

August 4th, 2005

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RE: Recall Election of Commissioner Cynthia Olsen

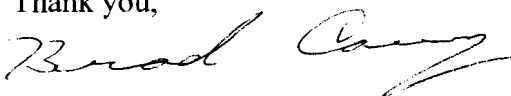
Dear Registered Voter,

The deadline to vote in the recall election of Cynthia Olsen is August 16th, 2005. If you have not yet received your ballot, please contact Mason County Elections at (360)-275-4467 ext. 470 to receive your ballot. **We strongly urge you to exercise your privilege and vote.**

You may have also received in the mail a letter from a group calling themselves "Citizens to save Tahuya". This letter was not authored or signed by anyone. None the less, we exposed and placed on our web site, the false statements made in their letter. This letter appears to have been sent to certain voters in order to purposefully mislead and instruct the voter, to vote incorrectly. The letter's last page instructs the voter to "Vote **no** to Recall Cynthia Olsen". This is in direct conflict with the Recall Ballot. The Recall Ballot instructs the voters to vote **yes** to Recall Olsen from office and to vote no not to Recall Olsen from Office. Any voters who were misled and voted no instead of yes to recall Olsen are unfortunately out of luck. It is very disrespectful to the voter to have an unknown group send an unsigned letter with false information to the voter with little or no time before voting!

There are over (831) voters in the district. Voters and taxpayers continue to be ignored inside and outside the "town" of Tahuya. This discrimination will no longer be tolerated. During the last two years, the port has spent over \$50,000.00 of taxpayer's money and has nothing to show for it. We cannot continue down this path. Ports don't break laws, Commissioners do. This recall election is all about "good government". To help insure "good government", commissioners who continually break the law, must either resign or be recalled. Olsen has refused to resign. This recall election is costing the port district about \$5,000.00. Please exercise your privilege and vote!

Thank you,



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