

HENNEPIN COUNTY

STATE OF MINNESOTA

NOVEMBER 4, 2008

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 TEAMJOHN MCCAIN AND SARAH
PALIN
RepublicanBARACK OBAMA AND JOE
BIDEN
Democratic-Farmer-LaborCYNTHIA MCKINNEY AND
ROSA CLEMENTE
GreenRÓGER CALERO AND
ALYSON KENNEDY
Socialist WorkersRALPH NADER AND MATT
GONZALEZ
IndependentBOB BARR AND WAYNE A.
ROOT
LibertarianCHUCK BALDWIN AND
DARRELL CASTLE
Constitution

write-in, if any

U.S. SENATOR
VOTE FOR ONEDEAN BARKLEY
IndependenceNORM COLEMAN
RepublicanAL FRANKEN
Democratic-Farmer-LaborCHARLES ALDRICH
LibertarianJAMES NIEMACKL
Constitution

write-in, if any

U.S. REPRESENTATIVE
DISTRICT 5
VOTE FOR ONEBILL MCGAUGHEY
IndependenceBARB DAVIS WHITE
RepublicanKEITH ELLISON
Democratic-Farmer-Labor

write-in, if any

STATE OFFICES

STATE REPRESENTATIVE
DISTRICT 60A
VOTE FOR ONEERIC FRANZEN
RepublicanMARGARET ANDERSON
KELLIHER
Democratic-Farmer-Labor

write-in, if any

CONSTITUTIONAL
AMENDMENTFailure 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 AREASShall 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

SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION
DISTRICT SUPERVISOR
DISTRICT 1
VOTE FOR ONE

KIM N. BOYCE



write-in, if any

SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION
DISTRICT SUPERVISOR
DISTRICT 3
VOTE FOR ONE

BEN TORELL



JAMES WISKER



RICHARD A. KLATTE



RAHN V WORKCUFF



write-in, if any

SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION
DISTRICT SUPERVISOR
DISTRICT 5
VOTE FOR ONE

JEFFREY A. BECK



KARL HANSON



write-in, if any

SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICES

SCHOOL BOARD DIRECTOR
SPECIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1
(MINNEAPOLIS)
VOTE FOR UP TO THREE

DOUG MANN



SHARON HENRY-BLYTHE



LYDIA LEE



CARLA BATES



KARI REED



JILL DAVIS



write-in, if any



write-in, if any



write-in, if any

SCHOOL DISTRICT
QUESTIONS
SPECIAL ELECTION
SPECIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
NO. 1 (MINNEAPOLIS)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
STRONG SCHOOLS STRONG
CITY REFERENDUM

The Board of Special School District No. 1,
Minneapolis Public Schools, has proposed to
revoke the school district's existing referendum
revenue authorization of \$615 per pupil and
replace that authorization with a new
authorization of \$1,200 per pupil beginning with
taxes payable in 2009. This revenue will be used
to develop early reading skills, bolster math and
science programs, provide up-to-date technology
and textbooks and manage class size for the
benefit of the children of Minneapolis. The
maximum amount of increased revenue per pupil
will be \$1,200. Beginning in 2010, the amount
will be increased each year by the rate of
inflation. The rate of inflation is the increase in
the Consumer Price Index for urban consumers
prepared by the U.S. Bureau of Labor Standards.
The proposed revenue would be authorized for
eight years, unless otherwise revoked or reduced
as provided by law.

Shall the school district's existing referendum
revenue authorization be revoked and the
increase in the revenue proposed by the Board of
Special School District No. 1, Minneapolis Public
Schools be approved?



YES



NO

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

SCHOOL DISTRICT BALLOT
QUESTION 2
ESTABLISHMENT OF ELECTION
DISTRICTS FOR SPECIAL
SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1

Shall the Board of Special School District No. 1,
Minneapolis Public Schools consist of six
members elected by district and three members
elected at-large for a total of nine members?
Board of education members elected on or prior
to November 4, 2008 shall complete their terms.
The six districts shall be of equal population and
shall initially coincide with the six park board
districts for the Minneapolis Park Board. Three
districts shall be given even numbers and three
districts shall be given odd numbers.
Transition. Beginning with the 2010 general
election, three members representing districts
with odd numbers and two at-large members shall
be elected for a total of eight members. In the
2012 general election, three members
representing districts with even numbers and one
at-large member shall be elected for a total of
nine members.



YES



NO

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VOTE FRONT AND BACK OF BALLOT

STATE GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT

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JUDICIAL OFFICES

SUPREME COURT

ASSOCIATE JUSTICE 3 VOTE FOR ONE

☒ PAUL H. ANDERSON
Incumbent

☐ TIM TINGELSTAD

☐ write-in, if any

ASSOCIATE JUSTICE 4 VOTE FOR ONE

☒ LORIE SKJERVEN GILDEA
Incumbent

☐ DEBORAH HEDLUND

☐ write-in, if any

COURT OF APPEALS

JUDGE 16 VOTE FOR ONE

☐ DAN GRIFFITH

☒ TERRI J. STONEBURNER
Incumbent

☐ 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

4TH DISTRICT COURT

JUDGE 9 VOTE FOR ONE

☒ EUGENE LINK

☐ PHILIP D. BUSH
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

JUDGE 53 VOTE FOR ONE

☒ DAVID L. PIPER

☐ JANE RANUM

☐ write-in, if any

JUDGE 58 VOTE FOR ONE

☒ THOMAS F. HAEG

☐ JAMES T. SWENSON
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

JUDGE 1 VOTE FOR ONE

☒ BILL KOCH
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

JUDGE 4 VOTE FOR ONE

☒ ANN LESLIE ALTON
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

JUDGE 5 VOTE FOR ONE

☒ KERRY MEYER
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

JUDGE 10 VOTE FOR ONE

☒ KATHRYN L. QUAINANCE
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

JUDGE 11 VOTE FOR ONE

☒ MARY STEENSON DUFRESNE
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

4TH DISTRICT COURT

JUDGE 14 VOTE FOR ONE

☒ GEORGE F. MCGUNNIGLE
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

JUDGE 15 VOTE FOR ONE

☒ TONY N. LEUNG
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

JUDGE 19 VOTE FOR ONE

☒ GINA M BRANDT
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

JUDGE 20 VOTE FOR ONE

☒ DANIEL C. MORENO
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

JUDGE 25 VOTE FOR ONE

☒ ROBERT A. BLAESER
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

JUDGE 27 VOTE FOR ONE

☒ JAY M. QUAM
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

JUDGE 28 VOTE FOR ONE

☒ TODDRICK S. BARNETTE
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

JUDGE 30 VOTE FOR ONE

☒ SUSAN M. ROBINER
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

JUDGE 31 VOTE FOR ONE

☒ MARGARET ANNE DALY
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

JUDGE 32 VOTE FOR ONE

☒ PETER A. CAHILL
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

JUDGE 33 VOTE FOR ONE

☒ JACK NORDBY
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

JUDGE 36 VOTE FOR ONE

☒ JOHN L. HOLAHAN
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

JUDGE 37 VOTE FOR ONE

☒ RICHARD S. SCHERER
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

JUDGE 38 VOTE FOR ONE

☒ BERYL A. NORD
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

JUDGE 42 VOTE FOR ONE

☒ CHARLES A. PORTER, JR.
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

JUDGE 43 VOTE FOR ONE

☒ JANET NORDELL POSTON
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

JUDGE 46 VOTE FOR ONE

☒ STEPHEN C. ALDRICH
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

JUDGE 47 VOTE FOR ONE

☒ TANYA M. BRANSFORD
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

JUDGE 51 VOTE FOR ONE

☒ IVY S. BERNHARDSON
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

U.S. Senator

Precinct:

Challenged ballot #:

Challenged by FRANKEN

Challenge reason:

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Intent

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