


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

COUNTY OFFICES

PRESIDENT AND
VICE PRESIDENT
VOTE FOR ONE TEAM

STATE REPRESENTATIVE
DISTRICT 7B
VOTE FOR ONE

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

☐ JOHN MCCAIN AND
SARAH PALIN
Republican

☐ JAY COLE
Independence

☒ DAVID T. DAVIS

☐ ALLAN KEHR
Republican

☐ write-in, if any

☒ BARACK OBAMA AND
JOE BIDEN
Democratic-Farmer-Labor

☒ ROGER J REINERT
Democratic-Farmer-Labor

CITY QUESTIONS

☐ CYNTHIA MCKINNEY AND
ROSA CLEMENTE
Green

CONSTITUTIONAL
AMENDMENT

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.

☐ 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.

PROPOSED CONFLICT OF
INTEREST CHARTER
AMENDMENT

☐ 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.

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 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?

☐ BOB BARR AND
WAYNE A. ROOT
Libertarian

CLEAN WATER, WILDLIFE,
CULTURAL HERITAGE AND
NATURAL AREAS

☒ YES

☐ 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 sales and use tax rate beginning July 1, 2009, by three-eighths of one percent on taxable sales until the year 2034?

☐ NO

U.S. SENATOR
VOTE FOR ONE

☒ YES

☐ DEAN BARKLEY
Independence

☐ NO

☒ NORM COLEMAN
Republican

COUNTY OFFICES

☐ AL FRANKEN
Democratic-Farmer-Labor

COUNTY COMMISSIONER
DISTRICT 3
VOTE FOR ONE

☐ CHARLES ALDRICH
Libertarian

☐ JAMES NIEMACKL
Constitution

☒ CHRISTOPHER "CHRIS"
DAHLBERG

write-in, if any

☐ BILL KRON

write-in, if any

U.S. REPRESENTATIVE
DISTRICT 8
VOTE FOR ONE

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

☐ MICHAEL CUMMINS
Republican

☒ JAMES L. OBERSTAR
Democratic-Farmer-Labor

☒ HARTLEY SANDSTROM

write-in, if any

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 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?

☐ 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

☐ PAUL H. ANDERSON
Incumbent

☒ TIM TINGELSTAD

☐ write-in, if any

ASSOCIATE JUSTICE 4 VOTE FOR ONE

☐ LORIE SKJERVEN GILDEA
Incumbent

☒ DEBORAH HEDLUND

☐ write-in, if any

COURT OF APPEALS

JUDGE 16 VOTE FOR ONE

☐ DAN GRIFFITH

☒ TERRI J. STONEBURNER
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

JUDGE 1 VOTE FOR ONE

☐ EDWARD TOUSSAINT, JR.
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

JUDGE 8 VOTE FOR ONE

☐ THOMAS J. KALITOWSKI
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

COURT OF APPEALS

JUDGE 9 VOTE FOR ONE

☐ ROGER M. KLAPHAKE
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

JUDGE 10 VOTE FOR ONE

☐ HARRIET LANSING
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

JUDGE 15 VOTE FOR ONE

☐ KEVIN G. ROSS
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

6TH DISTRICT COURT

JUDGE 1 VOTE FOR ONE

☐ DAVID E. ACKERSON
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

JUDGE 3 VOTE FOR ONE

☐ ROBERT E. MACAULAY
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

JUDGE 4 VOTE FOR ONE

☐ DAVID M. JOHNSON
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

JUDGE 7 VOTE FOR ONE

☐ GARY J. PAGLIACCETTI
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

JUDGE 9 VOTE FOR ONE

☐ ERIC HYLDEN
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

JUDGE 12 VOTE FOR ONE

☐ SALLY L. TARNOWSKI
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

JUDGE 15 VOTE FOR ONE

☐ DALE A WOLF
Incumbent

☐ write-in, if any

U.S. Senator

Precinct: 34

Challenged ballot #: 3

Challenged by FRANKEN

Challenge reason: Voter intent