

STATE GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT  
ST. LOUIS COUNTY, MINNESOTA  
NOVEMBER 4, 2008

## INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS

To vote, complete the arrow(s)   pointing to your choice(s) like this:  

## FEDERAL OFFICES

PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT  
VOTE FOR ONE TEAMJOHN MCCAIN AND  
SARAH PALIN  
RepublicanBARACK OBAMA AND  
JOE BIDEN  
Democratic-Farmer-LaborCYNTHIA MCKINNEY AND  
ROSA CLEMENTE  
GreenRÓGER CALERO AND  
ALYSON KENNEDY  
Socialist WorkersRALPH NADER AND  
MATT GONZALEZ  
IndependentBOB BARR AND  
WAYNE A. ROOT  
LibertarianCHUCK BALDWIN AND  
DARRELL CASTLE  
ConstitutionU.S. SENATOR  
VOTE FOR ONEDEAN BARKLEY  
IndependenceNORM COLEMAN  
RepublicanAL FRANKEN  
Democratic-Farmer-LaborCHARLES ALDRICH  
LibertarianJAMES NIEMACKL  
ConstitutionU.S. REPRESENTATIVE  
DISTRICT 8  
VOTE FOR ONEMICHAEL CUMMINS  
RepublicanJAMES L. OBERSTAR  
Democratic-Farmer-Labor

## STATE OFFICES

STATE REPRESENTATIVE  
DISTRICT 6A  
VOTE FOR ONEMARTY BREAKER  
RepublicanDAVID DILL  
Democratic-Farmer-Labor

write-in, if any

0465 CITY OF ELY  
PRECINCT 4CONSTITUTIONAL  
AMENDMENTFailure to vote on a constitutional amendment,  
will have the same effect as voting no for the  
amendment.To vote for a proposed constitutional  
amendment, complete the arrow next to the  
word "YES" for that question. To vote against a  
proposed constitutional amendment, complete  
the arrow next to the word "NO" for that  
question.CLEAN WATER, WILDLIFE,  
CULTURAL HERITAGE AND  
NATURAL AREASShall 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?

YES

NO

## COUNTY OFFICES

NORTH SOIL AND WATER  
CONSERVATION DISTRICT  
SUPERVISOR  
DISTRICT 2  
VOTE FOR ONE

GARY A. RANTALA

write-in, if any

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

write-in, if any

NORTH SOIL AND WATER  
CONSERVATION DISTRICT  
SUPERVISOR  
DISTRICT 5  
VOTE FOR ONE

write-in, if any

## CITY OFFICES

MAYOR  
CITY OF ELY  
VOTE FOR ONE

ROGER J. SKRABA

CHARLES J. NOVAK

write-in, if any

## CITY OFFICES

COUNCIL MEMBER  
CITY OF ELY  
VOTE FOR UP TO THREE

FRANK SALERNO

JEROME J. DEBELTZ

JOHN F. LINDROOS

LAWRENCE A. REEDY

MICHAEL HILLMAN

MARK ZUPEC

write-in, if any

write-in, if any

write-in, if any

CITY QUESTION  
CITY OF ELYTo vote for a question, complete the arrow next  
to the word "YES" for that question. To vote  
against a question, complete the arrow next to  
the word "NO" for that question.PROPOSED CHARTER AMENDMENT  
TO SECTION 2.04 REGARDING  
COUNCIL VACANCIESShould section 2.04 the charter of the City of Ely  
be amended to require a special election, rather  
than appointment by the council, in the event of  
a vacancy for the unexpired term of an elective  
office due to death, resignation or otherwise,  
provided the vacancy is declared more than a  
year prior to the next municipal election; and  
further require said special election to take place  
within ninety (90) days of declaring the  
vacancy?

YES

NO

## SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICES

INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT  
NO. 696 (ELY)  
SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER  
VOTE FOR UP TO THREE

SCOTT KELLERMAN

PAUL PENGAL

BILL ERZAR

write-in, if any

write-in, if any

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#### SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICES

**SPECIAL ELECTION FOR SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER  
INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT  
NO. 696 (ELY)**  
To fill vacancy in term expiring  
January 3, 2011  
VOTE FOR ONE

→ **WILLIAM R. ROLOFF**

→ **AMY M. RICHTER**

→ write-in, if any

U.S. Senator

Precinct: *4- Ely*

Challenged ballot #: *3*

Challenged by COLEMAN

Challenge reason: *voter intent*

#### 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**  
Incumbent

→ write-in, if any

##### COURT OF APPEALS

**JUDGE 16**  
VOTE FOR ONE

→ **TERRI J. STONEBURNER**  
Incumbent

→ **DAN GRIFFITH**

→ 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

**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

#### 6TH DISTRICT COURT

**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