

Sample Ballot

OFFICIAL GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT

November 5, 2024

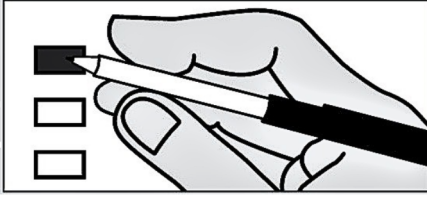
ADA COUNTY, IDAHO

Precinct 2201-A

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CANDIDATES FOR UNITED STATES OFFICES	
President	
(Vote for One)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	LIBERTARIAN Chase Oliver Mike ter Maat - Vice President Presidential Electors: Dan Karlan, Jayson Sorenson, Will Johanson, Chris Ward
<input type="checkbox"/>	CONSTITUTION Joel Skousen Rik Combs - Vice President Presidential Electors: Raymond Writz, Chantyroise Davison, Mistie Gardner, Sarah Clendenon
<input type="checkbox"/>	INDEPENDENT Jill Stein Samson Kpadenou - Vice President Presidential Electors: Steven Vawser, Pia Rydalch, Marie Katie K Fite, John Geoffrey Burns
<input type="checkbox"/>	INDEPENDENT Randall Terry Stephen Broden - Vice President Presidential Electors: Neil N. Mammen, Anna K. Kent, Danielle Jarvis, Fred Jarvis
<input type="checkbox"/>	REPUBLICAN Donald J. Trump JD Vance - Vice President Presidential Electors: Brent Regan, Jean Mollenkopf-Moore, Doyle Beck, Vicki Keen
<input type="checkbox"/>	INDEPENDENT Shiva Ayyadurai Crystal Ellis - Vice President Presidential Electors: Devon Lee Jamison 2nd, Ginger L. Carter, Judith Arlene Sanchez, Jeffery Arthur Carter
<input type="checkbox"/>	INDEPENDENT Claudia De la Cruz Karina Garcia - Vice President Presidential Electors: Hadden Zaugg, Lyle Patrick McCormick, Kielee Dasani Rustici, Hunter Field Munzich
<input type="checkbox"/>	DEMOCRATIC Kamala D. Harris Tim Walz - Vice President Presidential Electors: Wendy Jaquet, Ronald J Beitelspacher, Cherie Buckner-Webb, Betty Hansen Richardson
<input type="checkbox"/>	INDEPENDENT Robert F Kennedy Jr. Nicole Shanahan - Vice President Presidential Electors: Stefanie Leah Fetzer, Paul Feldman Riebe, Sharon L Rings, Tina Kim Noble
<input type="checkbox"/>	----- Write-in

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTER	
To vote, completely fill in the box next to the candidate or measure of your choice with a black or blue pen.	
Write-ins are allowed when there is a qualified write-in candidate. To vote for a write-in, fill in the box next to the "Write-in" space and print the full name of the candidate.	
Ballots are a public record. To guarantee a secret ballot, avoid making any personally identifying marks.	
If you make a mistake, request a new ballot from an Election worker.	
	
CANDIDATES FOR UNITED STATES OFFICES	
United States Representative District 1	
(Vote for One)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Brendan J. Gomez CON
<input type="checkbox"/>	Matt Loesby LIB
<input type="checkbox"/>	Kaylee Peterson DEM
<input type="checkbox"/>	Russ Fulcher REP
<input type="checkbox"/>	----- Write-in
CANDIDATES FOR LEGISLATIVE OFFICES	
State Senator District 22	
(Vote for One)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Lori Den Hartog REP
<input type="checkbox"/>	Dawn C. Pierce DEM
State Representative District 22 Seat A	
(Vote for One)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Loren Petty DEM
<input type="checkbox"/>	John Vander Woude REP

State Representative District 22 Seat B	
(Vote for One)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Glida Bothwell DEM	
<input type="checkbox"/> Jason A. Monks REP	
CANDIDATES FOR COUNTY OFFICES	
County Commissioner District 1	
2 year term (Vote for One)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Ryan Davidson REP	
<input type="checkbox"/> Jonathan Lashley DEM	
County Commissioner District 3	
4 year term (Vote for One)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Tom Dayley REP	
<input type="checkbox"/> Devin Gutierrez DEM	
County Sheriff	
(Vote for One)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Matthew Clifford REP	
<input type="checkbox"/> Doug Traubel CON	
County Prosecuting Attorney	
(Vote for One)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Johnathan Baldauf DEM	
<input type="checkbox"/> Jan Bennetts REP	
NONPARTISAN BALLOT	
FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT	
Magistrate Ransom Bailey	
Shall Magistrate Ransom Bailey of Ada County of the Fourth Judicial District be Retained in office?	
<input type="checkbox"/> YES	
<input type="checkbox"/> NO	
Magistrate Susan Clark	
Shall Magistrate Susan Clark of Ada County of the Fourth Judicial District be Retained in office?	
<input type="checkbox"/> YES	
<input type="checkbox"/> NO	

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Magistrate Danica Comstock
 Shall Magistrate **Danica Comstock** of Ada County of the Fourth Judicial District be Retained in office?
 YES
 NO

Magistrate Kira L. Dale
 Shall Magistrate **Kira L. Dale** of Ada County of the Fourth Judicial District be Retained in office?
 YES
 NO

Magistrate Michael Dean
 Shall Magistrate **Michael Dean** of Ada County of the Fourth Judicial District be Retained in office?
 YES
 NO

Magistrate Andrew Ellis
 Shall Magistrate **Andrew Ellis** of Ada County of the Fourth Judicial District be Retained in office?
 YES
 NO

Magistrate Laurie A. Fortier
 Shall Magistrate **Laurie A. Fortier** of Ada County of the Fourth Judicial District be Retained in office?
 YES
 NO

Magistrate Theresa Gardunia
 Shall Magistrate **Theresa Gardunia** of Ada County of the Fourth Judicial District be Retained in office?
 YES
 NO

Magistrate Cathleen MacGregor Irby
 Shall Magistrate **Cathleen MacGregor Irby** of Ada County of the Fourth Judicial District be Retained in office?
 YES
 NO

Magistrate Regan C. Jameson
 Shall Magistrate **Regan C. Jameson** of Ada County of the Fourth Judicial District be Retained in office?
 YES
 NO

Magistrate Joanne Kibodeaux
 Shall Magistrate **Joanne Kibodeaux** of Ada County of the Fourth Judicial District be Retained in office?
 YES
 NO

Magistrate David D. Manweiler
 Shall Magistrate **David D. Manweiler** of Ada County of the Fourth Judicial District be Retained in office?
 YES
 NO

Magistrate Michael McLennan
 Shall Magistrate **Michael McLennan** of Ada County of the Fourth Judicial District be Retained in office?
 YES
 NO

Magistrate Kyle Schou
 Shall Magistrate **Kyle Schou** of Ada County of the Fourth Judicial District be Retained in office?
 YES
 NO

Magistrate Diane M Walker
 Shall Magistrate **Diane M Walker** of Ada County of the Fourth Judicial District be Retained in office?
 YES
 NO

Magistrate Abraham E. Wingrove
 Shall Magistrate **Abraham E. Wingrove** of Ada County of the Fourth Judicial District be Retained in office?
 YES
 NO

CANDIDATES FOR COLLEGE OF WESTERN IDAHO

College of Western Idaho Zone 1
 4 year term
 (Vote for One)
 Nicole A Bradshaw

College of Western Idaho Zone 3
 4 year term
 (Vote for One)
 Jim Reames

College of Western Idaho Zone 4
 2 year term
 (Vote for One)
 Gary L Smith

College of Western Idaho Zone 5
 4 year term
 (Vote for One)
 Cherie Buckner-Webb

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BALLOT MEASURES

IDAHO CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

This proposed constitutional amendment provides that only Idaho residents who are citizens of the United States are eligible to vote in elections in the State of Idaho and that noncitizens are not eligible to vote in any election in the State of Idaho. Currently, Section 2, Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Idaho provides: "every male or female citizen of the United States, eighteen years old, who has resided in this state, and in the county where he or she offers to vote for the period provided by law, if registered as provided by law, is a qualified elector." This provision does not expressly prohibit noncitizens from voting. The proposed amendment adds language to provide that only United States citizens may vote in elections in the State of Idaho.

"Shall Section 2, Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Idaho be amended to provide that individuals who are not citizens of the United States may not be qualified electors in any election held within the state of Idaho?"

A **YES** vote would **approve** the proposed Constitutional Amendment for additional language providing that only United States citizens may vote in elections in the State of Idaho.

A **NO** vote would make **no change** to the Idaho Constitution.

YES

NO

PROPOSITION 1 BALLOT

Measure to:

(1) replace voter selection of party nominees with top-four primary;

(2) require a ranked-choice voting system for general elections.

This measure proposes two distinct changes to elections for most public offices.

First, this measure would abolish Idaho's party primaries. Under current law, political parties nominate candidates through primary elections in which party members vote for a candidate to represent the party in the general election. The initiative creates a system where all candidates participate in a top-four primary and voters may vote on all candidates. The top four vote-earners for each office would advance to the general election. Candidates could list any affiliation on the ballot, but would not represent political parties, and need not be associated with the party they name.

Second, the measure would require a ranked-choice voting system for the general election. Under current law, voters may select one candidate for each office, and the candidate with the most votes wins. Under the ranked-choice voting system, voters rank candidates on the ballot in order of preference, but need not rank every candidate. The votes are counted in successive rounds, and the candidate receiving the fewest votes in each round is eliminated. A vote for an eliminated candidate will transfer to the voter's next-highest-ranked active candidate. The candidate with the most votes in the final round wins.

PROPOSITION 1

Funding Source Statement: The Idaho Open Primaries Act will be funded by an augmentation of existing state and county expenditures for advertising and tabulation. Implementation of the act will require 1.) A public awareness effort to inform voters, candidates, and election workers about changes to the election process, and 2.) The purchase of ballot tabulation equipment capable of conducting instant runoff elections.

Fiscal Impact Statement: Under this initiative, new software for tabulating ballots via instant runoff voting is needed; no federally certified software exists for this process, though there is open-source software for tabulation. We cannot estimate the cost of software for tabulation.

Seventeen counties need to purchase an election management software at an estimated cost of \$300,000. Material costs for a May primary election have been above \$800,000. By 2026, the (inflated, population) adjusted value is \$1,600,000. The software update may increase to \$600,000 were the purchase postponed.

Shall the above-entitled measure proposed by Proposition One be approved?

A **YES** vote would **replace** Idaho's primary election with a single top-four primary and change Idaho's general election to a ranked-choice voting system.

A **NO** vote would make **no changes** to the current primary and general election voting process.

YES

NO

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