

Precinct Official's Initials

OFFICIAL BALLOT  
General Election  
Benton County, Iowa  
Tuesday, November 8, 2022  
Benton  
00401



INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS

Using blue or black ink, completely fill in the oval next to your choice like this: ●

**Write-in:** To vote for a valid write-in candidate, write the person's name on the line provided and darken the oval.

Do not cross out. If you change your mind, exchange your ballot for a new one.

The Judicial Ballot is located on the back of this ballot, beginning in the middle column.

The Constitutional Amendment is located on the back of this ballot in the right column.

**Political Organizations**  
Republican Party (REP)  
Democratic Party (DEM)  
Libertarian Party (LIB)

Federal Offices

For United States Senator

Vote for no more than One

- Chuck Grassley REP
- Michael Franken DEM
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(Write-in vote, if any)

For United States Representative District 2

Vote for no more than One

- Ashley Hinson REP
- Liz Mathis DEM
- 

(Write-in vote, if any)

State Offices

For Governor / Lieutenant Governor

Vote for no more than One team

- Kim Reynolds Adam Gregg REP
- Deidre DeJear Eric Van Lancker DEM
- Rick Stewart Marco Battaglia LIB
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(Write-in vote for Governor, if any)

(Write-in vote for Lt. Governor, if any)

For Secretary of State

Vote for no more than One

- Paul D. Pate REP
- Joel Miller DEM
- 

(Write-in vote, if any)

For Auditor of State

Vote for no more than One

- Todd Halbur REP
- Rob Sand DEM
- 

(Write-in vote, if any)

For Treasurer of State

Vote for no more than One

- Roby Smith REP
- Michael L. Fitzgerald DEM
- 

(Write-in vote, if any)

For Secretary of Agriculture

Vote for no more than One

- Mike Naig REP
- John Norwood DEM
- 

(Write-in vote, if any)

For Attorney General

Vote for no more than One

- Brenna Bird REP
- Tom Miller DEM
- 

(Write-in vote, if any)

For State Senator District 42

Vote for no more than One

- Charlie McClintock REP
- Jessica Wiskus DEM
- Bruce A. Gardner
- 

(Write-in vote, if any)

For State Representative District 84

Vote for no more than One

- Thomas D. Gerhold REP
- Sara Yedlik DEM
- 

(Write-in vote, if any)

County Offices

For Supervisors District 2

Vote for no more than One

- Tracy Seeman REP
- 

(Write-in vote, if any)

For County Treasurer

Vote for no more than One

- Melinda Schoettmer REP
- 

(Write-in vote, if any)

For County Recorder

Vote for no more than One

- Lexa S. Speidel REP
- 

(Write-in vote, if any)

For County Attorney

Vote for no more than One

- Ray Lough REP
- David C. Thompson DEM
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(Write-in vote, if any)

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**Non-Partisan Offices**

**For Benton Township Trustee**

**Vote for no more than One**

Russ Glime

(Write-in vote, if any)

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**For Benton Township Clerk**

**Vote for no more than One**

Doug Sutton

(Write-in vote, if any)

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**For Soil and Water Conservation District Commissioner**

**Vote for no more than Two**

Steven Thompson

Cory Cronbaugh

(Write-in vote, if any)

(Write-in vote, if any)

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**For Agricultural Extension Council**

**Vote for no more than Five**

Allison Hicks

Katie Sackett-Stadheim

Amy Boddicker

Brian McNulty

Wayne Shannon

Dawn Edler

Scott Rathje

(Write-in vote, if any)

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**JUDICIAL BALLOT**

**Notice to Voters:** Vote on all names by filling in the appropriate oval below each name.

Shall the following Judges be retained in office?

**Supreme Court Justice**

Dana L. Oxley

YES

NO

Matthew McDermott

YES

NO

**Court of Appeals Judge**

Gina Badding

YES

NO

Paul B. Ahlers

YES

NO

**District 6 Court Judge**

Lars G. Anderson

YES

NO

Christopher Bruns

YES

NO

Valerie L. Clay

YES

NO

Chad A. Kepros

YES

NO

Justin A. Lightfoot

YES

NO

Kevin McKeever

YES

NO

Sean W. McPartland

YES

NO

Ian K. Thornhill

YES

NO

**District 6 Associate Judge**

Carrie K. Bryner

YES

NO

Jason A. Burns

YES

NO

Heidi A. Carmer

YES

NO

**Notice to voters:** To vote to approve any question on this ballot, fill in the oval in front of the word "Yes". To vote against a question, fill in the oval in front of the word "No".

**Constitutional Amendment**

Shall the following amendment to the Constitution be adopted?

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Summary: Provides that the right of the people of Iowa to keep and bear arms shall not be infringed. The sovereign state of Iowa affirms and recognizes the right to keep and bear arms as a fundamental right. Any and all restrictions of this right shall be subject to strict scrutiny.

Full Text:

Article I of the Constitution of the State of Iowa is amended by adding the following new section: Right to keep and bear arms. Sec. 1A. The right of the people to keep and bear arms shall not be infringed. The sovereign state of Iowa affirms and recognizes this right to be a fundamental individual right. Any and all restrictions of this right shall be subject to strict scrutiny.

YES

NO

**TURN BALLOT OVER**