

**Chris Henry**

**Occupation:** Union Truck Driver, YRC Freight

**Occupational Background:**

UAW Aircraft Mechanic, Rockwell Int'l and McDonnell Douglas;  
Construction Equipment Operator

**Educational Background:** Student, Portland State University

**Prior Governmental Experience:** Co-Chair, 2 Neighborhood Associations

**Prior Civic Leadership:** board member of Oregon Consumer League,  
co-chair of Pacific Green Party State Committee



**VOTE MAIN STREET, NOT WALL STREET!**

Wall Street bankers and hedge fund operators are ripping Oregon off by nearly \$1 billion yearly.

The State of Oregon has over \$115 billion of investment funds, much placed with those bankers and operators. They charge Oregon huge fees (not disclosed), likely over \$1 billion annually, and invest almost 100% in businesses outside of Oregon.

That includes \$223 million in “an Israeli company whose smartphone spyware has been used against dissidents, human rights defenders and journalists by repressive regimes” and “two prison companies that run immigrant detention facilities.” -- *Associated Press* (November 19, 2019)

Oregon and its counties, cities, and districts also pay to Wall Street huge fees of about 5% of the \$3 billion in public works bonds floated annually.

**So Wall Street gets paid to take our money  
and then gets paid again to loan it back to us.**

Eject the middle men: create a **STATE BANK OF OREGON** to avoid fees and use our investment funds for Oregon-based public works, housing, small business opportunities. Local governments should borrow needed funds from our State Bank at much lower interest rates. See <http://www.orpublicbank.org>. The State Bank could obtain funds from the U.S. Treasury at near zero interest.

**OREGON PUBLIC BROADCASTING SAYS OREGON'S TREASURER  
RECEIVES "A TORRENT OF OUTSIDE MONEY"  
FROM NEW YORK LAW FIRMS SEEKING "LUCRATIVE LAWSUITS  
THAT OREGON FILES"**

OPB (January 15, 2020): over 40% of Treasurer Tobias Read's campaign funds “came from big-time firms” on the East Coast. (search “OPB Tobias”)

He has received 32 contributions of \$10,000 or more. His 2020 funds are 53% from contributions \$5,000 or higher; 3% from contributions under \$200. <http://bit.ly/readfunds>.

**NO SPECIAL INTERESTS ARE FUNDING MY CAMPAIGN.**

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