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of
P R O P O S E D C H A N G E S
for
C A S C A D E C O U N T Y
by the Cascade County Study Commission.

Briefly, the proposed changes include:

C H A R T E R F O R M

The Charter embodies a new COMMISSION-EXECUTIVE FORM of government. The Charter would allow greater LOCAL CONTROL of local issues through SELF-GOVERNING POWERS. However, the Charter is limited by state laws and by provisions in the Charter itself.

T A X A T I O N L I M I T S

The total (county) mill levy and mill value for PROPERTY TAXES would be HELD AT CURRENT LEVELS, and a REVIEW OF THE TAXATION SYSTEM would be MANDATED. Also, NO NEW TAXES could be imposed without approval of the voters.

R E Q U I R E D O R D I N A N C E S

The new County government would be required to enact ordinances concerning: a PLAN OF OPERATIONS, a PURCHASING AND INVENTORY POLICY, and a PERSONNEL POLICY AND SYSTEM.

C O M M I S S I O N - E X E C U T I V E F O R M

An elected 5-MEMBER (part-time) BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS would be the legislative and policy-making body. An elected (full-time) COUNTY EXECUTIVE would serve as the administrator of County affairs.

S E P A R A T E L Y E L E C T E D O F F I C I A L S

This plan calls for 6 elected officials:

Auditor	Public Administrator
Clerk of Court	Sheriff-Coroner
County Attorney	Superintendent of Schools

Some other previously elected positions would become appointive. One county official could administer more than one department, at the discretion of the Commission.

B A L L O T P R O P O S A L

These proposed changes will appear on the November 4, 1986 General Election Ballot. Voters will have these choices:

VOTE FOR ONE:

For adoption of the charter form of government proposed in the report of the Cascade County Local Government Study Commission.

For the existing commission form of government.

F O R F U R T H E R I N F O R M A T I O N, or your free copy of the Study Commission Final Report,

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