

STRANGER ELECTION CONTROL BOARD

CHEAT SHEET

FOR THE NOVEMBER 6, 2007
GENERAL ELECTION



The Stranger does not make endorsements in uncontested races.

STATE OF WASHINGTON

Initiative Measure 960

Tim Eyman's antitax measure requires a two-thirds majority vote prior to any tax increase.

NO

Referendum Measure 67

Makes it unlawful for insurance companies to unreasonably deny insurance claims.

APPROVED

Senate Joint Resolution 8206

Sets aside 1 percent of state revenues annually in a "rainy-day fund." It could only be spent with a 60 percent vote in both houses.

REJECTED

Senate Joint Resolution 8212

Allows private companies to hire inmate labor.

REJECTED

House Joint Resolution 4204

Simple majority for school levies.

APPROVED

House Joint Resolution 4215

Higher ed stocks and bonds.

APPROVED

KING COUNTY

Initiative 25

Amends the King County charter, making the position of county director of elections a nonpartisan elected position.

NO

Proposition No. 1

Medic One

Would levy \$0.30 per \$1,000 of property value in additional taxes to fund Medic One ambulance service.

APPROVED

King County Prosecuting Attorney

Bill Sherman

King County Assessor

Scott Noble

King County Council District No. 8

Dow Constantine

PORT OF SEATTLE

Commissioner Position No. 2

Gael Tarleton

Commissioner Position No. 5

Alec Fisker

TRANSPORTATION DISTRICT

Proposition No. 1

Regional Roads and Transit System

Authorizes \$18 billion in new taxes for light rail and major road construction projects.

NO

CITY OF SEATTLE

City Council Position No. 1

Jean Godden

City Council Position No. 3

Venus Velázquez

City Council Position No. 7

Tim Burgess

City Council Position No. 9

Sally J. Clark

City Charter Amendment 17

A symbolic measure calling for good government.

YES

City Charter Amendment 18

Requires mayor to give the State of the City speech to the city council in February and a budget speech in the fall.

YES

SEATTLE SCHOOL BOARD

Director District No. 1

Peter Maier

Director District No. 2

Darlene Flynn

Director District No. 3

Harium Martin-Morris

Director District No. 6

Steve Sundquist