

List of Newspapers for Letter-to-the-Editor (LTE) Submissions

Most papers have maximum word count allowance and a limit on how often you can submit (e.g., once a month). Include your full name, address, phone number, and email address for verification purposes. Keep your title short with key phrases that will get picked-up in a search. Some suggest that you should submit your LTE to multiple newspapers for the widest exposure.

Tips: Focus on one topic. Be clear. Make it personal (Why do you care?). Provide an action step (eg, attend a hearing). <https://indivisible.org/resource/write-letters-editor-really-get-attention>

Newspapers in SW Washington and beyond in alphabetical order:

- Camas-Washougal Post Record, Camas WA
<https://www.camaspostrecord.com/letter-to-the-editor/>
- Columbia Gorge News, Hood River / The Dalles / White Salmon (350 word max)
https://www.columbiagorgenews.com/site/forms/online_services/letter_editor/
- The Columbian, Vancouver WA (200 word max)
letters@columbian.com
<http://www.columbian.com/lettertotheeditor/>
- The Daily Astorian, Astoria OR (250 word max)
https://www.dailyastorian.com/site/forms/online_services/letter_editor/
- The Daily News, Longview WA (175 word max)
letters@tdn.com
https://tdn.com/forms/contact/letter_to_the_editor/
- The Olympian, Olympia WA (250 word max)
<https://www.theolympian.com/opinion/letters-to-the-editor/submit-letter>
- The Oregonian, Portland OR (250 word max)
letters@oregonian.com (email submissions only)
- Pamplin Media Group, Portland OR (300 word max)
<https://www.emailform.com/builder/form/P6F64czlK9qVsdN0r2>
Allows submission to several local papers such as Portland Tribune and Gresham Outlook.
- Portland Press Herald, Portland OR (250 word max)
<https://www.pressherald.com/reader-services/letters-editor/>
- The Reflector, Battle Ground WA (500 word max)
<https://www.thereflector.com/forms/letters/>
- The Seattle Times, Seattle WA (200 word max)
letters@seattletimes.com (email submissions only)