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### **Jamie McLeod-Skinner wins Democratic Primary for Oregon's 2nd Congressional House District**

Bend, Oregon — At 8:26 p.m., *The Oregonian* called it: Democratic candidate Jamie McLeod-Skinner prevailed among a crowded field of seven Democratic hopefuls to win the Democratic nomination for Oregon's 2nd Congressional District.

"Thank you so much to everyone who helped us win tonight's race," McLeod-Skinner said to a packed room of more than 160 supporters in Bend. "I'm honored to be your rural Democratic nominee for Congress."

The McLeod-Skinner campaign hosted an Election Night Celebration of Oregon Values May 15 at 10 Barrel Brewing Eastside in Bend. Participants included State House District candidates Eileen Kiely, Bill Trumble, Nathan Boddie, Darcy Long-Curtiss, and Karen Rippberger, as well as Oregon Democratic Party leaders Jeanne Atkins and Jason Burge. Also, in attendance was Democratic nominee for Deschutes County Commissioner Position 3, James Cook.

Before the results were in, McLeod-Skinner set the tone of unity for the evening: "Tonight is a celebration of Oregon Values because, regardless of political affiliation, we all care about our families and our communities. It's those values that unite us in this work to bring positive change to all levels of government."

Once the race was called and she was the clear nominee, McLeod-Skinner spoke of all the hard work that had been done to date and the work ahead. "We can defeat Greg Walden in November. We have a lot of work to do but, together, it is achievable," she said. "It's about showing up, listening, and addressing the needs of our district."

After the results came in, Oregon Democratic Party Chair Jeanne Atkins joined the party and announced her support for McLeod-Skinner: "We left it up to the voters in CD 2, and now we're happy to unite around Jamie as our Democratic candidate."