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From Mayor to School Board, WA Teamsters are Running for Election

Greg Duff
for Burien City
Council



By day **Greg Duff** is a cement truck driver and longtime Teamsters Local 174 member. By night he's a community leader, serving as President of the North High-line Council and Burien Planning Commissioner.

Duff says "I'm running for city council to build a better Burien, bringing jobs and new businesses to our region."

www.duff4burien.com

Paul Fritts
for Mayor of
Aberdeen



Deputy Sherriff **Paul Fritts**, a member of Teamsters Local 252, served on the Aberdeen City Council before making the decision to run for Mayor.

"My priority as mayor will be implementing an aggressive and comprehensive plan to revitalize city government, local economic prospects and the downtown corridor," says Fritts.

www.electpaulfritts.com

**Todd
Fredrickson**
for Monroe Council



Sergeant **Todd Fredrickson**, a Teamster Local 117 member and corrections officer, served as a founding member of the Monroe Ethics Board. He's also a former paratrooper and father to two teenagers.

Fredrickson says, "As a council member I will question any unreasonable move to go into executive session. An open transparent government is an honest transparent government."



Teamsters Holding Elected Office in WA:

WA State Representative: **Mike Sells** (Everett), member Teamsters Local 38
Stanwood City Council: **Leonard Kelley**, Sec-Treasurer Teamsters Local 231
Waitsburg City Council: **Scott Nettles**, member Teamsters Local 117
Seatac City Council: **Tony Anderson**, member Teamsters Local 763
Covington Water District: **Jeff Clark**, member Teamsters Local 117





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**Debbie
Raplee**

for Kent City Council (#5)



Debbie Raplee is more than a 2-term city council member — she’s also a Teamster family member and a Boeing employee. Her husband **Larry Raplee**, who works for recycler Allied Waste, is a member of Local 174. As chair of the Public Works Committee, Council member Raplee says “I will continue to strive for transportation improvements.”

**Dana
Ralph**

**for Kent City
Council (#7)**



Teamster family member **Dana Ralph** says her campaign for Kent City Council is “focusing on providing core infrastructure services—streets, sidewalks, and public transportation—through improved maintenance and prioritized development.” **Shawn Ralph** is Dana’s husband and a member of Teamsters Local 117.

www.danaforcouncil.com

**Wayne
Elston**

**for Ki-Be School
Board**



As a dad to two young children, Teamster Local 839 member and Benton County road crew worker **Wayne Elston** is eager to bring improvements to the Kiona-Benton school district.

“I will lead us in a new direction where the school board and district employees make decisions based upon community input, openness to ideas, and critical thinking,” explains Elston.



Kathy Uphaus for Puyallup School Board

Kathy Uphaus volunteered for 15 years at her children’s schools in Puyallup before getting frustrated with the direction of the school board.

As the spouse of **Daron Uphaus**, a longtime Teamsters Local 313 member and trustee, Kathy says “I would like to see a team environment built on trust and collaboration. Communication in our district needs to be open and transparent.”

