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A SAINT LOUIS COUNTY B STATE OF MINNESOTA C 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	STATE OFFICES	CITY QUESTIONS	
<p><b>PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT</b> VOTE FOR ONE TEAM</p>	<p><b>STATE REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 7A</b> VOTE FOR ONE</p>	<p>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.</p>	
<p><input checked="" type="radio"/> <b>JOHN MCCAIN AND SARAH PALIN</b> Republican</p>	<p><input checked="" type="radio"/> <b>RYAN STAUBER</b> Republican</p>	<p><b>PROPOSED CONFLICT OF INTEREST CHARTER AMENDMENT</b></p> <p>Should section 30 of the 1912 home rule charter of the city of Duluth, as amended, be amended to allow a citizen to request that the council appoint special prosecutor to prosecute violations of the charter's conflict of interest provisions when the city attorney has determined that there is no probable cause to do so and to require that the council to decide whether or not to do so within 60 days of receipt of such request?</p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> <b>YES</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>NO</b></p> <p>A "YES" VOTE IS IN FAVOR OF ADDING A PROCESS REQUIRING THE CITY COUNCIL TO ACT ON CITIZEN COMPLAINTS PERTAINING TO ALLEGED CONFLICTS OF INTEREST.</p> <p>A "NO" VOTE IS A VOTE AGAINST ADDING A PROCESS REQUIRING THE CITY COUNCIL TO ACT ON CITIZEN COMPLAINTS PERTAINING TO ALLEGED CONFLICTS OF INTEREST.</p>	
<p><input type="radio"/> <b>BARACK OBAMA AND JOE BIDEN</b> Democratic-Farmer-Labor</p>	<p><input type="radio"/> <b>THOMAS HUNTLEY</b> Democratic-Farmer-Labor</p>		
<p><input type="radio"/> <b>CYNTHIA MCKINNEY AND ROSA CLEMENTE</b> Green</p>	<p><input type="radio"/> write-in, if any</p>		
<p><input type="radio"/> <b>RÓGER CALERO AND ALYSON KENNEDY</b> Socialist Workers</p>	<p><b>CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT</b></p> <p>Failure to vote on a constitutional amendment, will have the same effect as voting no for the amendment.</p> <p>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.</p>		
<p><input type="radio"/> <b>RALPH NADER AND MATT GONZALEZ</b> Independent</p>	<p><b>CLEAN WATER, WILDLIFE, CULTURAL HERITAGE AND NATURAL AREAS</b></p> <p>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?</p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> <b>YES</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>NO</b></p>		
<p><input type="radio"/> <b>BOB BARR AND WAYNE A. ROOT</b> Libertarian</p>	<p><b>COUNTY OFFICES</b></p> <p><b>SOUTH SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT SUPERVISOR DISTRICT 1</b> VOTE FOR ONE</p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> <b>HARTLEY SANDSTROM</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> write-in, if any</p> <p><b>SOUTH SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT SUPERVISOR DISTRICT 4</b> VOTE FOR ONE</p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> <b>DAVID T. DAVIS</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> write-in, if any</p>		
<p><input type="radio"/> <b>CHUCK BALDWIN AND DARRELL CASTLE</b> Constitution</p>			
<p><input type="radio"/> write-in, if any</p>			
<p><b>U.S. SENATOR</b> VOTE FOR ONE</p>			
<p><input type="radio"/> <b>DEAN BARKLEY</b> Independence</p>			
<p><input checked="" type="radio"/> <b>NORM COLEMAN</b> Republican</p>		<p>0190 CITY OF DULUTH PRECINCT 10</p> <p>0200 CITY OF DULUTH PRECINCT 12</p> <p>0215 CITY OF DULUTH PRECINCT 15</p> <p>0225 CITY OF DULUTH PRECINCT 17</p>	
<p><input type="radio"/> <b>AL FRANKEN</b> Democratic-Farmer-Labor</p>			
<p><input type="radio"/> <b>CHARLES ALDRICH</b> Libertarian</p>			
<p><input type="radio"/> <b>JAMES NIEMACKL</b> Constitution</p>			
<p><input type="radio"/> write-in, if any</p>			
<p><b>U.S. REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 8</b> VOTE FOR ONE</p>			
<p><input type="radio"/> <b>MICHAEL CUMMINS</b> Republican</p>			
<p><input checked="" type="radio"/> <b>JAMES L. OBERSTAR</b> Democratic-Farmer-Labor</p>			
<p><input type="radio"/> write-in, if any</p>			

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### SCHOOL DISTRICT QUESTIONS SPECIAL ELECTION INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 709 (DULUTH)

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 RENEWAL OF SCHOOL DISTRICT REFERENDUM REVENUE AUTHORIZATION

The existing levy referendum authority for Independent School District No. 709, Duluth, is expiring in 2008. The school board has proposed to renew its expiring general education revenue of \$365.60 per pupil. The proposed referendum revenue authorization would be applicable for five years unless otherwise revoked or reduced as provided by law. Shall the renewal of the referendum revenue authorization proposed by the Board of Independent School District No. 709 be approved?

 YES

 NO

BY VOTING "YES" ON THIS BALLOT QUESTION, YOU ARE VOTING TO EXTEND AN EXISTING PROPERTY TAX REFERENDUM THAT IS SCHEDULED TO EXPIRE.

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

Provided that ballot question No. 1 is approved, the Board of Independent School District No. 709, Duluth, has proposed to increase its general education revenue by an additional \$334.40 per pupil for a total of \$700.00 per pupil. The proposed referendum revenue authorization of \$700 per pupil would increase each year by the rate of inflation and would be applicable for five years unless otherwise revoked or reduced as provided by law. Shall the increase in the referendum revenue authorization proposed by the Board of Independent School District No. 709 be approved?

 YES

 NO

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

### SCHOOL DISTRICT BALLOT QUESTION 3 APPROVAL OF ADDITIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT REFERENDUM REVENUE AUTHORIZATION

Provided that ballot questions No. 1 and 2 are approved, the Board of Independent School District No. 709, Duluth, has proposed to increase its general education revenue by an additional \$500.00 per pupil for a total of \$1,200.00 per pupil. The proposed referendum revenue authorization of \$1200 per pupil would increase each year by the rate of inflation and would be applicable for five years unless otherwise revoked or reduced as provided by law. Shall the increase in the referendum revenue authorization proposed by the Board of Independent School District No. 709 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

 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

### COURT OF APPEALS


#### 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

### 6TH DISTRICT COURT


#### JUDGE 1 VOTE FOR ONE

 DAVID E. ACKERSON  
Incumbent

 write-in, if any


#### JUDGE 3 VOTE FOR ONE

 ROBERT E. MACAULAY  
Incumbent


 write-in, if any


#### JUDGE 4 VOTE FOR ONE

 DAVID M. JOHNSON  
Incumbent

 write-in, if any


#### JUDGE 7 VOTE FOR ONE

 GARY J. PAGLIACCETTI  
Incumbent


 write-in, if any


#### JUDGE 9 VOTE FOR ONE

 ERIC HYLDEN  
Incumbent

 write-in, if any


#### JUDGE 12 VOTE FOR ONE

 SALLY L. TARNOWSKI  
Incumbent

 write-in, if any

#### JUDGE 15 VOTE FOR ONE

 DALE A WOLF  
Incumbent

 write-in, if any

U.S. Senator  
Precinct: Duluth #10  
Challenged ballot #: 5  
Challenged by FRANKEN  
Challenge reason:  
voter intent

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