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# STATE GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT

## INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS
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## FEDERAL OFFICES

### PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT
VOTE FOR ONE TEAM

- ● **JOHN MCCAIN AND SARAH PALIN** Republican
- ○ **BARACK OBAMA AND JOE BIDEN** Democratic-Farmer-Labor
- ○ **CYNTHIA MCKINNEY AND ROSA CLEMENTE** Green
- ○ **RÓGER CALERO AND ALYSON KENNEDY** Socialist Workers
- ○ **RALPH NADER AND MATT GONZALEZ** Independent
- ○ **BOB BARR AND WAYNE A. ROOT** Libertarian
- ○ **CHUCK BALDWIN AND DARRELL CASTLE** Constitution
- ○ _____ write-in, if any

### U.S. SENATOR
VOTE FOR ONE

- ○ **DEAN BARKLEY** Independence
- ● **NORM COLEMAN** Republican
- ○ **AL FRANKEN** Democratic-Farmer-Labor
- ○ **CHARLES ALDRICH** Libertarian
- ○ **JAMES NIEMACKL** Constitution
- ○ _____ write-in, if any

### U.S. REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 6
VOTE FOR ONE

- ○ **BOB ANDERSON** Independence
- ● **MICHELE BACHMANN** Republican
- ○ **EL TINKLENBERG** Democratic-Farmer-Labor
- ○ _____ write-in, if any

## STATE OFFICES

### STATE REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 15B
VOTE FOR ONE

- ● **JOSHUA BEHLING** Republican
- ○ **LARRY HAWS** Democratic-Farmer-Labor
- ○ _____ write-in, if any

## CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

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

To vote for a proposed constitutional amendment, completely fill in the oval next to the word "YES" for that question. To vote against a proposed constitutional amendment, completely fill in the oval next to the word "NO" for that question.

### CLEAN WATER, WILDLIFE, CULTURAL HERITAGE AND NATURAL AREAS

Shall the Minnesota Constitution be amended to dedicate funding to protect our drinking water sources; to protect, enhance, and restore our wetlands, prairies, forests, and fish, game, and wildlife habitat; to preserve our arts and cultural heritage; to support our parks and trails; and to protect, enhance, and restore our lakes, rivers, streams, and groundwater by increasing the sales and use tax rate beginning July 1, 2009, by three-eighths of one percent on taxable sales until the year 2034?

- ● YES
- ○ NO

## COUNTY OFFICES

### COUNTY COMMISSIONER DISTRICT 5
VOTE FOR ONE

- ● **EARL BUTCH BUKOWSKI**
- ○ **MIKE LANDWEHR**
- ○ _____ write-in, if any

### SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT SUPERVISOR DISTRICT 1
VOTE FOR ONE

- ● **WADE BASTIAN**
- ○ _____ write-in, if any

### SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT SUPERVISOR DISTRICT 4
VOTE FOR ONE

- ● **BERNIE THOLE**
- ○ _____ write-in, if any

### SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT SUPERVISOR DISTRICT 5
VOTE FOR ONE

- ● **CHUCK RAU**
- ○ _____ write-in, if any

### SPECIAL ELECTION FOR SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT SUPERVISOR DISTRICT 3
To fill vacancy in term expiring January 3, 2011
VOTE FOR ONE

- ● **PHILLIP GROSLAND**
- ○ _____ write-in, if any

## CITY OFFICES

### MAYOR CITY OF ST. CLOUD
VOTE FOR ONE

- ● **DAVE KLEIS**
- ○ write-in, if any

### COUNCIL MEMBER AT LARGE CITY OF ST. CLOUD
VOTE FOR UP TO THREE

- ○ **GEORGE HONTOS**
- ○ **JEFF GOERGER**
- ○ **TODD MALCOLM**
- ● **JOHN C. PEDERSON**
- ● **SONJA HAYDEN BERG**
- ○ _____ write-in, if any
- ○ _____ write-in, if any
- ○ _____ write-in, if any

## CITY QUESTION CITY OF ST. CLOUD

To vote for a question, completely fill in the oval next to the word "YES" for that question. To vote against a question, completely fill in the oval next to the word "NO" for that question.

### CITY QUESTION 1

Shall the Street Construction Ordinance be amended to permit the City Council to approve the marking of three traffic lanes on 14th Avenue South between Highway 23 and 2nd Street South.

- ● YES
- ○ NO

## SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICES

### SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 742 (ST CLOUD AREA)
VOTE FOR UP TO FOUR

- ● **RON SEIBRING**
- ○ **GARY EDER**
- ○ **LES GREEN**
- ○ **BRUCE HENTGES**
- ○ **JIM MURRAY**
- ○ **CINDY R HARNER**
- ● **AL DAHLGREN**
- ○ **DEBRA LALLEY**
- ○ _____ write-in, if any
- ○ _____ write-in, if any
- ○ _____ write-in, if any
- ○ _____ write-in, if any

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### SCHOOL DISTRICT QUESTIONS
#### SPECIAL ELECTION
#### INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 742
#### (ST. CLOUD)

To vote for a question, completely fill in the oval next to the word "YES" for that question. To vote against a question, completely fill in the oval next to the word "NO" for that question.

**SCHOOL DISTRICT BALLOT QUESTION 1**
**APPROVAL OF REVENUE INCREASE FOR TEACHERS, ACTIVITIES, TRANSPORTATION, AND OPERATIONS**

The School Board of Independent School District No. 742 (St. Cloud) Minnesota has proposed to renew the existing property tax referendum of $97.23 per pupil that is scheduled to expire after taxes payable in 2008 and increase its general education revenue by an additional $457.77 per pupil for a total of $555 per pupil. The proposed referendum revenue authorization would be applicable for six (6) years unless otherwise revoked or reduced as provided by law. Shall the renewal of the expiring property tax referendum proposed by the Board of Independent School District No. 742 (St. Cloud) be approved?

○ YES

⬤ NO

PASSAGE OF THIS REFERENDUM WILL RESULT IN AN INCREASE IN YOUR PROPERTY TAXES.

**SCHOOL DISTRICT BALLOT QUESTION 2**
**APPROVAL OF REVENUE INCREASE FOR FUNDING EQUAL TO MINNESOTA AVERAGE**

The School Board of Independent School District No. 742 (St. Cloud) Minnesota has proposed to increase its general education revenue by an additional $160 per pupil. The proposed referendum revenue authorization would be applicable for six (6) years unless otherwise revoked or reduced as provided by law. If School District Ballot Question 1 is approved, shall the additional increase in the revenue proposed by the Board of Independent School District No. 742 (St. Cloud) be approved?

○ YES

⬤ NO

PASSAGE OF THIS REFERENDUM WILL RESULT IN AN INCREASE IN YOUR PROPERTY TAXES.

**SCHOOL DISTRICT BALLOT QUESTION 3**
**APPROVAL OF REVENUE INCREASE FOR ADDITIONAL STUDENT CURRICULUM AND SERVICES.**

The School Board of Independent School District No. 742 (St. Cloud) Minnesota has proposed to increase its general education revenue by an additional $255 per pupil. The proposed referendum revenue authorization would be applicable for six (6) years unless otherwise revoked or reduced as provided by law. If School District Ballot Questions 1 and 2 are approved, shall the additional increase in the revenue proposed by the Board of Independent School District No. 742 (St. Cloud) be approved?

○ YES

⬤ NO

PASSAGE OF THIS REFERENDUM WILL RESULT IN AN INCREASE IN YOUR PROPERTY TAXES.

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### JUDICIAL OFFICES

#### SUPREME COURT

**ASSOCIATE JUSTICE 3**
VOTE FOR ONE

⬤ TIM TINGELSTAD

○ PAUL H. ANDERSON
Incumbent

○ write-in, if any

**ASSOCIATE JUSTICE 4**
VOTE FOR ONE

⬤ DEBORAH HEDLUND

○ LORIE SKJERVEN GILDEA
Incumbent

○ write-in, if any

#### COURT OF APPEALS

**JUDGE 16**
VOTE FOR ONE

⬤ TERRI J. STONEBURNER
Incumbent

○ DAN GRIFFITH

○ write-in, if any

**JUDGE 1**
VOTE FOR ONE

⬤ EDWARD TOUSSAINT, JR.
Incumbent

○ write-in, if any

**JUDGE 8**
VOTE FOR ONE

⬤ THOMAS J. KALITOWSKI
Incumbent

○ write-in, if any

**JUDGE 9**
VOTE FOR ONE

⬤ ROGER M. KLAPHAKE
Incumbent

○ write-in, if any

**JUDGE 10**
VOTE FOR ONE

⬤ HARRIET LANSING
Incumbent

○ write-in, if any

**JUDGE 15**
VOTE FOR ONE

⬤ KEVIN G. ROSS
Incumbent

○ write-in, if any

#### 7TH DISTRICT COURT

**JUDGE 2**
VOTE FOR ONE

⬤ JAY D. CARLSON
Incumbent

○ write-in, if any

**JUDGE 3**
VOTE FOR ONE

⬤ PETER M. IRVINE
Incumbent

○ write-in, if any

**JUDGE 4**
VOTE FOR ONE

⬤ FRANK J. KUNDRAT
Incumbent

○ write-in, if any

**JUDGE 5**
VOTE FOR ONE

⬤ DAVID R. BATTEY
Incumbent

○ write-in, if any

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### 7TH DISTRICT COURT

**JUDGE 6**
VOTE FOR ONE

⬤ CONRAD I. FREEBERG
Incumbent

○ write-in, if any

**JUDGE 8**
VOTE FOR ONE

⬤ FREDERICK L. GRUNKE
Incumbent

○ write-in, if any

**JUDGE 11**
VOTE FOR ONE

⬤ THOMAS P KNAPP
Incumbent

○ write-in, if any

**JUDGE 13**
VOTE FOR ONE

⬤ ANN L. CARROTT
Incumbent

○ write-in, if any

**JUDGE 17**
VOTE FOR ONE

⬤ MARK F. HANSEN
Incumbent

○ write-in, if any

**JUDGE 18**
VOTE FOR ONE

⬤ LISA N. BORGEN
Incumbent

○ write-in, if any

**JUDGE 23**
VOTE FOR ONE

⬤ GALEN J. VAA
Incumbent

○ write-in, if any

**JUDGE 24**
VOTE FOR ONE

⬤ MICHAEL S. JESSE
Incumbent

○ write-in, if any

**JUDGE 26**
VOTE FOR ONE

⬤ STEVEN A. ANDERSON
Incumbent

○ write-in, if any

**JUDGE 27**
VOTE FOR ONE

⬤ STEVEN J. CAHILL

○ write-in, if any

*Handwritten note:* U.S. Senator Precinct: St Cloud W2 P1 Challenged ballot #: 2 Challenged by FRANKEN Challenge reason: Unusual Mark or no filings

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