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PRESS RELEASE

Skamania County Mails Corrected Ballots to Voters within White Salmon School District

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Ballots for the February 14 Special Election were mailed to eligible voters on January 26, 2017. On January 31, 2017, the Skamania County Auditor's Office was made aware that there was an error on the ballot for voters within the White Salmon School District - the 3 year Replacement Maintenance and Operation Levy on the ballot contained an error on the levy amount for the year 2020. The Auditor's Office quickly reprinted, sorted, and mailed corrected ballots (along with a notice of correction) to all affected voters on 02/01/2017. This issue affects only voters in the White Salmon School District who reside in Skamania County; voters in Klickitat County were not affected.

Voters are instructed to discard their original ballot and vote and return the corrected ballot. If they have already voted and returned their original ballot, they may still return the corrected ballot. Per Washington State Law, only one of the ballots will counted by the County Canvassing Board.

Ballots must still be postmarked no later than February 14, 2017 or deposited in an approved drop box no later than 8pm on election day (February 14, 2017). For more information or questions, voters can call the Elections Department at (509) 427-3730 or email elections@co.skamania.wa.us.

