

# OFFICIAL GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT

**Pottawattamie County,  
State of Iowa  
Official Ballot  
General Election  
November 5, 2024**



## FEDERAL OFFICES

**For United States Representative  
District #4**  
Vote for no more than ONE

- Randy Feenstra  
Republican
- Ryan Melton  
Democratic
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(Write-in vote, if any)

## COUNTY OFFICES

**For County Sheriff**  
Vote for no more than ONE

- Andy Brown  
Republican
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(Write-in vote, if any)

## INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTER

- 1. Voting Mark.** To vote, fill in the oval next to your choice.  
 Candidate Name  
 Candidate Name
- 2. Write-in Votes.** To vote for a person whose name is not on the ballot, write the name on the write-in line below the list of candidates and fill in the oval next to it.
- 3. Use only a black pen to mark your ballot, unless a marking device is provided by an election official.**
- 4. Do not cross out.** If you change your mind, exchange your ballot for a new one.
- 5. Where to find the Judges:** On the back of this ballot, in the left column.
- 6. Where to find the public measures:** the public measures are on the back of the ballot in the middle and right column.

## STATE OFFICES

**For State Senator  
District #8**  
Vote for no more than ONE

- Mark Costello  
Republican
- Ryan Lee Roenfeld  
Democratic
- 

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(Write-in vote, if any)

**For House Representative  
District #15**  
Vote for no more than ONE

- Matt W. Windschitl  
Republican
- Benjamin Schauer  
Democratic
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(Write-in vote, if any)

## NONPARTISAN OFFICES

**West Pottawattamie  
Soil & Water Commission**  
Vote for no more than THREE

- Gary Larson
- Russ Goeser
- David Dittmer
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(Write-in vote, if any)

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(Write-in vote, if any)

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(Write-in vote, if any)

**West Pottawattamie  
Agricultural Extension**  
Vote for no more than FOUR

- Matthew Garst
- Constance Casson
- Lindsay Fischer
- Debbie Gordon
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(Write-in vote, if any)

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(Write-in vote, if any)

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(Write-in vote, if any)

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(Write-in vote, if any)

## FEDERAL OFFICES

A ballot cast for the named candidates for president and vice president of the United States is considered to be cast for the slate of presidential electors nominated by the political party, nonparty political organization, or independent candidate.

**For President/Vice President**  
Vote for no more than ONE

- Donald J. Trump  
JD Vance Republican
- Kamala D. Harris  
Tim Walz Democratic
- Chase Oliver  
Mike ter Maat Libertarian
- Claudia De la Cruz  
Karina Garcia Party For Socialism and Liberation
- William P. Stodden  
Stephanie H. Cholensky Socialist Party USA
- Robert F. Kennedy Jr.  
Nicole Shanahan We The People
- Shiva Ayyadurai  
Crystal Ellis
- 

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(Write-in vote for President, if any)

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(Write-in vote for Vice President, if any)

## COUNTY OFFICES

**For Board of Supervisors**  
Vote for no more than TWO

- Tim Wichman  
Republican
- Brian Shea  
Republican
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(Write-in vote, if any)

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(Write-in vote, if any)

**For County Auditor**  
Vote for no more than ONE

- Mary Ann Hanusa  
Republican
- Bryan Jack Holder  
Free and Independent
- 

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(Write-in vote, if any)

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\_\_\_\_ Precinct Official's Initials

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**JUDICIAL OFFICES**

**Notice to voters.** This ballot contains the names of judicial officers to be retained in or removed from office at this election. Vote on all names by filling in the appropriate oval below each name.

**SUPREME COURT JUSTICE**  
Shall the following Supreme Court Judge be retained in office?

David May  
  
 Yes  
 No

**COURT OF APPEALS JUDGE**  
Shall the following Court of Appeals Judges be retained in office?

Mary Elizabeth Chicchelly  
  
 Yes  
 No

Samuel Langholz  
  
 Yes  
 No

Mary Ellen Tabor  
  
 Yes  
 No

Tyler J. Buller  
  
 Yes  
 No

**DISTRICT 4 JUDGE**  
Shall the following District 4 Judges be retained in office?

Eric John Nelson  
  
 Yes  
 No

Jennifer Benson Bahr  
  
 Yes  
 No

**DISTRICT 4 ASSOCIATE JUDGE**  
Shall the following District 4 Associate Judges be retained in office?

David W. Brooks  
  
 Yes  
 No

**PUBLIC MEASURE**

**Notice to voters.** To vote to approve any question on this ballot, fill in the oval in front of the word "Yes". To vote against any question, fill in the oval in front of the word "No".

Shall the following amendment to the Constitution be adopted?  
  
**1**

Summary: Provides for only U.S. citizens aged 18 or older and meeting state and county residency requirements to vote in all elections. Further provides that 17-year-olds who will be 18 years old by the General Election are eligible to vote in the primary election, subject to the same citizenship and residency requirements.

Full Text: Section 1 of Article II of the Constitution of the State of Iowa, as amended by the amendment of 1970, is repealed and the following adopted in lieu thereof:

Section 1. Electors. Only a citizen of the United States of the age of eighteen years, who shall have been a resident of this state for such period of time as shall be provided by law and of the county in which the citizen claims the citizen's vote for such period of time as shall be provided by law, shall be entitled to vote at all elections which are authorized by law. However, for purposes of a primary election, a United States citizen must be at least eighteen years of age as of the next general election following the primary election. The required periods of residence shall not exceed six months in this state and sixty days in the county.

Yes  
 No

**Notice to voters.** To vote to approve any question on this ballot, fill in the oval in front of the word "Yes". To vote against any question, fill in the oval in front of the word "No".

Shall the following amendment to the Constitution be adopted?  
  
**2**

Summary: Provides that the lieutenant governor will act as the governor if there is a temporary disability of the governor. Further provides that the lieutenant governor or lieutenant governor-elect will be the governor or governor-elect in the case of the resignation, death, or permanent disability of the governor or governor-elect thus creating a vacancy in the office of lieutenant governor or lieutenant governor-elect, as appropriate.

Full Text: Section 17 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Iowa is repealed and the following adopted in lieu thereof:

Sec. 17. Lieutenant governor or lieutenant governor-elect to become or act as governor or governor-elect. If there is a temporary disability of the governor, the lieutenant governor shall act as governor until the disability is removed, or the governor dies, resigns, or is removed from office. In case

**PUBLIC MEASURE**

of the death, resignation, or removal from office of the governor, the lieutenant governor shall become governor for the remainder of the term, which shall create a vacancy in the office of lieutenant governor. This section shall also apply, as appropriate, to the governor-elect and the lieutenant governor-elect.

Yes  
 No

Shall the following Public Measure be adopted?  
  
**SA**

Shall the Board of Directors of the Underwood Community School District in the County of Pottawattamie, State of Iowa, be authorized to contract indebtedness and issue General Obligation Bonds in an amount not to exceed \$12,520,000 to provide funds to remodel, repair, improve, furnish, and equip its existing facilities, including HVAC improvements, enhancing accessibility in accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), remodeling existing elementary facilities for an early childhood area, athletic field improvements, safe and secure entrances, and other site improvements?

Yes  
 No

Shall the following Public Measure be adopted?  
  
**SB**

Shall the Board of Directors of the Iowa Western Community College (Merged Area XIII) in the Counties of Adair, Adams, Audubon, Cass, Crawford, Fremont, Harrison, Mills, Monona, Montgomery, Page, Pottawattamie, and Shelby, State of Iowa, be authorized to contract indebtedness and issue General Obligation Bonds in an amount not to exceed \$55,000,000 to provide funds to construct, furnish, and equip a new academic building and renovate, remodel, and improve existing buildings within Merged Area XIII?

Yes  
 No

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