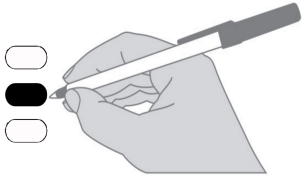


**Pierce County, Washington
General Election Provisional / Sample Ballot
November 7, 2023**

Instructions

How to vote



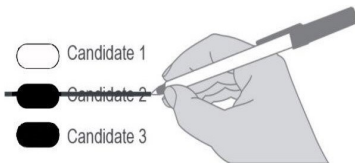
Use an ink pen to fill in the oval to the left of your choice.

Do not use felt tip markers.

Vote for one in each contest.

If you vote for more than one choice, your vote will not count for that race or measure.

How to fix a mistake



To make a correction, draw a line through the entire incorrect choice. You may make another choice.

Optional write-in

To vote for a write-in candidate, fill in the oval next to the write-in line and print the name.

Assistance & information

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READ: Each candidate for partisan office may state a political party that he or she prefers. A candidate's preference does not imply that the candidate is nominated or endorsed by the party, or that the party approves of or associates with that candidate.

Partisan Office

Pierce County

Council - District No. 2

One Year Unexpired Term

- Paul Herrera
(Prefers Republican Party)
- Jamie Smith
(Prefers Democratic Party)
- _____
Write-In

Nonpartisan Offices

Judicial - Court of Appeals

Division No. 2, District No. 1, Pos. 2

Three Year Unexpired Term

- Meng Li Che
- _____
Write-In

Port of Tacoma

Commissioner - Position No. 3

- Deanna Keller
- Jeannette Twitty
- _____
Write-In

Commissioner - Position No. 5

- Kristin Ang
- Dave Bryant
- _____
Write-In

City of Auburn

Council - Position No. 1

Four Year Short/Full Term

- Cheryl Rakes
- Lisa Stirgus
- _____
Write-In

City of Auburn

Council - Position No. 3

- James Jeyaraj
- Tracy Taylor Turner
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 5

- Clinton Taylor
- Robyn Mulenga
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 7

- Hanan Amer
- Brian Lott
- _____
Write-In

City of Bonney Lake

Council - Position No. 2

- Kerri Hubler
- Brittany Rock
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 4

- J Kelly McClimans
- Tom Watson
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 5

- Jessica Bennion
- Angela Baldwin
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 7

Four Year Short/Full Term

- Dan Roach
- Teresa Caron
- _____
Write-In

City of Buckley

Council - Position No. 4

- Amanda Burbank
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 5

- Denice Bergerson
- Lyn Rose
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 6

- Connie Bender
- Maureen Sundstrom
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 7

- Brandon Green
- _____
Write-In

Town of Carbonado

Mayor

- Kevin Vesey
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 3

- Buck R. McBride
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 4

- Joseph E. Mills
- James Van Eddy
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 5

- Terry Carter
- Cedar Argo
- _____
Write-In

City of DuPont**Mayor**

- Ronald J. Frederick
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 4

- Melinda Schou
- Tom Wargo
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 5*Four Year Short/Full Term*

- Robin Barrow
- Shawna Gasak
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 6

- Kevin Ballard
- _____
Write-In

Town of Eatonville**Council - Position No. 3***Four Year Short/Full Term*

- Mike Schaub
- Joe Hagen
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 4

- Bill Dunn
- Kirby Nelson
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 5

- Emily (Blackett) McFadden
- _____
Write-In

City of Edgewood**Special Election - Proposition No. 1**

Law Enforcement and Roads Maintenance Levy

The Edgewood City Council adopted Resolution No. 23-0681, authorizing a proposition to fund law enforcement and roads maintenance. The proposition increases the regular property tax levy to \$1.30 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation in 2024. The levy limits for 2025-2029 will use a limit factor of 106% or less. The 2029 levy amount will be used to compute subsequent levies. Taxpayers who qualify for an exemption under RCW 84.36.381 are exempt from the increase. Should this proposition be:

- Approved
- Rejected

Mayor

- Dave Olson
- Tyron J. Christopherson
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 1

- Nichole R. Purfeerst
- Jennifer Pazaruski
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 2

- Jason Ramirez
- Laura Chudecke
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 7

- Jeff Southard
- _____
Write-In

City of Fife**Council - Position No. 1**

- Barry D. Johnson
- Bryan Yambe
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 2

- Dee-Dee Gethers
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 4

- Pat Hulcey
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 5

- Kim Roscoe
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 6*Two Year Unexpired Term*

- Abigail Drivdahl
- Joey Murphy
- _____
Write-In

City of Fircrest**Council - Position No. 3**

- Brett L. Wittner
- Teresa Berg
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 4

- Karen Mauer-Smith
- Brian Rybolt
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 5

- Hunter T. George
- Vince Navarre
- _____
Write-In

City of Gig Harbor

Council - Position No. 4
Four Year Short/Full Term

Mary Barber

Ed Nadler

Write-In

Council - Position No. 5
Four Year Short/Full Term

Ben Coronado

Write-In

Council - Position No. 6

Le Rodenberg

Write-In

City of Lakewood

Council - Position No. 4

Paul Wagemann

Ryan Pearson

Write-In

Council - Position No. 6
Four Year Short/Full Term

Trestin Lauricella

Jimmy Davidson

Write-In

Council - Position No. 7

Paul Bocchi

Write-In

City of Milton

Council - Position No. 4

Tim Ceder

Write-In

Council - Position No. 6
Four Year Short/Full Term

Frances Hall

Write-In

City of Milton

Council - Position No. 7

Robert C. Whalen

Write-In

City of Orting

Council - Position No. 4

Jeff Sproul

Write-In

Council - Position No. 5

Chris Hopfauf

Stanley Holland

Write-In

Council - Position No. 6

Gregory Alan Hogan

Write-In

City of Pacific

Mayor

Vic Kave

Kerry G. Garberding

Write-In

Council - Position No. 1

Katherine Garberding

Jeremy Scrivner

Write-In

Council - Position No. 3

Joshua Putnam

Aarron Fahrenkrug

Write-In

Council - Position No. 6
Four Year Short/Full Term

Jack Stutler

Write-In

City of Puyallup

Special Election - Proposition No. 1

Public Safety Facilities

The City Council of the City of Puyallup adopted Ordinance 3277 concerning a proposition for its public safety facilities. This proposition authorizes the City to design, construct, develop, equip, acquire, and improve City public safety facilities, including constructing a new Public Safety Facility to house police and jail, and improve facilities to create a downtown police substation; issue up to \$56,000,000 of general obligation bonds maturing within a maximum of 30 years to finance such projects; and levy annual excess property taxes to repay the bonds, as provided in Ordinance 3277. Should this proposition be approved:

Yes

No

Council-at-Large

Shellie Willis

Renne Gilliam

Write-In

Council - District No. 1 Position No. 1

Lauren Adler

Write-In

Council - District No. 2 Position No. 1

Dean Johnson

Joe Colombo

Write-In

Council - District No. 3 Position No. 1

Ned Witting

Write-In

City of Roy

Mayor
Two Year Unexpired Term

- Kimber Ivy
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 1
Two Year Unexpired Term

- Clayton Grubb
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 2

- Yvonne Starks
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 4

- Harvey L. Gilchrist
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 5
Two Year Unexpired Term

- Bill Starks
- _____
Write-In

City of Ruston

Special Election – Proposition No. 1

Public Safety and Government Services Levy Lid Lift

This proposition is for the purpose of providing continual funding for public safety and other governmental services. This proposition will increase the City's regular property tax rate by \$0.325614 to a total authorized rate of \$1.708623 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation for collection starting in 2024 and annually thereafter. The maximum allowable levy rate in 2024 shall serve as the base for subsequent levy limitations as provided by Chapter 84.55 RCW. Should this proposition be approved?

- Yes
- No

City of Ruston

Council - Position No. 3

- James Hedrick
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 5

- Lynn Syler
- _____
Write-In

Town of South Prairie

Council - Position No. 1

- Jeff Robbins
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 2
Four Year Short/Full Term

- Shane Norris
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 4
Four Year Short/Full Term

- Catherine Harris
- _____
Write-In

Town of Steilacoom

Council - Position No. 4

- Nancy E. Henderson
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 5

- Michael Johnson
- _____
Write-In

City of Sumner

Council - Position No. 4

- Carla Bowman
- _____
Write-In

City of Sumner

Council - Position No. 5

- Cindi Hochstatter
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 6

- Curt Brown
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 7

- Andy Elfers
- _____
Write-In

City of Tacoma

Special Election – Citizens' Initiative Measure No. 1

Citizens' Initiative Measure No. 1 concerns enacting rental requirements for landlords and rental rights for tenants.

This measure would require landlords to comply with health and safety laws before raising rent or evicting a tenant; set limits on certain rental fees; require landlords provide two notices to increase rent and offer relocation assistance when the increase is 5% or more; create a defense against certain student/schoolyear evictions, evictions between November 1 and April 1, and evictions against servicemembers, seniors, families and others with protected status under the measure; and provide penalties and enforcement mechanisms. Should this measure be enacted into law?

- Yes
- No

Council-at-Large Position No. 7

- Olgy Diaz
- Kristen Wynne
- _____
Write-In

City of Tacoma

Council-at-Large Position No. 8

- Kristina Walker
- Todd Briske
- _____
Write-In

Council - District No. 1

- John Hines
- _____
Write-In

Council - District No. 3

- Jamika Scott
- Chris Van Vechten
- _____
Write-In

Civil Service - Position No. 3

- Myrah Lyle Ballentine
- Max J. Heller III
- _____
Write-In

City of University Place

Council - Position No. 2

- Frank Boykin
- Saadia Wahid
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 6

- Stan Flemming
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 7

- Melanie J. Grassi
- Alecia Cunningham
- _____
Write-In

Town of Wilkeson

Council - Position No. 4

- Christine Frances Cornelius
- Zac Drillevich
- _____
Write-In

Council - Position No. 5

- Trevor "Pen" Snyder
- _____
Write-In

Steilacoom Historical School District No. 1

Special Election - Proposition No. 1

Capital Projects and Technology Levy

The Board of Directors of Steilacoom Historical School District No. 1 adopted Resolution 912-07-19-23 concerning a proposition for a capital levy. The proposition would authorize the District to levy the following excess taxes on all taxable property within the District to renovate, expand and improve existing facilities of the District, repay an outstanding obligation incurred to purchase a future elementary school site, and replace and improve its security and technology systems and equipment:

Collection Years	Estimated Levy Rate/\$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2024	\$1.09	\$6,000,000
2025	\$1.06	\$6,000,000

Should this proposition be approved?

- Yes
- No

Director - Position No. 4

- Loujanna Rohrer
- _____
Write-In

Director - Position No. 5

- Samuel T. Scott
- _____
Write-In

Yelm Community Schools

Director - District No. 2

- Eric Heid
- Casey Shaw
- _____
Write-In

Director - District No. 3

- Allyn Verbal
- Denise Hendrickson
- _____
Write-In

Director - District No. 5

- Bill Hauss
- Karen (Kay) Anderson
- _____
Write-In

Puyallup School District No. 3

Director - Position No. 2

- Joseph Romero
- Trish Crocker
- _____
Write-In

Director - Position No. 3

- Gretchen Miles
- Amanda Cuthbert
- _____
Write-In

Director - Position No. 5

- Davida Haygood
- Shannon Burch
- _____
Write-In

Tacoma School District No. 10

Director - Position No. 3

- Korey Strozier
- _____
Write-In

Tacoma School District No. 10**Director - Position No. 5**

- Elizabeth Bonbright
- Brian'na Wolk
- _____
Write-In

Carbonado Historical School District No. 19**Director - Position No. 4**

- Julie Sandin
- _____
Write-In

Director - Position No. 5

- Marlee Patterson
- _____
Write-In

University Place School Dist. No. 83**Director - Position No. 3**

- T'wina Nobles
- Linda Wojciechowski
- _____
Write-In

Director - Position No. 4

- Mary Lu Dickinson
- Jon Guidoux
- _____
Write-In

Director - Position No. 5

- Rick Maloney
- _____
Write-In

Sumner-Bonney Lake School District No. 320**Director - District No. 2**

- Paul S. Williams
- Rocco Lamanna
- _____
Write-In

Sumner-Bonney Lake School District No. 320**Director - District No. 3**

- Kevin Lewis
- Denis Caron
- _____
Write-In

Director - District No. 4

- Bill Gaines
- Paul Monsen
- _____
Write-In

Dieringer School Dist. No. 343**Director - District No. 2**

- Greg W. Johnson
- _____
Write-In

Director - District No. 5

- Mark Pampe
- Megan Bearor
- _____
Write-In

Orting School District No. 344**Director - District No. 1***Two Year Unexpired Term*

- Michael Melot
- _____
Write-In

Director - District No. 3

- Carrie Thibodeaux
- _____
Write-In

Director - District No. 4

- Kathy Madigan
- _____
Write-In

Orting School District No. 344**Director - District No. 5**

- Melissa Kinzler
- _____
Write-In

Clover Park School Dist. No. 400**Director - District No. 1**

- Krissy Kim
- _____
Write-In

Director - District No. 2

- Bryan Thomas
- _____
Write-In

Director - District No. 5

- Janet Caldwell
- Noa Bunting
- _____
Write-In

Peninsula School Dist. No. 401**Director - District No. 1**

- Chuck West
- Jack Mende
- _____
Write-In

Director - District No. 3

- Lori Glover
- _____
Write-In

Director - District No. 4

- Natalie Wimberley
- _____
Write-In

Franklin Pierce School District No. 402

Director - District No. 1

- Michael Scott
- Alex Davis
- Write-In

Director - District No. 3

- Mark Baumgarten
- Write-In

Director - District No. 4

- Mary L. Sherman
- Jeff Wolff
- Write-In

Bethel School District No. 403

Director - District No. 2

- Erasmo Ruiz Gonzalez
- John Manning
- Write-In

Director - District No. 4

- Terrance Mayers Sr.
- Write-In

Director - District No. 5

- Teresa Cosio
- Terry Martin
- Write-In

Eatonville School Dist. No. 404

Director-at-Large Position No. 4

- Karen Carr
- Corey Ackerman
- Write-In

Eatonville School Dist. No. 404

Director - District No. 1

- Paulette J. Gilliardi
- Write-In

Director - District No. 3

- Travis Rush
- James Waldron
- Write-In

Auburn School District No. 408

Director - District No. 1

- Sheilia McLaughlin
- Write-In

Director - District No. 2

- Arlista Holman
- Write-In

Director - District No. 3

Two Year Unexpired Term

- Valerie Gonzales
- Dirk Dearinger
- Write-In

Director - District No. 4

- Laura Theimer
- Write-In

White River School Dist. No. 416

Director - District No. 2

- Karen Bunker
- Stacy Mahnke
- Write-In

Director - District No. 3

Two Year Unexpired Term

- James Johnson
- Write-In

White River School Dist. No. 416

Director - District No. 5

- Matt Scheer
- Write-In

Fife School District No. 417

Special Election - Proposition No. 1

General Obligation Bonds - \$204,800,000

The Board of Directors of Fife School District No. 417 adopted Resolution No. 23-18 approving a proposition for bonds. This authorizes the District to replace Fife High School, including its athletic field and stadium, and make other capital infrastructure improvements, to issue \$204,800,000 of general obligation bonds maturing within a maximum of 21 years, and to collect excess property taxes annually to repay the bonds, as provided in Resolution No. 23-18. Should Proposition No. 1 be:

- Approved
- Rejected

Director - District No. 1

- Iesha Ki' Kidd
- Write-In

Director - District No. 2

- Chelsea Bjorkman
- Write-In

Central Pierce Fire & Rescue

Commissioner - Position No. 3

- Rich Coleman
- Write-In

Commissioner - Position No. 5

- Matthew Holm
- Write-In

East Pierce Fire & Rescue

Commissioner - Position No. 4

Edward M. Egan

Write-In

Commissioner - Position No. 6

Randy Kroum

Write-In

Graham Fire & Rescue

Commissioner - Position No. 1

Brian D. Estes

Write-In

Commissioner - Position No. 4

Neil Samuelson

Write-In

South Pierce Fire & Rescue

Commissioner - Position No. 3

Kevin G. Kneeshaw

Write-In

Commissioner - Position No. 4
Six Year Short/Full Term

Olivia H. Werner

Write-In

Commissioner - Position No. 5
Two Year Unexpired Term

Judson Willis

Write-In

Fire Protection District No. 3 (West Pierce Fire & Rescue)

Commissioner - Position No. 3

Scott Casebolt

Chris Hannon

Write-In

Fire Protection District No. 5 (Gig Harbor Fire & Medic One)

Commissioner - Position No. 2

D. Alex Wilsie

Write-In

Fire Protection District No. 10

Commissioner - Position No. 3
Six Year Short/Full Term

Donna Milliren

Write-In

Fire Protection District No. 13 (Browns Point / Dash Point)

Commissioner - Position No. 3

Dave Noll

Write-In

Fire Protection District No. 14 (Riverside Fire & Rescue)

Commissioner - Position No. 1
Four Year Unexpired Term

Peter Allison

Write-In

Commissioner - Position No. 3
Six Year Short/Full Term

Bill Shearer

Write-In

Fire Protection District No. 16 (Key Peninsula Fire)

Commissioner - Position No. 3

Shawn Jensen

Write-In

Commissioner - Position No. 5
Six Year Short/Full Term

Cambria Queen

John Pat Kelly

Write-In

Fire Protection District No. 18 (Orting Valley Fire & Rescue)

Commissioner - Position No. 1
Two Year Unexpired Term

Joe Palombi

Write-In

Commissioner - Position No. 3

Arlene Dannat

Write-In

Commissioner - Position No. 4

Holly Mortenson

Kevin Gorder

Write-In

Fire Protection District No. 27 (Anderson Island Fire & Rescue)

Commissioner - Position No. 2
Six Year Short/Full Term

Gordon Babo

Write-In

Valley Regional Fire Authority

Special Election – Proposition No. 1

Fire Authority Bonds

The Board of Governance adopted Resolution No. 187 concerning voter approval for financing certain capital improvements of the Authority. If approved, this proposition would authorize the acquisition, construction, reconstruction, renovation, equipping, and furnishing of two new fire stations, one existing station (including a new head office), and a logistics and maintenance facility and training grounds, all to be financed by the issuance of not more than \$96,500,000.00 of general obligation bonds maturing within 20 years to be repaid by the annual levy of excess property taxes, all as provided in Resolution No. 187. Should this proposition be approved?

Yes

No

Anderson Island Park & Recreation District

Commissioner - Position No. 1

Elizabeth Emerick

Write-In

Commissioner - Position No. 2

Lane L. Sample

Write-In

Commissioner - Position No. 5

Belen Schneider

Write-In

Key Peninsula Metropolitan Park District

Commissioner - Position No. 5

Kenneth Y. Lee

Kip Clinton

Write-In

Metropolitan Park Dist. of Tacoma

Commissioner - Position No. 4

Andrea Smith

Write-In

Commissioner - Position No. 5

Six Year Short/Full Term

Tony Anderson

Matt Mauer

Write-In

Peninsula Metropolitan Park District

Special Election - Proposition No. 1

Renewing the Parks and Recreation Levy for Six Years

The Board of Park Commissioners of the Peninsula Metropolitan Park District adopted Resolution No. RR2023-009 concerning an increase in the District's regular property tax levy to provide, maintain and improve parks, park facilities and recreation programs and services. If approved, Proposition No. 1 will restore the District's regular property tax levy rate to the previous voter-approved rate of \$0.75/\$1,000 of assessed value for collection in 2024; allow annual increases of up to 6% for the five succeeding years and use the 2029 levy amount to calculate subsequent levy limits. Should Proposition No. 1 be:

Approved

Rejected

Commissioner - Position No. 5

Billy Sehmel

Steven M. Nielson

Write-In

Clear Lake Water District

Commissioner - Position No. 1

Six Year Short/Full Term

Lloyd Christianson

Write-In

East Gig Harbor Water District

Commissioner - Position No. 2

Gretchen Riggs

Write-In

Lakewood Water District

Commissioner - Position No. 3

Edwin Buckley

John S. Korsmo Jr.

Write-In

Mckenna Water District

Commissioner - Position No. 1

Six Year Short/Full Term

Darlene Kemp

Write-In

Commissioner - Position No. 2

Two Year Unexpired Term

Michael Meridth

Write-In

Commissioner - Position No. 3

Four Year Unexpired Term

Mercedes Cruz

Write-In

Valley Water District

Commissioner - Position No. 1

Gary (Ted) Hardiman

Write-In

Wollochet Harbor Sewer District

Commissioner - Position No. 2

Dan Griswold

Write-In

Commissioner - Position No. 3

Four Year Unexpired Term

Lisa H. Scott

Write-In