Official Ballot

Judge _____

Judge _____

State General Election Ballot
Stearns County, Minnesota
November 3, 2026

Instructions to Voters:

To vote, completely fill in the oval(s) next to your choice(s) like this: ⬬

Federal Offices

U.S. Senator
Vote for One

- ⬭ Marisa Simonetti — Independent
- ⬭ Rebecca Whiting — Libertarian
- ⬭ Peggy Flanagan — Democratic-Farmer-Labor
- ⬭ Michele Tafoya — Republican
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

U.S. Representative
District 6
Vote for One

- ⬭ Tom Emmer — Republican
- ⬭ Doug Chapin — Democratic-Farmer-Labor
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

State Offices

State Senator
District 14
Vote for One

- ⬭ Bernie Perryman — Republican
- ⬭ Aric Putnam — Democratic-Farmer-Labor
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

State Representative
District 14B
Vote for One

- ⬭ Zachary "Zach" Dorholt — Democratic-Farmer-Labor
- ⬭ Sue Ek — Republican
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

Governor and Lieutenant Governor
Vote for One Team

- ⬭ Amy Klobuchar and Ben Schierer — Democratic-Farmer-Labor
- ⬭ Lisa Demuth and Ryan Wilson — Republican
- ⬭ Steven Young and Jane Kirby — Green
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

Secretary of State
Vote for One

- ⬭ Steve Simon — Democratic-Farmer-Labor
- ⬭ Seth Kuhl-Stennes — Green
- ⬭ Tad Jude — Republican
- ⬭ George "Chip" Tangen — Libertarian
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

State Auditor
Vote for One

- ⬭ Scott Jensen — Republican
- ⬭ Zack Filipovich — Democratic-Farmer-Labor
- ⬭ Jay Reeves — Forward Independence
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

Attorney General
Vote for One

- ⬭ Ronald J. Schutz — Republican
- ⬭ Keith Ellison — Democratic-Farmer-Labor
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

Constitutional Amendments

Failure to vote on a constitutional amendment will have the same effect as voting no on the amendment.

To vote for a proposed constitutional amendment, fill in the oval next to the word "Yes" on that question. To vote against a proposed constitutional amendment, fill in the oval next to the word "No" on that question.

Increasing funding to school districts

Shall the Minnesota Constitution be amended to increase the funding going to all school districts from the permanent school fund, which is a fund that supports school districts without raising individual income or property taxes, effective July 1, 2027?

- ⬭ **Yes**
- ⬭ **No**

County Offices

County Commissioner
District 4
Vote for One

- ⬭ Bob Johnson
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

County Auditor - Treasurer
Vote for One

- ⬭ Randy R Schreifels
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

County Sheriff
Vote for One

- ⬭ Steve Soyka
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

County Attorney
Vote for One

- ⬭ Janelle Kendall
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisor
District 1
Vote for One

- ⬭ Chad Van Beck
- ⬭ Kyle McClure
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisor
District 5
Vote for One

- ⬭ Sarah Schulze
- ⬭ Thomas Gregory
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

Special Election for Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisor
District 4
To fill vacancy in term expiring January 1, 2029
Vote for One

- ⬭ Steve L. Peterson
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

Vote front and back of ballot

City Offices

Council Member
City of St. Cloud Ward 4
For a 3-year term expiring January 1, 2030
Vote for One

- ⬭ Craig Heurung
- ⬭ Joe Baratta
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

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School District Offices
No. 742 St Cloud Area

School Board Member At Large
Vote for Up to Three

- ⬭ Steven D. Schiller
- ⬭ Sonia Eizenhoefer
- ⬭ Heather Weems
- ⬭ Al Dahlgren
- ⬭ Vincent Miles
- ⬭ Robert W. Galler, Jr.
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

Judicial Offices

Supreme Court

Associate Justice 1 - Supreme Court
Vote for One

- ⬭ Sarah Hennesy Incumbent
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

Associate Justice 4 - Supreme Court
Vote for One

- ⬭ Paul Thissen Incumbent
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

Court of Appeals

Judge 1 - Court of Appeals
Vote for One

- ⬭ Elizabeth Bentley Incumbent
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

Judge 7 - Court of Appeals
Vote for One

- ⬭ Rachel Bond Incumbent
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

Judge 13 - Court of Appeals
Vote for One

- ⬭ Jeanne Cochran Incumbent
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

Judge 15 - Court of Appeals
Vote for One

- ⬭ Kevin G. Ross Incumbent
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

Judge 18 - Court of Appeals
Vote for One

- ⬭ JaPaul J. Harris Incumbent
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

7th District Court

Judge 2 - District Court
Vote for One

- ⬭ Michael Leeser Incumbent
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

Judge 8 - District Court
Vote for One

- ⬭ Matthew E. Engelking Incumbent
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

Judge 9 - District Court
Vote for One

- ⬭ Michelle Winkis Lawson Incumbent
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

Judge 11 - District Court
Vote for One

- ⬭ Andrew Pearson Incumbent
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

Judge 12 - District Court
Vote for One

- ⬭ Kevin M. Miller Incumbent
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

Judicial Offices

7th District Court

Judge 13 - District Court
Vote for One

- ⬭ Michelle Clark Incumbent
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

Judge 14 - District Court
Vote for One

- ⬭ Meriel Lester Incumbent
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

Judge 15 - District Court
Vote for One

- ⬭ Ole Tvedten Incumbent
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

Judge 21 - District Court
Vote for One

- ⬭ Robert J. Raupp Incumbent
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

Judge 22 - District Court
Vote for One

- ⬭ Doug Clark Incumbent
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

Judge 24 - District Court
Vote for One

- ⬭ Karl L. Schmidt Incumbent
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

Judge 26 - District Court
Vote for One

- ⬭ Mark J. Herzing Incumbent
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

Judge 27 - District Court
Vote for One

- ⬭ Tammy L. Merkins Incumbent
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

Judge 28 - District Court
Vote for One

- ⬭ Antoinette C. Wetzel Incumbent
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

Judge 30 - District Court
Vote for One

- ⬭ Jade M. Rosenfeldt Incumbent
- ⬭ _____ write-in, if any

Vote front and back of ballot

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