

House District 46 Appointment Hearing Process

**Multnomah Building, Board Room 100
Tuesday, September 27, 2011 @ 10:00 am**

- Chair Jeff Cogen will convene the Special Board Meeting at 10:00 a.m. with Vice-Chair Deborah Kafoury and Commissioners Diane McKeel, Loretta Smith and Judy Shiprack present.
- The Board Clerk will read title into record:
SM.1 RESOLUTION Filling a Vacancy in the Legislative Assembly, Oregon State Representative District 46
- Chair Cogen will welcome the candidates.
- Each candidate will have 5 minutes for their introductory remarks.
- The Commissioners will then ask questions of the candidates, with Commissioner Kafoury from District One asking the first question. The candidates will answer the first question in the order that they gave their opening statements.
- Each candidate will have two minutes to answer each question.
- Then, Commissioner Smith from District Two will ask the next question. The second candidate will be the first to answer District Two's question. Then, District Three and Four will ask the next questions, with the third candidate the first to answer, and so on, followed by the Chair's question.
- When questions are complete, the Commissioners will make statements and cast their votes in order by District beginning with District One, Two and so forth and followed by the Chair.
- If there is no conclusive vote, the Board will deliberate and take a second vote and continue until a candidate is selected by majority of Board votes. In order to be appointed to the House District, the candidate must receive a minimum of three votes.
- The vote will be ratified on Thursday, September 29, 2011 at the Multnomah County Board of Commissioners Regular Board Meeting that begins at 9:30 a.m.

NOTES:

- Commissioners can ask any follow up questions at any time in any order.
- Commissioners can address the follow ups to individual candidates or the entire group of candidates, at their discretion.
- Every candidate will be asked every question, but a candidate can choose to pass on any question.
- Commissioners can pass on asking a question.
- There will not be any public testimony taken at this meeting.
- Each of the candidates will have drawn lots to determine the order that they'll provide their opening statements and answer questions. They will sit at the presenter's table in that order.