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Sample [redacted] Ballot - Malheur County, Oregon - November 3, 2026

Voting Instructions
Use a pen (blue or black ink)

To ensure your vote counts, completely fill in the oval ⬬ to the left of the response of your choice.

To write in a name, write the name on the solid line and fill in the oval ⬬ to the left of the write-in line.

Attention!
Please inspect your ballot for mistakes! If you make a mistake while marking your ballot, you may correct it yourself. Make sure your choice is obvious so your vote will be counted correctly.

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Federal Office

US Senator
Vote for One

- ○ **David Brock Smith** Republican
- ○ **Jeff Merkley** Democrat, Working Families
- ○ **Gary Lyndon Dye** Libertarian
- ○ **Chris Henry** Progressive, Pacific Green
- ○ Write-in

US Representative, 2nd District
Vote for One

- ○ **Chris Beck** Democrat, Independent
- ○ **Cliff Bentz** Republican
- ○ Write-in

State Office

Governor
Vote for One

- ○ **Brett Smith** Pacific Green
- ○ **Tina Kotek** Democrat, Working Families
- ○ **Christine Drazan** Republican, Libertarian
- ○ Write-in

Legislative Office

State Representative, 60th District
Vote for One

- ○ **Beth Spell** Democrat
- ○ **Mark Owens** Republican
- ○ Write-in

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County Office

Malheur County Commissioner, Position 1
4 Year Term
Vote for One

- ○ **Jim Mendiola** Republican, Democrat
- ○ Write-in

Nonpartisan County Office

Malheur County Clerk
4 Year Term
Vote for One

- ○ **Gayle V Trotter**
- ○ Write-in

Malheur County Treasurer
4 Year Term
Vote for One

- ○ **Angie Micheli**
- ○ Write-in

City of Vale

City of Vale, Council Members
4 Year Term
Vote for Three

- ○ **Charles Kimball**
- ○ **Danny L Perkins Sr**
- ○ **Shelly Harper-Dennis**
- ○ **Jamie Ahern**
- ○ Write-in
- ○ Write-in
- ○ Write-in

City of Vale, Mayor
2 Year Term
Vote for One

- ○ **Jeremiah Strohmeyer**
- ○ Write-in

Malheur Co Soil & Water Conservation

Malheur Co Soil & Water Conservation, Director - At Large 2
2 Year Unexpired Term
Vote for One

No Candidate Filed

- ○ Write-in

Malheur Co Soil & Water Conservation

Malheur Co Soil & Water Conservation, Director - Zone 2
4 Year Term
Vote for One

No Candidate Filed

- ○ Write-in

Malheur Co Soil & Water Conservation, Director - Zone 3
4 Year Term
Vote for One

- ○ **John M Blake**
- ○ Write-in

Malheur Co Soil & Water Conservation, Director - Zone 4
2 Year Unexpired Term
Vote for One

No Candidate Filed

- ○ Write-in

Malheur Co Soil & Water Conservation, Director - Zone 5
4 Year Term
Vote for One

No Candidate Filed

- ○ Write-in

Malheur County

23-76 Increase Annual Ambulance Service District (ASD) Charge

Question: Shall the annual ASD charge gradually increase over three years from $16 to $31 for homes/businesses?

Summary: The ASD charge has remained at $16 per year since 1996. Passing this measure increases the charge from $16 to $31 (at $5 each year - $21 in 2027; $26 in 2028; $31 in 2029) for each house, apartment, mobile/manufactured home, and assisted living unit. For businesses, RV parks and motel/hotels, the charge will increase from $16 to $31 plus an additional charge per full-time-employee (FTE) rising from $1.50 to $3.00, and a per space/room charge rising from $2 to $5. The increase generates additional revenue for the ASD. Total annual revenue from the charge is: FY2026-2027: $190,000; FY2027-2028: $249,000; FY2028-2029: $309,000; and FY 2029-2030: $380,000. Charges will appear on property tax statements beginning October 2027 and managed through the annual ASD budget. Proposed expenses include: additional time and wages of ASD director to full time, compensation for the supervising physician, disposable medical supplies, and funding to ambulance providers and non-transport EMS agencies for ambulance/vehicle replacement and repair, training and equipment.

- ○ **Yes**
- ○ **No**

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