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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

PRESIDENT AND
VICE PRESIDENT
VOTE FOR ONE TEAMJOHN MCCAIN AND
SARAH PALIN
RepublicanBARACK OBAMA AND
JOE BIDEN
Democratic-Farmer-LaborCYNTHIA MCKINNEY AND
ROSA CLEMENTE
GreenRÓGER CALERO AND
ALYSON KENNEDY
Socialist WorkersRALPH NADER AND
MATT GONZALEZ
IndependentBOB BARR AND
WAYNE A. ROOT
LibertarianCHUCK BALDWIN AND
DARRELL CASTLE
Constitution

write-in, if any

U.S. SENATOR
VOTE FOR ONEDEAN BARKLEY
IndependenceNORM COLEMAN
RepublicanAL FRANKEN
Democratic-Farmer-LaborCHARLES ALDRICH
LibertarianJAMES NIEMACKL
Constitution

write-in, if any

U.S. REPRESENTATIVE
DISTRICT 8
VOTE FOR ONEMICHAEL CUMMINS
RepublicanJAMES L. OBERSTAR
Democratic-Farmer-Labor

write-in, if any

STATE OFFICES

STATE REPRESENTATIVE
DISTRICT 7A
VOTE FOR ONERYAN STAUBER
RepublicanTHOMAS HUNTLEY
Democratic-Farmer-Labor

write-in, if any

CONSTITUTIONAL
AMENDMENTFailure 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 AREASShall 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

CITY 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.PROPOSED CONFLICT OF
INTEREST CHARTER
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?

YES



NO

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.
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.

COUNTY OFFICES

SOUTH SOIL AND WATER
CONSERVATION DISTRICT
SUPERVISOR DISTRICT 1
VOTE FOR ONE

HARTLEY SANDSTROM



write-in, if any

SOUTH SOIL AND WATER
CONSERVATION DISTRICT
SUPERVISOR DISTRICT 4
VOTE FOR ONE

DAVID T. DAVIS



write-in, if any

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0200 CITY OF DULUTH PRECINCT 12

0215 CITY OF DULUTH PRECINCT 15

0225 CITY OF DULUTH PRECINCT 17

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

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

U.S. Senator
 Precinct: 17
 Challenged ballot #: 1
 Challenged by FRANKEN
 Challenge reason: Voter intent