as follows:

(a) Election round. If any active candidate's vote total equals or exceeds the election threshold or if any candidate remains active when the number of active candidates is fewer than or equal to the number of seats that have not yet been filled, that candidate is elected. If the elected candidate's vote total exceeds the election threshold, each ballot that helped elect that candidate is counted as follows:

(1) The ballot receives a new active value by multiplying the ballot's current active value by the elected candidate's surplus fraction, truncated after four decimals. The ballot then counts at this new active value for its next highest-ranked active candidate. If two or more candidates' vote totals exceed the election threshold, each candidate's surplus votes are distributed simultaneously.

(2) The portion of the ballot's value that was required to elect the candidate continues to count for that candidate so that the elected candidate's vote total equals the election threshold for the remainder of the tabulation.

(3) Elimination round. If no active candidate's vote total meets the election threshold and tabulation is not yet complete, the active candidate with the fewest votes is eliminated and votes for that candidate count at their current active value for each ballot's next highest-ranked active candidate.

(4) Tabulation complete. Tabulation is complete if the number of elected candidates is equal to the number of seats to be filled and any votes exceeding the election threshold have been counted for each ballot's next highest-ranked active candidate.

### C. Treatment of Ballots

1) When all candidates that are ranked on a ballot in an election have become inactive, the ballot becomes inactive and ceases to count for any candidate for the remainder of the counting process for that election.

2) An undervote is a ballot that does not rank any candidates in an election for a particular office. An undervote does not count as an active or inactive ballot in any round of tabulation of that election.

3) An overvote occurs when a voter assigns more than one candidate the same ranking on their ballot. An overvote shall be treated as a skipped ranking and the ballot shall instead count for the next-highest ranked active candidate on the voter's ballot after the overvote.

4) During tabulation, a ballot shall remain active and continue to count for its highest-ranked active candidate notwithstanding any skipped or repeated rankings on the ballot. A skipped ranking occurs when a voter leaves a ranking unassigned but ranks a candidate at a subsequent ranking. A repeated ranking occurs when a voter ranks the same candidate at multiple rankings.

5) If a candidate withdraws, dies, or for any reason becomes disqualified after the ballots have been printed, the candidate shall be treated as an eliminated candidate during tabulation.

6) Ties. If two or more candidates are tied with the greatest number of votes in an election for more than one office conducted by ranked choice voting, the tie shall only be resolved if the candidates are tied for the election of the last remaining office(s). The tie must be decided as provided in state law for ties between candidates with the most votes. If two or more candidates are tied with the fewest number of votes at any point in the tabulation of ballots and the tabulation cannot proceed until the tie is resolved, the tie shall be resolved by lot unless otherwise provided by law. Election officials may resolve prospective ties between candidates prior to tabulation. The result of any tie resolution must be recorded and reused in the event of a recount.

D. Definitions. For the purposes of this Ordinance, the following terms have the following meanings:

1) "Active ballot" means any ballot that is not an inactive ballot

2) "Active candidate" means any candidate who has not been eliminated or elected.

3) "Active value" (or "transfer value") means the proportion of a vote that a ballot will contribute to its highest-ranked active candidate.

4) "Election threshold" means the minimum whole number of votes that guarantees the election of a candidate to a seat based on the number of seats to be filled. To determine

this threshold, divide the total number of valid votes cast by the sum of one and the number of seats to be filled, round that number down to the nearest whole number, then add one vote.

5) "Majority" means, for each round being tabulated, more than half of the votes counting for active candidates in that round.

6) "Ranking" means the number assigned by a voter to a candidate to express the voter's preference for that candidate. The number "1" is the highest ranking, followed by "2" and then "3" and so on.

7) "Surplus fraction" means the proportion by which an elected candidate exceeds the election threshold. To determine the surplus fraction, subtract the election threshold from an elected candidate's vote total, then divide that number by the elected candidate's vote total, truncated after four decimals.

8) "Vote total" means the total active value of all ballots counting for a candidate in a round of counting.

E. Voter Education. Prior to the first election using ranked choice voting pursuant to this Ordinance, the County must conduct a voter education campaign to familiarize voters with the ranked choice voting methods described above and shall continue to do so periodically.

F. Severability. If any provision of this Ordinance is held to be unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remainder of this Ordinance shall not be affected by that court's decision.