

**DUVAL COUNTY • GENERAL ELECTION • NOVEMBER 6, 2018 • ALL RACES SAMPLE BALLOT**

Pursuant to Section 101.20, *Florida Statutes*, Mike Hogan, Duval County Supervisor of Elections, must publish in a newspaper of general circulation a sample ballot for the November 6, 2018, General Election. What follows is the countywide ballot listing of Republican, Democratic, No Party Affiliated, Libertarian, Reform and nonpartisan candidates. Not all races appear on every ballot. Please refer to your voter information card to determine which races will appear on your ballot. Questions about your ballot, your polling location, and other related election information should be directed to the Supervisor of Elections, 105 E. Monroe St., Jacksonville, FL, 32202 or (904) 630-1414 or [www.duval elections.com](http://www.duval elections.com).

<p><b>UNITED STATES SENATOR</b>                  Rick Scott                    REP                  Bill Nelson                    DEM                  Write-In_____</p> <p><b>REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS DISTRICT 4</b>                  John H. Rutherford            REP                  George “Ges” Selmont        DEM                  Joceline Berrios                NPA                  Jason Michael Bulger        NPA                  Write-In_____</p> <p><b>REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS DISTRICT 5</b>                  Virginia Fuller                REP                  Al Lawson                        DEM</p> <p><b>GOVERNOR AND LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR</b>                  Ron DeSantis                  REP                      Jeanette Nunez                  Andrew Gillum                 DEM                      Chris King                  Darcy G. Richardson        REF                      Nancy Argenziano                  Kyle “KC” Gibson            NPA                      Ellen Wilds                  Ryan Christopher Foley      NPA                      John Tutton, Jr.                  Bruce Stanley                  NPA                      Ryan Howard McJury                  Write-In_____</p> <p><b>ATTORNEY GENERAL</b>                  Ashley Moody                 REP                  Sean Shaw                        DEM                  Jeffrey Marc Siskind         NPA</p> <p><b>CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER</b>                  Jimmy Patronis                REP                  Jeremy Ring                    DEM                  Write-In_____</p> <p><b>COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE</b>                  Matt Caldwell                 REP                  Nicole “Nikki” Fried         DEM</p> <p><b>STATE SENATOR DISTRICT 4</b>                  Aaron Bean                      REP                  Billee Bussard                 DEM                  Joanna Liberty Tavares      LPF</p>	<p><b>STATE REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 11</b>                  Cord Byrd                        REP                  Nathcelly Leroy Rohrbaugh    DEM</p> <p><b>STATE REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 12</b>                  Clay Yarborough                REP                  Timothy Jon Norris Yost        DEM</p> <p><b>STATE REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 15</b>                  Wyman Duggan                 REP                  Tracey Ann Polson              DEM</p> <p><b>STATE REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 16</b>                  Jason Fischer                  REP                  Ken Organes                    DEM</p> <p><b>JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT RETAINED IN OFFICE?</b>                  Justice Alan Lawson</p> <p><b>FIRST DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL RETAINED IN OFFICE?</b>                  Judge Harvey Jay                  Judge Stephanie Ray                  Judge Brad Thomas                  Judge Kemmerly Thomas                  Judge Allen Winsor</p> <p><b>TAX COLLECTOR</b>                  Mia L. Jones                    DEM                  Jim Overton                     REP</p> <p><b>SCHOOL BOARD DISTRICT 2</b>                  Elizabeth Andersen                  Nick Howland</p> <p><b>SCHOOL BOARD DISTRICT 4</b>                  Cynthia Smith                  Darryl Willie</p> <p><b>SCHOOL BOARD DISTRICT 6</b>                  Dave Chauncey                  Charlotte Joyce</p> <p><b>SOIL &amp; WATER, GROUP 1</b>                  Stephen Doty                  Binod Kumar                  Allen L. Moore                  Dewitt Robinson</p> <p><b>SOIL &amp; WATER, GROUP 3</b>                  Sel Buyuksarac                  Jennifer Casey                  Russell Pelle</p>	<p><b>SOIL &amp; WATER, GROUP 5</b>                  Robert M. Abene                  James Cook</p> <p><b>TOWN OF BALDWIN, SEAT 2</b>                  Kenneth Wayne Downs                  Georgeann Layman McKenna</p> <p><b>CITY OF JACKSONVILLE BEACH, SEAT 4</b>                  Shandy Thompson                  Cory Nichols</p> <p><b>CITY OF JACKSONVILLE BEACH, SEAT 5</b>                  Georgette E. Dumont                  Joseph Loretta</p> <p><b>CITY OF JACKSONVILLE BEACH, SEAT 6</b>                  Sandy Golding                  Dan Janson</p> <p><b>CITY OF NEPTUNE BEACH, SEAT 4</b>                  Josh Messinger                  Tom Patton</p> <p><b>CITY OF NEPTUNE BEACH, SEAT 5</b>                  Fred Jones                  Beau Maurer</p> <p><b>TOLOMATO COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT SEAT 4</b>                  Cherya Cavanaugh                  Tiffany Davis-Baer</p> <p><b>TOLOMATO COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT SEAT 5</b>                  Ron Howland                  Daniel J. Pasky</p> <p><b>BARTRAM SPRINGS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT SEAT 2</b>                  James Edward Chipman                  Roger Sulimirski</p> <p><b>PRINCIPAL ONE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT SEAT 5</b>                  David L. Cattell                  Michelle S. McCannon-deGaris</p>
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<p><b>NO. 1 CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT ARTICLE VII, SECTION 6 ARTICLE XII, SECTION 37</b>  <b>Increased Homestead Property Tax Exemption</b>  Proposing an amendment to the State Constitution to increase the homestead exemption by exempting the assessed valuation of homestead property greater than \$100,000 and up to \$125,000 for all levies other than school district levies. The amendment shall take effect January 1, 2019.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes  <input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p><b>NO. 9 CONSTITUTIONAL REVISION ARTICLE II, SECTION 7 ARTICLE X, SECTION 20</b>  <b>Prohibits Offshore Oil and Gas Drilling; Prohibits Vaping in Enclosed Indoor Workplaces</b>  Prohibits drilling for the exploration or extraction of oil and natural gas beneath all state-owned waters between the mean high water line and the state's outermost territorial boundaries. Adds use of vapor-generating electronic devices to current prohibition of tobacco smoking in enclosed indoor workplaces with exceptions; permits more restrictive local vapor ordinances.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes  <input type="radio"/> No</p>
<p><b>NO. 2 CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT ARTICLE XII, SECTION 27</b>  <b>Limitations on Property Tax Assessments</b>  Proposing an amendment to the State Constitution to permanently retain provisions currently in effect, which limit property tax assessment increases on specified nonhomestead real property, except for school district taxes, to 10 percent each year. If approved, the amendment removes the scheduled repeal of such provisions in 2019 and shall take effect January 1, 2019.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes  <input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p><b>NO. 10 CONSTITUTIONAL REVISION ARTICLE III, SECTION 3 ARTICLE IV, SECTIONS 4 AND 11 ARTICLE VIII, SECTIONS 1 AND 6</b>  <b>State and Local Government Structure and Operation</b>  Requires legislature to retain department of veterans' affairs. Ensures election of sheriffs, property appraisers, supervisors of elections, tax collectors, and clerks of court in all counties; removes county charters' ability to abolish, change term, transfer duties, or eliminate election of these offices. Changes annual legislative session commencement date in even-numbered years from March to January; removes legislature's authorization to fix another date. Creates office of domestic security and counterterrorism within department of law enforcement.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes  <input type="radio"/> No</p>
<p><b>NO. 3 CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT ARTICLE X, SECTION 29</b>  <b>Voter Control of Gambling in Florida</b>  This amendment ensures that Florida voters shall have the exclusive right to decide whether to authorize casino gambling by requiring that in order for casino gambling to be authorized under Florida law, it must be approved by Florida voters pursuant to Article XI, Section 3 of the Florida Constitution. Affects articles X and XI. Defines casino gambling and clarifies that this amendment does not conflict with federal law regarding state/ tribal compacts.</p> <p>The amendment's impact on state and local government revenues and costs, if any, cannot be determined at this time because of its unknown effect on gambling operations that have not been approved by voters through a constitutional amendment proposed by a citizens' initiative petition process.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes  <input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p><b>NO. 11 CONSTITUTIONAL REVISION ARTICLE I, SECTION 2 ARTICLE X, SECTIONS 9 AND 19</b>  <b>Property Rights; Removal of Obsolete Provision; Criminal Statutes</b>  Removes discriminatory language related to real property rights. Removes obsolete language repealed by voters. Deletes provision that amendment of a criminal statute will not affect prosecution or penalties for a crime committed before the amendment; retains current provision allowing prosecution of a crime committed before the repeal of a criminal statute.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes  <input type="radio"/> No</p>
<p><b>NO. 4 CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT ARTICLE VI, SECTION 4</b>  <b>Voting Restoration Amendment</b>  This amendment restores the voting rights of Floridians with felony convictions after they complete all terms of their sentence including parole or probation. The amendment would not apply to those convicted of murder or sexual offenses, who would continue to be permanently barred from voting unless the Governor and Cabinet vote to restore their voting rights on a case by case basis.</p> <p>The precise effect of this amendment on state and local government costs cannot be determined, but the operation of current voter registration laws, combined with an increased number of felons</p>	<p><b>NO. 12 CONSTITUTIONAL REVISION ARTICLE II, SECTION 8 ARTICLE V, SECTION 13 ARTICLE XII, NEW SECTION</b>  <b>Lobbying and Abuse of Office by Public Officers</b>  Expands current restrictions on lobbying for compensation by former public officers; creates restrictions on lobbying for compensation by serving public officers and former justices and judges; provides exceptions; prohibits abuse of a public position by public officers and employees to obtain a personal benefit.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes  <input type="radio"/> No</p>

<p>registering to vote, will produce higher overall costs relative to the processes in place today. The impact, if any, on state and local government revenues cannot be determined. The fiscal impact of any future legislation that implements a different process cannot be reasonably determined.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No</p>	
<p><b>NO. 5 CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT ARTICLE VII, SECTION 19</b> <b>Supermajority Vote Required to Impose, Authorize, or Raise State Taxes or Fees</b></p> <p>Prohibits the legislature from imposing, authorizing, or raising a state tax or fee except through legislation approved by a two-thirds vote of each house of the legislature in a bill containing no other subject. This proposal does not authorize a state tax or fee otherwise prohibited by the Constitution and does not apply to fees or taxes imposed or authorized to be imposed by a county, municipality, school board, or special district.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p><b>NO. 13 CONSTITUTIONAL REVISION ARTICLE X, NEW SECTION ARTICLE XII, NEW SECTION</b> <b>Ends Dog Racing</b></p> <p>Phases out commercial dog racing in connection with wagering by 2020. Other gaming activities are not affected.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No</p>
<p><b>NO. 6 CONSTITUTIONAL REVISION ARTICLE I, SECTION 16 ARTICLE V, SECTIONS 8 AND 21 ARTICLE XII, NEW SECTION</b> <b>Rights of Crime Victims; Judges</b></p> <p>Creates constitutional rights for victims of crime; requires courts to facilitate victims' rights; authorizes victims to enforce their rights throughout criminal and juvenile justice processes. Requires judges and hearing officers to independently interpret statutes and rules rather than deferring to government agency's interpretation. Raises mandatory retirement age of state justices and judges from seventy to seventy-five years; deletes authorization to complete judicial term if one-half of term has been served by retirement age.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p><b>STRAW BALLOT CALLING FOR REFERENDUM APPROVAL OF ANY SALE OF MORE THAN 10% OF JEA</b></p> <p>Should the City of Jacksonville City Council call for a binding referendum to approve the terms and conditions of any City Council action approving the sale of more than 10% of JEA?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No</p>
<p><b>NO. 7 CONSTITUTIONAL REVISION ARTICLE IX, SECTIONS 7 AND 8 ARTICLE X, NEW SECTION</b> <b>First Responder and Military Member Survivor Benefits; Public Colleges and Universities</b></p> <p>Grants mandatory payment of death benefits and waiver of certain educational expenses to qualifying survivors of certain first responders and military members who die performing official duties. Requires supermajority votes by university trustees and state university system board of governors to raise or impose all legislatively authorized fees if law requires approval by those bodies. Establishes existing state college system as constitutional entity; provides governance structure.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p><b>ATLANTIC BEACH REFERENDUM</b></p> <p><b>PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE ATLANTIC BEACH CHARTER TO MODIFY CITY COMMISSION ELECTION PROCEDURES</b></p> <p>Shall the City Commission election procedures set forth in Sections 40 and 41 of the Atlantic Beach City Charter be modified to delete the requirement to hold primary elections for all Commission seats and to provide instead that general elections for all Commission seats shall be determined by a plurality of votes cast and further, that references to "primary" elections in Sections 14 and 39 of the Charter be changed to "general" elections, be adopted?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No</p>