



## Senator Ted Ferrioli

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### **Pappel sworn in as Greenhorn city councilor**

**Salem, OR** – Senator Ted Ferrioli (R-John Day) administered the oath of office on Wednesday to Joyce Pappel, the newest member of the Greenhorn City Council. Ferrioli administered the oath on the floor of the State Senate. Mayor Frances Villwock was also in attendance.

“It is an honor to swear in Joyce Pappel,” said Ferrioli. “No matter how large or small your constituency, elected office is an admirable calling and rewarding act of service. I applaud Joyce for her willingness to serve her fellow Oregonians in this way.”

Pappel was elected in the November 2012 General Election.

Greenhorn is the highest, and smallest incorporated city in Oregon. Incorporated in 1903, it sits at 6300’ of elevation and has an official census count of two full-time, year-round residents. Greenhorn straddles the Blue Mountain ridge, and is located on the dividing line of Baker and Grant Counties.

Greenhorn was first populated as a mining town in the 1860s, when gold miners prospected in the area.

Ferrioli is the longest-serving member of the Oregon State Senate. He was first elected in 1996 and has been a fierce advocate for rural Oregon.

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