



Drivers' licenses for immigrants

The Oregon legislature passed a law in 2013 to issue drivers' licenses to those unable to show proof of legal residence. Measure 88 made the ballot in November 2014 to challenge the law. The law was upheld in Multnomah County but lost in every other Oregon county, going down 66% to 33%. This proves that Multnomah County can be overridden when security-minded voters band together regardless of party affiliation.

Voters overrode the law by more than 70% "no" votes in 29 of Oregon's 36 counties, but Democrat legislators still passed HB2015 in 2019, again giving drivers' licenses to those without proof of legal residence. It's time for the people to not just repeal a law, but to repeal legislators.

In the early 90's, Kate Brown ran for State Representative and won her race by 7 votes. If just 8 more people had voted for her opponent, we would most likely not have Kate Brown as Oregon's Governor today. In the 2018 primary, HD 53 was won by just 2 votes.



Bridging the Gap between rural and urban voters

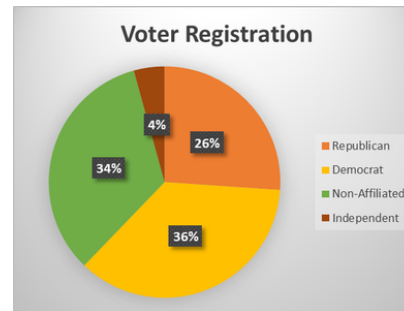
What each voter represents on their ballot is their identity and what they value – law and order, a strong economy, responsibility, and that our representatives should actually represent all Oregonians regardless of party affiliation. Urban has dictated state policy that doesn't make sense for rural voters and they find no reason to vote. But when values take priority over party, the gap is bridged.

Rep. E. Werner Reschke, District 56, calculated that based on the 2018 returns, both Republicans and Democrats voted at about 80%. Under strict party line voting, Republicans would need to turn 32% more votes in 2020 to change state policy. But not everyone votes along party lines. There is no indication how Non-Affiliated (NAV) or Independent voters voted.

To change the direction in state policy, it is imperative we find commonality with NAV voters, and encourage them to vote (only 43% voted in 2018). What makes an NAV is they are all individuals and distinct. There isn't a "common NAV message" other than they don't like or care about parties.

We all prioritize personal and family safety, and that's a good place to start considering the rioting and release of prisoners.

It can be done, it has been done, we can make the difference but only if you vote and get others to vote. Candidate information available on www.OregonAbigailAdams.com and legislative information on www.TrackTheirVote.org.



GOVERNMENT MALPRACTICE

The majority party controlling Oregon's legislature and executive branch has ceased to represent the **WILL OF THE PEOPLE** and has actually become an opposition to Oregonians. With majorities in both houses of the Oregon legislature and the governors' office, they can pass anything they want, with no cooperation across the aisle and regardless of what voters say, and they are doing so.



STOLE OUR KICKER

In a complicated budget maneuver, Democrats voted to pass HB 2975 reducing the 2020 kicker by \$108 million. By moving budget items around the Democrats said they could utilize more funds for critical services such as community colleges and higher education. It's a back-handed violation of the Oregon Constitution.



Gross Receipts Tax

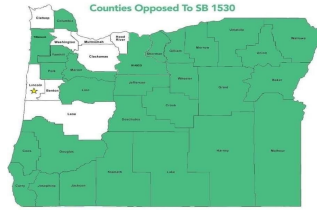
Oregon voters rejected the gross receipts tax 'Measure 97' in 2016, 60% to 40% and rightfully so: gross receipts taxes are regressive in that they raise costs to consumers and affect those at the lowest income levels the most. Four states - Indiana, New Jersey, Kentucky, and Michigan, tried gross receipts taxes and found them harmful to the state's economy and repealed them. Regardless, the 2019 Oregon legislature passed HB 3427, a \$2.5 Billion gross receipts tax, the largest tax increase in the state's history. The downward spiral of increasing taxes and people fleeing will make Oregon look like Detroit - no public services and bankrupt. Then they passed 2019 Senate Bill 116-B which preemptively torpedoed the ability of voters to refer HB 3427 to the ballot by setting the election date for January 2020 which is notorious for depressing voter turnout, and allowing the legislature (in other words, Democrats) to write the ballot title rather than the customary Secretary of State's office. They don't want to hear your voice and are taking ACTIVE steps to stop you from speaking.

Release of Prisoners - Decreased prosecution - Defunding police

Oregon Democrat's agenda is to undo Measure 11 passed in 1994, which forced stiffer sentencing guidelines for the most serious person-crimes. Governor Brown is releasing 700 inmates early "to slow the spread of covid-19." To further rioter's demands, 40 Democrat legislators signed a letter to AG Barr insisting he remove federal agents from Oregon.



"Cap and Invest"



(Collect and spend)

"Cap and Invest" is a tax that would hit the lowest income Oregonians. The stated goal is 45% below 1990 emissions levels by 2035. We are at 32% below 1990 already, so we are on track - why this bill? Oregon State Climate Change Research Institute Director Phil Mote testified on May 27, 2018 that the bill will have a net effect of zero on world climate. Regardless, in order to pass the bill out of Ways & Means in 2019, Democrat Senate President Peter Courtney replaced Senator Betsy Johnson's no vote with his yes vote in order to move the bill to a floor vote and triggering Republican Senators to walk out. This is as low as it gets. In 2020, leadership refused to hear budget bills before SB 2020B triggering another walkout and a do-nothing session. Then they refused the Republicans' offer to return to work on the 2020 budget bills. Democrats chose to fund NOTHING if they couldn't get their "cap and "invest." This is destructive to Oregonians - costing jobs and paying people not to work or "retrain" when the bill does nothing toward the stated goal according to their own expert! Failure not an option, Governor Brown secured \$5 million from the Emergency Board on March 9, 2020, and the next day issued Executive Order 20-04 for DEQ to implement the new emission levels without legislation or public input.



Undoing the Death Penalty

The death penalty has been voted on nine times by Oregonians and always passed, but was effectively undone by the last two governors (both Democrats) who refused to carry it out, then more permanently by the legislature's passage of 2019 Senate Bill 1013-B, which essentially bans the death penalty by reclassifying crimes in order to avoid more convictions that carry the possibility of the death penalty. This is against Oregonians' wishes.

Forced immunization

Oregon Democrats want to end all exemptions to vaccinations other than very narrowly defined and nearly impossible-to-get medical exemptions. There are inherent dangers for certain children. A child today is to receive many times the doses recommended just two generations ago. Testing of some vaccines has been substandard, some children have been harmed and the pharmaceutical companies are shielded from liability. Parents shoulder the risk and should be able to choose the health care of their children. Legislators want to control your health care. Immigrants from Slavic countries testified that this is the government control they fled.



Gun Control

When gun restrictions failed at the national level in 2013, the gun prohibitionists coordinated and ramped up events at the state level in many states. Every session more gun control bills are up, no matter how many passed before and regardless of the lack of evidence that any previous law affected any crime rate. Universal background checks were the Holy Grail, and that passed in Oregon in 2014 despite overwhelming opposition. A "Red flag law" passed in 2017, again under massive opposition and with a slimy move by holding a hearing and committee vote on short notice on Monday July 3, when everyone was away for the weekend and couldn't show opposition. Now it's ending statewide preemption, which would allow local restrictions and thus make it difficult or impossible to conceal carry legally. Citizens and law enforcement overwhelmingly opposed all of these, but Democrats have their goals and you are simply an annoyance.

