



Maryann Mitchell

Quick Facts

Birth: September 25, 1933
Washington

Death: December 28, 2002
Federal Way, Washington

Occupation: Advocate for disabled
and elderly

Party Affiliation: Republican

Years served: 1991-93, 1995-2003

Office: Representative

District: 30 (King, Pierce County)

Personal:

- Residence is Federal Way
- Married, 5 children

Education:

- Attended Shasta College
- University of Washington, with some coursework in business

Community Service:

- Chair of the group that incorporated Federal Way
- Worked as an advocate for disabled and elderly
- Federal Way Chamber of Commerce
- Federal Way Community Council
- King County Open Space Bond Issue Committee

Affiliations:

- Federal Way Women's Network
- Pacific Northwest Aquatic Foundation

Awards:

- Named Citizen of the Year in 1989

Legislative & State Service:

Committees: (1991) Housing, ranking minority member; Local Government, assistant ranking minority member; Transportation (1995) Capital Budget; Energy & Utilities; Transportation (1997) Transportation Policy & Budget, vice chair; Capital Budget; Criminal Justice & Corrections (1999) Capital Budget co-chair; Transportation (2001) Transportation, co-chair

Leadership, Positions & Appointments:

- Special Olympics, international advisory board
- Washington State Special Olympics, state director and co-founder

Sources:

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