

Restoring Oregon

To godly and responsible civil government

"Where there is no vision, the people perish."

Proverbs 29:18

Dear Restore America Partners,

2018 Marks a major opportunity to re-direct Oregon back to our historic Christian roots and re-establish a strong Christian worldview in our State Legislature. But first, my Sincere *THANKS TO ALL OF YOU* who made it possible for us to continue this ministry by your sacrificial giving at the end of 2017 with gifts totaling **\$24,714.00**. Now, **TOGETHER**...let's continue to **pursue the Vision of Restoring our fair state!**

So how do we accomplish this?

Before we commence this journey to **November 6, 2018**, consider the following:

There are **two major elections** scheduled for 2018 in which the citizens of Oregon can express their will for the future of Oregon:

- The May 15th Oregon Primary in which Oregon citizens who have registered to vote, can vote for the candidates in their Party they believe would best represent them in state and federal government.
- The November 6th Oregon General Election allows all *legal citizens* who are registered to vote, to vote on important issues and choose candidates for state and federal office who most represent their world view and beliefs about the role of government in American life.

Recognize the opportunities

The May 15th Primary is the first major opportunity to affect serious change in Oregon. Whereas voter Turnout in non-presidential mid-term Primaries in Oregon averages 38.7% of registered voters over the last three mid-term elections, with all that is currently happening nationwide, and Oregon population growing by about 63,000 per year, it is likely to be 38-40% with the Motor Voter Law. Turnout in Oregon's 2014 Primary Election was only 36%.

Note: **Voter Turn Out for Mid Term elections** has been steadily declining from a high of **56%** in **1966**. That means relatively fewer and fewer people are making decisions that affect all Oregonians, making increased Christian voter registration and turnout even more important.

NB: Voter registration deadline is **April 24**th, 21 days before the May Primary.

From the **chart** below you will note that when only **39%** of registered voters Turn Out to vote in off Presidential Year Elections, it presents a particular opportunity for Christians and conservatives to make a very significant difference in who advances to the General Election in November, especially when there are multiple candidates running for each position.

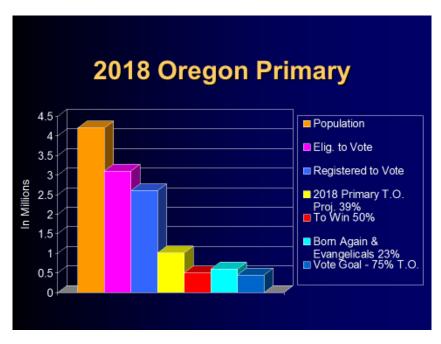
Inform, Organize, mobilize, and Turn Out our Voters

No battle is won without both an "Air game" and "Ground game." We have The 'air game' with our Calls to Prayer, Commentaries, Updates, Alerts, and friends in radio. Our social media network, is already in place. Our followers can use their communication tools to spread the Plan and Strategy to their friends and neighbors where they live with the goal of turning out Christian and conservative voters in the Primary and again in the November General Election.

Our 'Ground Game', or, "boots on the ground," are the over 2,000 like-minded readers and prayer warriors in Oregon. They pray, forward our emails, use Facebook, Twitter, Linked In and other social media to further our message and calls to action. Organized, trained, and mobilized to Turn Out the Evangelical, Born Again Christian and conservative Voters in their communities in both elections, they play a pivotal role in Restoring Oregon.

The Objective

Re-establish a majority Christian worldview in the Oregon State Legislature and statewide offices that serve to protect, preserve, and advance historic biblical values and fiscal principles to Oregon State Government.



The above figures are based on 2016-2018 **Oregon Secretary of State Elections Division Statistical Summaries** and Population estimates from **Portland State University Center for (Oregon) Population Research** and **Pew Research Center**.

How we do this

2018 Oregon Objectives

- The Vision to Restore Oregon "Under God" written in our Hearts
- The "Value Your Vote" Campaign Implemented in every County
- 90% Christian Voter <u>Registration</u> and 75% <u>Turnout</u> ...in every County
- God's People Awakened, Voting, and More Christian World View Candidates Elected

In Every Oregon County

- Present "Value Your Vote" Campaign to
 - Every Bible-Believing Pastor, Church, and Ministerial Association
 - Christian Men's and Women's Groups
 - Christian Office Holders
 - Christian Ministry Leaders, Radio & TV
- Call for 100% Voter Registration / 80% T.O.

Promote With Social Media



You Are Needed!

Whether you have leadership or organizational skills, or no particular skills, you have gifts, talents, and the ability to think creatively, granted to you by your creator.

You may be a teacher or parent, laborer or professional, business owner or retiree, concerned about your offspring's future and prosperity at the hands of misguided elected and non-elected government officials.

Please join our **statewide team** of likeminded Oregonians who have chosen to elect more Christian World View Representatives and Senators to Oregon state government.

Our task is to CALL, ORGANIZE, AND TRAIN team members in every county to implement a Plan of action that will change State Government in Oregon.

Please prayerfully ask our LORD how he might want you to be involved. Please email me at david@restoreamerica.org, or call my cell at **931-250-2102 with any questions.** We can discuss the Plan, our needs, and ways you can serve. I look forward to hearing from you.

And **THANK YOU ONCE AGAIN** for your support of **Restore America** in 2017. You make it possible to change the direction of Oregon in 2018.

David Crowe

President, Restore America

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P.S. If you know others you want to join you as part of a Team or to lead a local Team, please copy and distribute this document, encouraging them to join us in this far-reaching and important mission to restore sound government in Oregon.