

Notice of Partisan Primary and Sample Ballots

August 9, 2022

Office of the Dane County Clerk

To the voters of Dane County County:

Notice is hereby given of a partisan primary to be held in Dane County on August 9, 2022, at which the nominees for the offices named below shall be chosen. The names of the candidates for each office, whose nominations have been certified to or filed in this office, are given under the title of the office under the appropriate party, each in its proper column, together with the questions submitted to a vote, if any, 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.

At the partisan primary, the voter shall select the party of their choice. Voting for candidates of more than one party may invalidate the ballot. The voter must cast a vote for individual candidates.

Where Optical Scan Voting is used

- If a party preference *is designated*, and votes are cast for ballot candidates of another party or write-in votes are cast in another party, only votes cast in the designated party will count.
- If a party preference *is not designated*, and votes are cast for candidates (or write-in votes are cast) in more than one party, no votes will be counted

Within the party of their choice, the voter shall fill in the oval or connect the arrow 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 or connect the arrow next to the write-in line. On referendum questions, the voter shall fill in the oval or connect the arrow next to "yes" if in favor of the question, or the voter shall fill in the oval or connect the arrow next to "no" if opposed to the question.

When using an *electronic ballot marking device* ("Express Vote") to mark an **optical scan** ballot, the voter shall touch the screen or use the tactile pad to select the party of their choice. The voter shall then touch the screen at 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 type in the name of the person of their choice in the space provided for a write-in vote. 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.

Spoiled Ballots

If a voter spoils an **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 the security sleeve, so the marks do not show. The voter shall then insert the ballot in the voting device and discard the sleeve or deliver the ballot to an inspector for deposit. If a central count system is used, the voter shall insert the ballot in the ballot box and discard the sleeve or deliver the ballot to an inspector for deposit. The voter shall leave the polling place promptly.

The following is a sample of the official ballot:

Scott McDonell, Dane County Clerk

The foregoing ballot contains candidates in Senate District 15 and Assembly District 43. The following is a complete list of candidates for all Senate and Assembly Districts in Dane County.

Democratic	Republican	Libertarian	Constitution
13th Senate None	13th Senate John Jagler	13th Senate None	13th Senate None
15th Senate Mark Spreitzer	15th Senate Mark Trofimchuck	15th Senate None	15th Senate None
27th Senate Dianne H. Hesselbein	27th Senate Robert Relph	27th Senate None	27th Senate None

37th Assembly Maureen McCarville	37th Assembly William Penterman	37th Assembly None	37th Assembly None
38th Assembly None	38th Assembly Barbara Dittrich	38th Assembly None	38th Assembly None
43rd Assembly Jenna Jacobson Matt McIntyre	43rd Assembly Marisa Voelkel	43rd Assembly None	43rd Assembly None
46th Assembly Andrew Hysell Syed Abbas Analiese Eicher Melissa Ratcliff Mike Jacobs	46th Assembly Andrew McKinney	46th Assembly None	46th Assembly None
47th Assembly Jimmy Anderson	47th Assembly Lamonte Newsom	47th Assembly None	47th Assembly None
48th Assembly Samba Baldeh	48th Assembly None	48th Assembly None	48th Assembly None
76th Assembly Francesca Hont	76th Assembly None	76th Assembly None	76th Assembly None
77th Assembly Shelia Stubbs	77th Assembly None	77th Assembly None	77th Assembly None
78th Assembly Lisa B. Subeck	78th Assembly Matt Neuhaus	78th Assembly None	78th Assembly None
79th Assembly Alex Joers Brad Votava	79th Assembly Victoria Fueger	79th Assembly None	79th Assembly None
80th Assembly Dale Edward Paul Yurs Mike Bare Chad Kemp Anna Halverson Doug Steinberg	80th Assembly Nathan Graewin Jacob D. Luginbuhl	80th Assembly None	80th Assembly None
81st Assembly David Considine	81st Assembly Shellie Benish Bob Wood	81st Assembly None	81st Assembly None