

Macoupin County

Election Guide & Voter Information

2023

Consolidated Election

Tuesday, April 4

Polls Open 6 a.m.-7 p.m.



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A Message to Voters

It can be argued that the Consolidated Election is the most important election in the election cycle. It is called the Consolidated Election because it combines elections for school board members, municipal office holders and township officials. It is, perhaps the election that most directly impacts the day-to-day lives of local citizens.

Despite its significance, the Consolidated Election seems to be the Rodney Dangerfield of the election cycle. Consolidated Elections typically generate less voter interest and participation than any other election we administer. For the last Consolidated Election in 2021, for example, only 5,576 of Macoupin County's 32,142 registered voters cast ballots—a voter turn out of just 17.25 percent. By way of comparison, 18,308 voters cast ballots in last year's General Election for a voter turnout of nearly 58 percent. Even in the 2022 Primary Election voter participation exceeded the Consolidated Election with a voter turnout of 19.23 percent.

Such a degree of voter apathy seems misplaced when one considers how directly local office holders interact with constituents. Voters who participate in the Consolidated Election are choosing from among their friends and neighbors to pick leaders who will serve in local offices that directly affect the day-to-day lives of all local citizens. Candidates elected to local school boards, for example, will determine policies affecting the quality of education for area children for the next few years. Similarly, those elected to serve as city aldermen and village trustees will make decisions affecting the quality of life for local citizens for the near future. Newly elected public officials will not only make decisions about the level of public services local governmental units provide, but also will have a hand in determining the taxes residents pay to sup-

port those services. In addition to electing local candidates to local offices, this year's Consolidated Election ballot includes three public questions allowing voters in Gillespie and Eagarville to have a say in whether or not property tax rates should be increased to pay for specific services as well as having voters in Royal Lakes decide if the number of village trustees should be reduced to 4. Clearly, the Consolidated Election is a critically important event and I personally urge all registered voters in Macoupin County to take part.

Nothing would please me more than to see a larger voter turnout for the April 4 Consolidated Election. My office and state lawmakers have done virtually everything possible to make it more convenient and easy for citizens to participate not only in the Consolidated Election but all Illinois Elections. Thanks to recent legislation, we send out vote-by-mail applications to every registered voter prior to the election. In addition, we provide numerous opportunities for early voting for those who do not wish to cast their ballot on Election Day. In fact, opportunities to vote are so diverse that it is hard to think of any excuse for a registered voter to not cast a ballot other than lack of interest.

We are extremely proud for the Macoupin County Elections Office to have been selected by the U.S. Alliance for Election Excellence as one the nation's first 10 Centers for Election Excellence. In addition to resulting in a \$500,000 grant to upgrade equipment and administer future elections, this high honor recognizes our commitment to ensuring that all elections in Macoupin County are administered fairly, completely and impartially.

This 2023 Consolidated Election Guide and Voter Information publication is part of our continuing effort to more fully inform voters about the election process and make it easier for them to participate in local elections. In addition to sample ballots, this publication includes information to help you find your local polling place, vote early or vote-by-mail. In an effort to be transparent, we've also included information about election security and how you can ensure your vote is counted. Our goal is to provide as much information as possible to make

voters feel more comfortable about participating in public elections. Ultimately, we hope more and more voters will take the time to exercise their right to help choose their local governmental leaders. I urge you to take time to read this guide before casting your Consolidated Election ballot.

Virtually everything you need to participate in the Consolidated Election is included in this publication, but anyone who has questions or desires more information may visit our comprehensive election website at macoupinvotes.gov or contact my office at (217) 854-3214, extension 918. By visiting macoupinvotes.gov, voters can check the status of their voter registration, find the polling place for their precinct, view sample ballots and obtain other information. On election night, the website will be updated regularly with election results so voters will know the outcome of local races as soon as ballots are counted.

As always, it is my pleasure to administer the 2023 Consolidated Election in Macoupin County and I deeply appreciate the opportunity to serve the voters of this county.

Sincerely,

Pete Duncan
Macoupin County Clerk

ON THE COVER: A 12-foot Route 66 monument sits outside the Old Macoupin County Jail, Carlinville, to welcome Route 66 travelers in time for the historic highway's 100th anniversary in 2026. The monument is one of six erected this past fall in the Great River Roads area, using a \$919,000 tourism grant from DCEP and the Illinois Office of Tourism. Identical monuments are located in Hamel, Edwardsville, Litchfield, Collinsville and Granite City.



Election Notice

Voter Bill of Rights

You have the right to:

- ❖ Cast your ballot in a non-disruptive atmosphere free of interference.
- ❖ Vote if you're in line at the polling place by 7:00 p.m.
- ❖ Be a provisional voter if there is a question about your registration status or your eligibility to vote in the election.
- ❖ Vote a federal ballot at your old polling place if you have moved within 30 days of the election.
- ❖ Request assistance in voting, if needed.
- ❖ Bring this voter's guide or sample ballots into the voting booth, but take them with you when you finish voting.
- ❖ Protect the secrecy of your ballot by using the ballot secrecy folder provided.
- ❖ Receive a new ballot if you make a mistake or change your mind.
- ❖ Check for voting errors (overvotes) after marking your ballot in a private and independent manner.
- ❖ Have your ballot counted fairly and impartially.

If you believe these rights have been violated, call the Macoupin County Clerk's Office at (217) 854-3214.

CONSOLIDATED ELECTION NOTICE

Public notice is hereby given that on

Tuesday April 4, 2023

at the usual polling places in the various precincts in the County of Macoupin and the State of Illinois, a Consolidated Election will be held for the purpose of electing candidates to the following offices:

ESTABLISHED POLITICAL PARTIES, INDEPENDENT TO BE ELECTED

MUNICIPAL

Mayor or President
Alderman or Trustees

NONPARTISAN TO BE ELECTED

MUNICIPAL

Mayor or President
Alderman or Trustees

PARK DISTRICTS

Trustees

PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICTS

Trustees

TOWNSHIP LIBRARY DISTRICTS

Trustees

REGIONAL BOARD OF SCHOOLS

Trustees

SCHOOL DISTRICTS

Board Members

COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICTS

Trustees

FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICTS

Trustees

WATER DISTRICTS

Trustees

The polls of said Consolidated Election shall be open continuously from 6 a.m. to 7 p.m. on Tuesday April 4th, 2023.

Pete Duncan
Macoupin County Clerk
February 16, 2023



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Am I Eligible to Vote?

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In order to be eligible to vote in Macoupin County, you must register. The County Clerk's Office processes all voter registration applications for Macoupin County residents. The last day to register for this Election was March 7. See the 'Grace Period Balloting' section on page 6 for more information.

Who Can Register to Vote?

You may register to vote if you are a U.S. citizen and

- ❖ 18 years of age by the date of the next election and

- ❖ a resident at your current Macoupin County address for 30 days immediately prior to the next election.

Two forms of identification are required when registering with a deputy registrar.

At least one of the two forms must show your current name and address.

Only one form of identification may be a piece of mail postmarked within the past 30 days which has been addressed and delivered to you.

Acceptable forms of identification include, but are not limited to the following:

- ❖ Driver's License
- ❖ Birth Certificate
- ❖ State ID Card
- ❖ Social Security Card
- ❖ Utility Bill
- ❖ Employee ID Card
- ❖ Checkbook
- ❖ Student ID Card
- ❖ Library Card
- ❖ Insurance Card
- ❖ Credit Card

Check Your Voter Registration Status

- ❖ Go to www.macoupinvotes.gov
- ❖ Hit '**Voter Lookup**' underneath the photos of Macoupin sites.
- ❖ Enter the information required to check if you are

registered to vote.

If your information appears on screen, you are registered to vote. If it does not, try your legal name or previously used name to see if your registration is outdated.





Voter Information Changes

Keep us up to date with you!

Update important voting information quickly prior to Election Day

Address Change – Any time you move, you have to update your registration. You may do this by visiting MacoupinVotes.gov, calling our office, completing a Illinois Voter Registration Application form, or providing a signed written notice that includes your date of birth and signature.

Name Change – If you get married or have a legal name change, you have to update your registration. You can do this by completing an Illinois Voter Registration Application form or by visiting MacoupinVotes.gov.

Signature Change/Update – If your signature has changed dramatically, you need to update your registration. You can do this by completing an Illinois Voter Registration Application form or signing the back of your Voter Information Card.

Voter Information Cards – Your voter information card is routinely mailed to confirm new registration, voter updates or changes in polling places.

New Voter Information Cards were mailed to every voter in the county in January. State law requires the Election Office to mail out voter cards to all voters every two years. This voter file maintenance was the fifth done since October 2011. There was a five-year

break before October 2011 in which no voter file maintenance was completed.

The maintenance mailing is done to ensure only valid registrations for voters are listed in the voter file.

This has multiple goals:

- ❖ Makes sure a voter's registration is complete and up-to-date before the voter tries to vote
- ❖ Cleans the voter file of no longer valid registrations
- ❖ Speeds up Election Day sign-in process by shortening the list of voters given to judges.
- ❖ Reduces costs in the election budget by requiring less ballots and supplies to be printed.

Every registered voter should have received a new card. The new card should be checked to make sure the name and address

of the voter is up to date. If it is not, the voter will need to change their registration before the next election.

Voters are also reminded that if they do not receive a card but feel they are registered, there are a couple of common issues that might explain why they did not receive a card. Their registration information was not updated after moving to a new address or they had a P.O. Box listed on their registration that they no longer use.

Voters are asked to return any cards sent to a person who no longer resides at that address. All that is required is your signature and a note stating the voter no longer lives at that residence so the voter's registration can be removed.

Has your signatures changed from

to this

If so, you need to update your signature with the Election Office.

Call 217-854-3214 ext 707 to be mailed a Change of Voter Registration to update your signature or print one from MacoupinVotes.com, then complete, sign and mail back to the Macoupin County Election Office



Grace Period Balloting

If I Didn't Register or Forgot to Change My Registration Before the Deadline, Can I Still Vote?

If you were unable to register to vote or change your address prior to the close of registration, you can still register and vote through grace period voting. The close of registration for this election was March 7.

Grace period individuals may register to vote or change their address starting March 8 through Election Day at the County Clerk's Office.

Grace period voting is only available in the Macoupin County Clerk's Office, 201 East Main, Carlinville, IL. Hours are Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Two forms of identification are required to register or change your registration during grace period voting:

- ❖ At least one of the two forms must show your name and current address,
- ❖ And only one form of identification may be a piece of mail addressed and delivered to you.

The second form must show your name. These forms of identification shall include, but not be limited to:

- ❖ Driver's License
- ❖ Social Security Card
- ❖ Birth Certificate
- ❖ Employee ID

- ❖ Student ID Card
- ❖ Credit Card
- ❖ Library Card
- ❖ Insurance Card
- ❖ Utility Bill
- ❖ Checkbook
- ❖ Telephone Book
- ❖ State ID Card

Grace period voters must vote on the same day they register to vote. They may not vote at the polls on Election Day.

For more information, contact the Macoupin County Clerk's office at (217) 854-3214 ext 918 or at elections@macoupincountyil.gov.





Voting Options

Voters who wish to cast early ballots for the April 4 consolidated election have three options available to them:

❖ Vote by Mail

Voters who would like to vote by mail can call the Election Office to request an application. The last day for the Election office to receive a mailed application is Thursday, March 30. All mailed ballots must be post-marked by midnight on Tuesday, April 4.

❖ In-Person Voting

Voters may vote early at the Election Office through Monday, April 3. The Election Office is located at the Courthouse and is open Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. with special hours from 4:30-7 p.m. on Monday, March 27, and Tuesday, March 28, as well as 9 a.m.-Noon on Saturday, April 1.

❖ Grace Period Voting

Any voter who failed to register or change their registration before the deadline may

vote during the grace period at the Election Office starting Wednesday, March 8 through Tuesday April 4. When registering to vote during the grace period, voters must show two valid pieces of identification, one of which shows the current address of residence.

Any voters with questions should contact the Election Office during office hours (8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.) at 217 854-3214. The Election Office is located in the Macoupin County Courthouse at 201 East Main, Carlinville.

Voters are reminded that if they vote early, their vote is final and they may not change.



How to Cast a Write-In

1. Find the office for which the write-in candidate is running.

FOR MAYOR

- John Adams
- Martha Washington
- _____
Write-In

2. Print the candidate's name on the write-in line.

Ben Franklin
Write-In

3. Fill in the oval next to the candidate's name.

 Ben Franklin
Write-In



What to Expect at the Polls

Voting should be a quick, satisfying experience if you follow a few simple steps. Here are some tips on what to expect at the polls on Election Day:

First, you are required to vote in the precinct where you live. Your voter information card shows your precinct number and polling place location. It can also be found on our website. The polls are open from 6 a.m. to 7 p.m. To avoid the heavy turnout times of 6 a.m. to 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. to 7 p.m., we suggest you vote between 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. to avoid long lines.

To ensure a quick process, any changes to your name or address since the last Election should be updated with the Elections Office prior to Election Day.

When you arrive at your precinct, an Election judge will ask your name and address, find your name in the poll book and ask you to sign both an application to vote and the poll book. Your application to vote will be numbered and your ballot will be initialed by an Election judge.

It is important that you review your ballot for accuracy prior to casting your ballot. Once your ballot has been accepted by the voting equipment, no further changes or corrections can be made.

If you have made a mistake, you can 'spoil' the ballot you have by giving it back to the judges and getting a new ballot. You can ask any questions you have to the Election judges.

If you registered to vote by mail and the Elections office could not verify your identity, you will be required to show one form of identification from the following list.

- ❖ A current and valid photo identification
- ❖ Utility bill
- ❖ Bank statement
- ❖ Government check
- ❖ Paycheck
- ❖ Government document



Voter Responsibilities

Each registered voter in this state should:

1. Familiarize herself or himself with the candidates and issues.
2. Maintain with the Elections Office their registration with a current name and address.
3. Know the location of her or his poll-

- ing place and its hours of operation.
4. Bring proper identification to the polling station in case it is needed.
5. Familiarize herself or himself with the operation of the voting equipment in his or her precinct.
6. Treat precinct workers with courtesy.

7. Respect the privacy of other voters.
8. Report any problems or violations of Election laws to the County Clerk's office.
9. Ask questions, if needed.
10. Make sure that her or his completed ballot is correct before leaving the polling place.



Casting Your Ballot

Optical Scan Voting: As Easy as 1,2,3

1. Receive your ballot

Enter the polling place and give your name and address to an Election Judge. Complete and sign an Application to Vote. Upon verification, the election judge will give you:

- a paper ballot
- a privacy cover
- a pen

2. Enter the voting booth and mark your ballot

Enter the next available voting booth. To vote the optical scan ballot, completely fill in the oval to the left of the candidate or public question of your choice. Be sure to mark both sides of your ballot if needed. If you make a mistake marking your ballot, return it to an Election Judge to receive a new ballot.

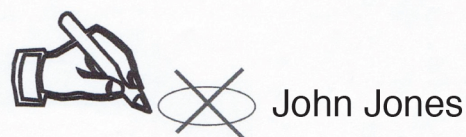
3. Vote!

Cover your ballot with the privacy sleeve and insert the ballot into the ballot tabulator. The Optical Scan System complies with the Help Amer-

FILL IN THE OVAL NEXT TO THE CANDIDATE'S NAME



DO NOT MARK YOUR BALLOT IN THE FOLLOWING MANNER



ica Vote Act (HAVA) to provide voters an opportunity to check for and correct ballot errors (for example, casting more votes for an office than allowed results in an overvote). If an error is detected, the system will gently beep and give you the option to accept the ballot as is (the overvoted office will not count) or you may return the ballot to an Election Judge and receive a new ballot

Visit the Macoupin County Clerk's website: macoupinvotes.com for additional information on the Optical Scan Voting System.

FYI...

- ❖ The ballot tabulator will notify you if you have overvoted an office or undervoted an office. Many voters intentionally skip offices which they do not care to vote in, but rarely intentionally vote for more candidates than allowed in any given office. You can either count the ballot as is or go back and check your ballot.
- ❖ The ballot tabulator will notify you if you have inserted a blank ballot or one that it perceived to be blank because it was not marked properly.
- ❖ The "paper trail" provided by this system of voting is not a receipt for the voter, but instead an actual ballot which can be recounted when necessary to insure the integrity of the system.



Where Do I Vote?

During early voting, you can vote at the Elections Office at the Courthouse. Find out more about early voting opportunities on page 16.

On Election Day, you should vote where you live. If your voter registration is up-to-date, you can refer to your voter informa-

tion card for your precinct number and polling place location or use the voter look-up feature on MacoupinVotes.gov.

However, if you moved and have not updated your voter registration information, you will be required to vote a provisional ballot at the new

polling place. You can also come to the Election office at the Courthouse during grace period and change your registration and vote at the same time. See page 6 for more information.



Find Your Polling Place Online

1. Go to www.macoupinvotes.gov.
2. Then click "Voter Lookup" underneath the pictures of the sites in Macoupin County.
3. Enter your voter registration information. You must enter the information exactly as

it appears on the voter file, which is exactly as you wrote it when you registered. If your registration information does not immediately appear, try your legal name or old address.

4. Once your information comes up, select "View Polling: un-

- der the "My Electons" section.
5. Your polling place, a picture of the building and the ability to Google map the location will appear on screen. Click on the red "Google mapit" to go to Google maps.



Polling Places

Barr	Barr Township Building, 330 W. Main Street, Hettick	Honey Point	Honey Point Town Hall, 21082 Woodland Road, Carlinville
Bird	Charity Baptist Church, 21964 Charity Church Road, Carlinville	Mount Olive 1 & 2	Immanuel Education Building, 111 E. Main, Mount Olive
Brighton 1 & 2	Christian Life Center, 918 North Main Street, Brighton	Mount Olive 3	Sawyerville Village Hall, 300 Mine Road, Sawyerville
Brighton 3	Brighton Municipal Building, 206 South Main Street, Brighton	Mount Olive 4	White City Village Hall, 884 S. Main Street, Mount Olive
Brushy Mound	Brushy Mound Town Hall, 16270 Brushy Mound Road, Carlinville	Nilwood	Nilwood Town Hall, 27 Morean Road, Nilwood
Bunker Hill 1, 2 & 3	Bunker Hill Municipal Building, 801 South Franklin, Bunker Hill	North Otter	Hanauer Hall-Sunset Lakle, 130 East Lake Drive, Girard
Cahokia 1	East Gillespie Village Hall, 605 Springfield Road, Gillespie	North Palmyra	Modesto Community Building, 102 East Grand Street, Modesto
Cahokia 2	Benld Civic Center, 201 East Central Avenue, Benld	Polk	Macoupin Station, 10169 Macoupin Station Road, Plainview
Carlinville 1	St. Paul's Church, 202 East Main Street, Carlinville	Scottville	Scottville Town Hall, 102 Walnut Street, Scottville
Carlinville 2	Federated Church, 122 East 2nd South Street, Carlinville	Shaws Point	Atwater Town Hall, 22839 Main Street, Atwater
Carlinville 3	Emmanuel Activity Center, 125 West First South, Carlinville	Shipman 1	Shipman Town Hall, 111 Keating St., Shipman
Carlinville 4	Macoupin County Housing, 504 West Nicholas., Carlinville	South Otter	South Otter Township Hall, 15252 Township Road, Girard
Carlinville 5	Bothwell Auditorium, Blackburn College, 700 College, Carlinville	South Palmyra	Palmyra Municipal Building, 114 East State Street, Palmyra
Chesterfield	Medora Fire Station, 316 Washington Street, Medora	Staunton 1 & 2	St. Michael's Gym 428 E. Main, Staunton
Dorchester	Wilsonville Community Center, 317 Wilson Street, Wilsonville	Staunton 3 & 4	St. Michael's Gym 428 E. Main, Staunton
Gillespie 1, 2 & 3	Gillespie Civic Center, 115 N. Macoupin Street, Gillespie	Virден 1 & 2	Virден Township Hall, 232 North Masterson, Virден
Girard 1 & 2	Girard City Hall, 111 W. Madison Street, Girard	Western Mound	Hagaman Town Hall, 3640 Hagaman Road, Hagaman
Hilyard	Hilyard Township Hall, 481 E. Shipman Road, Royal Lakes		





Vote by Mail Balloting

Who Can Vote by Mail?

Any registered voter in Macoupin County is eligible to cast a vote by mail ballot, without specifying a reason why they will be absent from the polling place on Election Day. Voters who registered by mail and did not provide sufficient proof of identity will be notified by the County Clerk that their registration is not complete. They will be ineligible to vote until they provide the required proof of identity at the polling place on Election Day or when requesting a vote by mail ballot.

Can I Vote Absentee?

Illinois law has changed the name of absentee voting to voting by mail. If you want to vote absentee, you will now do it as a vote by mail.

How do I apply to vote by mail?

You can request an application to vote by mail in many different ways. You can come in person to the Election office, send in a request by mail, call (217) 854-3214 ext 918 or apply online at MacoupinVotes.gov.

The Election office will need the voter's name, residence address, mailing address and date of birth at the time of request.

What's the deadline to apply to vote by mail?

The deadline is Thursday, March 30 by 4:30 p.m. The Election office cannot mail a ballot to you after that time.

How to Vote by Mail

Step 1 : Once you have applied and returned your signed application, the Election's office will mail you your vote by mail ballot packet. The packet—including a ballot, instructions on how to fill out your Vote by Mail ballot, certificate envelope, and a return mailing envelope with pre-paid postage—will be mailed to the voter.

Step 2: Upon receipt of the vote by mail ballot packet, follow all instructions on how to vote and return the ballot to the County Clerk's Office. Make sure to seal just your ballot in the secrecy envelope and place the secrecy envelope and certification card in the return envelope.

What is the deadline to return my ballot to the Election office?

Returned vote by mail ballots must be post-marked by Tuesday, April 4, and must be received by the Election Office within 14 days of Election Day. If you want to personally deliver your ballot to the Election office, it must be received by no later than 7 p.m. on election day. You may authorize any person to return your ballot to the election authority, as long as you have signed the affidavit on the ballot envelope affirming that authorization was given to deliver the ballot.

Can I receive assistance in voting my ballot?

If you receive assistance in voting your ballot, the name and address of the individual providing the assistance must be placed on the ballot certification card. Remember that a candidate is NOT allowed to assist a voter unless the candi-

date is a spouse, parent, child or sibling of that voter.

Military and Overseas Voting

Members of the Uniformed Services and their family members or U.S. citizens residing overseas whose last known address is in Macoupin County and wish to vote by mail may do so by completing and mailing an FPCA (Federal Post Card Application). By completing this application, you will automatically be sent a vote by mail ballot for one calendar year.

Vote by Mail Ballot Integrity

It is illegal to:

- Make a false statement to obtain a vote by mail ballot or solicit someone to do so
- Vote a Vote by Mail ballot unless you qualify for one
- Have a candidate assist you in voting unless the candidate is a spouse, parent, child or sibling of that voter.

Do not let anyone:

- Mark your ballot, or unduly influence your ballot selections, unless you require assistance. Individuals who cannot assist voters include the Voter's Employer or Agent of that Employer, or Officer or Agent of the Voter's Union.
- On your behalf, sign your name to the Application for a Vote by Mail Ballot and/or certificate envelope. By law, the Macoupin County Clerk's Office compares the facsimile signature at registration with the signature provided on the Application for Vote by Mail Ballot and certificate envelope.



Track Your Vote by Mail Ballot

Track Your Ballot's Return To Election Office And See If It Was Counted

1. Visit www.macoupinvotes.com/checkmyballot/
2. Enter your name and the address we mailed your ballot to.
3. You will be able to see notifications on when your ballot will be delivered back to the Election office and then the actual delivery date.

4. You will also be able to see if your ballot was counted (accepted) or rejected.
5. If you would like, you can also sign up for email and/or text notifications regarding your ballot's delivery back to the office and whether it was counted or not. Just check the box next to the statement that you would like to receive those notifications and enter your email and/or phone number.

Election Security allows you to cast your vote with confidence

Election security is a top priority for all election authorities and the Macoupin County Clerk's office has continued to employ effective and forward-thinking cybersecurity measures to further strengthen our county's elections systems and safeguard our elections infrastructure against any malicious cyber activity.

Since the 2016 Presidential Election, there have been many questions and stories about how secure our Elections are and can our votes be hacked. When it comes to Macoupin County, we wanted to give you the hard facts about how our Election is secure.

- None of our voting machines are ever connected to the internet, either in the polling place or when votes are being counted, meaning they can never be hacked

- All machines are locked and sealed to prevent any kind of tampering or system interference

- All ballots cast have a paper trail. Whether you vote a paper ballot or on the touchscreen, there is a paper trail of how your vote was cast

- All voting machines are tested before the Election with a test deck of ballots being voted on machines and then tabulated to ensure the machine results are correct and match the test deck of ballots

- While voting is occurring, Election judges periodically inspect the equipment to ensure there has been no tampering or damage

- Election judges at the polling place confirm that there are zero votes cast at the opening of voting and must compare the number of ballots cast to the number of voters that applied to vote at the end of the day

- Poll watchers are allowed to observe all early voting and Election Day polling locations

- After the Election, a retabulation of selected precincts by the State Board of Election will be done to ensure that the reported results match up to the ballots cast

We take ensuring every vote is counted and counted correctly seriously in Macoupin. When it comes to cyber security, the County Clerk's office has taken numerous steps to enhance our security processes. While we don't want to detail them all publicly for those who may want to interfere to see, we have and will continue to try and stay one step ahead of any attempts to disrupt Macoupin's Elections.



Public Question

NOTICE OF PUBLIC QUESTION

Public notice is hereby given that at the Consolidated Election to be held on Tuesday, April 4th, 2023, the following proposition will be submitted to the voters of City of Gillespie in Macoupin County, Illinois;

Shall the City of Gillespie be included within provisions of Article 7 of the Illinois Pension Code, as amended, pertaining to the creation of the "Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund" for the benefit of full-time employees of the City of Gillespie and shall the City of Gillespie be authorized to levy a new tax for Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund (IMRF) benefits for full-time employees of the City of Gillespie and have an additional tax of 0.35% of the equalized assessed value of the taxable property therein extended for such purposes?

(1) The approximate amount of taxes extendable at the most recent extended limiting rate is \$232,943 and the approximate amount of taxes extendable if the proposition is approved is \$332,524.

(2) For the 2023 levy year the approximate amount of the additional tax extendable against property contained a single-family residence and having a fair market value at the time of the referendum of \$100,000 is estimated to be \$350.

The polls of said Consolidated Election shall be open continuously from 6 a.m. to 7 p.m. on Tuesday, April 4th, 2023.

PETE DUNCAN
MACOUPIN COUNTY CLERK



Dated February 16, 2023

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Public notice is hereby given that at the Consolidated Election to be held on Tuesday, April 4th, 2023, the following proposition will be submitted to the voters of Village of Eagarville in Macoupin County, Illinois;

Shall the corporate tax rate of the Village of Eagarville presently at .12735 be increased to a Village corporate tax rate of .4375?

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC QUESTION

Public notice is hereby given that at the Consolidated Election to be held on Tuesday, April 4th, 2023, the following proposition will be submitted to the voters of Village of Royal Lakes in Macoupin County, Illinois;

SHALL THE NUMBER OF MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF ROYAL LAKES, ILLINOIS BE COMPRISED OF FOUR (4) MEMBERS RATHER THAN SIX (6) MEMBERS?

The polls of said Consolidated Election shall be open continuously from 6 a.m. to 7 p.m. on Tuesday, April 4th, 2023.

PETE DUNCAN
MACOUPIN COUNTY CLERK



Dated February 16, 2023

Notice of Public Test

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Notice is hereby given that the Public Test of the tabulating equipment, Unisyn OVO and FVT, to be used at the Consolidated Election on April 4, 2023 will be conducted at the Macoupin County Clerk's office on the first floor of the Courthouse at 201 E. Main St., Carlinville, IL on Monday, March 27th at 1:00 p.m.

The public test is open to everyone.

PETE DUNCAN
MACOUPIN COUNTY CLERK



Dated: February 16, 2023



Find your info at macoupinvotes.gov

Elections office website offers convenient access to polling place information and sample ballots

By visiting www.macoupinvotes.gov, you can easily verify your voting district and polling place as well as view a sample ballot for your specific precinct.

1. Go to www.macoupinvotes.gov.

2. Click "Voter Lookup" underneath the pictures of the sites in Macoupin County.

3. Enter your name and birth date. You must enter the information exactly as it appears on the voter file, which is exactly as you wrote it when you registered. If

your registration information does not immediately appear, try your legal name or old address.

4. Click "Search." A new page will appear with links to verify your voting district and polling place, and to view a sample ballot.

5. The "My Districts" link will take you to a list of the districts whose offices you are entitled to vote for on Election Day. If you believe the list is incorrect, please contact the Election Office at (217) 854-

3214, extension 707.

6. Click the "View Polling Place" Your polling place, a picture of the building and the ability to Google map the location will appear on screen. Click on the red "Google mapit" to go to Google maps.

7. Then scroll down the page to "My Elections" section and click "View Sample Ballot." There is your sample ballot for the April 4 Consolidated Election.

Vote By Mail Ballot Processing

How do we process a voter's Vote by Mail ballot?

- ❖ You request an application for vote by mail ballot.
- ❖ We send you an application with instructions.
- ❖ You fill out the application and send it to us.
- ❖ We enter the vote by mail application into the voter registration system.

- ❖ We send you the vote by mail ballot packet with instructions.
- ❖ You vote the ballot and seal it in the ballot envelope.
- ❖ You provide the sealed ballot envelope to us with applicable affidavits in the mail envelope provided.
- ❖ We receive the mail envelope and log receipt in the voter registration system.
- ❖ We keep the ballot in the sealed

envelope until election judges can verify and process the ballot.

- ❖ The ballot is scanned into the vote by mail ballot system.
- ❖ After the polls close the scanned ballots are tabulated.
- ❖ Preliminary Vote by Mail ballot results are reported to the public as part of the precinct results after the polls close on Election Day.



Early Voting

WHAT IS EARLY VOTING?

Registered voters may cast a ballot prior to Election Day without having to provide a reason for wanting to vote early. This ballot is cast by personal appearance at the Macoupin County Clerk's office or at a location set up by the County Clerk.

WHEN DOES EARLY VOTING OCCUR?

Early voting started Feb. 23 and runs through Monday, April 3. Qualified voters may cast their ballot from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, at the County Clerk's Office located in the Macoupin County Courthouse, Carlinville. Special hours will be offered from 4:30 p.m.-7 p.m., Monday and Tuesday, March 27 and 28, and 9 a.m.-Noon, Saturday, April 1.

WHERE CAN PEOPLE VOTE?

Voters wishing to cast early ballots may vote in person at the Macoupin County Clerk's Office, County Courthouse, 201 E. Main St., Carlinville.

IF I VOTE EARLY, BUT CHANGE MY MIND, MAY I VOTE ON ELECTION DAY?

No. The law prohibits a person who voted during the early voting period from voting again on Election Day.

ARE POLLWATCHERS ALLOWED AT EARLY VOTING SITES?

Yes. Just as with a regular polling place on Election Day, pollwatchers may be appointed to observe early voting by personal appearance at each permanent and temporary polling place where early voting is conducted.

WHAT ARE THE SAFEGUARDS AGAINST VOTER FRAUD?

Election judges will compare the voter's signature with the signature from when the voter

EARLY VOTING DATES

Public notice is hereby given, pursuant to Article 19A of the Illinois Election Code, that Early Voting in Macoupin County will be conducted on the following dates and at the following locations prior to the April 4, 2023 Consolidated Election:

Date	Location	Hours
February 23 — April 3 Monday-Friday	Macoupin County Clerk's Office Courthouse, 201 E. Main Carlinville	8:30 a.m.- 4:30 p.m.
March 27 & 28	Macoupin County Clerk's Office Courthouse, 201 E. Main Carlinville	4:30 p.m.— 7:00 p.m.
Saturday, April 1	Macoupin County Clerk's Office Courthouse, 201 E. Main Carlinville	9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

EARLY VOTING INFORMATION

Early Voting allows all registered voters to cast their ballot prior to Election Day between Thursday, February 23 and Monday, April 3 by voting at pre-designated sites named by the County Clerk. No excuse or reason is necessary to take advantage of Early Voting. Any vote cast during the Early Voting period is final and may not be revoked. Early Voters are not eligible to vote on Election Day.

PETE DUNCAN
MACOUPIN COUNTY CLERK



Dated February 11, 2023

registered.

The votes cast during the early voting period will not be counted until after the polls close on Election Day.

WHAT IS THE REASON FOR EARLY VOTING?

A major reason for early voting is to encour-

age greater participation in the election. People who travel for business, work long hours or are otherwise inconvenienced by the hours the polls are open may find it easier to vote early. Because of the COVID-19 pandemic, many people may also choose to vote early to avoid potentially crowded conditions on Election Day.

Macoupin County Selected as a Center for Election Excellence

As you may be aware, in late 2022, Macoupin County was selected as one of the first ten Centers for Election Excellence in the country. This distinction came from the US Alliance for Election Excellence. We are excited to have been selected and the opportunities it gives us to provide even better experiences for voters and election judges. We know you may have some questions about the program, so we've prepared this FAQ page for you.

What is the US Alliance for Election Excellence?

To quote the initial email sent to Macoupin when it launched "the Center for Tech and Civic Life announced it is launching a new program, the nonpartisan U.S. Alliance for Election Excellence, that is open to every election department in the nation. The Alliance is bringing together bipartisan election officials to rally around a set of common values and standards, support each other, and keep their skills fresh."

How did Macoupin County become part of the Alliance?

In the spring of 2022, the Alliance sent out an email invitation to all Election offices in the country launching the program and inviting election offices to apply or get more information. At that time, we expressed interest in the program. Later in the summer, there was a virtual interview with a representative of the Alliance where we discussed goals of our office, what the program would entail, the possibility of a grant, and Macoupin's enthusiasm in election administration. We were told there were numerous applicants and we would find out later if we were selected. In the fall, we were told we were selected as one of the first ten Centers for Election Excellence out of over 90 finalists. We can't say for sure why Macoupin was selected as we obviously weren't part of the selection process. The Alliance website however does say "The 2022 cohort will be selected based on their: Excitement and willingness to participate in the program, Commitment to improve upon practices and procedures aimed at enhancing the voter, poll worker, and staff experiences, and Commitment to being part of a learning cohort, sharing materials among cohort members, and providing input into the future of the program."

Is the Alliance going to tell you how to run elections?

No. The membership agreement specifically states the Alliance will not offer legal advice. It also specifies that they will never require we implement a specific recommendation or piece of advice. Think of it like redoing a house. You have contractors come in and give you options of what you could do with the space. You make the final decision however and may not take any of their recommendations.

Did Macoupin County receive money for being part of the Alliance?

Yes. While when we applied we did not know a grant would be part of being a Center for Election Excellence, we did receive a grant of \$500,000. This was a set amount based off the number of registered voters in our county. The County can spend that money on the following items:

- Key Physical Components: Equipment and materials, facilities, and records, including voting locations, technical facilities, storage facilities, processing facilities, administrative facilities, and voting hardware;
- Key Technological Components: Hardware and software components critical to supporting the election security mission, including computers, servers, databases, and other IT systems and assets used in election administration activities;
- Key Human Components: Personnel with specialized training, certification, knowledge, skills, authorities, or roles whose absence could cause undesirable consequences or hamper the election security mission, including strategic, operational, and temporary/seasonal support positions.

What will Macoupin County spend this money on specifically?

My priority is to spend this money on larger, one-time expenses that would not normally be able to be handled by the County's budget. Examples include additional space for election events such as early voting or judges training, improved secure storage areas for the county's voting machines, upgrading our voter registration and election management software for the first time since 1999. We will not use any of the grant money on personnel costs for county employees. There is the possibility of paying vendors for their time such as our local IT vendor for their work on running a new internet connection or paying an individual for scanning of records as examples.

How much will this cost Macoupin taxpayers?

Nothing in dues. The membership agreement does require annual dues, however, Macoupin has a scholarship from the Alliance that will cover the dues at no cost to Macoupin County. These dues give us credits that can be used on projects with partners that cover their hourly rate. This gives us access to resources we normally would have to pay for at no cost to the County. Each project will have a summary prepared at it's completion that shows what the project was, the goal of the project, and the final results. Anyone interested will be able to see exactly what Macoupin has gotten out of the alliance dues scholarship.

Is this going to benefit one party or candidate?

No. Both the grant agreement and membership agreement say in no uncertain terms this program will not attempt to influence the outcome of any election ever. In twelve years as County Clerk, my goal as County Clerk has always been to be the umpire, calling balls and strikes, regardless of political party or who may be running. That's led to both sides being upset with our office at different times. But our elections have been run fairly and by the books. That will not change because of this program.

Will my personal data be shared with the Alliance?

None of your confidential personal data will be shared with the Alliance, or anyone else who legally can not have it.

Does Macoupin County have to do anything as part of the Alliance?

We are asked to do one major thing. The Alliance is setting up Values and Standards for Election Excellence. The Standard will "reflect nonpartisan excellence in election administration for local election departments across the country," according to the Alliance. We will be part of the initial group that forms what these standards and trainings are. I believe it's important we be part of that conversation since we represent a rural county with a limited budget and small staff size. Election standards like this shouldn't only focus on larger offices in major urban areas.

How will we know what Macoupin is doing as part of the Alliance?

Our goal in everything in the County Clerk's office is to be as transparent as possible. For this effort, we have created a web hub that will list a summary of every project completed with an Alliance partner, a ledger showing all expenses as part of the grant, any improvements or recommendations we implement based off of Alliance suggestions, and any other information that would be helpful for voters to know how Macoupin County has benefited from the program. Visit Macoupinvotes.gov to see more.

What if I have a suggestion on how elections could run better in Macoupin?

We'd love to hear it. Our goal is to try and improve how elections run in Macoupin County and your suggestion by be something we haven't considered. We can't change election law though so suggestions like get rid of vote by mail or have a longer period of early voting are something we can't do, since state law sets those requirements.



Sample Ballot

**SPECIMEN BALLOT
MACOUPIN COUNTY, ILLINOIS
CONSOLIDATED GENERAL ELECTION
APRIL 4, 2023**

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS SPECIMEN BALLOT IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE OFFICES AND CANDIDATES TO BE VOTED IN THE CONSOLIDATED GENERAL ELECTION TO BE HELD IN MACOUPIN COUNTY ON TUESDAY, APRIL 4, 2023.

PETE DUNCAN, COUNTY CLERK
MACOUPIN COUNTY, ILLINOIS

MUNICIPAL

CITY OF BUNKER HILL

**FOR CITY CLERK
(For an unexpired 2-year term)**

(VOTE FOR ONE)

No Candidate

**FOR ALDERPERSON
WARD ONE**

(VOTE FOR ONE)

DAVID SCHICK

**FOR ALDERPERSON
WARD TWO**

(VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN TWO)

GLENN BRUCKERT

CITY OF BENLD

**FOR ALDERPERSON
WARD ONE**

(VOTE FOR ONE)

JERRY SARACCO

INDEPENDENT

**FOR ALDERPERSON
WARD TWO**

(VOTE FOR ONE)

NORMAN EMMONS

INDEPENDENT

**FOR ALDERPERSON
WARD THREE**

(VOTE FOR ONE)

DUSTIN FLETCHER

INDEPENDENT

CITY OF CARLINVILLE

**FOR ALDERPERSON
WARD ONE**

(VOTE FOR ONE)

TODD KOLLER

**FOR ALDERPERSON
WARD TWO**

(VOTE FOR ONE)

WILLIAM R. LINK

**FOR ALDERPERSON
WARD THREE**

(VOTE FOR ONE)

KENNETH D. REESE

**FOR ALDERPERSON
WARD FOUR**

(VOTE FOR ONE)

TERRY R. OBER

CITY OF GIRARD

**FOR ALDERPERSON
WARD ONE**

(VOTE FOR ONE)

TAYLOR J. EDWARDS

INDEPENDENT

**FOR ALDERPERSON
WARD TWO**

(VOTE FOR ONE)

JOSEPH H. MARKO

INDEPENDENT

**FOR ALDERPERSON
WARD THREE**

(VOTE FOR ONE)

SARA FUGATE

INDEPENDENT

CITY OF GILLESPIE

**FOR ALDERPERSON
WARD ONE**

(VOTE FOR ONE)

DONA RAUZI

INDEPENDENT

JARED LINK

INDEPENDENT

**FOR ALDERPERSON
WARD TWO**

(VOTE FOR ONE)

DAVID A LINK SR

INDEPENDENT

BRYAN WAGONER

INDEPENDENT

**FOR ALDERPERSON
WARD THREE**

(VOTE FOR ONE)

BILLY G HAYES

INDEPENDENT

**FOR ALDERPERSON
WARD FOUR
(For a 4-year term)**

(VOTE FOR ONE)

WENDY ROLANDO

INDEPENDENT

**FOR ALDERPERSON
WARD FOUR
(For an unexpired 2-year term)**

(VOTE FOR ONE)

No Candidate

CITY OF MT OLIVE

**FOR ALDERPERSON
WARD ONE
(For a 4-year term)**

(VOTE FOR ONE)

No Candidate

DEMOCRATIC

ERNEST K PARISH JR

INDEPENDENT

**FOR ALDERPERSON
WARD ONE
(For an unexpired 2-year term)**

(VOTE FOR ONE)

JOHN W GOLDACKER

DEMOCRATIC

**FOR ALDERPERSON
WARD TWO**

(VOTE FOR ONE)

LEAH WHEATLEY

DEMOCRATIC

**FOR ALDERPERSON
WARD THREE**

(VOTE FOR ONE)

STEVEN REMER

DEMOCRATIC

**FOR ALDERPERSON
WARD FOUR**

(VOTE FOR ONE)

CHUCK COX

DEMOCRATIC

CITY OF STAUNTON

**FOR ALDERPERSON
WARD ONE**

(VOTE FOR ONE)

DAVID L. DIAS

INDEPENDENT

**FOR ALDERPERSON
WARD TWO
(For a 4-year term)**

(VOTE FOR ONE)

No Candidate

**FOR ALDERPERSON
WARD TWO
(For an unexpired 2-year term)**

(VOTE FOR ONE)

KRISTY BERG

INDEPENDENT

FOR ALDERPERSON WARD THREE	
(VOTE FOR ONE)	
No Candidate	
FOR ALDERPERSON WARD FOUR (For a 4-year term)	
(VOTE FOR ONE)	
<input type="radio"/> TERRY WAYNE TIPLER	INDEPENDENT
FOR ALDERPERSON WARD FOUR (For an unexpired 2-year term)	
(VOTE FOR ONE)	
<input type="radio"/> MATTHEW McKEE	INDEPENDENT
CITY OF VIRDEN	
FOR ALDERPERSON WARD ONE	
(VOTE FOR ONE)	
<input type="radio"/> CAROLYNNE CALLOWAY	INDEPENDENT
FOR ALDERPERSON WARD TWO	
(VOTE FOR ONE)	
<input type="radio"/> MARK BERTOLINO	INDEPENDENT
FOR ALDERPERSON WARD THREE	
(VOTE FOR ONE)	
<input type="radio"/> ANTHONY L. BOSTER	INDEPENDENT
<input type="radio"/> WILLIAM R. SHARP	INDEPENDENT
<input type="radio"/> LISA CUNNINGHAM	INDEPENDENT
FOR ALDERPERSON WARD FOUR	
(VOTE FOR ONE)	
<input type="radio"/> EVAN D. IBERSON	INDEPENDENT
VILLAGE OF BRIGHTON	
FOR VILLAGE TRUSTEE (VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN THREE)	
<input type="radio"/> DONALD LITTLE	INDEPENDENT
<input type="radio"/> MARCELLA WILFONG	INDEPENDENT
<input type="radio"/> JOHN BRAMLEY	INDEPENDENT
VILLAGE OF CHESTERFIELD	
FOR VILLAGE TRUSTEE (For a 4-year term)	
(VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN THREE)	
<input type="radio"/> MICHAEL ELLIOTT	INDEPENDENT
<input type="radio"/> BRANDON CALLARMAN	INDEPENDENT
<input type="radio"/> THOMAS MILLER	INDEPENDENT
FOR VILLAGE TRUSTEE (For an unexpired 2-year term)	
(VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN TWO)	
No Candidate	
VILLAGE OF DORCHESTER	
FOR VILLAGE TRUSTEE (VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN THREE)	
<input type="radio"/> JEFFREY KIRKWOOD	INDEPENDENT
<input type="radio"/> SUSIE CAMPBELL	INDEPENDENT

VILLAGE OF EAGARVILLE	
FOR VILLAGE TRUSTEE (For a 4-year term)	
(VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN THREE)	
<input type="radio"/> JULIE ZIRKELBACH	INDEPENDENT
<input type="radio"/> DENNIS ZIRKELBACH	INDEPENDENT
<input type="radio"/> JOSH DIXON	INDEPENDENT
FOR VILLAGE TRUSTEE (For an unexpired 2-year term)	
(VOTE FOR ONE)	
No Candidate	
VILLAGE OF EAST GILLESPIE	
FOR VILLAGE TRUSTEE (VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN THREE)	
<input type="radio"/> RYAN BUSSMANN	INDEPENDENT
<input type="radio"/> SHELDON WEINBERG	INDEPENDENT
VILLAGE OF HETTICK	
FOR VILLAGE TRUSTEE (For a 4-year term)	
(VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN THREE)	
No Candidate	
FOR VILLAGE TRUSTEE (For an unexpired 2-year term)	
(VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN TWO)	
No Candidate	
VILLAGE OF LAKE KA-HO	
FOR VILLAGE TRUSTEE (For a 4-year term)	
(VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN THREE)	
<input type="radio"/> STEPHEN THOMAS SCHELM	INDEPENDENT
<input type="radio"/> JEAN INMAN	INDEPENDENT
<input type="radio"/> JEANETTE RENSING	INDEPENDENT
FOR VILLAGE TRUSTEE (For an unexpired 2-year term)	
(VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN TWO)	
<input type="radio"/> DANIEL KELLEY	INDEPENDENT
VILLAGE OF MEDORA	
FOR VILLAGE TRUSTEE (VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN THREE)	
<input type="radio"/> RACHEL WOODS	
<input type="radio"/> RANDY DRAPER	
<input type="radio"/> RONALD BELLITTO	
VILLAGE OF MODESTO	
FOR VILLAGE TRUSTEE (For a 4-year term)	
(VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN THREE)	
<input type="radio"/> JOHN DAMBACHER	PEOPLES PARTY
<input type="radio"/> JERRY PATTERSON	PEOPLES PARTY
<input type="radio"/> KERRY LEACH	PEOPLES PARTY
<input type="radio"/> MARTHA ANDERSON	PEOPLES PARTY
FOR VILLAGE TRUSTEE (For an unexpired 2-year term)	
(VOTE FOR ONE)	
No Candidate	PEOPLES PARTY

VILLAGE OF MT CLARE	
FOR VILLAGE TRUSTEE (For a 4-year term)	
(VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN THREE)	
<input type="radio"/> ROGER FRITZ	INDEPENDENT
<input type="radio"/> JAIME RUCKMAN	INDEPENDENT
<input type="radio"/> ZACHARY JOHNSTON	INDEPENDENT
FOR VILLAGE TRUSTEE (For an unexpired 2-year term)	
(VOTE FOR ONE)	
<input type="radio"/> STEVE FELLIN	INDEPENDENT
VILLAGE OF NILWOOD	
FOR VILLAGE TRUSTEE (VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN THREE)	
<input type="radio"/> JUDITH BEHME	INDEPENDENT
<input type="radio"/> JUDITH A. BIVIN	INDEPENDENT
<input type="radio"/> JOHN R GUDGEL II	INDEPENDENT
VILLAGE OF PALMYRA	
FOR VILLAGE TRUSTEE (VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN THREE)	
<input type="radio"/> PATTY BURK	INDEPENDENT
<input type="radio"/> ROB HOHIMER	INDEPENDENT
<input type="radio"/> JAKODA ZINKAN	INDEPENDENT
VILLAGE OF ROYAL LAKES	
FOR VILLAGE TRUSTEE (For a 4-year term)	
(VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN THREE)	
<input type="radio"/> GARY WEBER	INDEPENDENT
<input type="radio"/> CHARREASE FRAZIER	INDEPENDENT
<input type="radio"/> ANGELA M. SANDERS	INDEPENDENT
<input type="radio"/> HENRY SANDERS	INDEPENDENT
<input type="radio"/> TONYA STAINBACK	INDEPENDENT
<input type="radio"/> Write-in	

<input type="radio"/> Write-in	

FOR VILLAGE TRUSTEE (For an unexpired 2-year term)	
(VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN TWO)	
<input type="radio"/> LONDON SIMMONS	INDEPENDENT
<input type="radio"/> Write-in	

<input type="radio"/> Write-in	

VILLAGE OF SAWYERVILLE	
FOR VILLAGE TRUSTEE (VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN THREE)	
<input type="radio"/> MICHELLE GREENWALT	DEMOCRATIC
<input type="radio"/> ROBERT J. REIMAN	REPUBLICAN
<input type="radio"/> SHAWN PERNICKA	REPUBLICAN

VILLAGE OF SCOTTVILLE
FOR VILLAGE TRUSTEE (For a 4-year term)
(VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN THREE)
<input type="radio"/> LISA DeFRATES
FOR VILLAGE TRUSTEE (For an unexpired 2-year term)
(VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN TWO)
No Candidate
VILLAGE OF SHIPMAN
FOR VILLAGE TRUSTEE (For a 4-year term)
(VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN THREE)
No Candidate
FOR VILLAGE TRUSTEE (For an unexpired 2-year term)
(VOTE FOR ONE)
No Candidate
VILLAGE OF STANDARD CITY
FOR VILLAGE TRUSTEE (VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN TWO)
<input type="radio"/> CARY KUKOWSKI INDEPENDENT
VILLAGE OF WHITE CITY
FOR VILLAGE PRESIDENT (For an unexpired 2-year term)
(VOTE FOR ONE)
<input type="radio"/> KAREN CLARKE INDEPENDENT
FOR VILLAGE TRUSTEE (For a 4-year term)
(VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN THREE)
<input type="radio"/> MICHAEL SCOTT VAN LOO INDEPENDENT
<input type="radio"/> BRENDA SUBICK INDEPENDENT
<input type="radio"/> JAMES COZART INDEPENDENT
FOR VILLAGE TRUSTEE (For an unexpired 2-year term)
(VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN THREE)
No Candidate
VILLAGE OF WILSONVILLE
FOR VILLAGE TRUSTEE (VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN THREE)
<input type="radio"/> LISA A. ASTEMBORSKI INDEPENDENT
<input type="radio"/> Write-in
<input type="radio"/> Write-in
PARK
CARLINVILLE PARK DISTRICT
FOR PARK COMMISSIONER (For a 6-year term)
(VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN TWO)
<input type="radio"/> DAVE SUITS
<input type="radio"/> LORI HOPPING

FOR PARK COMMISSIONER (For an unexpired 4-year term)
(VOTE FOR ONE)
<input type="radio"/> JUSTIN CRAIG
FOR PARK COMMISSIONER (For an unexpired 2-year term)
(VOTE FOR ONE)
<input type="radio"/> JOSEPH PERKINS
LIBRARY
BUNKER HILL PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT
FOR LIBRARY TRUSTEE (For a 6-year term)
(VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN THREE)
No Candidate
FOR LIBRARY TRUSTEE (For an unexpired 4-year term)
(VOTE FOR ONE)
No Candidate
BRIGHTON MEMORIAL LIBRARY DISTRICT
FOR LIBRARY TRUSTEE (VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN TWO)
No Candidate
FARMERSVILLE-WAGGONER PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT
FOR LIBRARY TRUSTEE (For a 6-year term)
(VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN TWO)
<input type="radio"/> JESSICA SIDWELL
<input type="radio"/> CASSANDRA ROVEY
FOR LIBRARY TRUSTEE (For an unexpired 2-year term)
(VOTE FOR ONE)
No Candidate
GIRARD TOWNSHIP LIBRARY DISTRICT
FOR LIBRARY TRUSTEE (VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN THREE)
<input type="radio"/> DONNA DUGGER
<input type="radio"/> THOMAS M. BARNARD
GRAND PRAIRIE OF THE WEST PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT
FOR LIBRARY TRUSTEE (For a 4-year term)
(VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN FOUR)
<input type="radio"/> EUGENA BAKER AUSTIN
<input type="radio"/> JOANNE M. WILLARD
<input type="radio"/> GLORIA LESKOVISEK
FOR LIBRARY TRUSTEE (For an unexpired 2-year term)
(VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN TWO)
<input type="radio"/> JEANNIE ALEXANDER

LITCHFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT
FOR LIBRARY TRUSTEE (VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN TWO)
<input type="radio"/> JANICE MARSHALL
<input type="radio"/> CHRIS DAHLER
SCHOOLS
CARLINVILLE COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1
Instructions to voter: Membership on the board of education is restricted to a maximum of 3 members from any congressional township.
ON THE BASIS OF EXISTING BOARD MEMBERSHIP, MEMBERS MAY BE ELECTED IN THE FOLLOWING NUMBERS FROM EACH CONGRESSIONAL TOWNSHIP.
NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM SHAWS POINT TOWNSHIP 10N RANGE 6W
NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM CARLINVILLE TOWNSHIP 10N RANGE 7W
NOT MORE THAN 2 MAY BE ELECTED FROM BRUSHY MOUND TOWNSHIP 9N RANGE 7W
NOT MORE THAN 2 MAY BE ELECTED FROM BIRD TOWNSHIP 10N RANGE 8W
NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM WESTERN MOUND TOWNSHIP 10N RANGE 9W
NOT MORE THAN 2 MAY BE ELECTED FROM CHESTERFIELD TOWNSHIP 9N RANGE 9W
NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM POLK TOWNSHIP 9N RANGE 8W
NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM HONEY POINT TOWNSHIP 9N RANGE 6W
NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM NILWOOD TOWNSHIP 11N RANGE 6W
NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM SOUTH OTTER TOWNSHIP 11N RANGE 7W
NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM SOUTH PALMYRA TOWNSHIP 11N RANGE 8W
NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM HILYARD TOWNSHIP 8N RANGE 8W
FOR MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO SERVE A FULL 4-YEAR TERM
(VOTE FOR A TOTAL OF FOUR)
TOWNSHIP 9N RANGE 7W
<input type="radio"/> BRANDON LITTLE
TOWNSHIP 10N RANGE 7W
<input type="radio"/> MAYA REID
<input type="radio"/> SAMUEL CRAIG HARDING
<input type="radio"/> KATHERINE L. NORRIS
NORTHWESTERN COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 2
Instructions to voter: Membership on the board of education is restricted to a maximum of 3 members from any congressional township.
ON THE BASIS OF EXISTING BOARD MEMBERSHIP, MEMBERS MAY BE ELECTED IN THE FOLLOWING NUMBERS FROM EACH CONGRESSIONAL TOWNSHIP.
NOT MORE THAN 2 MAY BE ELECTED FROM BARR TOWNSHIP 11N RANGE 9W
NOT MORE THAN 2 MAY BE ELECTED FROM NORTH PALMYRA TOWNSHIP 12N RANGE 8W
NOT MORE THAN 2 MAY BE ELECTED FROM SCOTTVILLE TOWNSHIP 12N RANGE 9W
NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM SOUTH PALMYRA TOWNSHIP 11N RANGE 8W
NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM BIRD TOWNSHIP 10N RANGE 8W
NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM SOUTH OTTER TOWNSHIP 11N RANGE 9W
NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM WESTERN MOUND TOWNSHIP 10N RANGE 9W

FOR MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO SERVE A FULL 4-YEAR TERM

(VOTE FOR A TOTAL OF FOUR)

TOWNSHIP 11N RANGE 9W

LINDA EADES

TOWNSHIP 12N RANGE 8W

TASHA LANCASTER

TOWNSHIP 12N RANGE 9W

REBBECA (BECKY) CAMERER

JOHN MURPHY

MT. OLIVE COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 5

Instructions to voter: The board of education shall be composed of members from both the incorporated and the unincorporated area; not more than 5 board members shall be selected from any city, village or incorporated town.

ON THE BASIS OF EXISTING BOARD MEMBERSHIP, NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM THE INCORPORATED AREAS.

FOR MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO SERVE AN UNEXPIRED 2-YEAR TERM

THE AREA OF RESIDENCE OF THOSE ELECTED TO FILL UNEXPIRED TERMS IS TAKEN INTO CONSIDERATION IN DETERMINING THE WINNERS OF THE FULL TERMS.

(VOTE FOR A TOTAL OF ONE)

No Candidate

FOR MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO SERVE A FULL 4-YEAR TERM

(VOTE FOR A TOTAL OF FOUR)

INCORPORATED AREA

JOHN M. SKERTICH

STEVEN M. REMER

CRAIG J. RIMAR

UNINCORPORATED AREA

DAVID BRUNNWORTH

STAUNTON COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 6

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NOT MORE THAN 2 MAY BE ELECTED FROM MT. OLIVE AND STAUNTON TOWNSHIPS 7N RANGE 6W
NOT MORE THAN 2 MAY BE ELECTED FROM DORCHESTER TOWNSHIP 7N RANGE 7W
NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM OLIVE TOWNSHIP (MADISON) 6N RANGE 6W
NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM OMPGHENT TOWNSHIP (MADISON) 6N RANGE 7W
NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM ALHAMBRA TOWNSHIP (MADISON) 5N RANGE 6W
NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM NEW DOUGLAS TOWNSHIP (MADISON) 6N RANGE 5W

FOR MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO SERVE AN UNEXPIRED 2-YEAR TERM

THE AREA OF RESIDENCE OF THOSE ELECTED TO FILL UNEXPIRED TERMS IS TAKEN INTO CONSIDERATION IN DETERMINING THE WINNERS OF THE FULL TERMS.

(VOTE FOR A TOTAL OF ONE)

TOWNSHIP 6N RANGE 6W

DAVID L. LAMORE

FOR MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO SERVE A FULL 4-YEAR TERM

(VOTE FOR A TOTAL OF FOUR)

TOWNSHIP 7N RANGE 6W

BRADLEY D. BEST

CLAYTON GREEN

TOWNSHIP 7N RANGE 7W

DORI RHODES

Write-in

GILLESPIE COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 7

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ON THE BASIS OF EXISTING BOARD MEMBERSHIP, MEMBERS MAY BE ELECTED IN THE FOLLOWING NUMBERS FROM EACH CONGRESSIONAL TOWNSHIP.

NOT MORE THAN 2 MAY BE ELECTED FROM CAHOKIA TOWNSHIP 8N RANGE 6W
NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM GILLESPIE TOWNSHIP 8N RANGE 7W
NOT MORE THAN 2 MAY BE ELECTED FROM DORCHESTER TOWNSHIP 7N RANGE 7W
NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM BRUSHY MOUND TOWNSHIP 9N RANGE 7W
NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM MT. OLIVE TOWNSHIP 7N RANGE 6W
NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM HILYARD TOWNSHIP 8N RANGE 8W
NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM POLK TOWNSHIP 9N RANGE 8W
NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM HONEY POINT TOWNSHIP 9N RANGE 6W

FOR MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO SERVE AN UNEXPIRED 2-YEAR TERM

THE AREA OF RESIDENCE OF THOSE ELECTED TO FILL UNEXPIRED TERMS IS TAKEN INTO CONSIDERATION IN DETERMINING THE WINNERS OF THE FULL TERMS.

(VOTE FOR A TOTAL OF ONE)

TOWNSHIP 8N RANGE 6W

PEYTON M. BERNOT

FOR MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO SERVE A FULL 4-YEAR TERM

(VOTE FOR A TOTAL OF FOUR)

TOWNSHIP 8N RANGE 7W

MARK C. HAYES

WEYE SCHMIDT

AMANDA ROSS

TOWNSHIP 8N RANGE 6W

KELLIE VESPER

Write-in

BUNKER HILL COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 8

FOR MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO SERVE A FULL 4-YEAR TERM

(VOTE FOR FOUR)

JULIE B. FULTON

BRADLEY A. JARDEN

DAVID L. MONETTI

Write-in

SOUTHWESTERN COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 9

Instructions to voter: Membership on the board of education is restricted to a maximum of 3 members from any congressional township.

ON THE BASIS OF EXISTING BOARD MEMBERSHIP, MEMBERS MAY BE ELECTED IN THE FOLLOWING NUMBERS FROM EACH CONGRESSIONAL TOWNSHIP.

NOT MORE THAN 3 FROM PIASA TWP (JERSEY)
MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 7N RANGE 10W
NOT MORE THAN 1 FROM SHIPMAN TWP
MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 8N RANGE 9W
NOT MORE THAN 3 FROM BRIGHTON TWP
MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 7N RANGE 9W
NOT MORE THAN 3 FROM RUYLE TWP (JERSEY)
MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 9N RANGE 10W
NOT MORE THAN 3 FROM FIDELITY TWP (JERSEY)
MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 8N RANGE 10W
NOT MORE THAN 3 FROM CHESTERFIELD TWP
MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 9N RANGE 9W
NOT MORE THAN 2 FROM BUNKER HILL TWP
MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 7N RANGE 8W
NOT MORE THAN 3 FROM HILYARD TWP
MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 8N RANGE 8W
NOT MORE THAN 3 FROM POLK TWP
MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 9N RANGE 8W
NOT MORE THAN 3 FROM ROCKBRIDGE TWP (JERSEY)
MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 9N RANGE 10W

FOR MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO SERVE A FULL 4-YEAR TERM

(VOTE FOR A TOTAL OF FOUR)

TOWNSHIP 7N RANGE 9W

NICHOLAS STROHBECK

BRAD M. SCHUCHMAN

TOWNSHIP 7N RANGE 10W

JASON OERTEL

TOWNSHIP 8N RANGE 9W

JACOB RENO

TOWNSHIP 9N RANGE 10W

ANDREW RUYLE

GREENFIELD COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 10

Instructions to voter: Membership on the board of education is restricted to a maximum of 3 members from any congressional township.

ON THE BASIS OF EXISTING BOARD MEMBERSHIP, MEMBERS MAY BE ELECTED IN THE FOLLOWING NUMBERS FROM EACH CONGRESSIONAL TOWNSHIP.

NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 9N RANGE 10W
NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 10N RANGE 9W
NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 10N RANGE 10W
NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 10N RANGE 11W
NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 11N RANGE 9W
NOT MORE THAN 2 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 11N RANGE 10W
NOT MORE THAN 2 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 11N RANGE 11W
NOT MORE THAN 2 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 12N RANGE 10W
NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 13N RANGE 10W

**FOR MEMBERS OF THE
BOARD OF EDUCATION
TO SERVE A FULL 4-YEAR TERM**

(VOTE FOR A TOTAL OF FOUR)

TOWNSHIP 11N RANGE 11W

CHRIS L. WELLER

CODY VINYARD

TOWNSHIP 10N RANGE 10W

KATE GARNER

TOWNSHIP 11N RANGE 10W

JOSH ROBERTS

**LITCHFIELD COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL
DISTRICT NO. 12**

Instructions to voter: Membership on the board of education is restricted to a maximum of 3 members from any congressional township.

**ON THE BASIS OF EXISTING BOARD
MEMBERSHIP, MEMBERS MAY BE ELECTED IN
THE FOLLOWING NUMBERS FROM EACH
CONGRESSIONAL TOWNSHIP.**

NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM

TOWNSHIP 9N RANGE 4W (Butler Grove)

NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM

TOWNSHIP 8N RANGE 6W (Cahokia)

NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM

TOWNSHIP 7N RANGE 4W (Grisham)

NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM

TOWNSHIP 8N RANGE 4W (Hillsboro)

NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM

TOWNSHIP 9N RANGE 6W (Honey Point)

NOT MORE THAN 2 MAY BE ELECTED FROM

TOWNSHIP 9N RANGE 5W (North Litchfield)

NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM

TOWNSHIP 10N RANGE 6W (Shaws Point)

NOT MORE THAN 1 MAY BE ELECTED FROM

TOWNSHIP 8N RANGE 5W (South Litchfield)

NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM

TOWNSHIP 7N RANGE 5W (Walsville)

NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM

TOWNSHIP 10N RANGE 5W (Zanesville)

**FOR MEMBERS OF THE
BOARD OF EDUCATION
TO SERVE A FULL 4-YEAR TERM**

(VOTE FOR A TOTAL OF FOUR)

TOWNSHIP 9N RANGE 5W (NORTH LITCHFIELD)

MARK BLOOME

JIMMY GOROWSKI

TOWNSHIP 8N RANGE 5W (SOUTH LITCHFIELD)

DAVID BELUSKO

TOWNSHIP 10N RANGE 5W (ZANESVILLE)

VALERIE CAIN

**NORTH MAC COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL
DISTRICT NO. 34**

**DISTRICT THREE
FOR MEMBER OF THE
BOARD OF EDUCATION
TO SERVE A FULL 4-YEAR TERM**

(VOTE FOR ONE)

JEREMY WHITE

MARK WRIGHT

**DISTRICT FOUR
FOR MEMBER OF THE
BOARD OF EDUCATION
TO SERVE AN UNEXPIRED 2-YEAR TERM**

(VOTE FOR ONE)

JODI L. ALEXANDER

**DISTRICT SIX
FOR MEMBER OF THE
BOARD OF EDUCATION
TO SERVE A FULL 4-YEAR TERM**

(VOTE FOR ONE)

TROY PINKSTON

**DISTRICT SEVEN
FOR MEMBER OF THE
BOARD OF EDUCATION
TO SERVE A FULL 4-YEAR TERM**

(VOTE FOR ONE)

MICHAEL ANDREW "DREW" CHRISTOPHER

**FRANKLIN COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL
DISTRICT NO. 1**

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MEMBERSHIP, MEMBERS MAY BE ELECTED IN
THE FOLLOWING NUMBERS FROM EACH
CONGRESSIONAL TOWNSHIP.**

NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 16N RANGE 9W

NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 16N RANGE 8W

NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 15N RANGE 9W

NOT MORE THAN 2 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 15N RANGE 8W

NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 14N RANGE 10W

NOT MORE THAN 2 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 14N RANGE 9W

NOT MORE THAN 2 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 14N RANGE 8W

NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 13N RANGE 10W

NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 13N RANGE 9W

NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 13N RANGE 8W

NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 12N RANGE 10W

NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 12N RANGE 9W

**FOR MEMBERS OF THE
BOARD OF EDUCATION
TO SERVE A FULL 4-YEAR TERM**

(VOTE FOR A TOTAL OF FOUR)

TOWNSHIP 15N RANGE 8W

JENNIFER COLWELL

TOWNSHIP 13N RANGE 8W

PAUL J. TURPIN

TOWNSHIP 13N RANGE 9W

RYAN COLWELL

TOWNSHIP 14N RANGE 8W

PAUL J. BERGSCHENIDER

**PANHANDLE COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL
DISTRICT NO. 2**

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MEMBERSHIP, MEMBERS MAY BE ELECTED IN
THE FOLLOWING NUMBERS FROM EACH
CONGRESSIONAL TOWNSHIP.**

NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM
TOWNSHIP 12N RANGE 4W (BOIS D' ARC(EAST))

NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM
TOWNSHIP 12N RANGE 5W (BOIS D' ARC(WEST))

NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM
TOWNSHIP 9N RANGE 4W (BUTLER GROVE)

NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM
TOWNSHIP 11N RANGE 4W (HARVEL/KING)

NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM
TOWNSHIP 9N RANGE 3W (IRVING)

NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM
TOWNSHIP 11N RANGE 6W (NILWOOD)

NOT MORE THAN 2 MAY BE ELECTED FROM
TOWNSHIP 11N RANGE 5W (PITMAN)

NOT MORE THAN 2 MAY BE ELECTED FROM
TOWNSHIP 10N RANGE 4W (RAYMOND)

NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM
TOWNSHIP 10N RANGE 3W (ROUNTREE)

NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM
TOWNSHIP 10N RANGE 5W (ZANESVILLE)

**FOR MEMBER OF THE
BOARD OF EDUCATION
TO SERVE AN UNEXPIRED 2-YEAR TERM**

THE AREA OF RESIDENCE OF THOSE ELECTED TO FILL
UNEXPIRED TERMS IS TAKEN INTO CONSIDERATION IN
DETERMINING THE WINNERS OF THE FULL TERMS.

(VOTE FOR A TOTAL OF ONE)

TOWNSHIP 12N RANGE 5W (BOIS D'ARC (WEST))

KRISTEN BORMIDA

TOWNSHIP 11N RANGE 5W (PITMAN)

GRETCHEN ANN ROVEY

**FOR MEMBERS OF THE
BOARD OF EDUCATION
TO SERVE A FULL 4-YEAR TERM**

(VOTE FOR A TOTAL OF FOUR)

TOWNSHIP 12N RANGE 5W (BOIS D'ARC (WEST))

TERRI PAYNE

TOWNSHIP 11N RANGE 5W (PITMAN)

HEATHER MILLBURG

BRETT SLIGHTOM

TOWNSHIP 10N RANGE 4W (RAYMOND)

DARRIN DAUGHERTY

WAVERLY COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 6

FOR MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO SERVE A FULL 4-YEAR TERM

(VOTE FOR FOUR)

- JASON SHUMAKER
- EMILY K LYONS
- ANDREW PALUSKA
- MEGAN M CLEVELAND

COLLEGE

LINCOLN LAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT NO. 526

DISTRICT 7 FOR TRUSTEES OF THE COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT TO SERVE A 4-YEAR TERM

(VOTE FOR ONE)

- KENNETH B. ELMORE

LEWIS AND CLARK COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT NO. 536

FOR TRUSTEES OF THE COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT TO SERVE A 6-YEAR TERM

(VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN TWO)

- BRIAN CAMPBELL
- JILL GRIFFIN

EDUCATIONAL SERVICE REGION

FOR MEMBERS OF THE REGIONAL BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES (CALHOUN, GREENE, JERSEY AND MACOUPIN COUNTIES) (For a six year term)

(VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN TWO)

- SANDRA R. MOORE
JERSEY COUNTY
- MARK PROSE
MACOUPIN COUNTY

FOR MEMBERS OF THE REGIONAL BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES (CALHOUN, GREENE, JERSEY AND MACOUPIN COUNTIES) (For an unexpired four year term)

(VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN TWO)

- MICHAEL PAINTER
GREENE COUNTY
- JACK N. STORK
JERSEY COUNTY

FOR MEMBERS OF THE REGIONAL BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES (CALHOUN, GREENE, JERSEY AND MACOUPIN COUNTIES)

(For an unexpired two year term)

(VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN THREE)

- JEFF CLANTON
GREENE COUNTY
- TERRY STRAUCH
CALHOUN COUNTY
- JOHN HENRY
MACOUPIN COUNTY

FOR MEMBERS OF THE REGIONAL BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES (BOND, CHRISTIAN, EFFINGHAM, FAYETTE AND MONTGOMERY COUNTIES)

(For a six year term)

(VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN THREE)

- MARK RITTER
FAYETTE COUNTY
- KAY DUST
EFFINGHAM COUNTY
- DON SCOTT
CHRISTIAN COUNTY
- MARY ADAMS
BOND COUNTY

FOR MEMBERS OF THE REGIONAL BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES (BOND, CHRISTIAN, EFFINGHAM, FAYETTE AND MONTGOMERY COUNTIES) (For an unexpired four year term)

(VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN TWO)

No Candidate

FOR MEMBERS OF THE REGIONAL BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES (BOND, CHRISTIAN, EFFINGHAM, FAYETTE AND MONTGOMERY COUNTIES) (For an unexpired two year term)

(VOTE FOR ONE)

No Candidate

FOR MEMBERS OF THE REGIONAL BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES (ADAMS, BROWN, CASS, MORGAN, PIKE AND SCOTT COUNTIES) (For a six year term)

(VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN THREE)

No Candidate

FIRE

BRIGHTON BETSEY ANN FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

FOR TRUSTEE (VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN TWO)

- WILLIAM F HUEBENER
- BRADLEY A BOTT

WATER

FOSTERBURG WATER DISTRICT

FOR TRUSTEE (For a 4-year term)

(VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN FOUR)

- STEVE STROHBECK INDEPENDENT
- BRAD HUETTE INDEPENDENT
- PATRICIA SISK INDEPENDENT

FOR TRUSTEE (For an unexpired 2-year term)

(VOTE FOR ONE)

No Candidate

PROPOSITION

VILLAGE OF EAGARVILLE PROPOSITION TO INCREASE CORPORATE TAX RATE

Shall the corporate tax rate of the Village of Eagarville presently at .12735 be increased to a Village corporate tax rate of .4375?

- YES
- NO

VILLAGE OF ROYAL LAKES PROPOSITION TO REDUCE BOARD SIZE

Shall the number of members of the Board of Trustees of the Village of Royal Lakes, Illinois be comprised of four (4) members rather than six (6) members?

- YES
- NO

CITY OF GILLESPIE PROPOSITION TO CREATE A NEW TAX RATE FOR IMRF EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTION

Shall the City of Gillespie be included within provisions of Article 7 of the Illinois Pension Code, as amended, pertaining to the creation of the "Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund" for the benefit of full-time employees of the City of Gillespie and shall the City of Gillespie be authorized to levy a new tax for Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund (IMRF) benefits for full-time employees of the City of Gillespie and have an additional tax of 0.35% of the equalized assessed value of the taxable property therein extended for such purposes?

- YES
- NO

(1) The approximate amount of taxes extendable at the most recent extended limiting rate is \$232,943 and the approximate amount of taxes extendable if the proposition is approved is \$332,524.

(2) For the 2023 levy year the approximate amount of the additional tax extendable against property contained a single-family residence and having a fair market value at the time of the referendum of \$100,000 is estimated to be \$350.



Important Dates

Feb. 23 – First Day to Early Vote

Feb. 23 – First Day Ballots Will Be Mailed

March 7 – Voter Registration Deadline

March 8 – Grace Period Voting Begins

March 30 – Last day to apply for ballot by
mail

April 3 – Last business day to vote early

April 4 – Last business day to grace period
vote

April 4 – ELECTION DAY



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QUESTIONS?

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