

NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION  
AND SAMPLE BALLOT

November 4, 2014

OFFICE OF THE BARRON COUNTY CLERK

TO THE VOTERS OF BARRON COUNTY

Notice is hereby given of a general election to be held in the several wards in Barron County, on the 4th of November, 2014, 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 VOTERS

Upon entering the polling place, a voter shall state his or her name and address and sign the poll book before being permitted to vote. If a voter is not registered to vote, a voter may register to vote at the polling place serving his or her 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 retire alone to a voting booth or machine and cast his or her ballot except that 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 in any manner advise or indicate a particular voting choice.

Where **touch screen** voting systems are used, the voter shall touch the screen next to the name of the candidate of his or her choice for each office for which he or she intends 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 his or her choice in the space provided for a write-in vote. On referendum questions, the voter shall touch the screen next to "yes" if in favor of the question or the voter shall touch the screen next to "no" if opposed to the question.

Where an **optical scan voting system** is used, the voter shall connect the arrow next to the name of the candidate of his or her choice for each office for which he or she intends 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 his or her choice in the space provided for a write-in vote, and connect the arrow on the write-in line. On referendum questions, the voter shall connect the arrow next to "yes" if in favor of the question, or the voter shall connect the arrow next to "no" if opposed to the question.

**Note:** A voter must vote for Governor and Lieutenant Governor jointly on one ticket. A vote for Governor is also a vote for Lieutenant Governor. To vote for persons whose names do not appear on the ballot, write the names of individuals for both offices on the lines provided.

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 voter 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 a voter 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 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. The elector may spoil a touch screen ballot at the voting station before the ballot is cast.

After casting his or her vote, the voter shall leave the voting booth, properly deposit the ballot, and promptly leave the polling place.

After an official **touch screen** ballot is cast, the voter shall leave the polling place promptly.

After an official **optical scan** ballot is marked, it shall 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.

A voter may select an individual to assist in casting his or her vote if the voter 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 voter's employer or an agent of that employer or an officer or agent of a labor organization which represents the voter.

The following is a sample of the official ballot:

DeeAnn Cook, Barron County Clerk  
Posted: October 29, 2014

# Official Ballot for Partisan Office and Referendum November 4, 2014

Notice to Voters: 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.

IMPORTANT: Use the marking pen provided. DO NOT USE RED INK!

### Instructions to Voters

If you make a mistake on your ballot or have a question, see an election inspector. (Absentee voters: Contact your municipal clerk.)

Connect only 1 arrow in each contest.

- To vote for a name on the ballot, complete the arrow next to the name like this ←

- To vote for a name that is not on the ballot, write the name on the line(s) marked "write-in," and complete the arrow next to the name like this ←

### Statewide

**Governor / Lieutenant Governor**  
Vote for 1

You may connect only 1 arrow for the office of Governor / Lieutenant Governor.

Mary Burke ←  
John Lehman ←  
(Democratic)

Scott Walker ←  
Rebecca Kleefisch ←  
(Republican)

Dennis Fehr ←  
No Candidate ←  
(Peoples Party)

Robert Burke ←  
Joseph M. Brost ←  
(Libertarian)

write-in: / ←

(Governor)

write-in: ←

(Lieutenant Governor)

**Attorney General**  
Vote for 1

Susan V. Happ ←  
(Democratic)

Brad Schimel ←  
(Republican)

Thomas A. Nelson, Sr. ←  
(Libertarian)

write-in: ←

**Secretary of State**  
Vote for 1

Doug La Follette ←  
(Democratic)

Julian Bradley ←  
(Republican)

Jerry Broitzman ←  
(Constitution)

Andy Craig ←  
(Libertarian)

write-in: ←

**State Treasurer**  
Vote for 1

David L. Sartori ←  
(Democratic)

Matt Adamczyk ←  
(Republican)

Andrew Zuelke ←  
(Constitution)

Ron Hardy ←  
(Wisconsin Green Party)

Jerry Shidell ←  
(Libertarian)

write-in: ←

Continue voting at top of next column.

### Congressional

**Representative in Congress**  
District 7  
Vote for 1

Kelly Westlund ←  
(Democratic)

Sean Duffy ←  
(Republican)

Lawrence Dale ←  
(Green Party)

write-in: ←

### Legislative

**State Senator**  
District 25  
Vote for 1

Janet Bewley ←  
(Democratic)

Dane Deutsch ←  
(Republican)

write-in: ←

**Representative to the Assembly**  
District 75  
Vote for 1

Stephen Smith ←  
(Democratic)

Romaine Robert Quinn ←  
(Republican)

write-in: ←

### County

**Sheriff**  
Vote for 1

Chris Fitzgerald ←  
(Democratic)

write-in: ←

**Clerk of Circuit Court**  
Vote for 1

Sharon Millermon ←  
(Republican)

write-in: ←

Continue voting at top of next column.

### Referendum

To vote in favor of a question, complete the arrow next to "YES," like this ← . To vote against a question, complete the arrow next to "NO," like this ← .

### State

**QUESTION 1: "Creation of a Transportation Fund.** Shall section 9 (2) of article IV and section 11 of article VIII of the constitution be created to require that revenues generated by use of the state transportation system be deposited into a transportation fund administered by a department of transportation for the exclusive purpose of funding Wisconsin's transportation systems and to prohibit any transfers or lapses from this fund?"

YES ←

NO ←

Official Ballot  
for Partisan Office  
and Referendum  
November 4, 2014

For

Town of Cedar Lake  
Ward 1

Town of Rice Lake  
Wards 1-4

Town of Stanley  
Wards 1-4

Town of Turtle Lake  
Ward 1

City of Barron  
Wards 1-7

City of Chetek  
Wards 1-4

City of Cumberland  
Wards 1-4

City of Rice Lake  
Wards 1-13

Barron County

Ballot issued by

(Initials of election inspectors)

Absentee ballot issued by

(Initials of municipal or deputy clerk)  
(If issued by SVDs, both SVDs must initial.)

**Certification of Voter Assistance**  
I certify that I marked this ballot at the request and direction of a voter, who is authorized to receive assistance.

(signature of assistor)

### For Official Use Only

Inspectors: Identify ballots required to be remade.

Reason for remarking ballot:

- Overvoted
- Damaged
- Other

Original Ballot No. or Duplicate Ballot No.

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