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**ANNUAL
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2010

2011

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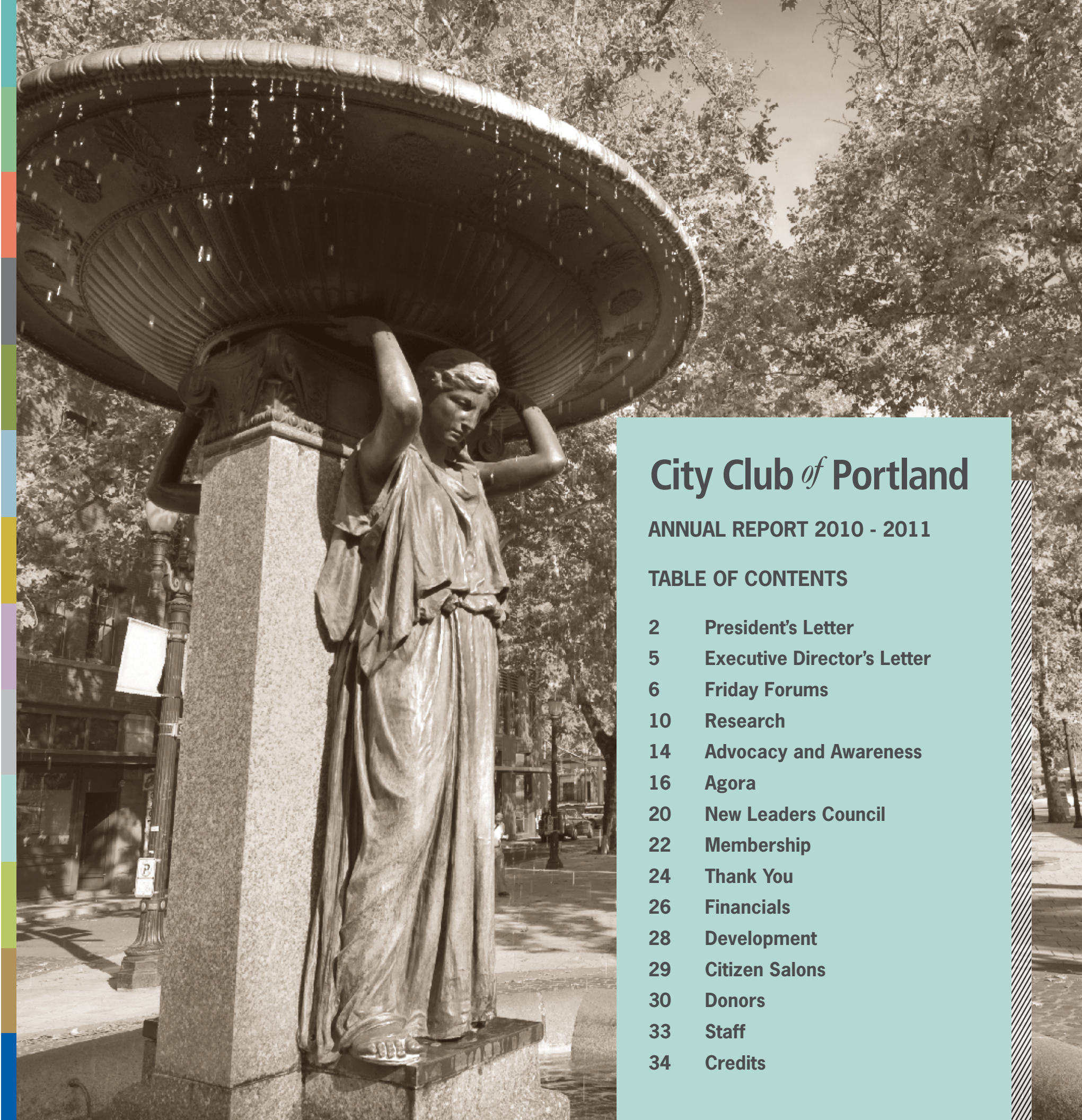
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A LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

This last year we saw our “body politic” bruised and battered – both on the national front, and in states closer to home. It was a forceful reminder of the vital City Club mission to inform and engage citizens in public issues. We cultivate the citizen capital that is needed to solve the challenges we face in the Portland region and beyond.

As you’re reading this, the memory of Washington’s dysfunctional debate over the debt ceiling will not have fully faded. In stark (and welcome) contrast, City Club’s 2010-11 fiscal year began with former Senator Bob Packwood’s prescient cautions on the perils of partisanship, followed by a series of civil candidate debates for the major offices up for grabs in 2010, along with lively ballot measure debates. The Friday Forums, a weekly staple of the Club’s wide-ranging programming, featured experts from near and far who educated, entertained and excited us about everything from the politics of scarce water resources to Portland’s “indie” music scene. Thousands of members and guests experienced these Forums live at the Governor Hotel; tens of thousands more enjoyed them via our broadcast partners or the podcasts on our website.

One of the year’s highlights was the **premier issue series, (★) From Crisis to Opportunity: Exploring Solutions to Oregon’s Fiscal Challenges**, on restoring Oregon’s fiscal health that Governor John Kitzhaber kicked off in the spring. The series included an array of insightful Forums along with more intimate Agora and New Leaders Council events. These included an interactive exercise to redraw a mock state budget and a tour of urban renewal efforts in Lents. The Club’s signature member-led research supported the premier issue series by tackling – without standoffs or dueling sound bites – PERS reform.

Beyond PERS reform, dozens of Club members spent weeks studying, analyzing and crafting recommendations regarding Multnomah County’s delivery of mental health care services as well as three ballot measures considered by voters.

It was a year that served once again as a testament to the enduring value and vitality of the Club’s mission as THE convener of citizen conversations on the most important public issues.

Sharon VanSickle-Robbins

★ = Look for premier issue events marked with a star throughout the annual report.

5 GUIDING PRINCIPLES

City Club aspires to expand citizen access to public leaders, bring greater transparency to its operations, and enrich member opportunities to exercise leadership and influence our community.

ACCESS

City Club aspires to be the “common ground” where citizens seek alternative perspectives and new understanding, engage in respectful and generative discourse, and welcome the diverse voices of our community.

INCLUSION

City Club aspires to continually innovate interactive means of engaging citizens in the betterment of their community.

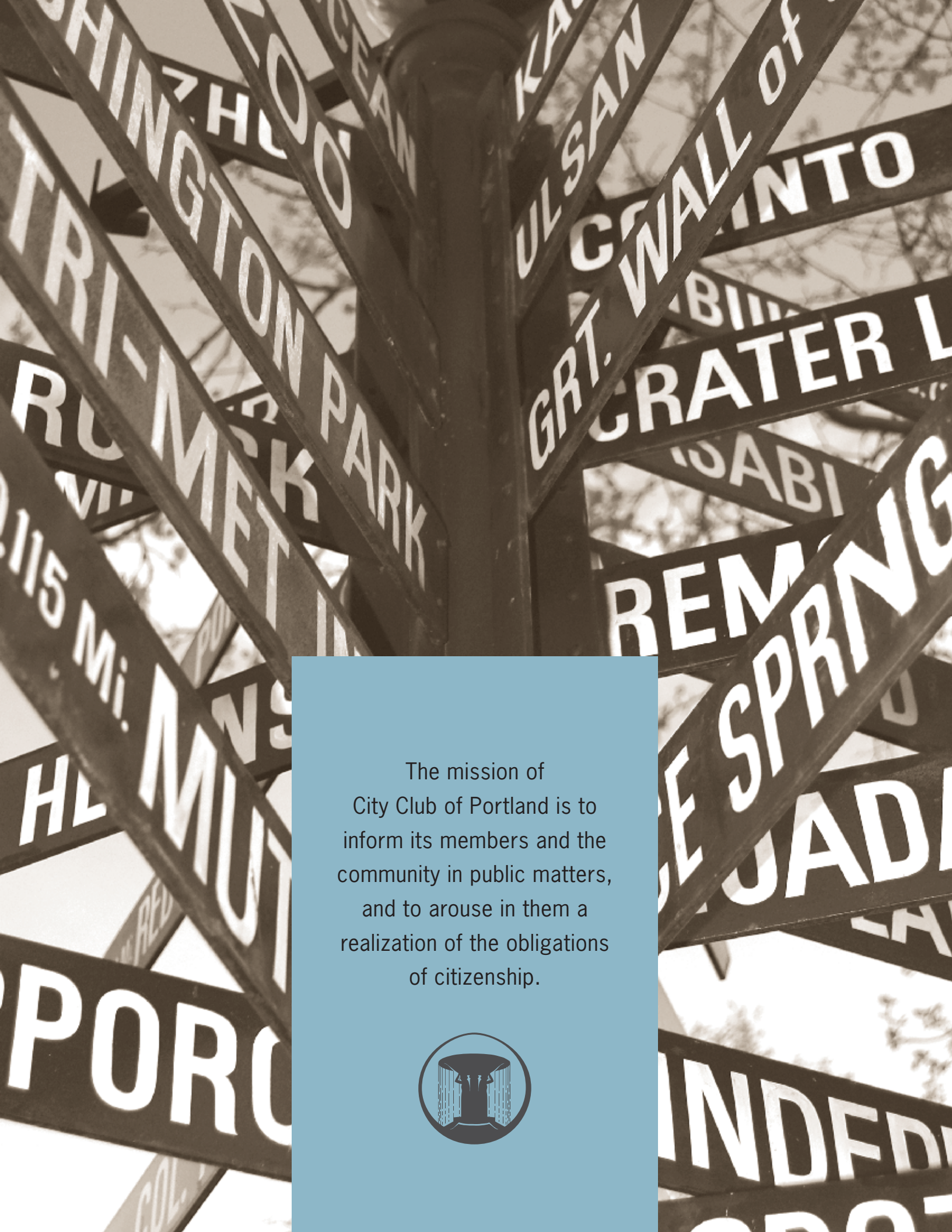
INTERACTION

City Club aspires to address our community’s most relevant issues in a timely manner through balanced, non-agenda driven programming.

RELEVANCE

City Club aspires to attract and utilize all resources – human, financial, material and influential – in a manner that continually generates increased capability in the community as well as in the organization.

SUSTAINABILITY



The mission of City Club of Portland is to inform its members and the community in public matters, and to arouse in them a realization of the obligations of citizenship.



A LETTER FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

We all feel the pressures of information overload and the changing dynamics of the news cycle. Sound bites, tweets and texts bombard us with short snippets of information and opinion. Community members can choose to be overwhelmed – or they can choose to actively participate in our democracy by making efforts to be informed and to engage others. At City Club, we aim to counter the cacophony of 60-second sound bites by offering in-depth programming that probes, analyzes and questions.

For example, City Club committees worked together to produce the **premier issue series (★) *From Crisis to Opportunity: Exploring Solutions to Oregon's Fiscal Challenges***. This series challenged conventional political wisdom and explored genuinely innovative and long-term solutions to Oregon's fiscal crisis. Programs included Friday Forums on the economy, revenue streams and public service delivery; Agora and NLC events gave in-depth looks at items like the budget and public education. Finally, the Research program released a comprehensive report on the Public Employees Retirement System.

City Club convenes these important conversations, allowing us to more deeply understand important issues at the local, regional and national levels. Our programs could not happen without the efforts of volunteers who serve on our programming committees of Research, Advocacy and Awareness, Friday Forum, Agora and New Leaders Council. These members dedicate their knowledge, time and passion to ensure Portland has a more informed citizenry. They are the thought-leaders of today.

On behalf of City Club staff, thank you for making our jobs meaningful and inspiring.

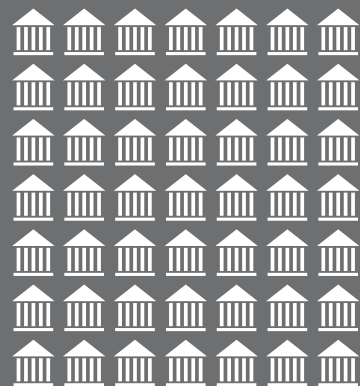
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FRIDAY FORUMS

FRIDAY FORUM COMMITTEE 2010 - 2011

Marge Kafoury, chair
 Bob Davee
 Joyce DeMonnin
 Ly Do
 Adam Gamboa
 Leslie Johnson
 Jill Josselyn
 Carla Kelly
 Kate Marx
 Elaine McCall
 Melisa McDonald
 Mike Moran
 Steve Novick
 Merri Wyatt
 Paddy Tillett



42
 FORUMS IN
 2010 - 2011

WEEKLY RADIO AUDIENCE
 OF ABOUT


15,000
 OPB LISTENERS

7,915 LIVE ATTENDEES


 SPEAKERS INCLUDED
TWO
 - SITTING -
 GOVERNORS

12:15
 PROGRAM
 BEGINS 




 **503-228-7231 X110**
 NUMBER TO CALL TO BOOK YOUR SPOT
 AT AN UPCOMING FRIDAY FORUM

80
 FRIDAY
 FORUM
 SPEAKERS

TOPICS RANGED
 FROM CIVIL LIBERTIES
 & PUBLIC SAFETY TO
 AGING & EARTHQUAKES

 ADDRESS OF FRIDAY FORUMS
THE GOVERNOR HOTEL
 614 SW 11TH AVE., PORTLAND, OR

 **MP3** File format which you can download & listen
 to archived **Friday Forums** at
pdxcityclub.org/content/friday-forums

The Friday Forum program, City Club's flagship lunchtime lecture series, informs Oregonians about the most pressing issues of our time. City Club welcomes members and nonmembers to Friday Forums.

June 4, 2010
CITY CLUB ANNUAL MEETING AND FOREST PARK REPORT
 Forest Park Research Committee

June 11, 2010
ON THE ROAD WITH ELECTRIC VEHICLES
 Robbie Diamond, President and CEO, Electrification Coalition

June 18, 2010
MAKING SENSE OF SENTENCING: HOW TO USE THOUGHTFUL SENTENCING TO REDUCE CRIME AND TRANSFORM OFFENDERS
 Judge Ann Aiken; Judge Michael Marcus

June 25, 2010
A "RESET" FOR OREGON GOVERNMENT: OVERCOMING A DECADE OF DEFICITS
 Governor Ted Kulongoski

2007
 YEAR SLATE MAGAZINE
 DECLARED **PORTLAND**
 AS AMERICA'S
INDIE ROCK MECCA

July 9, 2010
SMALL CITY, BIG SCENE: INDEPENDENT MUSIC IN PORTLAND
 Live music by Boy Eats Drum Machine; musicians and panelists Dave Allen, Rachel Blumberg, Jared Mees and Laura Veirs; moderator David Bragdon

July 16, 2010
ENERGY CONSERVATION IN OREGON: A STRATEGY FOR SAVING MONEY, CREATING JOBS AND PROTECTING THE ENVIRONMENT
 Tom Eckman, manager, Conservation Resources, Northwest Power; Margie Harris, executive director, Energy Trust of Oregon

July 23, 2010
TRADITIONS AND TRANSITIONS: TRIBAL ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP
 Cheryle Kennedy, chairwoman, Confederated Tribes of the Grand Ronde; Lisa Bluelake, lawyer, Confederated Tribes of the Grand Ronde



July 30, 2010
PORTLAND BRIDGES FALLING DOWN: DO WE NEED A REGIONAL BRIDGE AUTHORITY?
 Mike Burton, vice provost, Portland State University; Deborah Kafoury, commissioner, Multnomah County District 1; Lynn Peterson, chair, Clackamas County Board of Commissioners; moderator Dick Feeney

September 10, 2010
PACKWOOD ON PARTISANSHIP
 Bob Packwood, former Oregon Senator and founder, Sunrise Research Corporation



September 17, 2010
BALLOT MEASURE 73 DEBATE: SENTENCING
 Doug Harclerod, attorney, Oregon Anti-Crime Alliance; David Rogers, executive director, Partnership for Safety and Justice

September 24, 2010
BALLOT MEASURE 75 DEBATE: CASINOS
 Roger Gray, representative, Good for Oregon committee; Justin Martin, representative, Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde and Oregon Tribal Gaming Alliance

October 1, 2010
METRO COUNCIL PRESIDENT DEBATE
 Tom Hughes, Bob Stacey

October 8, 2010
GUBERNATORIAL SINGLE-CHAIR DEBATE
 John Kitzhaber

October 15, 2010
OREGON'S 5TH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT DEBATE
 Scott Bruun, Kurt Schrader

October 22, 2010
US SENATE DEBATE
 Jim Huffman, Ron Wyden

October 29, 2010
SEND LAWYERS, GUNS AND MONEY: THE U.S. ATTORNEY'S OFFICE IN OREGON COMMUNITIES

Dwight Holton, United States Attorney for the District of Oregon

November 5, 2010
POST-ELECTION ANALYSIS

Bob Moore, president, Moore Information; Jim Moore, professor of political science, Pacific University; David Sarasohn, associate editor, *The Oregonian*

November 12, 2010
IS THERE A NONPROFIT IN YOUR LIFEBOAT?

Norm Smith, president, The Ford Family Foundation; Kay Sohl, cofounder, Technical Assistance for Community Services (TACS); Kay Toran, president and CEO, Volunteers of America, Oregon



November 19, 2010
THE SKIDMORE PRIZES: RECOGNIZING A YOUNGER GENERATION OF NONPROFIT LEADERS

Jeff Cogan, Multnomah County Chair; Richard Meeker, publisher, *Willamette Week*; Israel Bayer, director, Street Roots; Leah Hall, parent mentor, Morrison Child and Family Services; Gaby Mendez, case manager, Neighborhood House; Laura Streib, founder and director, Vibe of Portland

PORTLAND'S WATER RATES HAVE GONE UP 43% IN 3 YEARS

December 3, 2010
THE POLITICS OF WATER

Janet Neuman, professor of law, Lewis & Clark Law School and past president, Oregon Water Trust

December 10, 2010
OREGON FORESTS: AN OLD KEY TO THE NEW ECONOMY?

Sybil Ackerman, executive director, Lazar Foundation and member, State Board of Forestry; Matt Donegan, CEO, Forest Capital Partners; Hal Salwasser, dean, Oregon State University College of Forestry; moderator Paul Barnum, executive director, Oregon Forest Resources Institute

December 17, 2010
YOUNG PEOPLE IN GLOBAL HOTSPOTS

Neil Keny-Guyer, CEO, Mercy Corps

January 7, 2011
REDISTRICTING: THE TEN YEAR GAME

Kate Brown, Oregon Secretary of State

January 14, 2011
ECONOMIC FORECAST 2011: IS THE GLASS HALF-EMPTY OR HALF-FULL?

Tom Potiowsky, director, Oregon Office of Economic Analysis

January 21, 2011
GOVERNING AND FUNDING HIGHER EDUCATION

George Pernsteiner, chancellor, Oregon University System; Ed Ray, president, Oregon State University

January 28, 2011
PUTTING OREGON BACK TO WORK

Jay Clemens, president and CEO, Associated Oregon Industries; Ryan Deckert, president, Oregon Business Association; Sandra McDonough, president and CEO, Portland Business Alliance; Duncan Wyse, president, Oregon Business Council

February 4, 2011
STATE OF THE COUNTY

Multnomah County Chair Jeff Cogen

February 11, 2011
ROAR, GRRR, HOOT: WHAT'S HAPPENING AT THE OREGON ZOO

Kimberly Smith, director, Oregon Zoo

February 18, 2011
STATE OF THE CITY

Mayor Sam Adams

February 25, 2011
A DECADE OF DECISIONS: WHY IT DOESN'T HAVE TO BE THIS HARD

Congressman Earl Blumenauer

March 4, 2011
★PREMIER ISSUE FROM CRISIS TO OPPORTUNITY: KICKOFF ADDRESS

Governor John Kitzhaber

March 11, 2011
DEFENDING CIVIL LIBERTIES IN OREGON AND AMERICA

Susan Herman, president, ACLU

March 18, 2011
PUBLIC EMPLOYEE UNIONS AND COLLECTIVE BARGAINING IN OREGON

Leslie Frane, director, Public Services Division, SEIU; Jack Roberts, executive director, Lane Metro Partnership and former Oregon Labor Commissioner; moderator Jack Kondrasuk, associate professor of management, Pamplin School of Business, University of Portland

March 25, 2011
TECHNOLOGICAL INNOVATION AND THE FUTURE OF AGING

Eric Dishman, Intel fellow and director of Health Innovation, Intel Architecture Group

THE 1700 CASCADIA EARTHQUAKE WAS A MAGNITUDE 9.0

April 1, 2011
DISASTER AND PREPAREDNESS IN THE RING OF FIRE

Chris Goldfinger, professor, College of Oceanic and Atmospheric Sciences, Oregon State University; Chris Higgins, professor, College of Oceanic and Atmospheric Sciences, Oregon State University; Kathryn Higley, department head, Department of Nuclear Engineering, Oregon State University

April 8, 2011
★PREMIER ISSUE DRIVING THE OREGON ECONOMY

Karla Chambers, co-owner, Stahlbush Island Farms and board member, Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco

April 15, 2011
NEW DIRECTIONS FOR PORTLAND'S POLICE BUREAU

Chief Michael Reese, Portland Police Bureau



OREGON'S NURSERY & GREENHOUSE INDUSTRY 2010 TOTAL GROSS VALUE OF SALES COMES IN AT \$676 MILLION

May 13, 2011
GROWING OREGON'S NURSERY INDUSTRY

Grace Dinsdale, founder and president, Blooming Nursery; Dan Hilburn, administrator, National Plant Board; Jeff Stone, executive director, Oregon Association of Nurseries; Moderator Mark Sytsma, professor of environmental sciences, Portland State University

May 20, 2011
★PREMIER ISSUE CARING FOR OREGONIANS IN CRISIS

Ben DeHaan, executive director, Partners for Our Children; Erinn Kelley-Siel, director, Oregon Department of Human Services; Lynne Saxton, CEO, Christie Care

April 22, 2011
THE FUTURE OF OREGON'S TRANSPORTATION SYSTEMS: HOW DO WE GET FROM HERE TO THERE?

Gail Achterman, chair, Oregon Transportation Commission

April 29, 2011
A HUMANE RELATIONSHIP: OUR KINSHIP WITH ANIMALS

Wayne Pacelle, president and CEO, The Humane Society of the United States

May 6, 2011
★PREMIER ISSUE YOU HAVE TO PAY TO PLAY: FUNDING OREGON'S PUBLIC SERVICES

Elizabeth Harchenko, former director, Oregon Department of Revenue

RESEARCH

>900
BALLOT MEASURE &
COMPREHENSIVE REPORTS
SINCE 1920

6/2010 - 5/2011
3 BALLOT MEASURE REPORTS
2 COMPREHENSIVE REPORTS
1 BALLOT MEASURE RESOLUTION

RESEARCH BOARD 2010 - 2011

John Horvick, chair
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Barnes Ellis, board of governors liaison
Mark Anderson
Roger Eiss
Mary Ellen Farr
Jean Hart
Mark Knudsen
Ruth Radford
Jonathan Radmacher
Jennifer Rollins
Scott Whiteford

TWO NEW

COMPREHENSIVE STUDIES
LAUNCHED IN
2010 - 2011

INFORM
&
TRANSFORM

**ONE HUNDRED
TWENTY-SIX**
COMMUNITY LEADERS INTERVIEWED
BY RESEARCH COMMITTEES

REPORTS & RESOLUTIONS
AVAILABLE
ONLINE
[pdxcityclub.org/content/
report-archive](http://pdxcityclub.org/content/report-archive)



{82} MEMBERS PARTICIPATED
IN RESEARCH EFFORTS



City Club has a long history of tackling big issues and sparking public discussion through its one-of-a-kind, all-volunteer, citizen-driven research program. A volunteer board sets the direction and provides oversight for dozens of members who write the reports that inform public debate and that frequently play a role in shaping local, regional and state policies. Final reports are presented to the membership for adoption in a public debate and vote.

IMPROVING THE DELIVERY OF PUBLIC MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES IN MULTNOMAH COUNTY

This report proposed a series of cost-effective recommendations that would improve oversight and enforcement of public mental health contracts; enhance budget transparency; and provide more effective and coordinated care. In a vote on April 8, 2011, Club members voted to approve the study committee's report.

Tamsen Wassell, chair
John Swetnam, lead writer
Mark Anderson, research adviser
Elena Balduzzi
Linda Elliott
LaJean Humphries
James Kahan
Edward Keenan
B.J. Seymour
Greg Shortreed

**IN 2009, NEARLY
30,000 INDIVIDUALS
RECEIVED MENTAL
HEALTH TREATMENT
& SUPPORT THROUGH
THE MENTAL HEALTH &
ADDICTION SERVICES
DIVISION OF THE
MULTNOMAH COUNTY
DEPARTMENT OF
HUMAN SERVICES**

RECOMMENDATIONS
WOULD **REDUCE
PERS COSTS BY
MORE THAN
\$2 BILLION,**
HELP PRESERVE PUBLIC
SERVICES & JOBS, &
PROVIDE ADEQUATE
RETIREMENT BENEFITS

OREGON PERS: BURDENED BY THE PAST, POISED FOR THE FUTURE

This report concluded that without further reforms, Oregon's Public Employees Retirement System (PERS) will continue to pose financial challenges and unnecessary risks to public services across the state. The report provided recommendations that would enable Oregon to place PERS on a more sustainable path while simultaneously maintaining the state's commitment to its public employees. In a vote on June 3, 2011, Club members voted to approve the study committee's report.

Rob Aldisert, chair
David Quisenberry, vice chair
Kathy Black, lead writer
Clifford Droke, research adviser
Roger Eiss, research adviser
Carmel Bentley
Rob Brostoff
John Chiappetta
Joseph Lake
Patrick O'Brien
Lonnie Tucker
John Wish
Angela Wykoff

NOVEMBER 2010 ELECTION

For generations, voters have relied on the credibility and lay perspective of City Club research to guide them toward informed voting decisions. That tradition continued as City Club produced three reports and one resolution on four key ballot measures.

A CITY CLUB REPORT ON BALLOT MEASURE 73:

Requires Increased Minimum Sentences for Certain Repeated Sex Crimes; Incarceration for Repeated Driving Under the Influence

CITY CLUB
RECOMMENDED A
“NO” VOTE.

NO

Scott Warnick, chair
Mary Macpherson, lead writer
Mary Ellen Farr, research adviser
Jean Hart, research adviser
Eugene Bradley
David Gilbert
David Jarvis
Heather Kmetz
Paul Millius
Chuck Mitchell
Elisabeth Shellan

A CITY CLUB REPORT ON BALLOT MEASURE 74:

Establishes Medical Marijuana Supply System and Assistance and Research Programs; Allows Limited Selling of Marijuana

CITY CLUB
RECOMMENDED A
“NO” VOTE.

NO

Joanne Kahn, chair
Shannon Grzybowski, lead writer
Ruth Radford, research adviser
Craig Beebe
Jeremiah Centrella
Carol Ford
Alan Mela
Sonia Montalbano
Elia Popovich
Kurt Wehbring
Richard York

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**COST OF PUBLIC
CAMPAIGN FINANCING
PER PORTLANDER
PER ELECTION**

A CITY CLUB REPORT ON BALLOT MEASURE 26-108:

Continues City Public Campaign Financing for Mayoral, Commissioner, Auditor Candidates

CITY CLUB
RECOMMENDED A
“YES” VOTE.

YES

Lori Irish Bauman, chair
Travis Sanford, lead writer
Jonathan Radmacher, research adviser
Alan Brickley
Steven Carter
Jan Christensen
Patt Flynn
Bernie Giusto
Tom Karnes
Wendy Rahm
Henry Shapiro
Carl Von Rohr

City Club’s Board of Governors, acting on the advice of the Research Board, adopted a resolution on one ballot measure related to state governance, based on findings from previous City Club research.

CITY CLUB
RECOMMENDED A
“YES” VOTE.

YES

RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF BALLOT MEASURE 71:

Amends Constitution: Requires Legislature to Meet Annually; Limits Length of Legislative Sessions; Provides Exceptions

STUDIES IN PROGRESS

City Club launched two comprehensive study research committees on complex policy issues during the 2010-2011 year. Reports from both committees – Oregon’s Legislative Redistricting Process (Scott Warnick, chair) and Civics Education (Jim Gorter, chair) – are expected in 2012.



ADVOCACY & AWARENESS

ADVOCACY & AWARENESS BOARD 2010 - 2011

Mark Anderson, chair

Dan Anderson

Wayne Clark

Sonja Grove

Ed Hershey

Krista Hildebrand

Merril Keane

Karen Kervin

URNS RESEARCH INTO ACTION



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MEMBERS
PARTICIPATED IN
ADVOCACY EFFORTS

118 
NEWS STORIES
ABOUT CLUB
RESEARCH & ADVOCACY



PORTLAND'S FOREST PARK = 47 PERCENT
OF PARKS BUREAU LANDS



RECEIVES LESS THAN 1 PERCENT
OF PARKS BUREAU BUDGET

INITIATIVE REFORM ADVOCACY COMMITTEE

Leslie Johnson, chair
Dan Anderson, advocacy adviser
Ed Gronke
Arden Shenker
Scott Shorr
Richard York

FOREST PARK ADVOCACY COMMITTEE

Spencer Ehrman, co-chair
Carol Chesarek, co-chair
Wayne Clark, advocacy adviser
Elizabeth Friedenwald
Jim Gorter
Jim Jackson
Mary Ella Kuster
Jennifer Rollins
Paul Schmidt

REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION GOVERNANCE ADVOCACY COMMITTEE

Leigh Stephenson-Kuhn, chair
Ed Hershey, advocacy adviser
Steve Griffith
Peter Livingston
Kate Marx
Andi Miller
Andrew Plambeck
Kevin Pozzi
Richard Ross


SEVEN RECOMMENDATIONS FOR IMPROVING FOREST PARK IMPLEMENTED

>25 PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS BY TRANSPORTATION ADVOCACY COMMITTEE MEMBERS 



City Club's Advocacy & Awareness Program extends the life and increases the impact of the Club's research reports by engaging members in organized efforts to promote the Club's public policy recommendations. This year, Initiative Reform Committee members wrapped up their advocacy efforts, which – over a three year period – resulted in the passage of two bills: HB 2005, which directed additional resources to proactive enforcement of rules governing signature gathering, and HB 2942, which ended the practice of “ballot title shopping.” The Forest Park Advocacy Committee helped secure the implementation of more than a half-dozen report recommendations, including the completion of long-promised ecological studies and user surveys, and the hiring of Forest Park's first full-time park ranger. Meanwhile, the Regional Transportation Governance Committee engaged in a remarkable series of public presentations to groups and individuals ranging from Metro to the Mayor of Portland to the Governor's new Transportation Adviser.



AGORA

AGORA COMMITTEE 2010 - 2011

Caroline Harris Crowne, co-chair
 Gwen Millius, co-chair
 Paula Amato
 Courtney Brooks
 Danièle Colonna
 David Cook
 Tim DuRoche
 William Dwyer
 Cole Mills
 Marc Tedesco
 Cynthia Townsend
 Wynne Wakkila
 Carole Witherell

ag·o·ra
 noun \ˈa-gə-rə\
 : a gathering place; especially : the marketplace in ancient Greece
Origin: Greek, from *ageirein* to gather
 plural **ag·o·ras** or **ag·o·rae**

AGORA is a MARKETPLACE of IDEAS



100
 PERCENTAGE OF
FREE
 AGORA EVENTS

FORTY-SEVEN PROGRAMS
 (NEARLY FOUR EACH MONTH)

THREE ART EXHIBITS

39% OF PROGRAMS WERE PANEL DISCUSSIONS



FOUR BOOKS

 covered by **CITIZENS READ**



AGORA COMMITTEE MEETS 3RD MONDAY of EVERY MONTH at 4:30

Agora Steering Committee programs provide a venue where expansive and complex issues – such as education, health care, civics and the arts – can be understood and discussed by all. Agora's small-group format allows panelists, moderators and participants to delve deeply into multifaceted topics, debate their complexities and generate ideas – or even solutions – that make our community a better place.

June 14, 2010
BRIGHT LIGHTS: BANKING, BAILOUTS, AND BUSINESS: THE NEW FINANCIAL LANDSCAPE GLOBALLY AND LOCALLY
 Ray Davis, CEO, Umpqua Bank

June 14, 2010
FAIR TRADE: SIMPLE WAYS YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE
 Dana Geffner, online store director, Global Exchange; Elizabeth Swanger, coordinator, Portland SweatFree Campaign

June 26, 2010
OF THE PEOPLE OR FOR THE PEOPLE: GETTING THE GOVERNMENT WE DESERVE
 Jeff Golden, former host, Jefferson Public Radio's Jefferson Exchange

June 28, 2010
CITIZENS READ: THE HEARTS OF HORSES BY MOLLY GLOSS
 Molly Gloss, author

June 29, 2010
CIVICS 101: A TALE OF THREE CITIES
 Key city planners

July 26, 2010
CITIZENS READ: CRASHERS BY DANA HAYNES
 Dana Haynes, author

August 9, 2010
BRIGHT LIGHTS: ON MERCY CORPS' FRONTLINES
 Cassandra Nelson, director, Multimedia Projects, Mercy Corps

August 9, 2010
HUMAN TRAFFICKING: INVESTIGATION AND PROSECUTION – HERE AND ABROAD
 Brad Avakian, commissioner, Oregon Bureau of Labor and Industries; Mike Hogan, Pacific Northwest regional director, Church Mobilization for International Justice Mission; Gregory Moawad, deputy district attorney, Multnomah County

August 24, 2010
PORTLAND LEARNS FROM SYDNEY AND NEW YORK: CREATING A PORTLAND PLAN THAT STAYS OFF THE SHELF AND IN YOUR HANDS
 Alexandra Howard, project coordinator, Bureau of Planning and Sustainability

September 7, 2010
THE CORPORATE CITIZEN AND CAMPAIGN FINANCE
 Chris Shortell, assistant professor of Political Science, Portland State University; John Frohnmayer, affiliate professor of Liberal Arts, Oregon State University; Tom Cox, founder, Cox Business Consulting

September 13, 2010
HUMAN TRAFFICKING: THE PIMP AND HIS GAME
 Sergeant Doug Justus, Portland Police Bureau; Detective Meghan Burkeen, Portland Police Bureau

September 17, 2010
THE MENDING WALL: IMMIGRATION AND HUMAN RIGHTS IN PERSPECTIVE
 Daniel J. Tichenor, professor, University of Oregon; Juliet Stumpf, associate professor, Lewis & Clark College; Cas Mudde, professor, DePauw University; Elizabeth Hovde, columnist, *The Oregonian*

September 19, 2010
BEYOND BARS: RE-ENVISIONING THE PRISON SYSTEM
 Walidah Imarisha, author and adjunct professor, Portland State University

September 20, 2010
BRIGHT LIGHTS: ERIN FLYNN OF PDC
 Erin Flynn, director of urban economic development, Portland Development Commission



October 5, 2010
LEFT BEHIND OR OUT IN FRONT? EDUCATIONAL ACCESS AND EQUITY IN PORTLAND
 Andrew Mason, executive director, Open Meadow; Shane Endicott, executive director, Our United Villages; Jocelyn Bigay, director, NAYA Early College Academy; moderator Richard Christen, associate professor, University of Portland

October 5, 2010
MULTNOMAH COUNTY DISTRICT 2 DEBATE
 Karol Collymore and Loretta Smith, candidates; moderated by the League of Women Voters

October 13, 2010
SENTENCING IN THE OREGON JUDICIAL SYSTEM: A CONVERSATION
 Judge Michael Marcus, Multnomah County Circuit Court; Gail Meyer, legislative representative, Oregon Criminal Defense Lawyers Association

October 16, 2010
**LEFT BEHIND OR OUT IN FRONT?
"PAPERS"**
Movie Screening

October 18, 2010
**BRIGHT LIGHTS: A
CONVERSATION WITH PAUL
PAWLOWSKI AND OMI
NABIPOOR**
Paul Pawlowski, urban designer, Sera Architects; Omid Nabipoor, engineer, Interface Engineering

October 26, 2010
**LEFT BEHIND OR OUT IN FRONT?
WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF A
PUBLIC EDUCATION?**
Scott Fletcher, dean, Lewis & Clark; Joyce Braden Harris, director, Northwest Regional Educational Laboratory; David Wynde, board member, Portland Public Schools; moderator Tim DuRoche, director of programs, World Affairs Council of Oregon

November 15, 2010
**CITIZENS READ: MINK RIVER BY
BRIAN DOYLE**
Brian Doyle, author

November 15, 2010
**COLUMBIA RIVER CROSSING: A
MORE SENSIBLE ALTERNATIVE?**
George Crandall, urban designer; Bill Scott, founder and general manager, Zipcar; Joe Cortright, economist, Impresa, Inc.

December 1, 2010
**HEALTHY AND COMPLETE
COMMUNITIES**
Robert Ogilvie, program director, Public Health Law & Policy

December 8, 2010
**EDUCATION AND THE
PORTLAND PLAN**
Judith Bell, president, PolicyLink

December 13, 2010
**BRIGHT LIGHTS: WHERE
ENVIRONMENTALISM MEETS
CAPITALISM**
Spencer Beebe, founder, EcoTrust

December 15, 2010
RE-IMAGINING (E)QUALITY
Julian Agyeman, professor of Urban and Environmental Policy and Planning, Tufts University

January 12, 2011
**DESIGNING FOR ENVIRONMENT
AND COMMUNITY**
Ronald Kellett and Cynthia Girling, professors of Landscape Architecture, University of British Columbia

January 17, 2011
**ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND
THE PORTLAND PLAN**
Robert Weissbourd, president, RW Ventures, LLC

January 24, 2011
**BRIGHT LIGHTS: FROM
HIGHWAYS TO HANDSHAKES**
Tim Stonor, director, Syntax Limited

January 25, 2011
**HEALTH REFORM – CAN OREGON
ONCE AGAIN LEAD THE NATION?**
Eileen Brady, board member, Oregon Health Policy board; Glenn Rodriguez, MD, sub-committee chair, Oregon Health Policy board; Tina Edlund, Oregon Health Authority; moderator Jim Scott, MD, vice president of Healthcare Improvement, PeaceHealth

January 31, 2011
**CITIZENS READ: BREW TO
BIKES: PORTLAND'S ARTISAN
ECONOMY BY CHARLES HEYING**
Charles Heying, author



February 1, 2011
**ART IN THE COMMONS:
PORTLAND BRIDGETOWN
BY ZEB ANDREWS**
Art Exhibit

February 7, 2011
**BRIGHT LIGHTS: SETTING
OREGON'S UNIVERSITIES FREE**
Wim Wiewel, president, Portland State University and George Pernsteiner, chancellor, Oregon University System

February 14, 2011
**THE PROBLEMS OF RACIAL
JUSTICE IN PORTLAND:
REVISITING THE 1968 CITY
CLUB REPORT**
Karen Gibson, associate professor of Urban Studies and Planning, Portland State University

March 21, 2011
**BRIGHT LIGHTS: CLIMATE
CHANGE AND THE NEXT GREAT
MIGRATION**
Gail Achterman, former director, Institute for Natural Resources, Oregon State University

March 31, 2011
**PHOTOGRAPHIC PORTRAITS AT
THE PORTLAND ART MUSEUM**
Julia Dolan, curator, Portland Art Museum

April 5, 2011
**LEFT BEHIND OR OUT IN FRONT:
WHAT WE CAN DO TO ASSURE
EXCELLENCE AND EQUITY FOR
ALL STUDENTS**
Movie Screening



April 7, 2011
**ART IN THE COMMONS:
PORTLAND SWITCHING
DISTRICTS PROJECT BY
ALEXANDER CRAGHEAD**
Art Exhibit

April 18, 2011
**BRIGHT LIGHTS: PORTLAND
FUTURES**
Charlie Hales, former Portland City Commissioner

April 26, 2011
★PREMIER ISSUE
**OREGON'S FISCAL HEALTH AND
THE HEALTH OF OREGONIANS**
David Labby, MD, PhD, medical director, Care Oregon; Heidi Nelson, MD, MPH, research professor in the Departments of Medical Informatics and Clinical Epidemiology and Medicine, OHSU; Jeanene Smith, MD, MPH, administrator, Office for Oregon Health Policy and Research; moderator Jim Scott, MD, dean, Advanced Training Program, Healthcare Improvement, PeaceHealth

May 4, 2011
★PREMIER ISSUE
**PUBLIC EDUCATION IN OREGON:
ACHIEVING OUR GOALS**
Joe Cortright, chair, Governor's Council of Economic Advisors; Whitney Grubbs, education policy advisor, Office of the Governor; Brian Reeder, assistant superintendent of analysis and reporting, Oregon Department of Education; John Tapogna, president, ECONorthwest; facilitator Pat Burk, associate professor of education leadership, Portland State University

May 5, 2011
**ART IN THE COMMONS:
RECOVERY PANES BY KELLY
WILLIAMS**
Art Exhibit

May 9, 2011
**COMMUNITY AND HOSPITAL-
BASED MENTAL HEALTH CARE:
WITH LIMITED RESOURCES AND
HIGH DEMAND, WHERE DO WE
GO FROM HERE?**
Chris Bouneff, executive director, NAMI Oregon; Richard Harris, director, Addictions and Mental Health Division, Oregon Health Authority; Greg Roberts, superintendent, Oregon State Hospital; Howard Spanbock, CEO, Luke Dorf; moderator Shannon Pullen, mental health advocate

May 16, 2011
**BRIGHT LIGHTS: THE FUTURE
OF FOOD**
Kat West, director, Office of Sustainability, Multnomah County

May 18, 2011
★PREMIER ISSUE
**PUBLIC SAFETY SPENDING IN
OREGON: TOUGH QUESTIONS,
TOUGHER CHOICES**
Chief Michael Reese, Portland Police Bureau; Rod Underhill, deputy district attorney; Multnomah County, Representative Matt Wand, District 49; moderator former Portland Mayor Bud Clark

May 23, 2011
**THE INTERACTION BETWEEN
THE MENTAL HEALTH AND
CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEMS
IN PORTLAND**
Margaret Brayden, executive director; National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI); Noah Horst, attorney, Metropolitan Public Defenders Office; Lieutenant Robert King, Portland Police Bureau; William Nunley, Portland project coordinator, Safer PDX

May 25, 2011
**WINNER-TAKE-ALL POLITICS:
HAS WASHINGTON TURNED ITS
BACK ON THE MIDDLE CLASS?**
Paul Pierson, professor of Political Science, University of California, Berkeley

NEW LEADERS COUNCIL



NEW LEADERS COUNCIL 2010 - 2011

- Naomi Cole, council chair
- Kourtney Nelson, events chair
- Becca Sterbenz, outreach chair
- Craig Beebe
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- Rachel White

LEADERSHIP SPOTLIGHT



INTRODUCES A **COMMUNITY LEADER** AT EACH MONTH'S MEETING

FIFTY

NUMBER OF FREE STUDENT MEMBERSHIPS



DONATED BY A GENEROUS MEMBER

THREE

SUBCOMMITTEES

EVENTS

OUTREACH

LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

Rumors have it that Portland is where "young people go to retire." City Club's New Leaders Council (NLC) proves these rumors wrong. NLC is a group of active young citizens who work to make our community better. NLC engages and informs Portlanders about local issues through informative guided tours of changing neighborhoods, small-group discussions with community leaders and other interactive or social events. NLC's three sub-committees – outreach, events and leadership – attract young Portlanders to City Club, keep them engaged and involved in the community, and help them grow their leadership abilities in both their personal and professional lives.

June 26, 2010 GETTING RESULTS THROUGH OTHERS

In this leadership development series *Shake Things Up! Critical Skills for Portland's New Leaders*, participants learned leadership fundamentals, heard from local community leaders and learned skills they could immediately apply to their lives.

July 17, 2010 BITES: A PORTLAND FOOD CART TOUR

Brett Burmeister, lead writer of cart blog foodcartsportland.com, led this tasty tour, followed by a discussion about the growth, sustainability and politics of food carts.

September 25, 2010 LEADING WITHOUT BEING IN CHARGE

In this final session of leadership series *Shake Things Up! Critical Skills for Portland's New Leaders*, keynote speaker Charles Lewis, founder of Ethos Music Center, and NLC volunteer Sharon Padgett trained participants on how to be agents of change.

September 27, 2010 BEHIND THE SCENES WITH THE PORTLAND GAY MEN'S CHORUS

Participants enjoyed a sneak preview of the Portland Gay Men's Chorus rehearsing and conversed with PGMC members about the organization's history, community work and role within the Portland arts scene.

October 9, 2010 FOOD FOR THOUGHT: AN URBAN FOOD TOUR WITH NLC

Participants enjoyed a walk through the community gardens at Colonel Summers Park, a talk by experts at the Urban Farm Store on how to care for chickens, and a viewing of Noble Rot's rooftop garden.



December 18, 2010 TEAM UP WITH NLC AND HABITAT FOR HUMANITY

Volunteers helped build a new home for a needy family in an all-day event through Habitat for Humanity.

February 24, 2011 BEHIND THE SCENES AT THE PORTLAND ART MUSEUM

Club members enjoyed a tour of the Portland Art Museum with Don Urquhart, director of collections management, heard insider stories behind the works and had a special trip into the Museum's vault.

March 21, 2011 PORTLAND TRIVIA NIGHT

At this Portland-centric trivia night, teams competed to answer questions like "Who is the man in the 'Expose Yourself to Art' picture?"

March 27, 2011 BRIDGING THE EARLY-LITERACY GAP: A VOLUNTEER SESSION

Volunteers learned from organization founder Dani Swope how the Children's Book Bank gets books to low-income children, then assisted in cleaning newly donated books.

March 29, 2011 ★PREMIERE ISSUE: COULD YOU BALANCE THE OREGON BUDGET?

Participants balanced a mock budget by reducing the gap between spending and revenue.

April 19, 2011 PORTLANDIA: PERCEPTION OR REALITY?

An insider perspective on production and public reaction as discussed by the team involved in creating IFC's recent television series *Portlandia*.

May 14, 2011 ★PREMIERE ISSUE: LENTS NEIGHBORHOOD TOUR: ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SUCSESSES AND CHALLENGES

A walking tour of the long-neglected but economically-recovering historic area. Participants visited small business owners to learn how and why they do business in Lents and discussed ways to encourage economic development in similar neighborhoods.



May 28, 2011 GOING UP! PORTLAND BRIDGE TOUR

Sharon Wood Wortman and Ed Wortman, authors of *The Portland Bridge Book*, guided participants through a bridge museum, ODOT's Transportation Management Operations Center, and then into the operator's tower and bascule pit of the Morrison Bridge.



NLC
MEETS
FIRST MONDAY
EVERY MONTH
AT 5:30PM



FIND US ON FACEBOOK

MEMBERSHIP

ANYONE OVER THE AGE OF **18** IS ELIGIBLE TO BECOME A CITY CLUB MEMBER

NEW MEMBERS THIS YEAR **TWO HUNDRED & EIGHTY-SEVEN**

>1,400 MEMBERS

KNOWLEDGE IS VALUED



10% MEMBERS FOR OVER 20 YEARS

“NO MOSSBACKS OR DRONES WANTED”
CITY'S CLUB'S MANTRA IN **1916**

I'M A MEMBER OF CITY CLUB

3 NEW MEMBER WELCOME EVENTS THIS YEAR

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE 2010 - 2011

- Sharon Brabenac, chair
- Tom Cox
- Jeff Croxford
- Ted Kaye
- Chris Kiichle
- Mary Ella Kuster
- Vinny Martin
- Steffeni Mendoza-Gray
- Su Midghall
- Christine Nutters
- Ken Ray
- Tom Swafford

GO TO:

PDXCITYCLUB.ORG/CONTENT/CITY-CLUB-MEMBERSHIP
TO SIGN UP ONLINE

WELCOME TO CITY CLUB

It is easy to get involved with City Club. New members are invited to “welcome events” once each quarter. These social events help new members find their niche in the Club quickly by:

- 1) **Introducing** Club resources and communication methods
- 2) **Presenting** the Club’s structure, committees and event calendars
- 3) **Encouraging** networking among new and veteran members

GET INVOLVED

There are many ways to participate in political and civic life through City Club:

- **Attend** Club programs and events
- **Join** a Club committee and develop programs
- **Participate** in research report studies
- **Support** the Club financially. Even if you don’t have time to attend programs, your tax-deductible dues and gifts fund the Club’s vitally important work and keep dues affordable for others.

BENEFITS OF MEMBERSHIP

In addition to the benefits listed below, perhaps the greatest value of membership is that when you say, “I’m a member of City Club,” you are countering a culture of talking heads and unproductive arguments. You convey to your colleagues, friends, neighbors and elected officials that you value civil discourse and believe an informed citizenry benefits the community.

BECOME A MEMBER

Anyone over the age of 18 is eligible to become a City Club member. Submit membership forms online or through the mail. All dues, fees and gifts to City Club are tax-deductible. There is a one-time new member fee of \$25 when you join. Most members pay dues on a yearly basis, but many have arranged for the Club to deduct monthly payments from their credit card or checking account. Regular membership is only \$13.75 per month!

- **Join online:** www.pdxcityclub.org
- **By mail:** City Club of Portland, 901 SW Washington St., Portland, OR 97205
- **By phone:** 503.228.7231 x 104
- **In-person:** At most City Club events

TOP 10 REASONS TO BECOME A CITY CLUB MEMBER

10. Receive free or discounted admission to weekly Friday Forums and many other City Club events
9. Conduct research and write reports that influence public policy
8. Converse regularly with smart people who use words like extrinsic, lexicon and bipartisanship
7. Create events that inform Portland and the region about vital issues
6. Take an active role in the public decisions that affect your life
5. Discuss committee findings and vote to adopt or reject the recommendations of each report
4. End world hunger and create world peace by starting at the local level
3. Increase your understanding of the issues affecting Portland, the nation and the global community
2. Interact with community leaders to create further dialogue on matters of local interest
1. Be aroused to the realization of the obligations of citizenship

THANK YOU

With the help of hundreds of volunteers, City Club is able to accomplish the work of an organization many times its size. At its June 17, 2011 Annual Meeting, 18 members were recognized for their outstanding contributions to fulfilling City Club's mission.



CITY CLUB AWARD

Susan Hammer

For outstanding contributions to City Club and the community and for setting and example of inspired citizenship

MEMBERS OF THE YEAR

Caroline Harris Crowne

Gwen Millius

For outstanding overall contributions to City Club

RESEARCH AWARD

Roger Eiss

In recognition of extraordinary commitment to research and its role in civic engagement

PRESIDENT'S AWARD

Marge Kafoury

Sue Thomas

Don Williams

For outstanding service to City Club and its mission

OUTGOING PRESIDENT'S PLAQUE

Sharon VanSickle-Robbins

BOARD OF GOVERNORS

End of Term Honorees

John Branam

Tom Cox

Ted Kaye

Steffeni Mendoza-Gray

Sue Thomas

ADVOCACY AND AWARENESS BOARD

End of Term Honorees

Mark Anderson (chair)

Wayne Clark

Sonja Grove

AGORA COMMITTEE

End of Term Honorees

Cynthia Townsend

Gwen Millius

FINANCE COMMITTEE

End of Term Honorees

Pete Behr

William Kramer

Steve Rosenbaum

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

End of Term Honorees

Sharon Brabenac (chair)

Glyn Thomas

NEW LEADERS COUNCIL

End of Term Honorees

Naomi Cole (chair)

Becca Sterbenz (outreach chair)

RESEARCH BOARD

End of Term Honorees

John Horvick (chair)

Mark Anderson

Ruth Radford

Jonathan Radmacher



FINANCE COMMITTEE 2010 - 2011

Ted Kaye, chair

Pete Behr

Bill Holmer

Pam Kane

Bill E. Kramer

Anne O'Neill

Steve Rosenbaum

Cynthia Townsend

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

For the years ended May 31, 2010 & 2011

SUPPORT & REVENUE	2009-2010	2010-2011
Contributions & grants	\$154,318	\$148,743
Bequests & endowment gifts	502,808	7,600
Membership dues	158,966	154,075
Program service revenue	89,458	104,248
Investment income	5,644	1,307
Net realized & unrealized gains	22,079	130,230
Other income	27,079	36,095
TOTAL SUPPORT AND REVENUE	\$960,352	\$582,298
EXPENSES		
Program services	\$335,143	\$362,462
Management & general	86,781	85,750
Fundraising	40,400	40,302
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$462,324	\$488,514
Change in net assets	\$498,028	\$93,784
NET ASSETS		
Beginning of year	\$296,481	\$794,509
End of year	\$794,509	\$888,293

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

For the years ended May 31, 2010 & 2011

ASSETS	2009-2010	2010-2011
Cash & cash equivalents	\$48,694	\$38,851
Accounts & grants receivable	92,744	48,358
Prepaid expenses & deposits in transit	5,010	5,526
Property & equipment, net	5,966	2,745
Investments (at market)	652,884	800,993
TOTAL ASSETS	\$805,298	\$896,473
LIABILITIES		
Accounts payable	\$7,679	\$6,015
Deferred revenue	791	-
Accruals	2,319	2,165
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$10,789	\$8,180
NET ASSETS		
Unrestricted	2,872	44,972
Temporarily restricted	59,620	62,544
Board-designated endowments	233,716	268,825
Permanently restricted (Research)	498,301	511,952
TOTAL NET ASSETS	\$794,509	\$888,293
TOTAL LIABILITIES & NET ASSETS	\$805,298	\$896,473

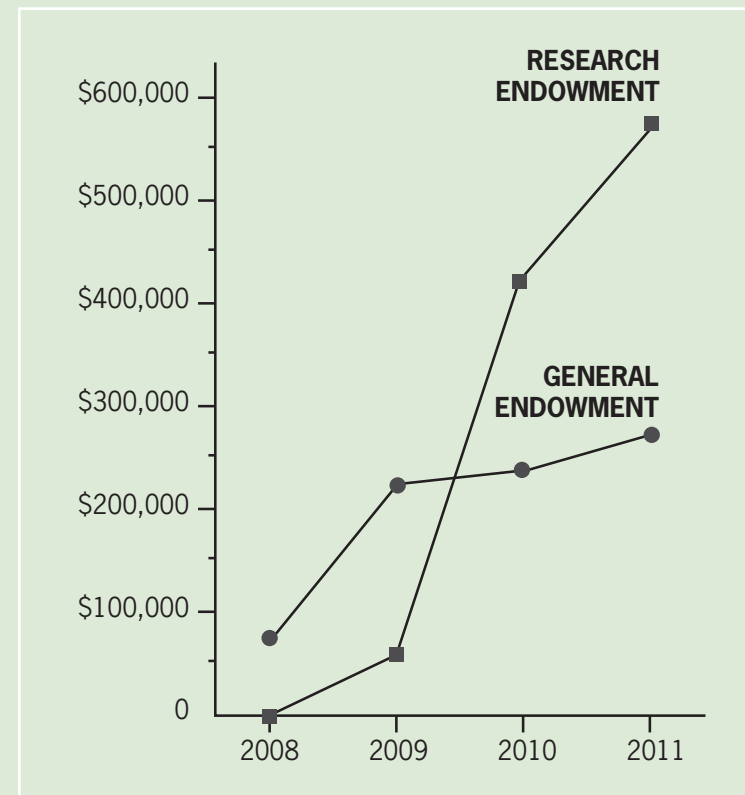
ENDOWMENT FUNDS SUMMARY

	GENERAL ENDOWMENT	RESEARCH ENDOWMENT
May 31, 2008	\$67,867	\$0
Additions/Transfers	237,374	55,000
Distributions	(14,442)	(1,007)
Gain/(Loss)/Expenses	(70,795)	1,708
May 31, 2009	\$220,004	\$55,701
Additions	0	369,909
Distributions	(12,662)	(7,345)
Gain/(Loss)/Expenses	26,374	747
May 31, 2010	\$233,716	\$419,012
Additions	0	44,715
Distributions	(11,817)	(16,170)
Gain/(Loss)/Expenses	46,926	84,611
May 31, 2011	\$268,825	\$532,168
Pledges Outstanding	0	42,174
TOTAL	\$268,825	\$574,342

The Club's endowments are held by the Oregon Community Foundation (OCF) in its main long-term investment pool. The Club is also the beneficiary of two designated funds at OCF (Don Sterling and Goldy Family), not shown here.

Annual distributions from the endowments support the Club's operating budget and, in the case of the Research Endowment, the Club's research function within the operating budget.

Currently the distribution rate set by OCF is 4.5% of the average endowment balance over the previous 13 quarters, adjusted for additions.



DEVELOPMENT TEAM 2010 - 2011

Sharon Brabenac, chair
 Adam Davis
 Susan Hammer
 John Horvick
 Leslie Johnson
 Ted Kaye
 Susan Kelly
 Heather Kmetz
 Korleen Kraft
 Pat McCormick
 Leslie Morehead
 Mac Prichard
 Melody Rose
 Fran Storrs
 Paddy Tillett
 Sharon VanSickle-Robbins
 Harriet Watson
 Kurt Wehbring
 Don Williams
 Jim Zehren

MEMBERSHIP DUES
 PROVIDED ONLY
35%
 OF CITY CLUB'S
 ANNUAL BUDGET



\$8,500

LARGEST GIFT TO
 THE ANNUAL FUND
 THIS YEAR

{ THANK
 YOU }

16
 LOCAL BUSINESS
 CORPORATE SPONSORS
 CONTRIBUTED
\$62,000

42 HOUSEHOLDS JOINED THE
 LEADERSHIP CIRCLE
 CONTRIBUTING
>\$59,000

ONE HUNDRED FORTY EIGHT THOUSAND DOLLARS
\$148,000
 TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS TO CITY CLUB THIS YEAR

One of City Club's most popular programs, Citizen Salons bring together good food and good conversation in an intimate setting. A generous host provides a delicious meal – often in their own home – and the provocateur sets the stage for a discussion about a particular topic of interest. Guests partake of a wonderful meal while enjoying scintillating conversation.



June 8, 2010

STEPPING UP TO THE PLATE: FOOD POLITICS AND POLICY

Hosts: Chef David Machado, Adam & Gina Davis and Sharon Brabenac
 Provocateur: Larry Wallack, Dean, PSU College of Urban & Public Affairs
 An evening at Nel Centro restaurant and a discussion with provocateur Larry Wallack on the current policies and controversies surrounding Portland's renowned restaurant scene. Chef and owner David Machado also joined the group.



June 13, 2010

STUMPTOWN ROCKS!

Hosts: New Leaders Council and Kourtney Nelson
 Provocateur: Musician Nathaniel Talbot and band Sleepy Bell
 A night of local food and music, the event included a conversation with Nathaniel Talbot, vocalist and lead guitarist for local band Sleepy Bell, about his experience as a young musician in Portland and the future of the Portland music scene.

June 22, 2010

POLITICAL COURAGE IN OREGON - WHERE DOES IT LEAD?

Hosts: Tom Kelly, president and Julia Spence, vice president, Neil Kelly Company
 Provocateur: Greg Macpherson, attorney, Stoel Rives, LLP
 Former State Representative Greg Macpherson, whose father and grandfather both served in the Oregon Legislature, discussed his experience in Oregon politics.

August 4, 2010

RECOGNIZING COMMUNITY AND KEEPING IT ALIVE: A YEAR IN THE LIFE OF ROOSEVELT HIGH SCHOOL

Hosts: Nanine Alexander and Tamsen Wassell
 Provocateur: Steve Duin, Metro columnist, *The Oregonian*
 On a floating home on the Columbia River, columnist Steve Duin discussed deep community commitment to Roosevelt High School and how that connection impacts us all.

May 24, 2011

REGIONAL COOPERATION: HOW CAN METRO PULL TOGETHER THE REGION'S KEY PLAYERS?

Host: Tom Kelly, president, and Julia Spence, vice president, Neil Kelly Company
 Provocateur: Tom Hughes, Metro Council President
 Tom Hughes discussed Metro's function in the region and explained how Metro can serve as connector between the city's key players.

DONORS



ANNUAL FUND DONORS 2010 - 2011

- **10** DONORS HAVE SURPASSED **\$20,000** IN LIFE TIME GIFTS
- **3** HAVE SURPASSED **\$100,000** IN LIFE TIME GIFTS
- **42** CONTRIBUTED OVER **\$1,000** THIS YEAR
- THE ANNUAL FUND PROVIDES **20** PERCENT OF THE CLUB'S OPERATING BUDGET
- **20** PERCENT OF MEMBERS CONTRIBUTE TO THE ANNUAL FUND

CHAMPION LEVEL \$5000 & ABOVE

Sharon VanSickle-Robbins & Bill Robbins

VISIONARY LEVEL \$3500 - \$4999

Adam & Gina Davis

GUIDING LEVEL \$2500 - \$3499

Phil Walsh
Bill Wyatt & Merri Souther Wyatt

SUSTAINING LEVEL \$1500 - \$2499

Philip R. Bogue
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Melody Rose & Eric Butler
Tamsen Wassell & Nanine Alexander

SUPPORTING LEVEL \$1000 - \$1499

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RAISED FOR THE
ANNUAL FUND
2010-2011

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FRIDAY FORUM SPONSORS



Portland General Electric



AGORA SPONSOR



NEW LEADERS COUNCIL SPONSORS



CITY CLUB SUPPORTERS



THE LEGACY SOCIETY

City Club's Legacy Society members are committed to sustaining the City Club mission far into the future, and have included a charitable gift or bequest in their estate plans.

Don Barney
Ogden Beeman*
Sharon Brabenac
Daniel* & Rusty* Goldy
Susan Hammer
Alan Hart*
Ned Hayes*
Nancy Hedin
Peter Heuser
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