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January 22, 2014

Mr. Gary Schmidt
Director of Public and Government Affairs
Clackamas County
2051 Kaen Road
Oregon City, OR 97015

Re: Interest in Appointment as State Representative for House District 38

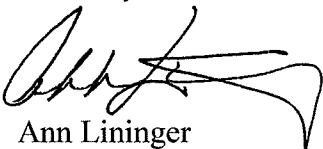
Dear Mr. Schmidt:

I am writing to express my strong interest in serving as the next state representative for House District 38. I believe that my experience in the private sector as a manufacturing executive, my work as a Clackamas County Commissioner, and my efforts to benefit vulnerable people in the nonprofit sector give me an understanding of issues that would enable me to be an effective state representative. If I have the honor to serve in this role I will focus on strengthening our public schools, creating a business climate that enables companies to create family-wage jobs, and ensuring we have a support system to help people when they have a crisis.

Per your request, I am enclosing a copy of my resume. I look forward to the opportunity to interview with commissioners from Multnomah and Clackamas Counties next week to provide a more detailed description of my skills and qualifications for this position and to respond to any questions they may have.

Thank you for your assistance with this matter.

Sincerely,



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WORK EXPERIENCE

OREGON IRON WORKS, Clackamas County, OR

2013 – present

Vice President and General Counsel

Help advanced metals manufacturer that employs 450 workers at locations in Oregon, Washington, and Pennsylvania secure contracts, comply with applicable regulations, resolve disputes, and work with business partners.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, Clackamas County, OR

2009-2012

County Commissioner

Help guide the operation of a county government that serves around 385,000 residents, expends an \$800 million annual budget, and employs 1,800. Work with colleagues to create a good business climate, build key infrastructure, protect vulnerable people from abuse and violence, increase access to mental health care, and promote public safety.

MEYER MEMORIAL TRUST, Portland, OR

2004-2009

Director of Program-related Investing; Program Officer

- **Led Affordable Housing Initiative:** Managed team of community partners to design effort that has preserved thousands of homes. Worked with foundations, government leaders, and banks to capitalize Oregon Housing Acquisition Fund.
- **Managed Program Related Investment Program:** Managed investment program through which the foundation invested millions to support charitable social business ventures. Served on nationwide committee of foundation executives to share information and forge funding partnerships.

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT LAW CENTER, Portland, OR

2001-2004

Co-director; Attorney

Worked with colleagues and law students to help nonprofit clients develop affordable housing, implement mergers, and handle employment law issues through this project of Legal Aid Services of Oregon. Conducted fundraising, prepared budgets, and undertook strategic planning efforts.

HOGAN & HARTSON L.L.P., Denver, CO

1999-2000

Associate Attorney

Helped businesses enter into contracts and handle employment law issues. Conducted settlement negotiations, drafted briefs, and presented oral arguments.

SIERRA CLUB LEGAL DEFENSE FUND, Denver, CO

1996-1998

Associate Attorney

Worked with clients and government agencies to assure compliance with the Clean Water Act and other environmental statutes. Managed summer associate program, wrote briefs, and made presentations to community groups and judges.

U.S. COURT OF APPEALS AND U.S. DISTRICT COURT, Denver, CO and Nashville, TN

1990s

Judicial Law Clerk

Provided written and oral advice to judges regarding the merits of pending cases. Drafted legal opinions.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES AND APPOINTMENTS

CLACKAMAS WOMEN'S SERVICES, Clackamas, OR 2013-present
Board Member

Assist nonprofit organization that helps people flee abuse and violence meet the needs of vulnerable families in our community. Conduct outreach and support fundraising efforts.

NETWORK FOR OREGON AFFORDABLE HOUSING, Portland, OR 2008-2012
Board Member

Support the operation of a statewide community development financial institution that deploys \$130 million in private loan capital.

OREGON LAW FOUNDATION, Tualatin, OR 2006-2010
President; Board Member

Help guide a foundation that allocates funding to help low-income people obtain the legal assistance they need.

EDUCATION

NEW YORK UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, New York, NY 1992-1995
J.D., 1995

YALE UNIVERSITY, New Haven, CT 1986-1990
B.A., 1990