

Rep. Liz Pike

Liz Pike is a mother, business owner, farmer, volunteer, artist and, in November, added 18th District state representative to this list.

Raised on a Brush Prairie dairy farm as one of 13 children, Liz is a graduate of Battle Ground High School and has been a resident of Southwest Washington for most of her life.

Liz's childhood spent on the family farm led to her decision to open Shangri-La Farm, a small-scale sustainable farm in Fern Prairie. She also volunteered to lend her expertise as co-organizer for the Washougal Farmers' Market and is an avid promoter of the "buy local, slow food" movement.

Early in her career, Liz worked for The Reflector newspaper. She has been operating her small business, Pike Advertising Agency, for the past 15 years. Liz also served as political affairs director for the Building Industry Association of Clark County.

As an elected member of the Camas City Council from 2003 to 2007, Liz advocated for lowering taxes and more government efficiency – with a strong and consistent voting record of responsible fiscal policy. She has been active in the Clark County Republican Party more than 20 years – including serving as a precinct committee officer.

Liz is a divisional board member of Umpqua Bank, co-founder of Aviation Career Days at Grove Field, now in its third year, and is a member of the National Rifle Association.

Liz ran marathons for more than 25 years and is a Hawaii Ironman Triathlon finisher. She has two grown children – Richard and Julianne.