# Official Ballot

## Kandiyohi County

### 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

**U.S. Senator**
- **Dean Barkley** Independence
- **Norm Coleman** Republican
- **Al Franken** Democratic-Farmer Labor
- **Charles Aldrich** Libertarian
- **James Niemackl** Constitution
- **William Heart** Independent

**City Offices**
- **Council Member Ward 2**
  - **Steven Gardner** Republican
  - **Tim Johnson** Independent

**State Offices**
- **State Representative District 3B** Vote for one
  - **Bonnie Wilhelm** Republican
  - **Al Juhnke** Democratic-Farmer Labor
  - **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 this question. To vote against a proposed constitutional amendment, completely fill in the oval next to the word "NO" for this question.
  - **Clean Water, Wildlife, Cultural Heritage and Natural Areas**
    - Shall the Minnesota Constitution be amended to dedicate funding to protect our drinking water, streams, and wetlands; parks, forests, and farms, and wildlife habitat to preserve our heritage and cultural heritage, to support our parks and trails, and to protect, enhance, and manage our lakes, rivers, streams, and groundwater by increasing the sales and use tax rate beginning July 1, 2008, by three-eighths of one percent on taxable sales until the year 2029?
      - **YES**
      - **NO**

**School Board Member Independent School District No. 367 (Willmar)** Vote for up to four
- **Eric W. Roberts** Republican
- **Mike Reynolds** Independent
- **Don Thorpe** Democratic-Farmer Labor
- **Sandra L. Unger** Libertarian
- **Wayne "Lenny" Lenze Meier** Constitution
- **Shawn Mueske** Constitution

**County Offices**
- **Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisor District 1** Vote for one
  - **Sherman Mankell** Republican
- **Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisor District 3** Vote for one
  - **Douglas L. Hanson** Republican
- **Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisor District 4** Vote for one
  - **Kevin Clough** Republican

**U.S. Representative District 7** Vote for one
- **Glen Menze** Republican
- **Collin C. Peterson** Democratic-Farmer Labor

**City of Willmar**
- **Willmar City Ward 2 Pct 3 SD 347**

**Voting Front and Back of Ballot**

**Judge**

**November 4, 2008**
SCHOOL DISTRICT QUESTIONS

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 SCHOOL DISTRICT REFERENDUM REVENUE AUTHORIZATION

The board of Independent School District No. 347 (Willmar Public Schools) has proposed to increase its general education revenue by $374.35 per pupil. The proposed referendum revenue authorization would be applicable for ten years unless otherwise revoked or reduced as provided by law. Shall the increase in the revenue proposed by the board of Independent School District No. 347 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. 347 (Willmar Public Schools) has also proposed to increase its general education revenue by $250.51 per pupil. The proposed referendum revenue authorization would be applicable for ten years unless otherwise revoked or reduced as provided by law. Shall the increase in the revenue proposed by the board of Independent School District No. 347 also 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 3
VOTE FOR ONE

TIM TINGSTAD
Inhabitant
write-in, if any

PAUL H. ANDERSON
Inhabitant
write-in, if any

8TH DISTRICT COURT

JUDGE 2
VOTE FOR ONE

STEVEN E. O'GRADY
Inhabitant
write-in, if any

VOTE FRONT AND BACK OF BALLOT