


SAINT LOUIS 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

## STATE OFFICES

## CITY QUESTIONS

PRESIDENT AND  
VICE PRESIDENT  
VOTE FOR ONE TEAMSTATE REPRESENTATIVE  
DISTRICT 6B  
VOTE FOR ONETo 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.JOHN MCCAIN AND  
SARAH PALIN  
RepublicanSTEVE TOWNSEND  
RepublicanPROPOSED CONFLICT OF  
INTEREST CHARTER  
AMENDMENTBARACK OBAMA AND  
JOE BIDEN  
Democratic-Farmer-LaborMARY MURPHY  
Democratic-Farmer-Labor

write-in, if any

CONSTITUTIONAL  
AMENDMENTShould 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?CYNTHIA MCKINNEY AND  
ROSA CLEMENTE  
GreenFailure to vote on a constitutional amendment,  
will have the same effect as voting no for the  
amendment.RÓGER CALERO AND  
ALYSON KENNEDY  
Socialist WorkersTo 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.

YES



NO

RALPH NADER AND  
MATT GONZALEZ  
IndependentCLEAN WATER, WILDLIFE,  
CULTURAL HERITAGE AND  
NATURAL AREASA "YES" VOTE IS IN FAVOR OF ADDING A  
PROCESS REQUIRING THE CITY COUNCIL  
TO ACT ON CITIZEN COMPLAINTS  
PERTAINING TO ALLEGED CONFLICTS OF  
INTEREST.  
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.BOB BARR AND  
WAYNE A. ROOT  
LibertarianShall 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?CHUCK BALDWIN AND  
DARRELL CASTLE  
Constitution

YES



NO

write-in, if any

U.S. SENATOR  
VOTE FOR ONE

## COUNTY OFFICES

DEAN BARKLEY  
IndependenceSOUTH SOIL AND WATER  
CONSERVATION DISTRICT  
SUPERVISOR DISTRICT 1  
VOTE FOR ONENORM COLEMAN  
RepublicanAL FRANKEN  
Democratic-Farmer-Labor

HARTLEY SANDSTROM

CHARLES ALDRICH  
Libertarian

write-in, if any

JAMES NIEMACKL  
ConstitutionSOUTH SOIL AND WATER  
CONSERVATION DISTRICT  
SUPERVISOR DISTRICT 4  
VOTE FOR ONEU.S. REPRESENTATIVE  
DISTRICT 8  
VOTE FOR ONE

DAVID T. DAVIS

MICHAEL CUMMINS  
Republican

write-in, if any

JAMES L. OBERSTAR  
Democratic-Farmer-Labor


write-in, if any

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**INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS**

To vote, completely fill in the oval(s) next to your choice(s) like this: 

<p><b>SCHOOL DISTRICT QUESTIONS SPECIAL ELECTION INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 709 (DULUTH)</b></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><b>SCHOOL DISTRICT BALLOT QUESTION 1 RENEWAL OF SCHOOL DISTRICT REFERENDUM REVENUE AUTHORIZATION</b></p> <p>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?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES</p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> NO</p> <p>BY VOTING "YES" ON THIS BALLOT QUESTION, YOU ARE VOTING TO EXTEND AN EXISTING PROPERTY TAX REFERENDUM THAT IS SCHEDULED TO EXPIRE.</p> <p><b>SCHOOL DISTRICT BALLOT QUESTION 2 APPROVAL OF ADDITIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT REFERENDUM REVENUE AUTHORIZATION</b></p> <p>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?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES</p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> NO</p> <p>BY VOTING "YES" ON THIS BALLOT QUESTION, YOU ARE VOTING FOR A PROPERTY TAX INCREASE.</p>	<p><b>SCHOOL DISTRICT BALLOT QUESTION 3 APPROVAL OF ADDITIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT REFERENDUM REVENUE AUTHORIZATION</b></p> <p>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?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES</p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> NO</p> <p>BY VOTING "YES" ON THIS BALLOT QUESTION, YOU ARE VOTING FOR A PROPERTY TAX INCREASE.</p> <p><b>JUDICIAL OFFICES</b></p> <p><b>SUPREME COURT</b></p> <p><b>ASSOCIATE JUSTICE 3 VOTE FOR ONE</b></p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> TIM TINGELSTAD</p> <p><input type="radio"/> PAUL H. ANDERSON Incumbent</p> <p><input type="radio"/> write-in, if any</p> <p><b>ASSOCIATE JUSTICE 4 VOTE FOR ONE</b></p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> DEBORAH HEDLUND</p> <p><input type="radio"/> LORIE SKJERVEN GILDEA Incumbent</p> <p><input type="radio"/> write-in, if any</p> <p><b>COURT OF APPEALS</b></p> <p><b>JUDGE 16 VOTE FOR ONE</b></p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> TERRI J. STONEBURNER Incumbent</p> <p><input type="radio"/> DAN GRIFFITH</p> <p><input type="radio"/> write-in, if any</p> <p><b>JUDGE 1 VOTE FOR ONE</b></p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> EDWARD TOUSSAINT, JR. Incumbent</p> <p><input type="radio"/> write-in, if any</p> <p><b>JUDGE 8 VOTE FOR ONE</b></p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> THOMAS J. KALITOWSKI Incumbent</p> <p><input type="radio"/> write-in, if any</p>	<p><b>COURT OF APPEALS</b></p> <p><b>JUDGE 9 VOTE FOR ONE</b></p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> ROGER M. KLAPHAKE Incumbent</p> <p><input type="radio"/> write-in, if any</p> <p><b>JUDGE 10 VOTE FOR ONE</b></p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> HARRIET LANSING Incumbent</p> <p><input type="radio"/> write-in, if any</p> <p><b>JUDGE 15 VOTE FOR ONE</b></p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> KEVIN G. ROSS Incumbent</p> <p><input type="radio"/> write-in, if any</p> <p><b>6TH DISTRICT COURT</b></p> <p><b>JUDGE 1 VOTE FOR ONE</b></p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> DAVID E. ACKERSON Incumbent</p> <p><input type="radio"/> write-in, if any</p> <p><b>JUDGE 3 VOTE FOR ONE</b></p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> ROBERT E. MACAULAY Incumbent</p> <p><input type="radio"/> write-in, if any</p> <p><b>JUDGE 4 VOTE FOR ONE</b></p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> DAVID M. JOHNSON Incumbent</p> <p><input type="radio"/> write-in, if any</p> <p><b>JUDGE 7 VOTE FOR ONE</b></p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> GARY J. PAGLIACETTI Incumbent</p> <p><input type="radio"/> write-in, if any</p> <p><b>JUDGE 9 VOTE FOR ONE</b></p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> ERIC HYLDEN Incumbent</p> <p><input type="radio"/> write-in, if any</p> <p><b>JUDGE 12 VOTE FOR ONE</b></p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> SALLY L. TARNOWSKI Incumbent</p> <p><input type="radio"/> write-in, if any</p> <p><b>JUDGE 15 VOTE FOR ONE</b></p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> DALE A WOLF Incumbent</p> <p><input type="radio"/> write-in, if any</p>
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U.S. Senator

Precinct: Duluth 41

Challenged ballot #: 2

Challenged by COLEMAN

Challenge reason: Inconsistent marking

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