Ben Westlund Papers, 1976-2010 (MSS Westlund)
Preliminary Container List

Box 1
Notes, 1976-1985 (mostly notepads)
Certificates, 1983-2003
Appointment Calendar Book, 1977

Dorothy Westlund, 2008 (Ben’s mother)
Bud Westlund, 2003-2005 (Ben’s father)
Ben’s Handwritten Obit (for Uncle Bill) with References to History
Bend Bandits, 1996 (baseball team)
Reserve Oil and Gas Company, 1979
Apple Valley, 1965-2008

Box 2
Scrapbooks, 1999-2005 (12 folders)
Speeches, 2000-2006 (6 folders)

Box 3
Speeches, 2005-2009 (4 folders) [2009 speeches are photocopies of materials transferred to the State Archives]
Journal, 1994 (spiral bound notebook-not in folder)
1996/97
Developing Calendar to Win
Speech 1996
Candidates School
Abstract of Votes
1996 Campaign (2 folders)
Gardner, Jim
Endorsements
Derman
Speech Material
Smith, Bob
Misc.
Filing Documents and Papers (2 folders)
Creative Strat.
Correspondence: Out-Going and In-Coming (2 folders)
Mailers
Press Release
Original Print Work
Radio Scripts
Print Ad/Copy
OEA
NRA
Lynn (Barb) Lundquist
Fundraising
Flyers
Other
Letters to the Editor
News Articles
Editorials
District Demographics, 1994
State Candidate’s Manual-Major Political Party, 1996

Box 4
Oregon Republican Party, 1996 (4 envelopes of information mailed to Westlund)
Libby
Chronology in Ben’s Handwriting, 1998
1997 Session
1998 Article with Ben’s Notes to Lynn Lundquist
1998 Campaign
5 Notepads of Names and Phone Numbers, 1998-2008 (message logs?)
1999 Session
Term Limits 2000-2002 (5 folders)
2000 Campaign
2001 Session
Oregon Cultural Trust
Doug Dunlap
Speech-Sisters School, 2002
Co-Chair - Bend Bulletin, 2001-2002
Notes as Co-Chair, 2002
Co-Chair, 2001-2002
2002 Campaign
Loss of Co-Chair
2003 Session
Cancer 2003
Speech-First Draft “Back from Hospital” (VHS tape in this folder placed with other recordings)
Speech-Probably on Cancer, late 2003
Speech-Budget 2003
Move to Senate 2003
Speech
Thank You Letters and Notes, 2000-2007 (2 folders)
Phone Message Book, 2003

Box 5
Correspondence-General, 2004-2005
Special Olympics Speech-Date Unknown
Measure 36
Republicans Upset with Ben, 2004
2004 C&Es (contributions and expenditures)
Tax Reform 2004
2004 Cycle
Advantage Dental
Senate Correspondence
Dems for Ben
Republican Values Opinion Piece 2004
Party Switch Beginnings
2004 Primary
2004 General
2004 Endorsements
Speech - Late 2004
“Examples of Nice Notes”
2005 Session
Phone Message Book, 2005-2007
Center/Progress PAC, 2005
2005 Session Plan
Health
Non-partisan Legislature
Land Use
Economy/Jobs
Anti-Tax
Specific
Senate Bill 344
Finance-Old Call Sheets
Finances-9/05 Forms
To File
Recall
Children First Speech
2005 Open Primary-Handwritten Speech
Sheriff Stiles 2005
Hope for Oregon Families Initiative 2005
HB 3500
Schedule Requests, 2005
Party Switching
Campaign Plan – Ben Westlund for Governor, 2005
Message
Letters of Encouragement/Discouragement for 06 Run
Ben Westlund for Governor Publicity Packet and Action Kit
Westlund Meeting Notes, 2005
OPS Finances/Receipts
Finances - 4/06 Filing
Fund – 1205 AC and SD (2 folders)
Ben Westlund-General
Minuteman Press
Ryder Graphics
Campaign finance Electronic Filing Guidelines
2005 August-Jan.2006: Preparing to Switch
Pre-Launch, 2006
Feb. 2006 - Filing for Governor
OSEA (Oregon State Employees Association, gubernatorial candidate questionnaire)
2006 Finance Plan
OEA (Oregon Educational Association) 2005

Box 6
2006 Media (mostly newspaper clippings)
Petition Sheets for Nonaffiliated Signatures, 2006
Campaign Message 2006
Campaign Materials 2006 (incl. a DVD)
2006 Campaign Schedule
2006 Withdrawal Letter
2006 Speeches
Speech Opposing 41/48 – 2006
 Constituent Correspondence
Short-Lived I Caucus 2006
Schedule 2006 Post-Withdrawal
Cards Post-Withdrawal
Ben’s Account of Meeting with Governor-Post Withdrawal
Becoming a D, 2006
OSP Funding
Blank Forms-Oregon Political Staffer LLC
Senate Democrats 2007 Legislative Accomplishments (Report)
Schedule Requests-2007 Senate Session (3 folders)
Phone Message Books (2 volumes, entries date from 2/23 to 6/12, 2007)
2007 Session
2007 Notes
Homeless Shelter
Blake, Gary
HB 2530
460 One Pagers (SB 460)
Senate Bill 460 – Consumer Protection and Gift Cards
HB 3108 - Benefit Reductions
Foreclosure Laws and Data, 2007 (2 folders)

Box 7
Book: Oh, the Places You’ll Go! (2007 graduation speech to son BJ’s senior class inside the book)
Metolious - SB 30
Healthcare Speech
Conflicts of Interest
Initiative Reform 2007
2007 Healthcare Reform
Bend Distillery – SB 451
SB 2
SB 451
2007 Bills – Healthcare
SB 329 – Health Reform (2 folders)
SB 329 – Draft Changes (2 folders)
Hope for A Healthy Oregon 2007 (banner for this campaign in box with artifacts)
SB 2/HB2007
Capital Stewardship
Example of Nice Note
BM 49
OSU Vet School
2007 Oregon Senate Democratic Agenda (flyer)
Speech Post 07 Session
Fall 2007 Speech
The Archimedes Movement (folder for membership conference)
Clips-2007
Senate Democrats 2008 Legislative Successes-Supplemental Session
Feb. 2008 Session
Mortgage Policy
Senate Bill 1090-Proposed Amendments
Secretary of State
Polling and Research 2008
Treasurer Launch
2008 Campaign
WFT-Westlund for Treasurer (1 folder and 1 bound campaign packet)
2008 Campaign Media
Debate Prep Cards-Treasurer Race
Endorsement Briefs
Lit Drafts/Copy
Meeting/Event Notes
Westlund for State Treasurer Debate Prep Notebook
Playcow
Allen Alley
2007-2008 Campaign Schedule
Speech to Welcome Obama to Bend, May 2008

Box 8
Ethics Statement
E-Board
Oregon Investment Council
Land Board Issues
Mortgage Crisis
PACs
General Fiscal
Energy
Social Ventures Partners Portland (a packet, not in folder)
Infrastructure
Cascade Initiative
Investment Policy
Policy
Survey Report: Electing Ben Westlund to be Oregon’s Next Treasurer
2008 Election
2008 Correspondence
Treasurer Correspondence [photocopies of materials transferred to State Archives]
White House Invite-Dec. 2009 [photocopies of materials transferred to State Archives]
2008 Congrats
Maybe Last Speech 2009 [photocopies of materials transferred to State Archives]
Climate Change/Carbon Trading
Letters [photocopies of materials transferred to State Archives]
2009 Treasurer [photocopies of materials transferred to State Archives]
Oppenheimer Funds
Debt Policy Commission [photocopies of materials transferred to State Archives]
Memorial 2010 [photocopies of materials transferred to State Archives]
Civil Unions-SB 1000 2005 Regular Session (4 folders)
Civil Union Pro-Senate Bills 1000 and 1073, 2004-2006 (4 file folders)
Civil Union Con-Senate Bills 1000 and 1073, 2004-2007 (2 file folders)
Special Committee on Healthcare Reform-2007 (5 folders)

Box 9
Special Committee on Healthcare Reform-2007 Session (1 folder)
Health Committee Materials
329 (Senate Bill 329 – health care reform)
Photographs:
Ben’s BBQ, 2006
Cars, Family, and Friends, 2001
General
OCPA (Oregon Council of Police Associations) Spring Conference, ca. 1999
Portrait Shots of Ben, 1996-2009 (incl. images of Ben with his children)
“These Are Pictures of the Staff, Dedicated Workers +Spongers, and Some Interesting Supporters”
Various Events at the State Capitol, 2004 (incl. images of Westlund reading to students)
Photograph Album, undated (views around the Metolius River Basin)
CDs of Digital Images (11 in all; Ben’s BBQ, 4th July party, portrait shots, shots taken during making of a TV spot, Westlund at the OSU Cascades campus, attendance in legislative sessions)

Boxes 9-11
Video Recordings
   [DVD, VHS videotape, Mini-DV Video Cassette Tape, and Betacam Video Cassette Tape; 177 items]

Box 11
CDs of Sound and Audio Files (9 items; ad spots and radio interviews)
3.5 Floppy Hard Diskettes, 2000-2002 (8 items)

Box 12-13
Plaques and Framed Certificates, 1995-2010

Box 14
Artifacts

Box 15
Newspaper Sections, 1990-2007 (unclipped; with articles about Westlund)
Pennants (for Bend Bandits baseball team and OSU Beavers)
Framed Certificate
State Rep. Campaign “Door-Hangers”
Photographs (portrait shot; Oregon National Guard Youth Challenge participants)

Box 16
Index Cards, 2003-2007
   [Cards contain daily appointment information and the names and addresses of campaign supporters.]
Business and Baseball Cards, 1990-2008