OFFICIAL BALLOT

Judge   _Judge_

| A | SAINT LOUIS COUNTY | B | STATE OF MINNESOTA | C | 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

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

○ **RÓGER CALERO AND ALYSON KENNEDY**
Socialist Workers

○ **RALPH NADER AND MATT GONZALEZ**
Independent

○ **BOB BARR AND WAYNE A. ROOT**
Libertarian

○ **CHUCK BALDWIN AND DARRELL CASTLE**
Constitution

○ _write-in, if any_

U.S. SENATOR
VOTE FOR ONE

○ **DEAN BARKLEY**
Independence

○ **NORM COLEMAN**
Republican

○ **AL FRANKEN**
Democratic-Farmer-Labor

○ **CHARLES ALDRICH**
Libertarian

○ **JAMES NIEMACKL**
Constitution

○ _write-in, if any_

U.S. REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 8
VOTE FOR ONE

○ **MICHAEL CUMMINS**
Republican

⬤ **JAMES L. OBERSTAR**
Democratic-Farmer-Labor

○ _write-in, if any_

STATE OFFICES

STATE REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 6B
VOTE FOR ONE

○ **STEVE TOWNSEND**
Republican

⬤ **MARY MURPHY**
Democratic-Farmer-Labor

○ _write-in, if any_

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.

CLEAN WATER, WILDLIFE, CULTURAL HERITAGE AND NATURAL AREAS

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?

⬤ **YES**

○ **NO**

COUNTY OFFICES

COUNTY COMMISSIONER DISTRICT 5
VOTE FOR ONE

⬤ **PEG SWEENEY**

○ **SAM HADDAD**

○ _write-in, if any_

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

○ **HARTLEY SANDSTROM**

○ _write-in, if any_

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

○ **DAVID T. DAVIS**

○ _write-in, if any_

0910-02 TOWN OF RICE LAKE
S.D. #709

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STATE GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT

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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. 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.

U.S. Senator
Precinct: *Rice Lake*
Challenged ballot #: *5*
Challenged by COLEMAN
Challenge reason:
Voter intent

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

○ 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

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

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