

HB 4024 (2024) Campaign Finance Reform: Implementation Update

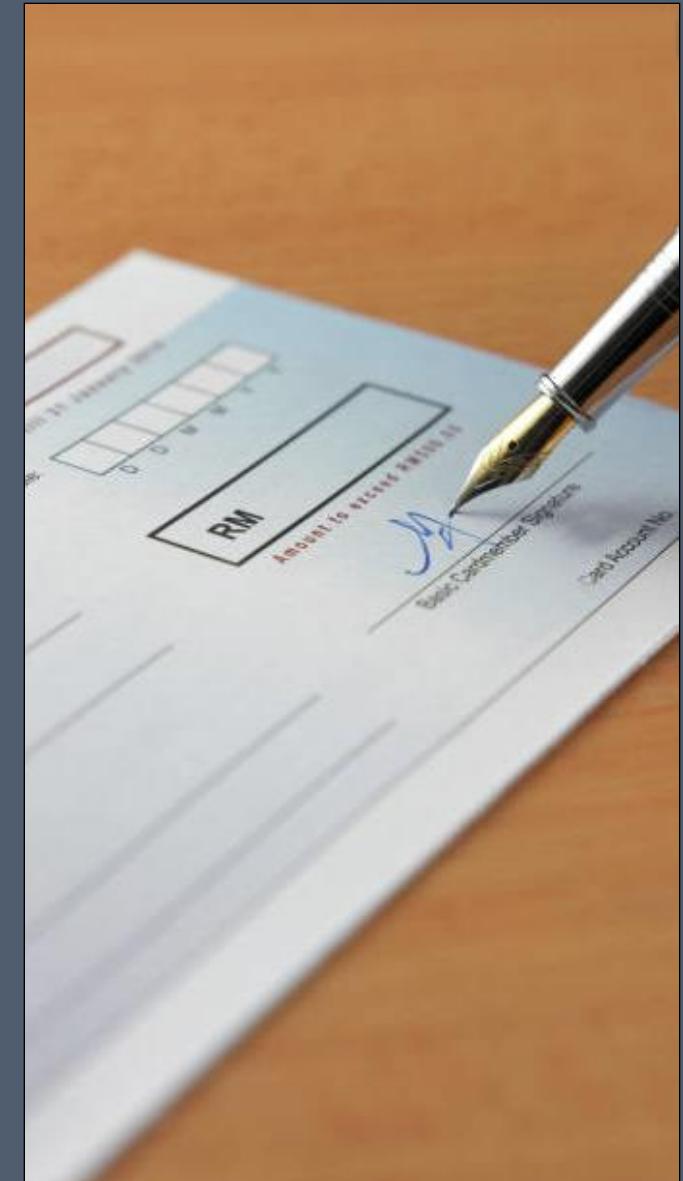
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Campaign Finance Law: *Before HB 4024*

- Before HB 4024—and still today—Oregon operates a **continuous reporting system**.
- Prior to HB 4024, Oregon **did not have limits** on contributions or spending.
- Oregon will now join a minority of states that do the following:
 - Proactively enforce campaign finance limits.
 - Regulate contributions across connected networks of donors and committees.
 - Impose penalties on individual contributors.



Key Policy Changes in HB 4024:

Contribution limits

Established, financed, maintained or controlled (EFMC)

Original source of funds

Limiting funds carried-over between election cycles

Committee re-organization

Key Policy Changes in HB 4024:

Penalties for individual contributors

In-kind contributions

Recalls

Transparency dashboard

Enforcement and investigations

Key Policy Changes in HB 4024:

Contested case rights for complainants

“Paid for By” disclosures

Candidate filing deadline

Key Deadlines in HB 4024:



Rulemaking Advisory Committee: Process Update



May 1, 2025:
Draft Manual Released



November 21, 2025:
Public Comments Close



Mid-May:
RAC Convenes



In progress:
Comment Review & Adoption of Final Rules

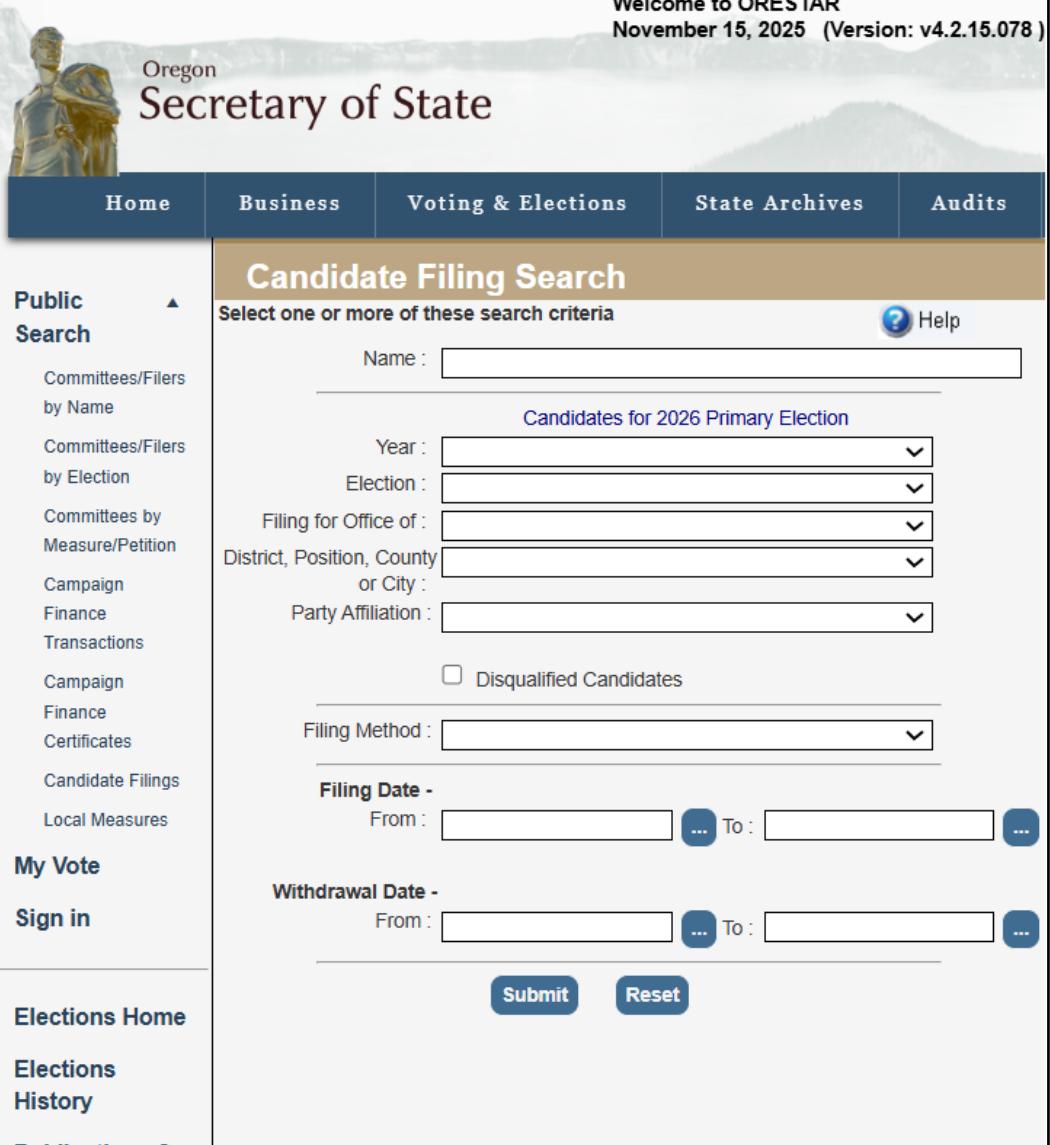


September 15, 2025:
Draft Rules Published

HB 4024 Challenges:

- Inconsistent terminology
- Inconsistent contribution timeframes
- Overlap with local law and rule
- Data for dashboard
- New filing system

Welcome to ORESTAR
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The image shows the 'Candidate Filing Search' page of the ORESTAR system. At the top, there is a banner with the text 'Welcome to ORESTAR' and 'November 15, 2025 (Version: v4.2.15.078)'. Below the banner, the 'Oregon Secretary of State' logo is displayed, featuring a statue of a man holding a shield. The main search area has a brown header with the title 'Candidate Filing Search' and a sub-header 'Select one or more of these search criteria'. On the left, a sidebar menu includes 'Home', 'Business', 'Voting & Elections', 'State Archives', and 'Audits'. Under 'Public Search', there are several dropdown menus and input fields for searching candidates by name, election year, office, party affiliation, filing method, and dates. There are also checkboxes for 'Disqualified Candidates' and 'Filing Method'. At the bottom, there are 'Submit' and 'Reset' buttons.



Revitalizing ORESTAR:

Oregon's campaign finance system—ORESTAR, supports online voter registration, the state voter pamphlet, candidacy filings, and additional services.

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Home Business Voting & Elections State Archives Audits

Public Search

- Committees/Filers by Name
- Committees/Filers by Election
- Committees by Measure/Petition
- Campaign Finance Transactions
- Campaign Finance Certificates
- Candidate Filings
- Local Measures

My Vote

- Sign in

Elections Home

Elections History

Candidate Filing Search

Select one or more of these search criteria

Name :

Candidates for 2026 Primary Election

Year :

Election :

Filing for Office of :

District, Position, County or City :

Party Affiliation :

Disqualified Candidates

Filing Method :

Filing Date -

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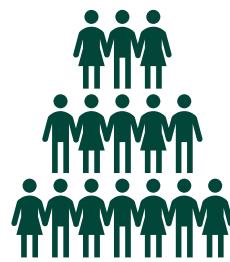
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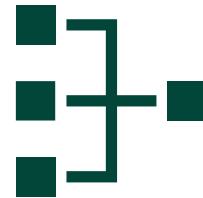
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Funding & Resources: 2026 Budget Needs



Staffing Up



IT Procurement



Tight Timeline

Next Steps



Publish Final Rules



**Ongoing Collaboration With
the Legislature**

Questions?

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