

OFFICIAL SAMPLE BALLOT

Study this ballot carefully before voting.

GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT
CLARK COUNTY, WASHINGTON
NOVEMBER 4, 2008

BALLOT DEPOSIT
LOCATION HOURS
7 AM TO 8 PM
ELECTION DAY ONLY

If you have any questions about voter registration or voting, call the County Elections Department at telephone: (360) 397-2345 or visit our website at <http://clarkvotes.org>

Additional Sample Ballots are available from the County Elections Department, 1408 Franklin Street, Vancouver

NOTE TO VOTERS

This sample ballot contains all candidates who have filed for office and will appear in the General election on November 4. You will **not** be entitled to vote on all races and issues that appear on this ballot. When you vote only the candidates and local measures that apply to your precinct will be listed on your ballot.

Ballot deposit locations are open from 7 AM to 8 PM, election day only.

Additional assistance is available to any voter who is unable to properly vote their ballot due to disability or who wishes to vote their ballot without assistance. For more information please contact the County Elections Department by calling our regular telephone number of 360-397-2345 or by using the SPEECH RELAY number of 1-800-833-6384. Special accessible voting equipment is available at the County Elections Department.

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MAKE SURE YOUR VOTE COUNTS.

Before you begin voting, please take the time to read through all of the voting instructions printed on the ballot you receive and the instructions printed on the other materials included in your ballot packet. By understanding the voting instructions thoroughly you will make sure your vote counts.

Voting Instructions:

- 1) Your ballot must be voted in secret and shown to no one.
- 2) Use a black or blue ink pen to mark your ballot by completely filling in the box to the left of your choice(s).
- 3) Vote for only one choice for each office or ballot measure. Unless specifically allowed by law, more than one vote for an office or ballot measure will be an overvote and no votes for that office or ballot measure will be counted.
- 4) To vote for a person not appearing on the ballot, completely fill in the box to the left of the "Write-in" choice and use the line provided for their name. Write-in votes cast for partisan offices must include the candidate's party preference if they have one.
- 5) If you make a mistake when voting, completely cross out the name of the candidate or choice you do not want. You then have the option of making another choice.

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STATE MEASURES

INITIATIVE MEASURE NO. 985

PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION

Initiative Measure No. 985 concerns transportation.

This measure would open high-occupancy vehicle lanes to all traffic during specified hours, require traffic light synchronization, increase roadside assistance funding, and dedicate certain taxes, fines, tolls and other revenues to traffic-flow purposes.

Should this measure be enacted into law?

...YES

...NO

INITIATIVE MEASURE NO. 1000

PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION

Initiative Measure No. 1000 concerns allowing certain terminally ill competent adults to obtain lethal prescriptions.

This measure would permit terminally ill, competent, adult Washington residents, who are medically predicted to have six months or less to live, to request and self-administer lethal medication prescribed by a physician.

Should this measure be enacted into law?

...YES

...NO

INITIATIVE MEASURE NO. 1029

PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION

Initiative Measure No. 1029 concerns long-term care services for the elderly and persons with disabilities.

This measure would require long-term care workers to be certified as home care aides based on an examination, with exceptions; increase training and criminal background check requirements; and establish disciplinary standards and procedures.

Should this measure be enacted into law?

...YES

...NO

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FEDERAL PARTISAN OFFICE

PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

Vote For One

- Barack Obama / Joe Biden
- Democratic Party Nominees
- John McCain / Sarah Palin
- Republican Party Nominees
- Ralph Nader / Matt Gonzalez
- Independent Candidates
- Gloria La Riva / Eugene Puryear
- Socialism and Liberation Party Nominees
- James E. Harris / Alyson Kennedy
- Socialist Workers Party Nominees
- Bob Barr / Wayne A. Root
- Libertarian Party Nominees
- Chuck Baldwin / Darrell L. Castle
- Constitution Party Nominees
- Cynthia McKinney / Rosa Clemente
- Green Party Nominees
- Write-in

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READ: Each candidate for President and Vice-President is the official nominee of a political party. For other partisan offices, each candidate may state a political party that he or she prefers. A candidate's preference does not imply that the candidate is nominated or endorsed by the party, or that the party approves of or associates with that candidate.

FEDERAL PARTISAN OFFICE

U.S. REPRESENTATIVE 3RD CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

Vote For One

- Brian Baird
(Prefers Democratic Party)
 - Michael Delavar
(Prefers Republican Party)
 - Write-in
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STATE PARTISAN OFFICES

GOVERNOR

Vote For One

- Christine Gregoire
(Prefers Democratic Party)
 - Dino Rossi
(Prefers G.O.P. Party)
 - Write-in
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LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Vote For One

- Brad Owen
(Prefers Democratic Party)
 - Marcia McCraw
(Prefers Republican Party)
 - Write-in
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SECRETARY OF STATE

Vote For One

- Sam Reed
(Prefers Republican Party)
 - Jason Osgood
(Prefers Democratic Party)
 - Write-in
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STATE TREASURER

Vote For One

- Allan Martin
(Prefers Republican Party)
 - Jim McIntire
(Prefers Democratic Party)
 - Write-in
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STATE PARTISAN OFFICES

STATE AUDITOR

Vote For One

- Brian Sonntag
(Prefers Democratic Party)
 - J. Richard (Dick) McEntee
(Prefers Republican Party)
 - Write-in
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ATTORNEY GENERAL

Vote For One

- Rob McKenna
(Prefers Republican Party)
 - John Ladenburg
(Prefers Democratic Party)
 - Write-in
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COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC LANDS

Vote For One

- Doug Sutherland
(Prefers Republican Party)
 - Peter J. Goldmark
(Prefers Democratic Party)
 - Write-in
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STATE NONPARTISAN OFFICE

SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION

Vote For One

- Teresa (Terry) Bergeson
 - Randy Dorn
 - Write-in
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STATE PARTISAN OFFICE

INSURANCE COMMISSIONER

Vote For One

- Mike Kreidler
(Prefers Democratic Party)
 - John R. Adams
(Prefers Republican Party)
 - Write-in
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**STATE LEGISLATIVE
PARTISAN OFFICES**

**STATE REPRESENTATIVE
15TH LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT
POSITION NO. 1**

Vote For One

Bruce Chandler
(Prefers Republican Party)

John (Jobs) Gotts
(Prefers Democratic Party)

Write-in

**STATE REPRESENTATIVE
15TH LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT
POSITION NO. 2**

Vote For One

Dan Newhouse
(Prefers Republican Party)

Tao Berman
(Prefers Democratic Party)

Write-in

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**STATE LEGISLATIVE
PARTISAN OFFICES**

**STATE SENATOR
17TH LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT**
Vote For One

Don Benton
(Prefers Republican Party)

David Carrier
(Prefers Democratic Party)

Write-in

**STATE REPRESENTATIVE
17TH LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT
POSITION NO. 1**
Vote For One

Tim Probst
(Prefers Democratic Party)

Joseph James
(Prefers Republican Party)

Write-in

**STATE REPRESENTATIVE
17TH LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT
POSITION NO. 2**
Vote For One

Deb Wallace
(Prefers Democratic Party)

Micheline Doan
(Prefers Republican Party)

Write-in

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**STATE LEGISLATIVE
PARTISAN OFFICES**

**STATE SENATOR
18TH LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT**
Vote For One

Joseph Zarelli
(Prefers Republican Party)

Jon Haugen
(Prefers Democratic Party)

Write-in

**STATE REPRESENTATIVE
18TH LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT
POSITION NO. 1**
Short & Full Two Year Term
Vote For One

Jaime Herrera
(Prefers Republican Party)

VaNessa Duplessie
(Prefers Democratic Party)

Write-in

**STATE REPRESENTATIVE
18TH LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT
POSITION NO. 2**
Vote For One

Ed Orcutt
(Prefers Republican Party)

Jonathan Fant
(Prefers Democratic Party)

Write-in

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STATE LEGISLATIVE PARTISAN OFFICES

**STATE SENATOR
49TH LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT**

Vote For One

Craig Pridemore
(Prefers Democratic Party)

Tom Langston
(Prefers G.O.P. Party)

Write-in

**STATE REPRESENTATIVE
49TH LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT
POSITION NO. 1**

Vote For One

Jim Jacks
(Prefers Democratic Party)

Debbie Peterson
(Prefers Republican Party)

Write-in

**STATE REPRESENTATIVE
49TH LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT
POSITION NO. 2**

Vote For One

Jim Moeller
(Prefers Democratic Party)

Mike Bomar
(Prefers Independent Party)

Write-in

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COUNTY PARTISAN OFFICES

COUNTY COMMISSIONER DISTRICT NO. 1

Vote For One

- Pam Brokaw
(Prefers Democratic Party)
 - Tom Mielke
(Prefers Republican Party)
 - Write-in
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COUNTY COMMISSIONER DISTRICT NO. 2

Vote For One

- Marc Boldt
(Prefers Republican Party)
 - Jeanne Harris
(Prefers Democrat Party)
 - Write-in
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STATE SUPREME COURT NONPARTISAN OFFICES

STATE SUPREME COURT JUSTICE - POSITION NO. 3

Vote For One

- Mary Fairhurst
 - Write-in
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STATE SUPREME COURT JUSTICE - POSITION NO. 4

Vote For One

- Charles W. Johnson
 - Write-in
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STATE SUPREME COURT JUSTICE - POSITION NO. 7

Short & Full Six Year Term

Vote For One

- Debra L. Stephens
 - Write-in
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LOCAL NONPARTISAN OFFICE

PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT NO. 1 OF CLARK COUNTY COMMISSIONER - DISTRICT NO. 3

Vote For One

- Byron H. Hanke
 - Write-in
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LOCAL MEASURES

TRANSPORTATION BENEFIT DISTRICT OF THE CITY OF RIDGEFIELD, WASHINGTON PROPOSITION NO. 1

SALES AND USE TAX LEVY FOR I-5/SR 501 INTERCHANGE REPLACEMENT PROJECT

The Governing Board of the Transportation Benefit District of the City of Ridgefield, Washington, adopted Resolution No. TBD001 concerning a sales and use tax to finance transportation improvements. This proposition would authorize a sales and use tax of two-tenths of one percent (0.2%) to be collected within the District in accordance with RCW 82.14.0455 for a term of ten years for the purpose of paying or financing a portion of the costs of designing, permitting, acquiring rights-of-way and constructing a new interchange at Interstate-5/State Route 501 located in the City of Ridgefield, Washington.

Should this proposition be approved?

YES

NO

MOUNT PLEASANT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 29-93 PROPOSITION NO. 1

MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION LEVY

Shall the following taxes for maintenance and operation purposes be levied, in excess of all regular, non-voted property tax levies, upon all taxable property within Mount Pleasant School District No. 29-93 for the District's General Fund:

	Approximate Levy	
	Rate/\$1,000.00	
<u>Collection Year</u>	<u>Assessed Value</u>	<u>Levy Amount</u>
2009	\$2.75	\$122,952.00
2010	\$2.75	\$124,181.00

All as specified in District Resolution No. 08-8?

LEVY, YES

LEVY, NO

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LOCAL MEASURE

**CLARK COUNTY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT NO. 12
PROPOSITION NO. 1**

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

PROPOSITION AUTHORIZING THE MERGER OF THE
DISTRICT INTO CLARK COUNTY FIRE PROTECTION
DISTRICT NO. 11, A FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

The proposition will authorize the merger of Clark County Fire Protection District No. 12 into Clark County Fire Protection District No. 11, a fire protection district, effective on the date the election results are certified and to be named Clark County Fire and Rescue.

Should this Proposition be enacted into law?

YES

NO