Notice of Spring Election and

Sample Ballots

April 5, 2022

Office of the Marquette County Clerk

To the voters of Marquette County:

Notice is hereby given of a spring election to be held in the county of Marquette on April 5, 2022, at which the officers named below shall be nominated. The names of the candidates for each office, whose nominations have been certified to or filed in this office, are given under the title of the office, each in its proper column, together with the questions submitted to a vote, for a referendum, if any, 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 or go to a machine 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.

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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 Paper Ballots are Used

The voter shall make a mark (X) in the square 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. On referendum questions, the voter shall make a mark (X) in the square next to "yes" if in favor of the question, or the voter shall make a mark (X) in the square next to "no" if opposed to the question.

Where Optical Scan Voting is Used

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

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

After Voting the Ballot

After an official **paper ballot** is marked, it shall be folded so the inside marks do not show, but so the printed endorsements and inspectors' initials on the outside do show. The voter shall deposit the voted ballot in the ballot box or deliver the ballot to an inspector for deposit and 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 may 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.

Spoiling Ballots

If a voter spoils a **paper or optical scan** 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:

Please note: Depending on where you live in Marquette County, the contests and candidates for County Supervisor, Multi-Jurisdictional Judge, Municipal Office, and School Board may differ from the sample ballot shown, with the contests as follows:

(All offices are vote for 1, unless noted otherwise)

County Supervisor

Court of Appeals Judge District 4

Brian Blanchard

Multi-Jurisdictional Municipal Judge

Karl N. Kindschi

Town of Packwaukee

Town Board Supervisor-Vote for not more than 2

Vikki Trimble

Larry Haygood

Village of Endeavor

Village Trustee-Vote for not more

than 2

Peggy Remm

Alan Trimble

Norlene Gray

Village of Neshkoro

<u>Village Trustee</u>-Vote for not more than

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James Good

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Village of Oxford

Village Trustee-Vote for not more than 3

Richard Bohringer

Carrie L. Rozek

Bart T. O'Brien

Village of Westfield

Village Trustee-Vote for not more than 3

Kathy Phillis

Jessika Stauffacher

Veronica Vanderhyden

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Submitted by Kiley Lloyd, Marguette County Clerk

Referendums:

Town of Neshkoro- Should the Town of Neshkoro adopt an ordinance that permits individuals to operate ATV/UTV's on all town roads?

Markesan School District- Shall the Markesan District Schools be authorized to exceed state revenue limits on a non-recurring basis by \$950,000.00 in each of four (4) consecutive years for the 2022-23, 2023-24, 2024-25, and 2025-26 school years to maintain school district programs and operations?

Pardeeville School District- Question: Shall the Pardeeville Area School District, Columbia and Marquette Counties, Wisconsin be authorized to exceed the revenue limit specified in Section 121.91, Wisconsin Statutes, by \$850,000 beginning with the 2022-2023 school year for recurring purposes, consisting of District operating expenses, and by an additional \$525,000 per year for the 2022-2023 and 2023-2024 school years and \$350,000 per year for the 2024-2025 and 2025-2026 school years for non-recurring purposes, consisting of sustaining operating expenses to maintain the current level of operations?

Princeton School District- Shall the Princeton School District, Green Lake County, Wisconsin be authorized to exceed the revenue limit specified in Section 121.91, Wisconsin Statutes, by \$625,000 per year for five years, beginning with the 2023-2024 school year and ending with the 2027-2028 school year, for non-recurring purposes consisting of maintaining and supporting instructional and

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