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Legislative Training

April 2-5, 2006 in Wash DC

Five State Convention

June 9,10, &11
Spokane 2006

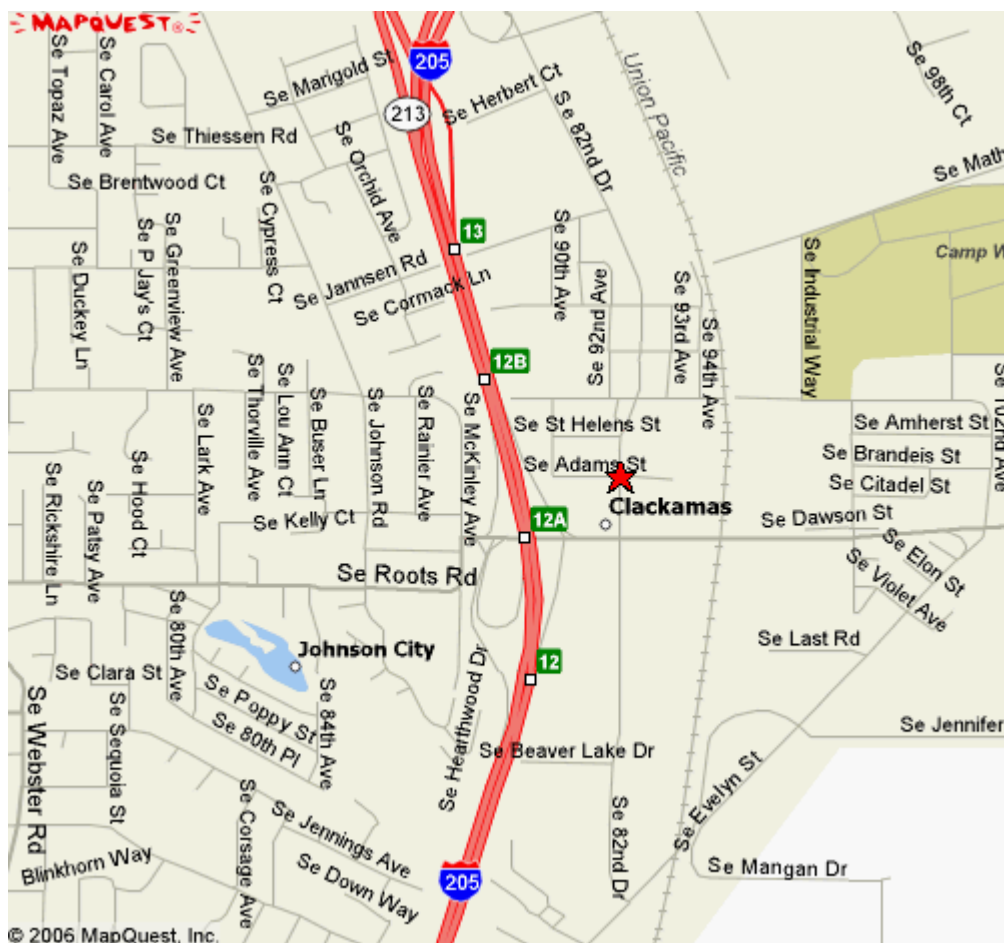
National Convention

Aug 7-11, 2006
Las Vegas--2006

IMPORTANT DATES

General Membership meetings
Jun 13, 2006
Sept 12, 2006

Our last meeting at the Clackamas Denney's worked out pretty well; they have a nice private room where we can accommodate 30-40 people comfortably. We'll meet there for our next meeting this Tuesday, June 13 at 6:30 pm. The location is just off I-205 at the Hwy 224 exit. Come early and have dinner with us if you can.



Our Branch is working on two big projects, the upcoming National Convention and next years NW Area convention. The Branch voted to host next years NW Area Convention in Portland, Lou Gomez and a team of volunteers have met several times to work out the details for this event. If you are interested in helping, I know Lou would appreciate a call. He can be contacted via email by going to the NAPS NW website at www.napsnw.org, clicking on the Branch 66 link and emailing my account.

As you read this newsletter Branch 66 delegates are at this year's NW Area Convention in Spokane. Dan O'Donnell has been chairing a committee of Branch members who have developed about a dozen resolutions aimed at improving supervisor's pay and working conditions. We hope our resolutions will be adopted for consideration at the National Convention this August. We'll give a full report of the training and information we get at our meeting next Tuesday and in next months newsletter.

Jim Stewart
President

Northwest Area Conference.

The 2007 convention planning committee, Jeff White, Dan O'Donnell, Lynn Yut, Nancy McVicker, Jeanine Leartin and Paula Clack have been meeting and planning for the convention and have come up with the following schedule.

The 2007 NW Area Convention will be held in Portland, June 8 and 9. The conference will be held at the Double Tree Hotel, Lloyd Center.

June 7, Thursday is scheduled for a golf tournament.

June 8 and 9 is scheduled for training.

The committee has reserved a block of rooms at \$109.00 per night.

This is the weekend of the Rose Festival Parade; rooms will become limited due to the Rose Festival.

Plan ahead

More information will be coming in the near future.

Lou Gomez
Chairman