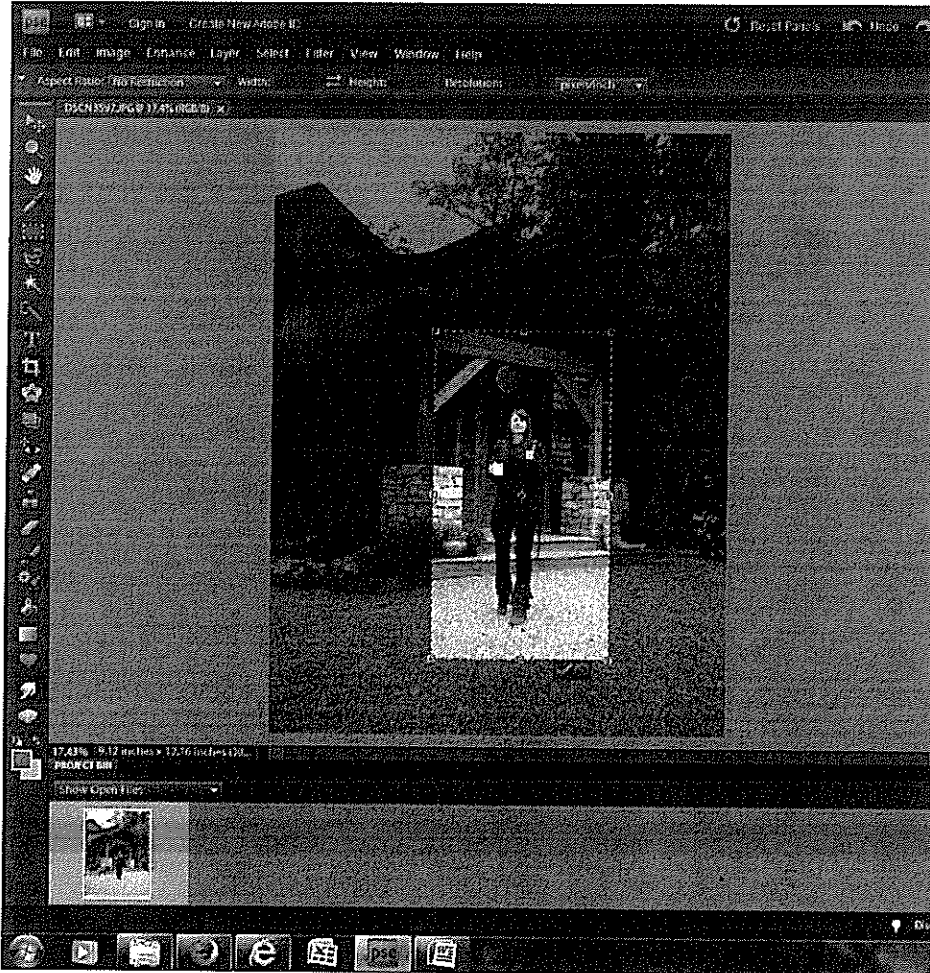




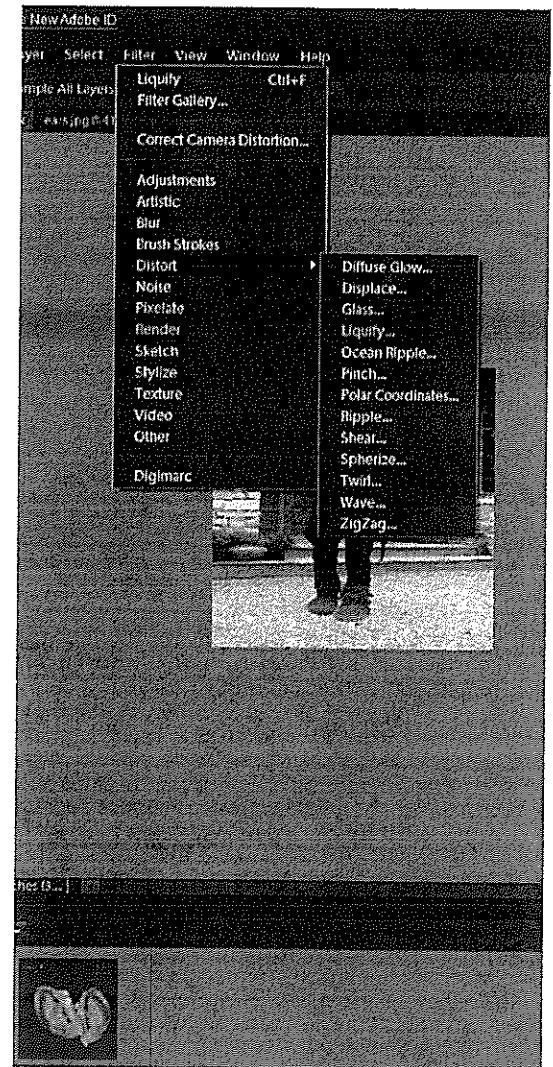
## Liquefy Can Be "Hobbit" Forming

1. Find a full length picture of yourself or someone else you would like to use for this tutorial. Open Photoshop Elements, and go to FILE|Open and open the picture to the work area.
2. Crop it down to what you want to use, using the crop tool. Hit the green checkmark to choose the area. Use the magnifying glass to make the picture large enough to work with.



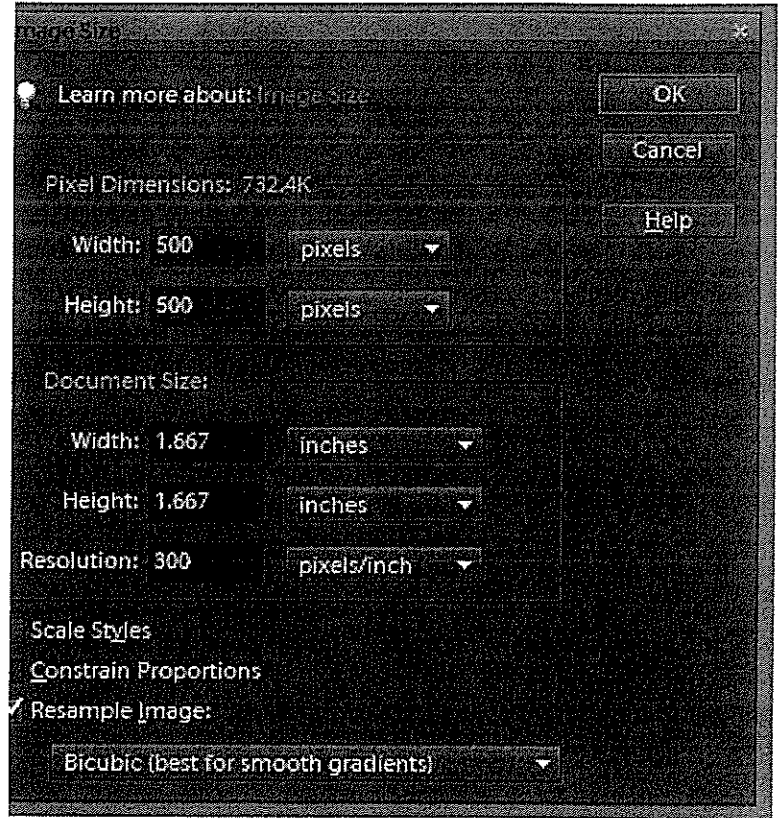
3. To begin to make the Hobbit version, I want to make Miss Vest shorter and her feet longer. For bigger feet, go to DISTORT|LIQUIFY|Bloat tool and stretch the shoes to make them wider and longer. Then go to the nose and use the BLOAT tool as well.

4. I really should have found a picture with ears, but I didn't, so I went and found some ears, and opened that picture also in PE. It shows up, but you can put it in the tray at the bottom to work with the other picture. I used the "magic wand tool" to get the ears, then attached them to the picture, and resized them in IMAGE|RESIZE|. Then I attached them. I had to match her skin by going to Enhance|Adjust Color|Color Variations. (If you don't want to do this, make sure you pick a picture with ears showing. Then you can just use



the main liquify tool, and stretch them. (To copy and paste, you have to go to EDIT|COPY, then switch to the other picture, then EDIT|PASTE)

5. Since Hobbits are short, I went to Image|Resize image, and just changed the height. (You may have to uncheck Constrain proportion commands at the same dialog box to do this.



6. Here is my Hobbit. What kind of character can you make? If you get one you like, don't forget to go to save as, and save it as a jpeg. Rename it, and save it to your fileserver folder.

