STATE GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT

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

FEDERAL OFFICES

- JOHN McCUIN AND SARAH PAUL
  Republican
- BARACK OBAMA AND JOE BIDEN
  Democratic-1 Farmer-Labor
- CYNTHIA MCMINN AND ROSA CLEMENTE
  Green
- RÖGER CALERO AND AYLSON KENNEDY
  Socialist Workers
- BOB BARR AND WAYNE A. ROOT
  Constitution
- CHUCK BALDWIN AND DARRELL CASTLE
  Constitution
- DEAN BARRETT
  Independent
- AL FRANKEN
  Democratic-Farmer-Labor
- CHARLES ALDROCH
  Constitution
- JAMES NIEBAUER
  Constitution
- MICHAEL CUMMINS
  Republican
- JAMES L. DIERST
  Democratic-Farmer-Labor

STATE OFFICES

- JAY COLE
  Independence
- ALAN KEHR
  Republican
- ROGER J. REINERT
  Democratic-Farmer-Labor
- CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
  Failure to vote on a constitutional amendment, will burn 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 AREAS
  Suggest Minnesota Constitution be amended to dedicate funding to protect our streams, wetlands, prairies, forests, and fish, game, and wildlife habitat; to preserve our rich cultural heritage; to support our parks and trails; and to protect, enhance, and respect our ideas, news, 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 2029.
- SOUTH SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT
  VOTE FOR ONE
- SOUTH SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT
  VOTE FOR ONE

CITY QUESTIONS

- PROPOSED CONFLICT OF INTEREST CHARTER AMENDMENT
  Should section 30 of the 1970s Home Rule Charter of the city of Duluth, as amended, be amended to allow a city council 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 decide whether or not to do so within 60 days of receipt of such request?

- YES
- NO

COUNTY OFFICES

- SOUTH SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT
  SUPERVISOR DISTRICT 1
  VOTE FOR ONE
- SOUTH SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT
  SUPERVISOR DISTRICT 4
  VOTE FOR ONE

U.S. SENATOR
VOTE FOR ONE

U.S. REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 8
VOTE FOR ONE

VOTE FRONT AND BACK OF BALLOT
INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS
To vote, completely fill in the oval(s) next to your choice(s) like this:

SCHOOL DISTRICT QUESTIONS
SPECIAL ELECTION
INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. ’79 (DULUTH)
To vote on 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 local-referendum revenue authority for Independent School District No. ’79, Duluth, is expiring in 2008. The school board has proposed to renew its existing general education revenue of $165.00 per pupil. The proposed renewal of revenue authorization would be applicable for five years unless otherwise revoked or rescinded as provided by law. Shall the renewal of the referendum revenue authorization, proposed by the Board of Independent School District No. ’79 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. ’79, Duluth, has proposed to increase its annual education revenue by an additional $334.40 per pupil for a total of $500.00 per pupil. The proposed referendum revenue authorization of $334.40 per pupil would increase each year by the rate of inflation and would be applicable for five years unless otherwise revoked or rescinded as provided by law. Shall the increase in the referendum revenue authorization proposed by the Board of Independent School District No. ’79 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. ’79, Duluth, has proposed to increase its general education revenue by an additional $200.00 per pupil for a total of $1,200.00 per pupil. The proposed referendum revenue authorization of $200.00 per pupil would increase each year by the rate of inflation and would be applicable for five years unless otherwise revoked or rescinded as provided by law. Shall the increase in the referendum authorization proposed by the Board of Independent School District No. ’79 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
PAUL H. ANDERSON
VOTE FOR ONE
TIR TINGLESTAD

ASSOCIATE JUSTICE 4
LORE SKJERVEN GILDE
VOTE FOR ONE
DEBORAH HEDLUND

COURT OF APPEALS
JUDGE 16
DAN GRIFFIN
VOTE FOR ONE
TERRI J. STONEBURGER

EDWARD TOUSSAINT, JR.
VOTE FOR ONE
THOMAS J. KLITOWSKI

COURT OF APPEALS
JUDGE 9
ROGER M. KLAphaKe
VOTE FOR ONE
HARRIET LAMING

JUDGE 10
VOTE FOR ONE
KEVIN G. ROSS

JUDGE 15
VOTE FOR ONE
DAVID E. ACKERSON

JUDGE 3
VOTE FOR ONE
ROBERT E. MACAULAY

JUDGE 4
VOTE FOR ONE
DAVID M. JOHNSON

JUDGE 7
VOTE FOR ONE
GARY J. PARLIACETTI

JUDGE 9
VOTE FOR ONE
ERIC KLYDEN

JUDGE 12
VOTE FOR ONE
SALLY L. TARNOSKI

JUDGE 15
VOTE FOR ONE
DALE A. WOLF

VOTE FRONT AND BACK OF BALLOT