

IT IS A CRIME TO FALSIFY THIS
BALLOT OR TO VIOLATE INDIANA
ELECTION LAWS IC 3-11-2-7

To vote on these public questions,
select "YES" or "NO"

PUBLIC QUESTION #1

Vote For One (1) Only

0 selected, incomplete

Currently, under the Constitution of the State of Indiana, a person charged with murder or treason is not entitled to be released on bail if the proof is evident or the presumption strong. Shall the Constitution of the State of Indiana be amended to provide that a person charged with an offense other than murder or treason is not entitled to bail if:

- (1) the proof is evident or the presumption strong; and
- (2) the state proves by clear and convincing evidence that no release conditions will reasonably protect the safety of any other person or the community.

(This question concerns Article 1, Section 17 of the Constitution of the State of Indiana.)

YES

NO

OFFICIAL BALLOT
GENERAL ELECTION
VERMILLION COUNTY, INDIANA

NOVEMBER 3, 2026

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VERMILLION 01
IN NEWPORT

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To vote for a candidate, press the
button in the locations indicated.

A write-in vote will NOT be counted
unless the vote is for a DECLARED
write-in candidate

SAMPLE

PUBLIC QUESTION #2

Vote For One (1) Only

0 selected, incomplete

Shall the Constitution of the State of Indiana be amended to permit the judge of a city or town court to reside in: (1) the county in which the court is located; or (2) the bordering county closest to the city or town in which the court is located?

(This question concerns Article 6, Section 6 of the Constitution of the State of Indiana.)

YES

NO

BALLOT CONTINUES ON NEXT
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SAMPLE BALLOT

(1) You are not required to vote a straight party ticket. If you do not wish to vote a straight party ticket, do not make a selection in this section, and proceed to voting the ballot by office.

(2) To vote a straight party ticket for one political party's candidates on this ballot, except for candidates described in (3) below, select one of the following parties.

(3) To vote for any candidate for:
(A) Township Board Member; or
(B) Town Council At Large; or
(C) a school board office;
you must select each candidate you wish to vote for. Your straight party vote will not count as a vote for any candidate for that office.

(4) If you wish to vote for a candidate seeking a nonpartisan office or on a public question, you must select the appropriate place on this ballot.

STRAIGHT PARTY

Republican Party



Democratic Party



Libertarian Party



Lincoln Party



SECRETARY OF STATE

Vote For One (1) Only

0 selected, incomplete

MAX ENGLING
Republican Party

BEAU BAYH
Democratic Party

LAURI A. SHILLINGS
Libertarian Party

GREG BALLARD
Lincoln Party

WRITE-IN

STATE COMPTROLLER
(AUDITOR OF STATE)
Vote For One (1) Only

0 selected, incomplete

ELISE NIESHALLA
Republican Party

JESSICA BAILEY
Democratic Party

JOHN SCHICK
Libertarian Party

UNITED STATES
REPRESENTATIVE
DISTRICT 8
Vote For One (1) Only

0 selected, incomplete

MARK MESSMER
Republican Party

MARY ALLEN
Democratic Party

WRITE-IN

TREASURER OF STATE
Vote For One (1) Only

0 selected, incomplete

DANIEL ELLIOTT
Republican Party

COUMBA KEBE
Democratic Party

STATE SENATOR
DISTRICT 23
Vote For One (1) Only

0 selected, incomplete

SPENCER R. DEERY
Republican Party

DAVID A SANDERS
Democratic Party

JOSHUA BRANT
Independent

SAMPLE BALLOT

STATE REPRESENTATIVE
DISTRICT 42
Vote For One (1) Only
0 selected, incomplete

TIM R. YOCUM
Republican Party

BRANDI VANDIVIER
Democratic Party

COUNTY SHERIFF
Vote For One (1) Only
0 selected, incomplete

NO CANDIDATE FILED
Republican Party

MIKE HOLTKAMP
Democratic Party

PROSECUTING ATTORNEY
47th JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
Vote For One (1) Only
0 selected, incomplete

COUNTY ASSESSOR
Vote For One (1) Only
0 selected, incomplete

NO CANDIDATE FILED
Republican Party

PAIGE KILGORE
Democratic Party

JIM ORGAN
Republican Party

BRUCE D. AUKERMAN
Democratic Party

COUNTY COMMISSIONER
DISTRICT 2
Vote For One (1) Only
0 selected, incomplete

COUNTY RECORDER
Vote For One (1) Only
0 selected, incomplete

WILLIAM RAY PEEBLES
Republican Party

BILLIE BUSH
Republican Party

AMY L. GRIFFIN
Democratic Party

RON SHEPARD
Democratic Party

COUNTY COUNCIL
DISTRICT 1
Vote For One (1) Only
0 selected, incomplete

NEWPORT TOWN COUNCIL
AT-LARGE
Vote For One (1) Only
0 selected, incomplete

RICK O. WEIR
Republican Party

~~NO CANDIDATE FILED~~
Republican Party

DAVID M. AUKERMAN
Democratic Party

~~NO CANDIDATE FILED~~
Democratic Party

VERMILLION TOWNSHIP
TRUSTEE
Vote For One (1) Only
0 selected, incomplete

PAUL M. LEE
Independent

NO CANDIDATE FILED
Republican Party

PHYLLIS ORMAN
Democratic Party

VERMILLION TOWNSHIP
ADVISORY BOARD MEMBER
Vote for not more than Three (3)
candidates for this office
0 selected, incomplete

NEWPORT TOWN
CLERK-TREASURER
Vote For One (1) Only
0 selected, incomplete

To vote for any candidate for this office, you must make a voting mark for each candidate you wish to vote for. A straight party vote will not count as a vote for any candidate for this office.

NO CANDIDATE FILED
Republican Party

STEPHANIE A. SIMPSON
Republican Party

NICK L. SWAYZE
Democratic Party

NO CANDIDATE FILED
Democratic Party

SCHOOL BOARD OFFICES

NORTH VERMILLION SCHOOL BOARD

AT-LARGE

Vote For One (1) Only

0 selected, incomplete

A straight party vote will not count as a vote for any candidate for this office.

NORTH VERMILLION SCHOOL BOARD

HIGHLAND TOWNSHIP

Vote For One (1) Only

0 selected, incomplete

A straight party vote will not count as a vote for any candidate for this office.

JOAN ETTA HATHAWAY

BRIAN LANE HUGHES

NORTH VERMILLION SCHOOL BOARD

EUGENE TOWNSHIP

Vote For One (1) Only

0 selected, incomplete

A straight party vote will not count as a vote for any candidate for this office.

NORTH VERMILLION SCHOOL BOARD

VERMILLION TOWNSHIP

Vote For One (1) Only

0 selected, incomplete

A straight party vote will not count as a vote for any candidate for this office.

NO CANDIDATE FILED

NO CANDIDATE FILED

JUDICIAL RETENTION
QUESTIONS

Court of Appeals Judicial
Retention
Fourth District
Vote For One (1) Only
0 selected, incomplete

Retention of Judge of the Indiana
Tax Court
Vote For One (1) Only
0 selected, incomplete

Shall Judge Mary A. DeBoer be
retained in office?

Shall Judge Justin L. McAdam be
retained in office?

YES

YES

NO

NO

Court of Appeals Judicial
Retention
Fifth District
Vote For One (1) Only
0 selected, incomplete

Shall Judge Paul A. Felix be retained
in office?

YES

NO