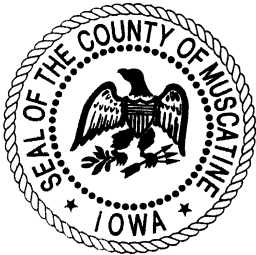


# OFFICIAL GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT

Muscatine County, State of Iowa

Official Ballot  
General Election  
November 3, 2026



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 ink pen.**
- 4. Do not cross out.** If you change your mind, exchange your ballot for a new one.
- 5. Where to find the judges:** the judicial ballot is on the back of this ballot beginning in the middle column.
- 6. Where to find the public measure:** the public measure is on the back of the ballot in the column on the right side.

FEDERAL OFFICES

FOR UNITED STATES SENATOR  
Vote For No More Than One

- ☐ Josh Turek  
Democratic Party
- ☐ Ashley Hinson  
Republican Party
- ☐ Thomas Laehn  
Libertarian Party
- ☐

(Write-in vote, if any)

FOR UNITED STATES  
REPRESENTATIVE  
DISTRICT 1

Vote For No More Than One

- ☐ Christina Bohannon  
Democratic Party
- ☐ Mariannette Miller-Meeks  
Republican Party
- ☐ Michael Bridgford  
Nonpartisan
- ☐

(Write-in vote, if any)

STATE OFFICES

FOR GOVERNOR/LIEUTENANT  
GOVERNOR

Vote For No More Than One

- ☐ Rob Sand  
/Dave Muhlbauer  
Democratic Party
- ☐ Zach Lahn  
/Derek Wulf  
Republican Party
- ☐

(Write-in vote for Governor, if any)

(Write-in Vote for Lt. Governor, if any)

FOR SECRETARY OF STATE  
Vote For No More Than One

- ☐ Ryan Peterman  
Democratic Party
- ☐ Paul D. Pate  
Republican Party
- ☐

(Write-in vote, if any)

FOR AUDITOR OF STATE  
Vote For No More Than One

- ☐ Taylor Wettach  
Democratic Party
- ☐ Chris Cournoyer  
Republican Party
- ☐

(Write-in vote, if any)

FOR TREASURER OF STATE  
Vote For No More Than One

- ☐ John Norwood  
Democratic Party
- ☐ Roby Smith  
Republican Party
- ☐

(Write-in vote, if any)

FOR SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE  
Vote For No More Than One

- ☐ Chris Jones  
Democratic Party
- ☐ Mike Naig  
Republican Party
- ☐

(Write-in vote, if any)

FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL  
Vote For No More Than One

- ☐ Nate Willems  
Democratic Party
- ☐ Brenna Bird  
Republican Party
- ☐

(Write-in vote, if any)

STATE OFFICES

FOR STATE SENATOR  
DISTRICT 41

Vote For No More Than One

- ☐ Tom Wieck  
Democratic Party
- ☐ Kerry Gruenhagen  
Republican Party
- ☐

(Write-in vote, if any)

FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE  
DISTRICT 82

Vote For No More Than One

- ☐ James Behrmann  
Democratic Party
- ☐ Bobby Kaufmann  
Republican Party
- ☐

(Write-in vote, if any)

COUNTY OFFICES

FOR BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
DISTRICT 1

Vote For No More Than One

- ☐ Danny Chick Jr.  
Republican Party
- ☐

(Write-in vote, if any)

FOR BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
DISTRICT 2

Vote For No More Than One

- ☐ Kurt Kirchner  
Republican Party
- ☐

(Write-in vote, if any)

FOR BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
DISTRICT 5

Vote For No More Than One

- ☐ Nick Doy  
Republican Party
- ☐

(Write-in vote, if any)

FOR COUNTY TREASURER  
Vote For No More Than One

- ☐ Kim Olson  
Republican Party
- ☐

(Write-in vote, if any)

FOR COUNTY RECORDER  
Vote For No More Than One

- ☐ Sarah Bodman Hearst  
Republican Party
- ☐

(Write-in vote, if any)

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY  
Vote For No More Than One

- ☐ Korie Talkington  
Republican Party
- ☐

(Write-in vote, if any)

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Precinct Official's Initials

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SAMPLE

| NONPARTISAN OFFICES                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | JUDICIAL BALLOT                                                                                                                                                                                               | PUBLIC MEASURE                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
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| <b>FOR MONTPELIER TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE</b><br>Vote For No More Than Two<br><div><div><input type="radio"/> Terry Ferkel</div><div><input type="radio"/> Clyde Gibson</div><div><input type="radio"/> Martin Paul</div><div><input type="radio"/> Antonio D. Harrington Jr</div><div><input type="radio"/></div><div><div></div><div>(Write-in vote, if any)</div></div><div><input type="radio"/></div><div><div></div><div>(Write-in vote, if any)</div></div></div>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | <b>Notice to voters.</b> 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. | <b>Notice to voters:</b> To vote to approve the question, fill in the voting target in front of the word "Yes". To vote against the question, fill in the voting target in front of the word "No".                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
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| <b>FOR MONTPELIER TOWNSHIP CLERK</b><br>Vote For No More Than One<br><div><div><input type="radio"/> James Bina</div><div><input type="radio"/></div><div><div></div><div>(Write-in vote, if any)</div></div></div>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | <b>DISTRICT 7 JUDGE</b><br>Shall the following judge of District 7 be retained in office?                                                                                                                     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
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| <b>FOR SOIL &amp; WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT COMMISSIONERS</b><br>Vote For No More Than Two<br><div><div><input type="radio"/> Randall Eichelberger</div><div><input type="radio"/> Robert L. Beatty</div><div><input type="radio"/></div><div><div></div><div>(Write-in vote, if any)</div></div><div><input type="radio"/></div><div><div></div><div>(Write-in vote, if any)</div></div></div>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | Joel William Barrows<br><div><div><input type="radio"/> Yes</div><div><input type="radio"/> No</div></div>                                                                                                    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
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| <b>FOR COUNTY AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION COUNCIL MEMBERS</b><br>Vote For No More Than Five<br><div><div><input type="radio"/> Kelsey Meyers</div><div><input type="radio"/> Sara Fitzer-Huston</div><div><input type="radio"/> Katelyn S. Ellenberg</div><div><input type="radio"/> Amber Marolf</div><div><input type="radio"/> Tyler Feldman</div><div><input type="radio"/> Mary Ann Danner</div><div><input type="radio"/></div><div><div></div><div>(Write-in vote, if any)</div></div><div><input type="radio"/></div><div><div></div><div>(Write-in vote, if any)</div></div><div><input type="radio"/></div><div><div></div><div>(Write-in vote, if any)</div></div><div><input type="radio"/></div><div><div></div><div>(Write-in vote, if any)</div></div><div><input type="radio"/></div><div><div></div><div>(Write-in vote, if any)</div></div></div> |                                                                                                                                                                                                               | <b>TURN THE BALLOT OVER</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |