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# Daug's Campaign Shows Its Pride

## Mayoral Candidate Daryl Daugs Receives Stonewall Democrats Endorsement

The Daryl Daugs for Mayor Campaign attended Kitsap Pride on July 18<sup>th</sup>, and accepted the formal endorsement of the Washington State Stonewall Democrats. Daugs was the only mayoral candidate at the event to make a commitment to "Decline to Sign" Referendum 71.

Daryl spent the day at the event with his wife, Leslie, and answered questions from Bremerton voters. One downtown resident was upset at the prospect of the city cutting funds for animal control. The voter wanted more emphasis from the city on core services, such as fire and police protection, and infrastructure, a key point of Daugs' campaign. A primary focus of Daryl Daugs' campaign is boosting the local economy by supporting local businesses and bringing living wage and "green jobs" home to Bremerton.

Daryl Daugs was raised in Kitsap County, graduated from South Kitsap High, and holds a business degree with a focus on organizational management. He has owned two businesses in Kitsap County, and he and his wife have provided a home for more than 50 foster children in addition to raising 3 of their own here in Kitsap County. Daugs is currently the Executive Director of Community for Youth, a dropout and violence prevention program that brings business, military and labor professionals to volunteer as mentors with at risk teens in public schools.

Daug's hosted a community barbeque in June, with more than 100 people attending to discuss the issues and ask the candidate questions. He has been endorsed by the Kitsap County Democrats, Progressive Majority, and State Representative Fred Finn.

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