# Official Ballot

## State General Election Ballot

**Instructions to Voters**

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

![Example Fill-in]

### Federal Offices

**President and Vice President Vote for One Team**

- **John McCain** and **Sarah Palin** Republican
- **Barack Obama** and **Joe Biden** Democratic-Farmer-Labor
- **Cynthia McKinney** and **Rosa Clemente** Green
- **Roger Calero** and **Allyson Kennedy** Socialist Workers
- **Ralph Nader** and **Matt Gonzalez** Independent

### State Representitive District 6B Vote for One

- **Steve Towsend** Republican
- **Mary Murphy** Democratic-Farmer-Labor

### Constitutional Amendment

Failure 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.

- **Proposed Conflict of Interest Charter Amendment**
  - 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 a 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**

- **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.
  - **YES**
  - **NO**

### Clean Water, Wildlife, Cultural Heritage and Natural Areas

Shall the Minnesota Constitution be amended to dedicate funding to protect our drinking water sources, to provide, enhance, and restore our natural areas, habitats, and fish, game, and wildlife fisheries; to preserve our cultural and natural heritage; to provide resources to protect, enhance, and restore our lakes, rivers, streams, and groundwater by increasing the sales and use tax rate beginning July 1, 2008, by three-eighths of one percent on taxable sales until the year 2034?

- **YES**
- **NO**

### U.S. Senator Vote for One

- **Ted Peterson**
- **James Schwarzbauer**
- **Craig Lauth**
- **Kevin Maki**
- **Louise Lind**
- **Bob Silvers**

### County Offices

**County Commissioner District 3 Vote for One**

- **Bill Kron**
- **Christopher "Chris" Dahlberg**

### U.S. Representative District 8 Vote for One

**Michael Cummins**

### South Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisor District 1 Vote for One

- **Hartley Sandstrom**

### South Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisor District 4 Vote for One

- **David T. Davis**

### School District Offices

**School Board Member Independent School District Number 704 (Proctor)** Vote for up to three

- **Ted Peterson**
- **James Schwarzbauer**
- **Craig Lauth**
- **Kevin Maki**
- **Louise Lind**
- **Bob Silvers**

### Vote Front and Back of Ballot

![Example Ballot Backside](Typo3-See0502-Sp011)
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. 704
(PROCTOR)
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
APPROVAL OF REVENUE INCREASE FOR TEACHERS,
ACTIVITIES TRANSPORTATION, AND OPERATIONS
The Board of Independent School District No. 704 (Proctor) has proposed to increase its general education revenue by $840 per pupil. The proposed referendum revenue authorization would be applicable for 10 years unless otherwise voted or reduced as provided by law. Shall the increase in revenue proposed by the Board of Independent School District No. 704 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 TINGELEDSTAD
incumbent
write-in, if any

ASSOCIATE JUSTICE 4
VOTE FOR ONE
DEBORAH HEDLUND
incumbent
write-in, if any

LORE SKJERVEN GILDEA
incumbent
write-in, if any

JUDGES OF APPEALS
JUDGE 1
VOTE FOR ONE
TERRI J. STONEBURNER
incumbent
write-in, if any

JUDGE 2
VOTE FOR ONE
JAN GRIFFITH
incumbent
write-in, if any

JUDGE 3
VOTE FOR ONE
EDWARD TOUSSAINT, JR.
incumbent
write-in, if any

JUDGE 4
VOTE FOR ONE
THOMAS J. KALITROWSKI
incumbent
write-in, if any

JUDGE 5
VOTE FOR ONE
ROGER M. KLAHAKHE
incumbent
write-in, if any

JUDGE 6
VOTE FOR ONE
HARRIET LANSING
incumbent
write-in, if any

JUDGE 7
VOTE FOR ONE
KEVIN G. ROSS
incumbent
write-in, if any

6TH DISTRICT COURT
JUDGE 1
VOTE FOR ONE
DAVID E. ECKERSON
incumbent
write-in, if any

JUDGE 2
VOTE FOR ONE
ROBERT E. MACAULAY
incumbent
write-in, if any

JUDGE 3
VOTE FOR ONE
DAVID M. JOHNSON
incumbent
write-in, if any

JUDGE 4
VOTE FOR ONE
GARY J. PAGLIACETTI
incumbent
write-in, if any

JUDGE 5
VOTE FOR ONE
ERIC HYDEN
incumbent
write-in, if any

JUDGE 6
VOTE FOR ONE
SALLY L. TARNOFSKI
incumbent
write-in, if any

JUDGE 7
VOTE FOR ONE
DALE A WOLF
incumbent
write-in, if any

VOTE FRONT AND BACK OF BALLOT