# Official Ballot

## State General Election Ballot

### Instructions to Voters

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

### Federal Offices

- **President and Vice-President** Vote for One Team
  - John McCain and Sarah Palin
    - Republican

- **Barack Obama and Joe Biden**
  - Democratic-FACT Labor
  - Norwegian

- **Constitutional Amendment**
  - To vote for or against a constitutional amendment, completely fill in the oval next to the word "YES" for approval. To vote against a proposed constitutional amendment, completely fill in the oval next to the word "NO" to disapprove.

### State Offices

- **State Representative District 24B** Vote for One
  - Tony Cornish
    - Republican

- **Constitutional Amendment**
  - Failure to vote on a constitutional amendment, will have the same effect as voting yes for the amendment.

### County Offices

- **Soil and Water Conservation District 3** Vote for One
  - Allen Marsalek
    - write-in, if any

- **Mayor City of Saint Clair** Vote for One
  - Douglas Westphal
    - write-in, if any

- **Council Member** Vote for up to Two
  - Dick Fitchoff
    - write-in, if any

### Clean Water, Wildlife, Cultural Heritage and Natural Areas
- Shall the Minnesota Constitution be amended to dedicate funds to protect our drinking water supplies; to maintain, enhance, and restore our rivers, wetlands, prairies, forests, and fish, game, and wildlife habitats; to preserve our lakes and other bodies of water; to support our parks and trails; and to protect, preserve, and restore our lakes, rivers, streams, and groundwater by increasing the state lottery sales tax beginning July 1, 2018, by three-eighths of one percent on taxable sales until the year 2030??

- **YES**
  - write-in, if any

- **NO**
  - write-in, if any

### School Board Members

**School Board Member Independent School District No. 75 (St. Clair)** Vote for up to Three
- Bill Ward
  - write-in, if any

- Jack Hay
  - write-in, if any

- James A. Grabowska
  - write-in, if any

### U.S. Representative District 1

- **John Shanahan**
  - write-in, if any

- **Gregory Mikelson**
  - Independent

- **Brian J. Daves**
  - Republican

- **Tim Walt**
  - Democratic-Farmer-Labor

- **SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT SUPERVISOR DISTRICT 3** Vote for One
  - Ryan Swafford
    - write-in, if any

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  - Harold Loeppler
    - write-in, if any

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### Vote Front and Back of Ballot

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State of Minnesota

November 4, 2008
STATE GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT

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SCHOOL DISTRICT QUESTIONS
To vote on this question, completely fill in the oval next to the word "YES" for this question. To vote against the question, completely fill in the oval next to the word "NO" for this question.

SCHOOL DISTRICT BALLOT QUESTION 1
APPROVAL OF SCHOOL DISTRICT REFERENDUM REVENUE AUTHORIZATION

The School of Independent School District No. 75 (Cokato Public Schools) has proposed to increase its general education revenue by $30,000 per pupil. The proposed expenditure revenue is not to exceed the revenue limit by more than $50,000, shall be used to maintain or replace facilities and equipment, and shall be applicable for five years unless otherwise revoked or reduced as provided by law.

Shall the increase in the revenue proposed by the School of Independent School District No. 75 be approved?

- YES
- NO

BY VOTING "YES" ON THIS BALLOT QUESTION, YOU ARE VOTING FOR A PROPERTY TAX INCREASE.

JUDICIAL OFFICES

SUPREME COURT

ASSOCIATE JUSTICE 1
VOTE FOR ONE

PAUL J. ANDERSON
Incumbent

TIM TINGSTAD
write-in, if any

ASSOCIATE JUSTICE 4
VOTE FOR ONE

LORI E. JORDAN
Incumbent

DEBORAH MCCLAIN
write-in, if any

COURT OF APPEALS

JUDGE 16
VOTE FOR ONE

JAN HARFF
write-in, if any

EDWARD ROUBAIN, JR.
Incumbent

JUDGE 8
VOTE FOR ONE

THOMAS J. KALITA
Incumbent

JUDGE 19
VOTE FOR ONE

HARRIET LANKING
Incumbent

JUDGE 15
VOTE FOR ONE

KEVIN C. ROSS
Incumbent

5TH DISTRICT COURT

JUDGE 5
VOTE FOR ONE

BRUCE M. GROSS
Incumbent

JUDGE 11
VOTE FOR ONE

TODD M. WESTPHAL
Incumbent

DOUGLAS L. RICHARDS
Incumbent

JOHN R. RINDNER
Incumbent

ROBERT D. WALKER
Incumbent

VOTE FRONT AND BACK OF BALLOT