



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 TEAM		STATE REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 7B VOTE FOR ONE	To vote for a question, completely fill in the o next to the word "YES" for that question. To against a question, completely fill in the oval to the word "NO" for that question.
0	JOHN MCCAIN AND SARAH PALIN Republican	JAY COLE Independence  ALLAN KEHR Republican	PROPOSED CONFLICT OF INTEREST CHARTER AMENDMENT
P	BARACK OBAMA AND JOE BIDEN Democratic-Farmer-Labor	ROGER J REINERT Democratic-Farmer-Labor write-in, if any	Should section 30 of the 1912 home rule cha of the city of Duluth, as amended, be amend allow a citizen to request that the council ap special prosecutor to prosecute violations of
0	CYNTHIA MCKINNEY AND ROSA CLEMENTE Green	CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT	charter's conflict of interest provisions when city attorney has determined that there is no probable cause to do so and to require that to council to decide whether or not to do so wit 60 days of receipt of such request?
0	RÓGER CALERO AND ALYSON KENNEDY Socialist Workers	Failure to vote on a constitutional amendment, will have the same effect as voting no for the amendment.	<b>€</b> YES
0	RALPH NADER AND MATT GONZALEZ Independent	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.	INTEREST.
0	BOB BARR AND WAYNE A. ROOT Libertarian	CLEAN WATER, WILDLIFE, CULTURAL HERITAGE AND NATURAL AREAS	A "NO" VOTE IS A VOTE AGAINST ADDIN PROCESS REQUIRING THE CITY COUNC TO ACT ON CITIZEN COMPLAINTS PERTAINING TO ALLEGED CONFLICTS ( INTEREST.
0	CHUCK BALDWIN AND DARRELL CASTLE Constitution	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	
<u> </u>	write-in, if any	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?	
	U.S. SENATOR VOTE FOR ONE	YES	
$\bigcirc$	DEAN BARKLEY Independence	○ NO	
٩	NORM COLEMAN Republican	COUNTY OFFICES	
0	AL FRANKEN Democratic-Farmer-Labor CHARLES ALDRICH	SOUTH SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT SUPERVISOR DISTRICT 1	
$\circ$	Libertarian  JAMES NIEMACKL  Constitution	VOTE FOR ONE  HARTLEY SANDSTROM	
	write-in, if any	write-in, if any	
	U.S. REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 8 VOTE FOR ONE	SOUTH SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT SUPERVISOR DISTRICT 4 VOTE FOR ONE	
0	MICHAEL CUMMINS Republican	O DAVID T. DAVIS	
	JAMES L. OBERSTAR Democratic-Farmer-Labor	write-in, if any	
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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 Schoo 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

TIM TINGELSTAD

PAUL H. ANDERSON Incumbent

write-in, if any

**ASSOCIATE JUSTICE 4** VOTE FOR ONE

**DEBORAH HEDLUND** 

**LORIE SKJERVEN GILDEA** 

write-in, if any

COURT OF APPEALS

**JUDGE 16** VOTE FOR ONE

TERRI J. STONEBURNER

DAN GRIFFITH

write-in, if any

**JUDGE 1** VOTE FOR ONE

EDWARD TOUSSAINT, JR.

write-in, if any

**JUDGE 8** VOTE FOR ONE

THOMAS J. KALITOWSKI

write-in, if any

COURT OF APPEALS

**JUDGE 9** VOTE FOR ONE

ROGER M. KLAPHAKE

write-in, if any

**JUDGE 10** VOTE FOR ONE

HARRIET LANSING Incumbent

write-in, if any

**JUDGE 15 VOTE FOR ONE** 

KEVIN G. ROSS

write-in, if any

6TH DISTRICT COURT

JUDGE 1 VOTE FOR ONE

DAVID E. ACKERSON

write-in, if any

JUDGE 3 VOTE FOR ONE

ROBERT E. MACAULAY

write-in, if any

JUDGE 4 VOTE FOR ONE

DAVID M. JOHNSON

write-in, if any

**JUDGE 7** VOTE FOR ONE

GARY J. PAGLIACCETTI

write-in, if any

**JUDGE 9** VOTE FOR ONE

**ERIC HYLDEN** incumbent

write-in, if any

JUDGE 12 **VOTE FOR ONE** 

SALLY L. TARNOWSKI

write-in, if any

**JUDGE 15 VOTE FOR ONE** 

DALE A WOLF

write-in, if any

U.S. Senator Precinct: Ouluth 19 Challenged ballot #:

Challenged by FRANKEN

Challenge reason:

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