

# Official Ballot - General Election November 5, 2024 County of Clayton, State of Iowa



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### INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTER:

Use a black pen to fill in the ovals.

**Voting mark.** To vote, fill in the oval next to your choice completely. (● Candidate Name/Issue)

**Write-in Votes.** To vote for a person whose name is not on the ballot, write the name on the write-in line below the list of candidates and fill in the oval next to it.

**Notice to voters.** To vote to approve any question on this ballot, fill in the oval in front of the word "Yes". To vote against any question, fill in the oval in front of the word "No".

**Do not cross out.** If you change your mind, exchange your ballot for a new one.

**Where to find the judges:** on the back of this ballot beginning in the first column.

**Where to find the Constitutional Amendments:** on the back of this ballot beginning in the middle column.

### FEDERAL OFFICES

A ballot cast for the named candidates for president and vice president of the United States is considered to be cast for the slate of presidential electors nominated by the political party, nonparty political organization, or independent candidate.

#### PRESIDENT & VICE PRESIDENT

(VOTE FOR NO MORE THAN ONE TEAM)

- Donald J. Trump  
JD Vance  
Republican Party
- Kamala D. Harris  
Tim Walz  
Democratic Party
- Chase Oliver  
Mike ter Maat  
Libertarian Party
- Claudia De la Cruz  
Karina Garcia  
Party for Socialism and Liberation
- William P. Stodden  
Stephanie H. Cholensky  
Socialist Party USA
- Robert F. Kennedy Jr  
Nicole Shanahan  
We The People
- Shiva Ayyadurai  
Crystal Ellis
- \_\_\_\_\_  
(Write-in vote for President, if any)
- \_\_\_\_\_  
(Write-in vote for Vice President, if any)

#### UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 2

(VOTE FOR NO MORE THAN ONE)

- Ashley Hinson  
Republican Party
- Sarah Corkery  
Democratic Party
- Jody Madlom Puffett
- \_\_\_\_\_  
(Write-in vote, if any)

### STATE OFFICES

#### STATE SENATOR DISTRICT 32

(VOTE FOR NO MORE THAN ONE)

- Mike Klimesh  
Republican Party
- Brian Bruening  
Democratic Party
- \_\_\_\_\_  
(Write-in vote, if any)

#### STATE REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 64

(VOTE FOR NO MORE THAN ONE)

- Jason Gearhart  
Republican Party
- Ian Zahren
- \_\_\_\_\_  
(Write-in vote, if any)

### COUNTY OFFICES

#### BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

(VOTE FOR NO MORE THAN ONE)

- Ray A. Peterson  
Republican Party
- \_\_\_\_\_  
(Write-in vote, if any)

#### COUNTY AUDITOR

(VOTE FOR NO MORE THAN ONE)

- Jennifer Garms  
Democratic Party
- \_\_\_\_\_  
(Write-in vote, if any)

#### COUNTY SHERIFF

(VOTE FOR NO MORE THAN ONE)

- Brent Ostrander  
Republican Party
- \_\_\_\_\_  
(Write-in vote, if any)

### NONPARTISAN OFFICES

#### SOIL & WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT COMMISSIONER

(VOTE FOR NO MORE THAN THREE)

- Gerry Ommen
- Robert Sass
- Tina Troester
- \_\_\_\_\_  
(Write-in vote, if any)
- \_\_\_\_\_  
(Write-in vote, if any)
- \_\_\_\_\_  
(Write-in vote, if any)

#### COUNTY AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION COUNCIL

(VOTE FOR NO MORE THAN FOUR)

- Joe Shirbroun
- Shana Hilgersen
- Kaitlin Landon
- Nicole Winch Parker
- Julie Bergan
- \_\_\_\_\_  
(Write-in vote, if any)
- \_\_\_\_\_  
(Write-in vote, if any)
- \_\_\_\_\_  
(Write-in vote, if any)
- \_\_\_\_\_  
(Write-in vote, if any)

# SAMPLE BALLOT

JUDICIAL BALLOT	PUBLIC MEASURES
<p><b>Notice to voters.</b> Vote on all names by filling in the appropriate oval below each name.</p>	<p>Shall the following amendment to the Constitution be adopted?</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>1</b></p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>SUPREME COURT</b></p> <p>Shall the following judge of the Supreme Court be retained in office?</p> <p>David May</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p>Summary: Provides for only U.S. citizens aged 18 or older and meeting state and county residency requirements to vote in all elections. Further provides that 17-year-olds who will be 18 years old by the General Election are eligible to vote in the primary election, subject to the same citizenship and residency requirements.</p> <p>Full Text: Section 1 of Article II of the Constitution of the State of Iowa, as amended by the amendment of 1970, is repealed and the following adopted in lieu thereof:</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>COURT OF APPEALS</b></p> <p>Shall the following judges of the Court of Appeals be retained in office?</p> <p>Mary Elizabeth Chicchelly</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p> <p>Samuel Langholz</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p> <p>Mary Ellen Tabor</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p>Section 1. Electors. Only a citizen of the United States of the age of eighteen years, who shall have been a resident of this state for such period of time as shall be provided by law and of the county in which the citizen claims the citizen's vote for such period of time as shall be provided by law, shall be entitled to vote at all elections which are authorized by law. However, for purposes of a primary election, a United States citizen must be at least eighteen years of age as of the next general election following the primary election. The required periods of residence shall not exceed six months in this state and sixty days in the county.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>
<p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p> <p>Tyler J. Buller</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p>Shall the following amendment to the Constitution be adopted?</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>2</b></p> <p>Summary: Provides that the lieutenant governor will act as the governor if there is a temporary disability of the governor. Further provides that the lieutenant governor or lieutenant governor-elect will be the governor or governor-elect in the case of the resignation, death, or permanent disability of the governor or governor-elect thus creating a vacancy in the office of lieutenant governor or lieutenant governor-elect, as appropriate.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>DISTRICT COURT</b></p> <p>Shall the following judges of the District Court be retained in office?</p> <p>Thomas A. Bitter</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p> <p>Monica Ackley</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p> <p>Shall the following associate judge of the District Court be retained in office?</p> <p>Robert James Richter</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p>Full Text: Section 17 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Iowa is repealed and the following adopted in lieu thereof:</p> <p>Sec. 17. Lieutenant governor or lieutenant governor-elect to become or act as governor or governor-elect. If there is a temporary disability of the governor, the lieutenant governor shall act as governor until the disability is removed, or the governor dies, resigns, or is removed from office. In case of the death, resignation, or removal from office of the governor, the lieutenant governor shall become governor for the remainder of the term, which shall create a vacancy in the office of lieutenant governor. This section shall also apply, as appropriate, to the governor-elect and the lieutenant governor-elect.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>

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