

Independent Expenditures—2020

Independent expenditures are made by third parties without the candidate's approval or collaboration. The expenditures on this page are independent of the expenses reported on page 14.

42nd District Representative — Position 1

Sharon Shewmake (D)

Evergreen Progress.....	Against.....	\$196,880
42nd Legislative District Committee - GOP	Against.....	\$711
New Directions PAC.....	For.....	\$167,055
Our Votes Count Washington	For.....	\$1,859
Fuse Votes	For.....	\$579
FOR: \$169,249		AGAINST: \$197,591

Jennifer Sefzik (R)

New Directions PAC.....	Against	\$206,796
Concerned Taxpayers of Washington State	For	\$7,434
42nd Legislative District Committee - GOP	For	\$6,512
Evergreen Progress.....	For	\$3,090
Whatcom County Republican Party.....	For	\$1,337
NRA Political Victory Fund	For	\$210
FOR: \$18,977		AGAINST: \$206,796

42nd District Representative — Position 2

Alicia Rule (D)

Evergreen Progress.....	Against	\$59,766
42nd Legislative District Committee - GOP	Against	\$711
New Directions PAC.....	For	\$266,968
Our Votes Count Washington	For	\$1,859
Fuse Votes	For	\$579
FOR: \$269,162		AGAINST: \$60,477

Luanne Van Werven (R)

New Directions PAC.....	Against	\$180,801
Evergreen Progress.....	For	\$17,705
Concerned Taxpayers of Washington State	For	\$7,434
42nd Legislative District Committee - GOP	For	\$6,512
Whatcom County Republican Party.....	For	\$1,337
NRA Political Victory Fund	For	\$210
FOR: \$33,593		AGAINST: \$180,801

Evergreen Progress (Washington State Republican Party)

218 Main Street PMB #412, Kirkland, WA 98033

Starting Balance: \$0.00 Contributions: \$925,000 Expenditures: \$917,052 Liabilities: \$0.00

Public Disclosure Commission Filing: https://www.pdc.wa.gov/browse/campaign-explorer/committee?filer_id=EVERP%20%20033&election_year=2020

New Directions PAC

401 2nd Avenue South, Suite 303, Seattle, WA 98104

Starting Balance: \$185,916 Contributions: \$6,320,912 Expenditures: \$6,250,831 Liabilities: \$0.00

Public Disclosure Commission Filing: https://www.pdc.wa.gov/browse/campaign-explorer/committee?filer_id=NEW%20DP%20103&election_year=2020

42nd Legislative District Committee – GOP

329 W. Hemmi Road, Bellingham, WA 98226

Starting Balance: \$6,652 Contributions: \$26,752 Expenditures: \$23,255 Liabilities: \$0.00

Public Disclosure Commission Filing: https://www.pdc.wa.gov/browse/campaign-explorer/committee?filer_id=42NDLR%20225&election_year=2020

Return Envelopes Challenged

Below are the reasons ballots were rejected and the number of rejections for the last five general elections. The most common reason for rejection, by far, was no signature match. The statistics are from the Canvassing Board Reconciliation Report. The statistics represent the difference between envelopes received and ballots counted.

	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
Canceled.....	0.....	0.....	33.....	3.....	20
Contained no ballot.....	12.....	5.....	9.....	8.....	6
Deceased.....	0.....	2.....	0.....	0.....	0
Electronic.....	0.....	0.....	0.....	2.....	30
ID Required.....	9.....	5.....	6.....	6.....	19
Late postmark/deposit.....	66.....	387.....	192.....	271.....	90
No signature	173.....	61.....	27.....	56.....	85
No signature match.....	463.....	229.....	218.....	170.....	443
Second ballot received.....	0.....	0.....	44.....	7.....	48
Wrong voter signature	0.....	0.....	1.....	13.....	13
Other.....	1.....	12.....	48.....	19.....	80
Ballots Challenged.....	724.....	689.....	578.....	555.....	834
Undeliverable.....	2,593.....	1,948.....	1,472.....	1,794.....	1,276
Total Challenged.....	3,317.....	2,637.....	2,050.....	2,349.....	2,110

Drop Box Return Rate

	General	Primary	Drop Boxes
2020	80%*	66%*	22
2019	63%*	56%*	18
2018	59%*	55%*	18
2017	73%	67%	15
2016	77%	65%	15
2015	65%	49%	14
2014	53%	45%	9
2013	49%	35%	8
2012	41%	42%	8

*Elections with prepaid return envelopes.