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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 | CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT | SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICES |
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| PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT VOTE FOR ONE TEAM | Failure to vote on a constitutional amendment, will have the same effect as voting no for the amendment. | SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER AT LARGE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 728 (ELK RIVER) VOTE FOR UP TO THREE |
| <input type="radio"/> JOHN MCCAIN AND SARAH PALIN Republican | 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. | <input checked="" type="radio"/> ANDY HILLEBREGT |
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> BARACK OBAMA AND JOE BIDEN Democratic-Farmer-Labor | | <input type="radio"/> JANELLE HENRY |
| <input type="radio"/> CYNTHIA MCKINNEY AND ROSA CLEMENTE Green | CLEAN WATER, WILDLIFE, CULTURAL HERITAGE AND NATURAL AREAS | <input checked="" type="radio"/> SUE M FARBER |
| <input type="radio"/> RÓGER CALERO AND ALYSON KENNEDY Socialist Workers | 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? | <input checked="" type="radio"/> JOHN L. KUESTER |
| <input type="radio"/> RALPH NADER AND MATT GONZALEZ Independent | | <input type="radio"/> YES |
| <input type="radio"/> BOB BARR AND WAYNE A. ROOT Libertarian | <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO | write-in, if any _____ |
| <input type="radio"/> CHUCK BALDWIN AND DARRELL CASTLE Constitution | COUNTY OFFICES | write-in, if any _____ |
| write-in, if any _____ | COUNTY COMMISSIONER DISTRICT 1 VOTE FOR ONE | SCHOOL DISTRICT QUESTION SPECIAL ELECTION INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 728 (ELK RIVER) |
| U.S. SENATOR VOTE FOR ONE | <input type="radio"/> PETE KIMBALL | 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. |
| <input type="radio"/> DEAN BARKLEY Independence | <input checked="" type="radio"/> LARRY FARBER | SCHOOL DISTRICT BALLOT QUESTION RENEWAL OF SCHOOL DISTRICT EXPIRING REFERENDUM REVENUE AUTHORIZATION |
| <input type="radio"/> NORM COLEMAN Republican | write-in, if any _____ | The School Board of Independent School District No. 728 (Elk River), Minnesota has proposed to renew the existing property tax referendum (\$115.90 per pupil) that is scheduled to expire after taxes payable in 2008. The proposed referendum revenue authorization would be applicable for ten (10) years unless otherwise revoked or reduced as provided by law. |
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> AL FRANKEN Democratic-Farmer-Labor | <input checked="" type="radio"/> DOUGLAS HIPSAG | Shall the renewal of the expiring property tax referendum proposed by the Board of Independent School District No. 728 (Elk River) be approved? |
| <input type="radio"/> CHARLES ALDRICH Libertarian | write-in, if any _____ | |
| <input type="radio"/> JAMES NIEMACKL Constitution | SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT SUPERVISOR DISTRICT 3 VOTE FOR ONE | <input type="radio"/> YES |
| write-in, if any _____ | <input checked="" type="radio"/> LARRY GOENNER | <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO |
| U.S. REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 6 VOTE FOR ONE | write-in, if any _____ | BY VOTING "YES" ON THIS BALLOT QUESTION, YOU ARE VOTING TO EXTEND AN EXISTING PROPERTY TAX REFERENDUM THAT IS SCHEDULED TO EXPIRE. |
| <input type="radio"/> BOB ANDERSON Independence | SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT SUPERVISOR DISTRICT 5 VOTE FOR ONE | |
| <input type="radio"/> MICHELE BACHMANN Republican | <input checked="" type="radio"/> DOUGLAS MANTHEI | |
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> EL TINKLENBERG Democratic-Farmer-Labor | write-in, if any _____ | |
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| STATE REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 48A VOTE FOR ONE | | |
| <input type="radio"/> TOM HACKBARTH Republican | | |
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> SHARON LAWRENCE Democratic-Farmer-Labor | | |
| write-in, if any _____ | | |

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