Notice of General Election and Sample Ballots
November 5, 2024

Office of the Oconto County Clerk
To the voters of Oconto County

Notice is hereby given of a general election to be held in the several wards in Oconto Couty, on the 5th day of November, 2024, at which the officers named below shall be chosen. The names of the candidates for each office to be voted for, whose nominations have been certified to or filed in this office, are listed under the title of the office and under the appropriate party or other designation, together with any referendum questions submitted to a vote, in the sample ballot below.

INFORMATION TO VOTERS

Upon entering the polling place and before being permitted to vote, a voter shall:

- state their name and address
- show an acceptable form of photo identification*
- sign the poll book**

***If a voter does not have acceptable photo identification, the voter may obtain a free photo ID for voting from the Division of Motor Vehicles.**

****If the voter is unable to sign the poll book due to disability, a poll worker may write the word "exempt."**

If a voter is not registered to vote, they may register to

vote at the polling place serving their residence if the voter provides proof of residence.

Where ballots are distributed to voters, the initials of two inspectors must appear on the ballot.

Upon being permitted to vote, the voter shall enter a voting booth or go to a machine and cast their ballot. The vote should not be cast in any manner other than specified here. Sample ballots or other materials to assist the voter in marking their ballot may be taken into the booth and copied. The sample ballot shall not be shown to anyone so as to reveal how the ballot is marked.

A voter who is a parent or guardian may be accompanied by the voter's minor child or minor ward.

An election official may inform the voter of the proper manner for casting a vote but the official may not advise or indicate a particular voting choice.

Assistance for Voting

A voter may select an individual to assist in casting their vote if the voter declares to the presiding official that they are unable to read, have difficulty reading, writing, or understanding English, or that due to disability are unable to cast their ballot. The selected individual rendering assistance may not be the voter's employer or an agent of that employer or an officer or agent of a labor organization which represents the voter. If a voter is unable to state their name and address, an assistant may also do so for

the voter.

Voting for President and Vice President

A vote for candidates for President and Vice President is a vote for the presidential electors of those candidates. A write-in vote for President and Vice President must designate the name of a presidential candidate. A write-in vote for a candidate for President only will be counted. A write-in vote for a candidate for Vice President only will not be counted.

Where Optical Scan Voting is Used

The voter shall fill in the oval next to the name of the candidate of their choice for each office for which they intend to vote. To vote for a person whose name does not appear on the ballot, the voter shall write in the name of the person of their choice in the space provided for a write-in vote and fill in the oval next to the write-in line. When voting for President and Vice President, the voter shall fill in the oval next to the set of candidates (ticket) for president and vice president for whom they intend to vote. To vote for a Presidential ticket that does not appear on the ballot, the voter shall write in the names of persons of their choice in the spaces provided and fill in the oval next the write-in lines. On referendum questions, the voter shall fill in the oval next to "yes" if in favor of the question, or the voter shall fill in the oval next to "no" if opposed to the question.

When using an *electronic ballot marking device* (“Automark,” “Express Vote,” “Clear Access” or “ImageCast Evolution-ICE”) to mark an **optical scan**

ballot, the voter shall touch the screen or use the tactile pad to select the name of the candidate of their choice for each office for which they intend to vote. To vote for a person whose name does not appear on the ballot, the voter shall touch the screen next to “write-in” and type in the name of the person of their choice. When voting for President and Vice President, the voter shall touch the screen at the set of candidates (ticket) for president and vice president for whom they intend to vote. To vote for a Presidential ticket that does not appear on the ballot, the voter shall touch the screen next to “write-in” and type in the names of persons of their choice. On referendum questions, the voter shall touch the screen at "yes" if in favor of the question, or the voter shall touch the screen at "no" if opposed to the question.

Spoiling Ballots

If a voter spoils a **paper or optical scan** ballot, they shall return it to an election official who shall issue another ballot in its place, but not more than three ballots shall be issued to any one voter. If the ballot has not been initialed by two inspectors or is defective in any other way, the voter shall return it to the election official who shall issue a proper ballot in its place.

After Voting the Ballot

After an official **optical scan** ballot is marked, it may be inserted in a security sleeve so the marks do not show. The voter shall then insert the ballot in the voting device or deliver the ballot to an inspector for deposit. The voter shall leave the polling place promptly.

Sample ballots may also be viewed on myvote.wi.gov and at the polling locations on election day.

DONE in the City of Oconto, on September 10, 2024.
Kim Pytleski, Oconto County Clerk
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Oconto, Wisconsin 54153
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All Oconto County voters will vote for President/Vice President, Representative in Congress, District 8, United States Senator, District Attorney, County Clerk, Treasurer, Register of Deeds. For State Senator and Representative to the Assembly, and local referenda questions, voters will vote based on their municipality of residence.

President/Vice President
Kamala D. Harris / Tim Walz, Democratic
Donald J. Trump / JD Vance, Republican
Randall Terry / Stephen Broden, Constitution
Chase Russell Oliver / Mike ter Maat, Libertarian
Jill Stein / Rudolph Ware, Wisconsin Green
Claudia De la Cruz / Karina Garcia, Party for Socialism and Liberation
Cornel West / Melina Abdullah, Justice For All
Robert F. Kennedy Jr. / Nicole Shanahan, We The People

Representative in Congress, District 8, Term Ending Jan. 3, 2025
Kristin Lyerly, Democratic
Tony Wied, Republican

United States Senator
Tammy Baldwin, Democratic
Eric Hovde, Republican
Phil Anderson, Disrupt The Corruption
Thomas Leager, America First

Representative in Congress, District 8: Term Jan. 3, 2025 to Jan. 3, 2027

Kristin Lyerly, Democratic
Tony Wied, Republican

State Senator, District 2
Kelly Peterson, Democratic
Eric Wimberger, Republican
State Senator, District 12
Andi Rich, Democratic
Mary Felzkowski, Republican

Representative to the Assembly, District 4
Jane Benson, Democratic
David Steffen, Republican
Representative to the Assembly, District 6
Shirley Hinze, Democratic
Elijah Behnke, Republican
Representative to the Assembly, District 35
Elizabeth McCrank, Democratic
Calvin Callahan, Republican
Representative to the Assembly, District 36
Ben Murray, Democratic
Jeffrey L. Mursau, Republican

District Attorney
Hannah Schuchart, Republican
County Clerk
Kim Pytleski, Republican
Treasurer
Tanya M. Peterson, Republican
Register of Deeds

Laurie Allen Wusterbarth, Republican

Referenda Questions Statewide
Eligibility to vote. Shall section 1 of article III of the constitution, which deals with suffrage, be amended to provide that only a United States citizen age 18 or older who resides in an election district may vote in an election for national, state, or local office or at a statewide or local referendum?

Municipalities represented by the **2nd State Senate District** are as follows:
District 2: Towns of Abrams, Breed, Chase, Gillett, How, Lena, Little River, Little Suamico, Maple Valley, Morgan, Oconto, Oconto Falls, Pensaukee, Spruce, Stiles, Underhill; Villages of Lena and Suring; Cities of Gillett, Oconto, and Oconto Falls

Municipalities represented by the **6th Assembly District** are as follows:
District 6: Towns of Breed, Chase, Gillett, How, Morgan, Underhill; Village of Suring; City of Gillett