

Notice of Spring Election and

Sample Ballots

April 3, 2018

OFFICE OF THE DANE COUNTY CLERK

TO THE VOTERS OF DANE COUNTY:

Notice is hereby given of a spring election to be held in Dane County on Tuesday, April 3, 2018 at which the officers named below shall be chosen. The names of the candidates for each office to be voted for, whose nominations have been certified to or filed in this office, are given under the title of the office, each in its proper column, together with the questions submitted to a vote, for a referendum, if any, in the sample ballot below.

INFORMATION TO VOTERS

Upon entering the polling place, a voter shall state his or her name and address, show an acceptable form of photo identification and sign the poll book before being permitted to vote. If a voter is not registered to vote, a voter may register to vote at the polling place serving his or her residence, if the voter presents proof of residence in a form specified by law. Where ballots are distributed to voters, the initials of two inspectors must appear on the ballot. Upon being permitted to vote, the voter shall retire alone to a voting booth and cast his or her ballot except that a voter who is a parent or guardian may be accompanied by the voter's minor child or minor ward. An election official may inform the voter of the proper manner for casting a vote, but the official may not in any manner advise or indicate a particular voting choice.

Where Optical Scan Voting is Used

The voter shall fill in the oval next to the name of the candidate of his or her choice for each office for which he or she intends to vote. To vote for a person whose name does not appear on the ballot, the voter shall write in the name of the person of his or her choice in the space provided for a write-in vote and fill in the oval next to the write-in line. On referendum questions, the voter shall fill in the oval next to "yes" if in favor of the question, or the voter shall fill in the oval next to "no" if opposed to the question.

When using an *electronic ballot marking device* ("ExpressVote" or "Automark") to mark an **optical scan** ballot, the voter shall touch the screen at the name of the candidate of his or her choice for each office for which he or she intends to vote. To vote for a person whose name does not appear on the ballot, the voter shall type in the name of the person of his or her choice in the space provided for a write-in vote. On referendum questions, the voter shall touch the screen at "yes" if in favor of the question, or the voter shall touch the screen at "no" if opposed to the question.

The vote should not be cast in any other manner. Not more than five minutes' time shall be allowed inside a voting booth or machine. Sample ballots or other materials to assist the voter in casting his or her vote may be taken into the booth and copied. The sample ballot shall not be shown to anyone so as to reveal how the ballot is marked.

If the voter spoils an **optical scan** ballot, he or she shall return it to an election official who shall issue another ballot in its place, but not more than three ballots shall be issued to any one voter.

If the ballot has not been initialed by two inspectors or is defective in any other way, the voter shall return it to the election official, who shall issue a proper ballot in its place.

After Voting the Ballot

After an official **optical scan** ballot is marked, it shall be inserted in the security sleeve so the marks do not show. After casting his or her vote, the voter shall leave the booth, insert the ballot in the voting device and discard the sleeve, or deliver the ballot to an inspector for deposit. The voter shall leave the polling place promptly.

A voter may select an individual to assist in casting his or her vote if the voter declares to the presiding official that he or she is unable to read, has difficulty reading, writing or understanding English or that due to disability is unable to cast his or her ballot. The selected individual rendering assistance may not be the voter's employer or an agent of that employer or an officer or agent of a labor organization which represents the voter.

The following is a sample of the official ballot:

Scott McDonell, Dane County Clerk

[State and county offices, candidates and the statewide referendum question are listed on Page 3.]

Justice of the Supreme Court –
Michael Screnock
Rebecca Dallet

Court of Appeals District IV –
JoAnne F. Kloppenburg

Circuit Court Judge Branch 1 –
Marilyn Townsend
Susan M. Crawford

Circuit Court Judge Branch 8 –
Frank D. Remington

Circuit Court Judge Branch 11 –
Ellen K. Berz

Dane County Supervisors – All Districts

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| District 1 | Mary M.Kolar | District 19 | Bill Clausius |
| District 2 | Heidi M. Wegleitner | District 20 | Julie Schwellenbach |
| District 3 | Analiese Eicher | District 21 | Andrew Schauer |
| District 4 | Richard Kilmer | District 22 | Maureen McCarville |
| District 5 | Hayley Young | District 23 | Shelia Stubbs |
| District 6 | Yogesh Chawla
Pam Porter | District 24 | Anna Gouker
Tanya Buckingham |
| District 7 | Matt Veldran | District 25 | Tim Kiefer |
| District 8 | Carousel Andrea Bayrd | District 26 | Sharon Corrigan |
| District 9 | Paul Nelson | District 27 | Dorothy Krause |
| District 10 | Jeremy Levin | District 28 | Nikki Jones |
| District 11 | Kelly Danner
Al Matano | District 29 | Dave Ripp |
| District 12 | Paul Rusk | District 30 | Patrick Downing |
| District 13 | Chuck Erickson | District 31 | Jerry Bollig |
| District 14 | George J. Gillis, Jr. | District 32 | Jacob Luginbuhl
Jason L. Knoll |
| District 15 | Steven Peters
Brent Renteria | District 33 | Jenni Dye |
| District 16 | Jamie Kuhn | District 34 | Patrick Miles |
| District 17 | Jeff Pertl | District 35 | Carl T. Chenoweth |
| District 18 | Michele Ritt | District 36 | Danielle Williams |
| | | District 37 | Bob Salov |

**Multi-Jurisdictional Municipal Judge
(for the City of Edgerton, Towns of Albion and Fulton)**
Dale E. Pope

Statewide Referendum: QUESTION 1: “Elimination of state treasurer. Shall sections 1 and 3 of article VI and sections 7 and 8 of article X of the constitution be amended, and section 17 of article XIV of the constitution be created, to eliminate the office of state treasurer from the constitution and to replace the state treasurer with the lieutenant governor as a member of the Board of Commissioners of Public Lands?”