

Sample Ballot, General Election, November 3, 2026			
Boone County, Nebraska	State of Nebraska	Publication Ballot	
INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTER The following are instructions on how to vote your ballot. Please follow these instructions precisely, otherwise, your ballot may not be counted. 1. Verify that there are initials of an election official at the bottom of the ballot. 2. Verify that there are no voting marks on the ballot. 3. Use a black ink pen to mark the ballot. 4. TO VOTE, you must darken the oval (●) completely. 5. To vote for a WRITE-IN candidate, write in the name on the line provided AND darken the oval completely.  6. Do NOT cross out or erase. If you make a mistake, contact the County Clerk's office at 402-395-2055 for instructions. 7. Place voted ballot into the brown return envelope. Write your NE driver's license or state ID in the space provided on the envelope, or enclose a photocopy of an acceptable photo ID or Reasonable Impediment Certification (if applicable). Complete, SIGN and seal the envelope. Remember to moisten both seals to cover the voter ID and signature boxes. 8. Any person physically unable to sign the envelope must make his/her "mark" and must have an individual witness. Failure to complete and sign the Return Identification Envelope will cause the ballot to be rejected. 9. Do NOT place more than one voter's ballot into the same return envelope or they will be rejected. 10. Return Ballot by: a. Hand Delivery - deliver the ballot to the county election office. b. Mail - return ballot by mail in the provided postage paid envelope. c. Drop Box Location - West parking lot of Boone County Courthouse 11. Ballot MUST be in the possession of the County Clerk's office by 8:00 p.m. Central Time on November 03, 2026.	STATE TICKET For Governor and Lt. Governor Vote for ONE ☐ Jim Pillen Governor ☐ Lynne Walz Governor ☐ Rick Beard Governor ☐ Brett Lindstrom Governor ☐ Joe Kelly Lt. Governor Ben Steffen Lt. Governor Keenya Barnes Lt. Governor Michael Picard Lt. Governor Governor } Republican } Democratic } Legal Marijuana NOW } America First For Secretary of State Vote for ONE ☐ Scott Petersen Republican ☐ Sarah J. Slattery Democratic ☐ Paul Rumbaugh Nebraska Working People ☐ Bob Krist America First ☐	COUNTY TICKET For County Attorney Vote for ONE ☐ Abbey DeBoyes Republican ☐ For County Clerk Vote for ONE ☐ Kate Noble Republican ☐ For County Sheriff Vote for ONE ☐ Denny L. Johnson Republican ☐ For County Surveyor Vote for ONE ☐ For County Treasurer Vote for ONE ☐ Laurie Krohn Republican ☐ For County Commissioner District 1 Vote for ONE ☐ Brian J. Yosten Republican ☐ For County Commissioner District 3 Vote for ONE ☐ Matt Niewohner Republican ☐	
	UNITED STATES SENATORIAL TICKET		
	For United States Senator Six Year Term Vote for ONE ☐ Pete Ricketts Republican ☐ Mike Marvin Legal Marijuana NOW ☐ Robin Richards Nebraska Working People ☐ Chuck Conboy America First ☐ Dan Osborn By Petition ☐	For State Treasurer Vote for ONE ☐ Joey Spellerberg Republican ☐ Daniel Ebers Democratic ☐ For Attorney General Vote for ONE ☐ Mike Hilgers Republican ☐ Jocelyn Brasher Democratic ☐	NONPARTISAN TICKET For Member of the Legislature District 41 - Two Year Term Vote for ONE ☐ Joe Johnson ☐ Jeremy Heneger ☐
	CONGRESSIONAL TICKET		
	For Representative in Congress District 3 - Two Year Term Vote for ONE ☐ Adrian Smith Republican ☐ Becky Kelly Stille Democratic ☐ David J. Else Legal Marijuana NOW ☐ Macey Budke Nebraska Working People ☐ Mark Cohen By Petition ☐	For Auditor of Public Accounts Vote for ONE ☐ Mike Foley Republican ☐ John Knight America First ☐ COUNTY TICKET For County Assessor Vote for ONE ☐ Dan Lueken Republican ☐	For Member of the State Board of Education District 6 Vote for ONE ☐ Sherry Jones ☐ Grady Erickson ☐ Judge of the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Court - Six Year Term Shall Judge Dirk V. Block be retained in office? ☐ Yes ☐ No

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Judge of the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Court - Six Year Term Shall Judge Thomas E. Stine be retained in office? ☐ Yes ☐ No	Lower Platte North Natural Resources District For Board of Directors - Subdistrict 3 Vote for ONE ☐ David W. Saalfeld ☐ _____	Nebraska Public Power District For Board of Directors Subdivision 2 - Six Year Term Vote for ONE ☐ Bill Tielke ☐ Dennis Sperling ☐ _____
Judge of the County Court District 5 - Six Year Term Shall Judge Denise Kracl be retained in office? ☐ Yes ☐ No	Lower Platte North Natural Resources District For Board of Directors - Subdistrict 4 Vote for ONE ☐ Chris D. Yosten ☐ _____	Educational Service Unit No. 7 District 1 Vote for ONE ☐ _____
Central Community College For Board of Governors - District 3 Vote for ONE ☐ Roger P. Davis ☐ Gary G. Smith ☐ _____	Lower Platte North Natural Resources District For Board of Directors - Subdistrict 5 Vote for ONE ☐ Mark Seier ☐ _____	Educational Service Unit No. 8 District 3 Vote for ONE ☐ Gary Arehart ☐ _____
Northeast Community College For Board of Governors - District 1 Vote for ONE ☐ Delbert J. Ames ☐ _____	Lower Platte North Natural Resources District For Board of Directors - Subdistrict 6 Vote for ONE ☐ Ryan J. Sabata ☐ _____	Educational Service Unit No. 8 District 5 Vote for ONE ☐ Cindy Hild ☐ _____
Lower Loup Natural Resources District For Board of Directors - Subdistrict 6 Vote for ONE ☐ Andy Daniels ☐ Robert Ita ☐ _____	Lower Platte North Natural Resources District For Board of Directors - Subdistrict 7 Vote for ONE ☐ Dustin Woita ☐ Allie Bush ☐ _____	Educational Service Unit No. 10 District 1 Vote for ONE ☐ _____
Lower Loup Natural Resources District For Board of Directors - At Large Vote for ONE ☐ Jeremy J. Eschliman ☐ _____	Lower Platte North Natural Resources District For Board of Directors - Subdistrict 8 Vote for ONE ☐ Jerry Johnson ☐ Marlin Fujan ☐ _____	SCHOOL TICKET
Lower Platte North Natural Resources District For Board of Directors - Subdistrict 1 Vote for ONE ☐ Lon Olson ☐ _____	Lower Platte North Natural Resources District For Board of Directors - Subdistrict 9 Vote for ONE ☐ Larissa Schultz ☐ _____	Boone Central Schools For School Board Member Vote for up to THREE ☐ Ben Stuhr ☐ Josh Gompert ☐ Brett Temme ☐ _____ ☐ _____ ☐ _____
Lower Platte North Natural Resources District For Board of Directors Subdistrict 1 - Two Year Term Vote for ONE ☐ David R. Poppe ☐ _____	Lower Platte North Natural Resources District For Board of Directors - At Large Vote for ONE ☐ Thomas McKnight ☐ _____	Riverside Public Schools For School Board Member - At Large Vote for up to FOUR ☐ Ryan Robinson ☐ Kallen Ryan ☐ Christopher D. Slevin ☐ Christy Yosten ☐ _____ ☐ _____ ☐ _____ ☐ _____
Lower Platte North Natural Resources District For Board of Directors - Subdistrict 2 Vote for ONE ☐ John J. Goldsberry ☐ _____	Cornhusker Public Power District For Board of Directors Subdivision 2 - Six Year Term Vote for ONE ☐ Butch L. Gray ☐ _____	

SCHOOL TICKET	SCHOOL TICKET	VILLAGE TICKET
St. Edward Public Schools For School Board Member Vote for up to THREE ☐ Brent Beekman ☐ Lindsey K. Christman ☐ Sherri Cruise ☐ Shayla L. Cruise ☐ ☐ ☐	Newman Grove Public Schools For School Board Member Vote for up to THREE ☐ Ben Nelson ☐ David W. Fowlkes ☐ Kimberly Wiese ☐ Kevin G. Patzel ☐ ☐ ☐	Village of Cedar Rapids Board of Trustees Vote for up to TWO ☐ Brady R. Yosten ☐ ☐
Central Valley Public Schools For School Board Member Vote for up to THREE ☐ Michael Rosander ☐ Ross Butcher ☐ D.W. Holley ☐ Nicholas Shoemaker ☐ Mandy McClure ☐ Shelly Pokorny ☐ ☐ ☐	CITY TICKET	Village of Petersburg Board of Trustees Vote for up to THREE ☐ Steve Werner ☐ Annette K. Duval ☐ ☐ ☐
	For Albion City Mayor Vote for ONE ☐ Jim Jarecki ☐	Village of Primrose Board of Trustees Vote for up to THREE ☐ Victoria Dobson ☐ Bob Thompson ☐ Matthew Younkin ☐ ☐ ☐
	For Member of Albion City Council Vote for TWO ☐ Jason Tisthammer ☐ Jon Porter ☐ ☐	
	Elgin Public Schools For School Board Member Vote for up to THREE ☐ Lisa Welding ☐ Kimberly Young ☐ Kyle Heithoff ☐ ☐ ☐	For Albion Airport Authority Six Year Term Vote for up to TWO ☐ Jessica Krohn ☐ James Meyer ☐ ☐
Elkhorn Valley Public Schools For School Board Member Vote for up to THREE ☐ Ross Tegeler ☐ Sam Johnsen ☐ Marykae Broberg ☐ ☐ ☐	For St. Edward City Mayor Vote for ONE ☐ Travis Shively ☐ Monty Olson ☐	PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
Fullerton Public Schools For School Board Member Vote for up to THREE ☐ Beth Sonderup ☐ Angie J. Herman ☐ Jennifer Wood ☐ ☐ ☐	For Member of St. Edward City Council Vote for up to TWO ☐ Dianne Sindelar ☐ Brady Christman ☐ Michael J. Funkhouser ☐ ☐	Proposed Amendment No. 1 A vote FOR will amend the state constitution to increase the term limit for state legislators from two consecutive four-year terms (eight years) to three consecutive four-year terms (12 years). A vote AGAINST will not amend the Nebraska Constitution, so the current limit of two consecutive four-year terms will remain in effect. State legislators will continue to be ineligible for office in the Legislature for four years after serving two consecutive terms. A constitutional amendment to change the limit on legislative terms from two consecutive terms to three consecutive terms. ☐ For ☐ Against

PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION		
Initiative Measure 440 A vote "<u>FOR</u>" will amend the Nebraska Constitution to authorize the enactment of laws to allow persons located within Nebraska to place sports wagers through an Internet-based platform when offered by an authorized gaming operator conducting games of chance within a licensed racetrack enclosure in Nebraska. A vote "<u>AGAINST</u>" means the Nebraska Constitution will not be amended in this manner. Shall the Nebraska Constitution be amended to authorize the enactment of laws allowing persons located within Nebraska to place sports wagers through an Internet-based platform when offered by an authorized gaming operator conducting games of chance within a licensed racetrack enclosure in Nebraska? ☐ For ☐ Against		
Initiative Measure 441 A vote "<u>FOR</u>" will enact statutes allowing persons located within Nebraska to place sports wagers through an Internet-based platform when offered by an authorized gaming operator conducting games of chance within a licensed racetrack enclosure in Nebraska or the operator's platform provider, and regulating such sports wagers. A vote "<u>AGAINST</u>" means no such statutes will be enacted. Shall statutes be enacted that: (1) Allow persons located within Nebraska to place sports wagers through an Internet-based platform when offered by an authorized gaming operator conducting games of chance within a licensed racetrack enclosure in Nebraska or the operator's platform provider; and (2) Regulate such sports wagers? ☐ For ☐ Against		
Initiative Measure 442 A vote "<u>FOR</u>" will amend the Nebraska Constitution to provide: (1) Schools must expressly designate each athletic team or sport as one of the following based on biological sex: (a) Males, men, or boys; (b) females, women, or girls; or (c) coed or mixed; and (2) Athletic teams or sports designated for females, women, or girls shall not be open to students of the male sex. The amendment would apply to all athletic teams or sports sponsored by public schools or postsecondary educational institutions, and private schools or educational institutions whose athletic teams or sports compete against public schools or institutions. A vote "<u>AGAINST</u>" means the Nebraska Constitution will not be amended in this manner. Shall the Nebraska Constitution be amended to provide: (1) Schools must expressly designate each athletic team or sport as one of the following based on biological sex: (a) Males, men, or boys; (b) females, women, or girls; or (c) coed or mixed; and (2) Athletic teams or sports designated for females, women, or girls shall not be open to students of the male sex? The amendment would apply to all athletic teams or sports sponsored by public schools or postsecondary educational institutions, and private schools or educational institutions whose athletic teams or sports compete against public schools or institutions. ☐ For ☐ Against		