OFFICIAL BALLOT



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

	EDERAL OFFICES	STATE OFFICES	CITY QUESTIONS
-	PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT VOTE FOR ONE TEAM	STATE REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 7A VOTE FOR ONE	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.
*	JOHN MCCAIN AND SARAH PALIN Republican	RYAN STAUBER Republican THOMAS HUNTLEY Democratic-Farmer-Labor	PROPOSED CONFLICT OF INTEREST CHARTER AMENDMENT
\supset	BARACK OBAMA AND JOE BIDEN	write-in, if any	Should section 30 of the 1912 home rule charte of the city of Duluth, as amended, be amended allow a citizen to request that the council appoir 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.
\supset	Democratic-Farmer-Labor CYNTHIA MCKINNEY AND ROSA CLEMENTE	CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT	
	Green	Failure to vote on a constitutional amendment, will have the same effect as voting no for the amendment.	
\supset	RÓGER CALERO AND ALYSON KENNEDY Socialist Workers	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	
\supset	RALPH NADER AND MATT GONZALEZ Independent	CLEAN WATER, WILDLIFE,	
\supset	BOB BARR AND WAYNE A. ROOT Libertarian	CULTURAL HERITAGE AND NATURAL AREAS Shall the Minnesota Constitution be amended to	
\supset	CHUCK BALDWIN AND DARRELL CASTLE Constitution	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	
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	write-in, if any U.S. SENATOR VOTE FOR ONE	NO NO	
\supset	DEAN BARKLEY Independence	COUNTY OFFICES	
*	NORM COLEMAN Republican	COUNTY COMMISSIONER DISTRICT 2	
\supset	L FRANKEN emocratic-Farmer-Labor	VOTE FOR ONE	
\supset	CHARLES ALDRICH Libertarian JAMES NIEMACKL	STEVE O'NEIL	
\supset	Constitution	write-in, if any SOUTH SOIL AND WATER	
<u>.</u>	write-in, if any S. REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 8 VOTE FOR ONE	CONSERVATION DISTRICT SUPERVISOR DISTRICT 1	
		VOTE FOR ONE HARTLEY SANDSTROM	
(MICHAEL CUMMINS Republican	write-in, if any	0160 CITY OF DULUTH PRECINCT 05
	JAMES L. OBERSTAR Democratic-Farmer-Labor write-in, if any	SOUTH SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT SUPERVISOR DISTRICT 4 VOTE FOR ONE	
	macin, n any	DAVID T. DAVIS	0170 CITY OF DULUTH PRECINCT 07
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To vote, comple	tely fill in the oval(s) next to your choice(s) li	ke this:
SCHOOL DISTRICT QUESTIONS	SCHOOL DISTRICT BALLOT QUESTION 3 APPROVAL OF ADDITIONAL	COURT OF APPEALS
SPECIAL ELECTION NDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT	SCHOOL DISTRICT REFERENDUM REVENUE AUTHORIZATION	JUDGE 9 VOTE FOR ONE
NO. 709 (DULUTH)	Provided that ballot questions No. 1 and 2 are approved, the Board of Independent School	ROGER M. KLAPHAKE Incumbent
o vote for a question, completely fill in the oval ext to the word "YES" for that question. To vote	District No. 709, Duluth, has proposed to increase its general education revenue by an	
gainst a question, completely fill in the oval next of the word "NO" for that question.	additional \$500.00 per pupil for a total of \$1,200.00 per pupil. The proposed referendum revenue authorization of \$1200 per pupil would	write-in, if any JUDGE 10
SCHOOL DISTRICT BALLOT	increase each year by the rate of inflation and would be applicable for five years unless	VOTE FOR ONE
QUESTION 1 RENEWAL OF SCHOOL DISTRICT REFERENDUM REVENUE AUTHORIZATION	otherwise revoked or reduced as provided by law. Shall the increase in the referendum revenue authorization proposed by the Board of	HARRIET LANSING Incumbent
he existing levy referendum authority for	Independent School District No. 709 be approved?	write-in, if any JUDGE 15
ndependent School District No. 709, Duluth, is xpiring in 2008. The school board has proposed		VOTE FOR ONE
o renew its expiring general education revenue f \$365.60 per pupil. The proposed referendum evenue authorization would be applicable for five	YES	KEVIN G. ROSS Incumbent
ears unless otherwise revoked or reduced as rovided by law. Shall the renewal of the	○ NO	write-in, if any
eferendum revenue authorization proposed by ne Board of Independent School District No. 709	BY VOTING "YES" ON THIS BALLOT QUESTION, YOU ARE VOTING FOR A	6TH DISTRICT COURT
e approved?	PROPÉRTY TAX INCREASE.	JUDGE 1 VOTE FOR ONE
YES	JUDICIAL OFFICES	DAVID E. ACKERSON Incumbent
O NO	SUPREME COURT	write-in, if any
BY VOTING "YES" ON THIS BALLOT UESTION, YOU ARE VOTING TO EXTEND AN EXISTING PROPERTY TAX REFERENDUM	ASSOCIATE JUSTICE 3 VOTE FOR ONE	JUDGE 3 VOTE FOR ONE
THAT IS SCHEDULED TO EXPIRE.	PAUL H. ANDERSON Incumbent	ROBERT E. MACAULAY Incumbent
SCHOOL DISTRICT BALLOT QUESTION 2	TIM TINGELSTAD	write-in, if any
APPROVAL OF ADDITIONAL CHOOL DISTRICT REFERENDUM REVENUE AUTHORIZATION	write-in, if any	JUDGE 4 VOTE FOR ONE
Provided that ballot question No. 1 is approved, ne Board of Independent School District No. 709,	ASSOCIATE ILISTICE A	DAVID M. JOHNSON
uluth, has proposed to increase its general ducation revenue by an additional \$334.40 per upil for a total of \$700.00 per pupil. The	LORIE SKJERVEN GILDEA	Incumbent write-in, if any
roposed referendum revenue authorization of 700 per pupil would increase each year by the ate of inflation and would be applicable for five	DEBORAH HEDLUND	JUDGE 7 VOTE FOR ONE
ears unless otherwise revoked or reduced as rovided by law. Shall the increase in the eferendum revenue authorization proposed by	write-in, if any	GARY J. PAGLIACCETTI Incumbent
ne Board of Independent School District No. 709 e approved?	COURT OF APPEALS	write-in, if any
YES	JUDGE 16 VOTE FOR ONE	JUDGE 9 VOTE FOR ONE
O NO	O DAN GRIFFITH	ERIC HYLDEN Incumbent
BY VOTING "YES" ON THIS BALLOT QUESTION, YOU ARE VOTING FOR A	TERRI J. STONEBURNER Incumbent	write-in, if any
PROPERTY TAX INCREASE.	write-in, if any	JUDGE 12 VOTE FOR ONE
	JUDGE 1 VOTE FOR ONE	SALLY L. TARNOWSKI
	EDWARD TOUSSAINT, JR.	write-in, if any
Senator inct: Duleth #7	write-in, if any	JUDGE 15 VOTE FOR ONE
lenged ballot #: 7 llenged by FRANKEN	JUDGE 8	DALE A WOLF
llenge reason: nconsistent machs- out X	VOTE FOR ONE THOMAS J. KALITOWSKI	Incumbent
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