

Precinct Official's  
Initials

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OFFICIAL BALLOT  
General Election - Mitchell County, Iowa  
Tuesday, November 3, 2026  
Precinct #10-Mitchell Township



Sample Ballot

**Instructions to Voters:** To vote, fill in the oval(s) completely next to your choice, like this: ● To cast a write-in vote, you must fill in the oval completely and write the name of your candidate on the line provided. If you make a mistake, do not cross out; exchange your ballot for a new one. **Where to find the Judges:** On the back of this ballot in the first column. **Where to find the Constitutional Amendment:** On the back of this ballot in the third column.

| Partisan Offices                                                                  | State Offices                                                              | County Offices                                                                      |
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| <b>Federal Offices</b>                                                            | <b>For Treasurer of State</b><br>(Vote for no more than one)               | <b>For County Sheriff To Fill a Vacancy</b><br>(Vote for no more than one)          |
| <b>For United States Senator</b><br>(Vote for no more than one)                   | <input type="radio"/> John Norwood, Democratic Party                       | <input type="radio"/> Justin Trees, Republican Party                                |
| <input type="radio"/> Josh Turek, Democratic Party                                | <input type="radio"/> Roby Smith, Republican Party                         | <input type="radio"/> (Write-in vote, if any)                                       |
| <input type="radio"/> Ashley Hinson, Republican Party                             | <input type="radio"/> (Write-in vote, if any)                              |                                                                                     |
| <input type="radio"/> Thomas Laehn, Libertarian Party                             | <b>For Secretary of Agriculture</b><br>(Vote for no more than one)         | <b>Nonpartisan Offices</b>                                                          |
| <input type="radio"/> (Write-in vote, if any)                                     | <input type="radio"/> Chris Jones, Democratic Party                        | <b>For Mitchell Township Trustees</b><br>(Vote for no more than two)                |
| <b>For United States Representative District 2</b><br>(Vote for no more than one) | <input type="radio"/> Mike Naig, Republican Party                          | <input type="radio"/> Karl Jensen                                                   |
| <input type="radio"/> Lindsay James, Democratic Party                             | <input type="radio"/> (Write-in vote, if any)                              | <input type="radio"/> Mark Hendrickson                                              |
| <input type="radio"/> Joe Mitchell, Republican Party                              | <b>For Attorney General</b><br>(Vote for no more than one)                 | <input type="radio"/> (Write-in vote, if any)                                       |
| <input type="radio"/> Rick Stewart, Libertarian Party                             | <input type="radio"/> Nate Willems, Democratic Party                       | <input type="radio"/> (Write-in vote, if any)                                       |
| <input type="radio"/> Dave Bushaw                                                 | <input type="radio"/> Brenna Bird, Republican Party                        | <b>For Mitchell Township Clerk</b><br>(Vote for no more than one)                   |
| <input type="radio"/> (Write-in vote, if any)                                     | <input type="radio"/> (Write-in vote, if any)                              | <input type="radio"/> Beverly Hendrickson                                           |
| <b>State Offices</b>                                                              | <b>For State Representative District 60</b><br>(Vote for no more than one) | <input type="radio"/> (Write-in vote, if any)                                       |
| <b>For Governor and Lt. Governor</b><br>(Vote for no more than one team)          | <input type="radio"/> Alexander Schmidt, Democratic Party                  | <b>For County Public Hospital Trustees</b><br>(Vote for no more than four)          |
| <input type="radio"/> Rob Sand, Democratic Party                                  | <input type="radio"/> Dani Ollenburg, Republican Party                     | <input type="radio"/> Jean A. Brumm                                                 |
| <input type="radio"/> Zach Lahn, Republican Party                                 | <input type="radio"/> (Write-in vote, if any)                              | <input type="radio"/> Neil Herman                                                   |
| <input type="radio"/> Derek Wulf                                                  | <b>County Offices</b>                                                      | <input type="radio"/> Corrina Follmuth                                              |
| <input type="radio"/> (Write-in vote for Governor, if any)                        | <b>For County Treasurer</b><br>(Vote for no more than one)                 | <input type="radio"/> Betty McCarthy                                                |
| <input type="radio"/> (Write-in vote for LT. Governor, if any)                    | <input type="radio"/> Shannon Dee Paulus, Republican Party                 | <input type="radio"/> (Write-in vote, if any)                                       |
| <b>For Secretary of State</b><br>(Vote for no more than one)                      | <input type="radio"/> (Write-in vote, if any)                              | <input type="radio"/> (Write-in vote, if any)                                       |
| <input type="radio"/> Ryan Peterman, Democratic Party                             | <b>For County Recorder</b><br>(Vote for no more than one)                  | <input type="radio"/> (Write-in vote, if any)                                       |
| <input type="radio"/> Paul D. Pate, Republican Party                              | <input type="radio"/> Hannah Elliott, Republican Party                     | <input type="radio"/> (Write-in vote, if any)                                       |
| <input type="radio"/> (Write-in vote, if any)                                     | <input type="radio"/> (Write-in vote, if any)                              | <b>For Soil and Water Conservation Commissioners</b><br>(Vote for no more than two) |
| <b>For Auditor of State</b><br>(Vote for no more than one)                        | <b>For County Attorney</b><br>(Vote for no more than one)                  | <input type="radio"/> Dana Norby                                                    |
| <input type="radio"/> Taylor Wettach, Democratic Party                            | <input type="radio"/> Aaron R. Murphy                                      | <input type="radio"/> (Write-in vote, if any)                                       |
| <input type="radio"/> Chris Coumoyer, Republican Party                            | <input type="radio"/> (Write-in vote, if any)                              | <input type="radio"/> (Write-in vote, if any)                                       |
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Turn the ballot over

| Nonpartisan Offices                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | JUDICIAL BALLOT                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | Constitutional Amendments                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
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| <b>For County Agricultural Extension Council Members</b><br>(Vote for no more than five)<br><br><input type="radio"/> Kirk W. Phelps<br><input type="radio"/> Sydney Eastman<br><input type="radio"/> Keith Meitner<br><input type="radio"/> Jason Rice<br><input type="radio"/> Mary Klaes<br><input type="radio"/> _____<br><small>(Write-in vote, if any)</small><br><input type="radio"/> _____<br><small>(Write-in vote, if any)</small><br><input type="radio"/> _____<br><small>(Write-in vote, if any)</small><br><input type="radio"/> _____<br><small>(Write-in vote, if any)</small>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | <b>Instructions:</b> To vote to retain a judge in office, fill in the oval to the left of the word "Yes". To vote against retaining a judge in office, fill in the oval to the left of the word "No".<br><br><b>Shall the following Judges be retained in office?</b><br><br><b>District 2A Associate Judges</b><br>Karen Kaufman Salic<br><input type="radio"/> Yes<br><input type="radio"/> No<br>Adam Sauer<br><input type="radio"/> Yes<br><input type="radio"/> No<br>Mark Milder<br><input type="radio"/> Yes<br><input type="radio"/> No | <b>Notice to voters:</b> To vote to approve any question(s) on this ballot, fill in the oval to the left of the word "Yes". To vote against any question(s) on this ballot, fill in the oval to the left of the word "No".<br><br><b>1</b><br><b>Shall the following amendment to the Constitution be adopted?</b><br><br>Summary: Provides that any bill to increase the individual income tax rate or the corporate income tax rate, or the rate of any other type of tax based upon income or legal and special reserves, shall require the affirmative votes of at least two-thirds of the members elected to each house of the legislature for passage. Further, the two-thirds majority vote requirement applies to the passage of a bill to establish a new tax on any type of income or legal and special reserves imposed by the state. The requirement excludes taxes imposed at the option of a local government. A lawsuit challenging the proper enactment of a bill under this section must be filed no later than one year following the enactment.<br><br>Full Text:<br><br>The Constitution of the State of Iowa is amended by adding the following new section to new Article XIII:<br><br>Passage of a bill that increases the individual income tax rate or the corporate income tax rate, or the rate of any other type of tax based upon income or legal and special reserves, shall require the affirmative votes of at least two-thirds of the members elected to each house of the general assembly. This requirement does not apply to taxes imposed at the option of a local government. Passage of a bill that establishes a new tax on any type of income or legal and special reserves imposed by the state shall require the affirmative votes of at least two-thirds of the members elected to each house of the general assembly. A lawsuit challenging the proper enactment of a bill under this section must be filed no later than one year following the enactment. If such a lawsuit is not filed within the one-year limit, the bill shall be considered properly enacted under this section. Each bill to which this section applies must include a separate provision describing the requirements for enactment prescribed by this section. The general assembly shall enact laws to implement this section.<br><br><input type="radio"/> Yes<br><input type="radio"/> No |
| <b>JUDICIAL BALLOT</b><br><b>Instructions:</b> To vote to retain a judge in office, fill in the oval to the left of the word "Yes". To vote against retaining a judge in office, fill in the oval to the left of the word "No".<br><br><b>Shall the following Judges be retained in office?</b><br><br><b>Court of Appeals Judges</b><br>John M. Sandy<br><input type="radio"/> Yes<br><input type="radio"/> No<br>Julie A. Schumacher<br><input type="radio"/> Yes<br><input type="radio"/> No<br>Sharon Soorholtz Greer<br><input type="radio"/> Yes<br><input type="radio"/> No<br><b>District 2A Court Judges</b><br>DeDra Schroeder<br><input type="radio"/> Yes<br><input type="radio"/> No<br>Colleen D. Weiland<br><input type="radio"/> Yes<br><input type="radio"/> No<br>Christopher Foy<br><input type="radio"/> Yes<br><input type="radio"/> No<br>Gregg R. Rosenblatt<br><input type="radio"/> Yes<br><input type="radio"/> No |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |

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