

Sample Ballot Notice of General Election — November 4, 2008

OFFICE OF THE GREEN COUNTY CLERK TO THE ELECTORS OF GREEN COUNTY:

Notice is hereby given of a general election to be held in the several wards in the County of Green on the 4th day of November, 2008, 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 given under the title of the office and under the appropriate party or other designation, each in its proper column, together with the questions submitted to a vote, in the sample ballot below.

INFORMATION TO ELECTORS

Upon entering the polling place, an elector shall give his or her name and address before being permitted to vote. Where ballots are distributed to electors, the initials of two inspectors must appear on the ballot. Upon being permitted to vote, the elector shall retire alone to a voting booth and cast his or her ballot, except that an elector who is a parent or guardian may be accompanied by the elector's minor child or minor ward. An election official may inform the elector of the proper manner for casting a vote, but the official may not in any manner advise or indicate a particular voting choice.

At the general election, if an elector wishes to cast a straight party vote for all candidates nominated by any party, the elector shall select the party of his or her choice and:

Where **optical scan** voting is used, fill in the oval or connect the arrow next to the party designation. Where **touch screen** voting systems are used, the elector shall select the button next to the party designation.

A straight party vote is a vote for the party's candidates listed on the ballot, unless the elector casts a vote for a candidate of another party, writes in the name of a candidate or applies a sticker. A straight party vote cannot be cast for Independent candidates.

To vote for individual candidates where **optical scan** voting is used, the elector shall fill in the oval or connect the arrow next to the candidate's name. To vote for a person whose name does not appear on the ballot, the elector shall write in the name of the person of his or her choice in the space provided for a write-in vote, and fill in the oval or connect the arrow on the write-in line.

To vote for individual candidates where **touch screen** voting systems are used, the elector shall select the button next to the candidates' names for whom he or she intends to vote. To vote for a person whose name does not appear on the ballot, the elector shall type in the name of the person of his or her choice in the space provided for a write-in vote.

An elector must cast a vote for President and Vice President jointly on one ticket. To vote for persons whose names do not appear on the ballot, where **optical scan** voting is used, write in the names of individuals for both offices on the lines provided, and fill in the oval or connect the arrow on the write-in line. Where **touch screen** voting systems are used, type in the names of individuals for both offices in the space provided for a write-in vote. A write-in vote for only a vice presidential candidate will not be counted.

On referendum questions, where **optical scan** voting is used, the elector shall fill in the oval or connect the arrow next to "yes" if in favor of the question, or the elector shall fill in the oval or connect the arrow next to "no" if opposed to the question. Where **touch screen** voting systems are used, the elector shall select the button next to "yes" if in favor of the question, or the elector shall select the button next to "no" if opposed to the question.

The vote should not be cast in any other manner. Not more than five minutes' time shall be allowed inside a voting booth. Sample ballots or other materials to assist the elector in marking his or her 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.

If an elector spoils an **optical scan** ballot, he or she 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 elector. If the ballot has not been initialed by two inspectors or is defective in any other way, the elector shall return it to the election official, who shall issue a proper ballot in its place. After casting his or her vote, the elector shall leave the voting booth, insert the ballot in the voting device and leave the polling place promptly.

The elector may spoil a **touch screen** ballot at the voting station, but not more than three ballots shall be issued to any one elector. After an official touch screen ballot is marked, the elector shall leave the polling place promptly.

An elector may select an individual to assist in casting his or her vote if the elector declares to the presiding official that he or she is unable to read, has difficulty reading, writing or understanding English, or that due to disability is unable to cast his or her ballot. The selected individual rendering assistance may not be the elector's employer or an agent of that employer or an officer or agent of a labor organization which represents the elector.

The following is a sample of the official ballot:

OFFICIAL BALLOT FOR PARTISAN OFFICE

NOTICE TO ELECTORS: THIS BALLOT MAY BE INVALID UNLESS INITIALED BY 2 ELECTION INSPECTORS. IF CAST AS AN ABSENTEE BALLOT, THE BALLOT MUST BEAR THE INITIALS OF THE MUNICIPAL CLERK OR DEPUTY CLERK.

To vote for the candidate of your choice, completely darken the oval to the LEFT of the candidate's name like this . To vote for a person whose name does not appear on the ballot, write the person's name on the line provided and completely darken the oval to the LEFT of the person's name like this .

STRAIGHT PARTY

If you desire to vote a straight party ticket for all federal, congressional, legislative and county offices, completely darken the oval to the LEFT of the party of your choice. A straight party vote cannot be cast for Independent candidates. To vote for individual candidates of your choice, completely darken the oval to the LEFT of the name of the candidate.

- Democratic**
- Republican**
- Wisconsin Green**
- Libertarian**

FEDERAL

President and Vice President (Vote for One)

- Barack Obama
Joe Biden
Democratic
- John McCain
Sarah Palin
Republican
- Cynthia McKinney
Rosa Clemente
Wisconsin Green
- Bob Barr
Wayne A. Root
Libertarian
- Brian Moore
Stewart A. Alexander
Socialist Party USA
- Gloria LaRiva
Robert Moses
Party for Socialism & Liberation
- Ralph Nader
Matt Gonzalez
Independent
- Chuck Baldwin
Darrell L. Castle
Constitution Party
- Jeffrey J. Wamboldt
David J. Klimisch
We, the People
- Write-in

Representative in Congress

District 2

(Vote for One)

- Tammy Baldwin
Democratic
- Peter Theron
Republican
- Write-in

LEGISLATIVE AND STATE

Representative to the Assembly

District 80

(Vote for One)

- John Waelti
Democratic
- Brett Davis
Republican
- Write-in

District Attorney

(Vote for One)

- Gary L. Luhman
Republican
- Write-in

COUNTY

County Clerk

(Vote for One)

- Michael J. Doyle
Republican
- Write-in

Treasurer

(Vote for One)

- Sherri Hawkins
Republican
- Write-in

Register of Deeds

(Vote for One)

- Cynthia A. Meudt
Republican
- Write-in

The following candidates will be listed on the official ballot for **Ward 7** in Brodhead:

Legislative and State

Representative to the Assembly,

District 80:

John Waelti, Democratic
Brett Davis, Republican
David J. O'Leary, Democratic

Rock County District Attorney:

County

Rock County Clerk:

Rock County Treasurer:

Rock County Register of Deeds:

Lori Stottler Democratic
Vicki L. Brown, Democratic
Randy Leyes, Republican

The following candidates will be listed on the official ballot for **Ward 8** in Brodhead:

Legislative and State

Representative to the Assembly,

District 43:

Kim Hixson, Democratic
Debi Towns, Republican
David J. O'Leary, Democratic

Rock County District Attorney:

County

Rock County Clerk:

Rock County Treasurer:

Rock County Register of Deeds:

Lori Stottler Democratic
Vicki L. Brown, Democratic
Randy Leyes, Republican

The following referendum will be listed on the official ballot for **Oregon School District** residents:

Shall the following Resolution be approved?

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SCHOOL DISTRICT BUDGET TO EXCEED REVENUE LIMIT BY \$400,000 PER YEAR FOR TEN (10) YEARS FOR NON-RECURRING PURPOSES

BE IT RESOLVED by the School Board of the Oregon School District, Dane, Rock and Green Counties, Wisconsin that the revenues included in the School District budget be authorized to exceed the revenue limit specified in Section 121.91, Wisconsin Statutes, by \$400,000 per year for ten (10) years beginning in the 2010-2011 school year, and ending in the 2019-2020 school year, on a non-recurring basis for the purpose of paying the cost of capital maintenance projects at District facilities.

Yes or No


Michael J. Doyle, County Clerk

GREEN COUNTY POLLING PLACES

All polling places are accessible to elderly and disabled voters.

**ALL POLLING PLACES WILL OPEN AT 7:00 a.m.
AND WILL CLOSE AT 8:00 p.m.**

TOWNSHIP ADDRESS

Adams	Town Hall, N5705 Biggs Road, Argyle, WI 53504
Albany	Town Hall, N6065 County E, Albany, WI 53502
Brooklyn	Town Hall, 400 Main Street, Brooklyn, WI 53521
Cadiz	Town Hall, W8445 County B, Browntown, WI 53522
Clarno	Town Hall, W6126 County B, Monroe, WI 53566
Decatur	Town Hall, 1408 14th Street, Brodhead, WI 53520
Exeter	Town Hall, W2998 Highway 92, Belleville, WI 53508
Jefferson	Juda Community Center, W2895 County KS, Juda, WI 53550
Jordan	Town Hall, W8495 Highway 81, Argyle, WI 53504
Monroe	Town Hall, N3302 Monroe Road, Monroe, WI 53566
Mt. Pleasant	American Legion Hall, 316 E. Coates Ave., Monticello, WI 53570
New Glarus	Town Hall, 1101 Highway 69, New Glarus, WI 53574
Spring Grove	Town Hall, N2475 Highway GG, Brodhead, WI 53520
Sylvester	Town Hall, N4505 Highway 59, Albany, WI 53502
Washington	Town Hall, W6113 County C, Monticello, WI 53570
York	Town Hall, N8105 Postville Road, Blanchardville, WI 53516

VILLAGE

Albany	Village Hall, 206 N. Water Street, Albany, WI 53502
Belleville	Village Hall, 130 S. Vine, Belleville, WI 53508
Brooklyn	Village Hall, 102 N. Rutland, Brooklyn, WI 53521
Browntown	Village Hall, 110 S. Mill Street, Browntown, WI 53522
Monticello	Village Hall, 140 N. Main Street, Monticello, WI 53570
New Glarus	Village Hall, 319 2nd Street, New Glarus, WI 53574

CITY

Brodhead	City Hall, 1111 W. 2nd Avenue, Brodhead, WI 53520
Monroe	Community Center, 1110 18th Avenue, Monroe, WI 53566