

Candidate Filing

Major Political Party or Nonpartisan

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Filing Dates		Candidate Filing	Candidate Withdrawal
Special Election May 20, 2025	First Day to File	February 8, 2025	March 20, 2025
	Last Day to File	March 20, 2025	
General Election November 3, 2026	First Day to File	June 3, 2026	August 28, 2026
	Last Day to File	August 25, 2026	

Filing Information

This filing is an Original Amendment

Office Information

Filing for Office of: Pendleton School Board, Position 4

District, Position or County: Pendleton School District

Party Affiliation: Democratic Party Republican Party Nonpartisan

Incumbent Judge (for judicial candidates only): Yes No Nondisclosure on file

Filing Method

Fee

Office	Filing Fee	Office	Filing Fee
United States President	n/a	District Attorney	\$50
United States Vice President	n/a	County Judge	\$50
United States Senator	\$150	MSD Executive Officer, MAD Director	\$100
United States Representative	\$100	MSD Councilor	\$25
Statewide Offices	\$100	County Office	\$50
State senator or Representative	\$25	City Office	Set by charter or ordinance
Circuit Court Judge	\$50	Justice of the Peace	n/a

Prospective Petition, in lieu of filing fee Some circulators may be paid Yes No

Candidate Information

Name of Candidate

First	MI	Last
Ryan	D	DeGrofft

How you would like your name to appear on the ballot

Ryan DeGrofft

Candidate Residence / Route Address

Street Address	City	State	Zip	County
1115 NW Despain Ave.	Pendleton	OR	97801	Umatilla

Candidate Mailing Address and Contact Information Only one phone number and an email is required.

Street Address or PO Box	City	State	Zip
1115 NW Despain Ave.	Pendleton	OR	97801
Work Phone	Home Phone	Cell Phone	
		541-310-1801	

Email Address Web Site, if applicable

ryan.degrofft@gmail.com

Race and Ethnicity Optional

Occupation (present employment) If not employed, enter "Not Employed".

Regional Development Officer, Oregon Business Development Department
Co-owner, Prodigal Son Brewery & Pub

Occupational Background (previous employment) If no relevant experience, None or NA must be entered.

CTUIR - Dept. of Economic & Community Development

Educational Background (schools attended)

Complete name of School	Last Grade completed	Diploma/Degree/Certificate	Course of Study
Pendleton High School	12	Diploma	
Oregon State University		B.S.	Business Admin.

Educational Background (other) Attach a separate sheet if necessary.

Prior Governmental Experience (elected or appointed) If no relevant experience, None or NA must be entered.

Pendleton Planning Commisison (appointed)

Campaign Finance Information Not applicable to candidates for federal office.

A candidate must file a Statement of Organization not later than three business days of first receiving a contribution or making an expenditure and no later than the deadline for filing a nominating petition, declaration of candidacy, or certificate of nomination, whichever occurs first, unless they meet the criteria for an exemption. To meet the criteria, the candidate must serve as their own treasurer, not have an existing candidate committee, and not expect to spend or receive more than \$750 during the entire calendar year (including in-kind contributions and personal funds).

If you have an existing candidate committee you must amend the statement of organization not later than 10 days after a change in information. This includes changes to the election you are active in and the office you are running for.

See the Campaign Finance Manual for the procedural and legal requirements of establishing and maintaining a candidate committee.

Residence Address Exemption

To exempt your residence address from public disclosure, complete form [SEL 180 – Residence Address Exemption Request](#). The request for a Residence Address Exemption MUST include a publicly disclosable mailing address. See the Candidates Manual for further information.

I don't want my residence address to be disclosed. I will be filing a separate [SEL 180 – Residence Address Exemption Request](#).


Candidate Attestation

By signing this document, I hereby state that:

- I will accept the nomination for the office indicated above;
- I will qualify for said office if elected;
- All information provided by me on this form is true to the best of my knowledge; **and**
- No circulators will be compensated based on the number of signatures obtained by the circulator on a prospective petition

For Major Political Party Candidates

- if not nominated, I will not accept the nomination or endorsement of any political party other than the one named
- I have been a member of said political party, subject to the exceptions stated in ORS 249.046, for at least 180 days before the deadline for filing a nominating petition or declaration of candidacy (ORS 249.031). Does not apply to candidates filing for the office of US President.

 **Warning**

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person at the same election. Unless