

Notice of General Election and Sample Ballots

November 8, 2022

Office of the Rusk County Clerk

To the voters of Rusk County

Notice is hereby given of a general election to be held in the several wards in Rusk County, on November 8, 2022, 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 listed under the title of the office and under the appropriate party or other designation, together with any referendum questions submitted to a vote, 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 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.

Where Optical Scan Voting is Used

The voter shall fill in the oval 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 next to the write-in line. On referendum questions, the voter shall fill in the oval next to "yes" if in favor of the question, or the voter shall fill in the oval next to "no" if opposed to the question.

When using an *electronic ballot marking device* ("ImageCast Evolution-ICE") 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 use the tactile pad to select "yes" if in favor of the question, or use the tactile pad to select "no" if opposed to the question.

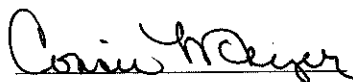
After Voting the Ballot

After an official **optical scan ballot** is marked, the voter may insert the ballot in the voting device or deliver the ballot to an inspector for deposit. The voter shall leave the polling place promptly.

Spoiling Ballots

If a voter spoils a **paper** 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.

The following is a sample of the official ballot:



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Official Ballot Partisan Office November 8, 2022

Notice to voters: if you are voting on Election Day, your ballot must be initialed by two (2) election inspectors. If you are voting absentee, your ballot must be initialed by the municipal clerk or deputy clerk. Your ballot may not be counted without initials (see end of ballot for initials).

General Instructions	Statewide (cont.)	Congressional
<p>If you make a mistake on your ballot or have a question, ask an election inspector for help (absentee voters: contact your municipal clerk).</p> <p>To vote for a name on the ballot, fill in the oval next to the name like this: ●</p> <p>To vote for a name that is not on the ballot, write the name on the line marked "write-in" and fill in the oval next to the name like this: ●</p>	Attorney General Vote for 1	United States Senator Vote for 1
	<input type="radio"/> Josh Kaul (Democratic)	<input type="radio"/> Mandela Barnes (Democratic)
	<input type="radio"/> Eric Toney (Republican)	<input type="radio"/> Ron Johnson (Republican)
	<input type="radio"/> write-in:	<input type="radio"/> write-in:
Statewide	Secretary of State Vote for 1	Representative in Congress District 7 Vote for 1
<p>When voting for Governor and Lieutenant Governor, you have one of two choices:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vote for candidates on one ticket, <i>or</i> • Write in names of persons on both write-in lines <p>A write-in vote for only a Lieutenant Governor candidate will not be counted.</p>	<input type="radio"/> Doug La Follette (Democratic)	<input type="radio"/> Richard Dick Ausman (Democratic)
	<input type="radio"/> Amy Lynn Loudonbeck (Republican)	<input type="radio"/> Tom Tiffany (Republican)
	<input type="radio"/> Neil Harmon (Libertarian)	<input type="radio"/> write-in:
	<input type="radio"/> Sharyl R. McFarland (Wisconsin Green Party)	
Governor / Lieutenant Governor Vote for 1	<input type="radio"/> write-in:	Legislative
<input type="radio"/> Tony Evers / Sara Rodriguez (Democratic)	State Treasurer Vote for 1	State Senator District 29 Vote for 1
<input type="radio"/> Tim Michels / Roger Roth (Republican)	<input type="radio"/> Aaron Richardson (Democratic)	<input type="radio"/> Bob Look (Democratic)
<input type="radio"/> Joan Ellis Beglinger / No Candidate (Independent)	<input type="radio"/> John S. Leiber (Republican)	<input type="radio"/> Cory Tomczyk (Republican)
<input type="radio"/> _____ write-in (Governor)	<input type="radio"/> Andrew Zuelke (Constitution)	<input type="radio"/> write-in:
<input type="radio"/> _____ write-in (Lieutenant Governor)	<input type="radio"/> write-in:	Representative to the Assembly District 87 Vote for 1
		<input type="radio"/> Elizabeth Riley (Democratic)
		<input type="radio"/> James W. Edming (Republican)
		<input type="radio"/> write-in:

County	
Sheriff Vote for 1	
<input type="radio"/>	Jeffery S. Wallace (Republican)
<input type="radio"/>	write-in:
Clerk of Circuit Court Vote for 1	
<input type="radio"/>	Lori Gorsegne (Republican)
<input type="radio"/>	write-in:

SAMPLE

Official Ballot Partisan Office November 8, 2022 for Village of Bruce, Wards 1 & 2 Rusk County Ballot ID: 4025	Ballot issued by _____ _____ Initials of election inspectors	For Official Use Only	
	Absentee Ballot issued by _____ Initials of Municipal Clerk or Deputy Clerk If issued by SVDs, both must initial	Inspectors: Identify ballots required to be remade <input type="checkbox"/> Overvoted <input type="checkbox"/> Damaged <input type="checkbox"/> Other	
	Certification of Voter Assistance I certify that I marked or read aloud this ballot at the request and direction of a voter who is authorized under Wis. Stat. § 6.82 to receive assistance. _____ Signature of assistor	If this is the Original Ballot , write the serial number here: _____	If this is the Duplicate Ballot , write the serial number here: _____
	_____ Initials of inspectors who remade ballot		
Page 2 of 2-sided ballot. Ballot begins on other side. ➡			