Meet Your Legislators
District 46 Lawmaker Information

Legislative District 46:
This King county district includes the North Seattle neighborhoods east of Aurora Avenue except for the University District, as well as the cities of Lake Forest Park and Kenmore.

Senator Javier Valdez (D)

No history in early learning but open to it. Worked for Seattle City Light. Currently senior equity and inclusion advisor for a City of Seattle department. Was previously in the House and just elected to the Senate.

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Representative Gerry Pollet (D)

Works on issues relating to higher education. Former environmental attorney, Public Health teacher at UW. Has two adult children.

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Representative Darya Farivar (D)

Leads public policy for Disability Rights WA. Co-chair of the Seattle Women's Commission. Daughter of Iranian immigrants. Expensive work on disabilities in advocacy and direct services, including speech disabilities and with immigrant and refugees with developmental disabilities.

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