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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-Farmer-Labor

○ CYNTHIA MCKINNEY AND ROSA CLEMENTE
Green

○ ROGER 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 5
VOTE FOR ONE

● BILL MCGAUGHEY
Independence

○ BARB DAVIS WHITE
Republican

○ KEITH ELLISON
Democratic-Farmer-Labor

○

write-in, if any

STATE OFFICES

STATE REPRESENTATIVE
DISTRICT 45A
VOTE FOR ONE

○ KAREN M NOLTE
Republican

● SANDRA PETERSON
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

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

○ RICHARD A. KLATTE

○ RAHN V WORKCUFF

○ BEN TORELL

● JAMES WISKER

○

write-in, if any

SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT SUPERVISOR
DISTRICT 5
VOTE FOR ONE

○ KARL HANSON

● JEFFREY A. BECK

○

write-in, if any

CITY OFFICES

MAYOR
CITY OF NEW HOPE
VOTE FOR ONE

○ KATHI HEMKEN

● MARTIN E. OPEM SR.

○

write-in, if any

COUNCIL MEMBER
CITY OF NEW HOPE
VOTE FOR UP TO TWO

● ERIC LAMMLE

○ BILL SMITH

○ JAMES P. IVERSEN

● ANDY HOFFE

○

write-in, if any

○

write-in, if any

SPECIAL ELECTION FOR COUNCIL MEMBER
CITY OF NEW HOPE
To fill vacancy in term expiring January 3, 2011
VOTE FOR ONE

○ LANCE LOVELAND

○ JOHN A. ELDER

○

write-in, if any

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SCHOOL DISTRICT QUESTIONS
SPECIAL ELECTION
INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 281
(ROBBINSDALE AREA SCHOOLS)

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
REVOKING EXISTING REFERENDUM REVENUE AUTHORIZATION; APPROVING NEW AUTHORIZATION

The board of Independent School District No. 281 (Robbinsdale Area Schools) has proposed to revoke the school district's existing referendum revenue authorization of $848.25 per pupil and to replace that authorization with a new authorization of $1,360.35 per pupil. The proposed new referendum revenue authorization would increase each year by the rate of inflation and be applicable for seven 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 Independent School District No. 281 be approved?

○ YES

● NO

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

SCHOOL DISTRICT BALLOT QUESTION 2
APPROVAL OF SCHOOL DISTRICT REFERENDUM REVENUE AUTHORIZATION

The board of Independent School District No. 281 (Robbinsdale Area Schools) has also proposed to increase its general education revenue by $119.46 per pupil. The proposed referendum revenue authorization would be applicable for seven years unless otherwise revoked or reduced as provided by law.

If School District Ballot Question 1 is approved, shall the increase in the revenue proposed by the board of Independent School District No. 281 also be approved?

○ YES

● NO

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

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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

4TH DISTRICT COURT

JUDGE 9
VOTE FOR ONE

PHILIP D. BUSH
Incumbent

EUGENE LINK

write-in, if any

JUDGE 53
VOTE FOR ONE

JANE RANUM

DAVID L. PIPER

write-in, if any

JUDGE 58
VOTE FOR ONE

JAMES T. SWENSON
Incumbent

THOMAS F. HAEG

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. QUAINTANCE
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

4TH DISTRICT COURT

JUDGE 56
VOTE FOR ONE

HERBERT P. LEFLER
Incumbent

write-in, if any

JUDGE 57
VOTE FOR ONE

JEANNICE M. REDING
Incumbent

write-in, if any

JUDGE 59
VOTE FOR ONE

WARREN R. SAGSTUEN
Incumbent

write-in, if any

JUDGE 60
VOTE FOR ONE

LLOYD ZIMMERMAN
Incumbent

write-in, if any

JUDGE 61
VOTE FOR ONE

ROBERT M. SMALL
Incumbent

write-in, if any

JUDGE 62
VOTE FOR ONE

RONALD L. ABRAMS
Incumbent

write-in, if any

U.S. Senate
Precinct
Challenged ballot #: 4
Challenged by COLEMAN
Challenge reason: Not Franken
uncertain vote

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VOTE FRONT AND BACK OF BALLOT