

6-43R REASON FOR DEMANDING RECALL OF ED POWERS, CAMMANN ROAD DISTRICT COMMISSIONER, AS PROVIDED ON RECALL PETITION:

Ed Powers has endorsed the formation of the current Cammann Road District, which under its current structure unfairly creates revenue from property values in the district. This structure charges many residents who use a small portion of the public road more than some who use nearly the entire road. Some residents of the district have also been excluded from payment to the district because they are located in the city limits or the Coquille Tribal lands, although they have access through the district. Endorsement of these unfair practices and others have resulted in a petition to recall.

JUSTIFICATION STATEMENT AS PROVIDED BY ED POWERS:

When I ran for office, I was not a part of the original proposal to form the District. I read the material that was presented, and when asked, I firmly stated that "It was about time something permanent was done."

I ran for election based on my belief that forming a Road District would accomplish this goal.

I was elected by a majority, and have been a Board Member and Secretary-Treasurer for the District.

I am convinced that we are operating under the best method offered by Oregon Law to finance the operations and maintenance of the road within our Cammann Road District. No viable alternatives have been presented during our tenure for financing within the law.

Despite numerous meetings attended by residents against the present tax-based system, objections were raised, but no viable suggestions were offered that would replace what is in place at this time. Furthermore, nothing reasoned and researched, based on the original formation proposal, has been presented in writing for all to read.

I don't believe a recall would serve the residents of our Road District and ask that you vote for me and the existing board members.

Edward Powers

QUESTION: DO YOU VOTE TO RECALL ED POWERS FROM THE OFFICE OF CAMMANN ROAD DISTRICT COMMISSIONER?