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To the Citizens of Clackamas County

During the period between September 2013 and February 2019, I served the citizens of Clackamas County as your Clackamas County Administrator. I did so with honor and respect for the role you entrusted in me.

For those five and a half years, I had both the pleasure and satisfaction of working with and for Clackamas County Commission Chair Jim Bernard. Jim always focusses on doing what he believes best for the well-being and success of citizens and families of Clackamas County. His hard work towards resolving the longstanding Stafford land use dispute and his diligence in strengthening the county's capacity to maintain its transportation system will have lasting benefit to the region for decades to follow.

I always found Jim motivated to listen and learn from citizens, other local leaders and county staff. He's also willing to acknowledge when he's erred and correct his course. I very much enjoyed getting to know and work with him.

Jim Bernard deserves a second term as Chair of the Clackamas County Commission



**Don Krupp
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