

STATE OF MINNESOTA  
WADENA COUNTY AUDITOR/TREASURER  
**NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION**  
**SAMPLE BALLOT**

To the voters of Wadena County

In the County of Wadena, State of Minnesota.

Notice is Hereby Given, That a General Election will be held in all the Election Precincts of Wadena County on Tuesday, the Eighth (8th) day of November, 2016, at which time the polls will be open from the hours of 7 o'clock AM (unless your municipality has published notice stating otherwise) to the hour of eight (8) o'clock PM for the purpose of electing candidates for the following offices:

**Federal Offices**

Ten Presidential Electors for the office of President and Vice-President of the United States  
One Representative in the United States House of Representatives in Congressional District: 8

**State Offices**

One State Senator in State Senate District: 9 or 2  
One State Representative in the Minnesota House of Representatives in Legislative District: 9A or 2B

**Constitutional Amendments**

Amendment 1  
Remove "Lawmakers" Power to Set Their Own Pay

**County Offices**

One Commissioner in County Commissioner District 2 or 4  
One Soil & Water Conservation District Supervisor in the Soil & Water District 4  
One Soil & Water Conservation District Supervisor in the Soil & Water District 5

**Judicial Offices**

**Supreme Court**  
Supreme Court Associate Justice 6

**Appeals Court**

Court of Appeals Judge 5	Court of Appeals Judge 8
Court of Appeals Judge 11	Court of Appeals Judge 13
Court of Appeals Judge 14	Court of Appeals Judge 16
Court of Appeals Judge 17	Court of Appeals Judge 18
Court of Appeals Judge 19	

**Seventh District Court**

District Court Judge 3 in the 7th Judicial District  
District Court Judge 22 in the 7th Judicial District  
District Court Judge 28 in the 7th Judicial District

District Court Judge 18 in the 7th Judicial District  
District Court Judge 25 in the 7th Judicial District

Dated October 20, 2016

Judy Taves County Auditor/Treasurer  
Wadena County Minnesota

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Instructions to Voters:  
To vote, completely fill in the oval(s) next to your choice(s) like this: ● .

Federal Offices	Constitutional Amendments	City Offices
<b>President and Vice-President</b> Vote for One Team	Failure to vote on a constitutional amendment will have the same effect as voting no on the amendment.	<b>Mayor</b> City of Staples Vote for One
<input type="radio"/> Donald J. Trump and Michael R. Pence Republican	To vote for a proposed constitutional amendment, fill in the oval next to the word "Yes" on that question. To vote against a proposed constitutional amendment, fill in the oval next to the word "No" on that question.	<input type="radio"/> Chris Etzler <i>write-in, if any</i>
<input type="radio"/> Hillary Clinton and Tim Kaine Democratic-Farmer-Labor	<b>Remove Lawmakers' Power to Set Their Own Pay</b>	<b>Mayor</b> City of Wadena Vote for One
<input type="radio"/> Darrell Castle and Scott Bradley Constitution Party	Shall the Minnesota Constitution be amended to remove state lawmakers' power to set their own salaries, and instead establish an independent, citizens-only council to prescribe salaries of lawmakers?	<input type="radio"/> Raye Ludovissie <i>write-in, if any</i>
<input type="radio"/> Dan R. Vacek and Mark Elworth, Jr. Legal Marijuana Now	<input type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> George Deiss <i>write-in, if any</i>
<input type="radio"/> Alyson Kennedy and Osborne Hart Socialist Workers Party	<input type="radio"/> No	<b>Council Member</b> City of Aldrich Vote for Up to Two
<input type="radio"/> Jill Stein and Howie Hawkins Green Party	<b>County Offices</b>	<input type="radio"/> Tim Ellingson <i>write-in, if any</i>
<input type="radio"/> "Rocky" Roque De La Fuente and Michael Steinberg American Delta Party	<b>County Commissioner</b> District 2 Vote for One	<input type="radio"/> Dennis Komulainen <i>write-in, if any</i>
<input type="radio"/> Evan McMullin and Nathan Johnson Independence	<input type="radio"/> Ralph Miller	<input type="radio"/> Kevin Milbradt <i>write-in, if any</i>
<input type="radio"/> Gary Johnson and William Weld Libertarian Party	<input type="radio"/> Jim Hofer	<input type="radio"/> Coleman Fydie <i>write-in, if any</i>
<i>write-in, if any</i>	<input type="radio"/> Chuck Horsager	<input type="radio"/> Aaron Frame <i>write-in, if any</i>
<b>U.S. Representative</b> District 8 Vote for One	<input type="radio"/> Murlyn Kreklau <i>write-in, if any</i>	<b>Council Member</b> City of Sebekka Vote for Up to Two
<input type="radio"/> Stewart Mills Republican	<b>Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisor</b> District 4 Vote for One	<input type="radio"/> Michael Lilquist
<input type="radio"/> Rick Nolan Democratic-Farmer-Labor	<input type="radio"/> Thomas (Tom) Schulz	<input type="radio"/> Nathan Nims <i>write-in, if any</i>
<i>write-in, if any</i>	<input type="radio"/> Bruce Juntunen	<input type="radio"/> Gary VanDam
<b>State Offices</b>	<input type="radio"/> Randy Wenthold <i>write-in, if any</i>	<input type="radio"/> Tara Erckenbrack
<b>State Senator</b> District 2 Vote for One	<b>City Offices</b>	<input type="radio"/> Jeremy Umland
<input type="radio"/> Paul Utke Republican	<b>Mayor</b> City of Aldrich Vote for One	<input type="radio"/> Jim Ackerson <i>write-in, if any</i>
<input type="radio"/> Rod Skoe Democratic-Farmer-Labor	<i>write-in, if any</i>	<input type="radio"/> Jim Ackerson <i>write-in, if any</i>
<i>write-in, if any</i>	<b>Mayor</b> City of Menahga Vote for One	<input type="radio"/> Jim Ackerson <i>write-in, if any</i>
<b>State Senator</b> District 9 Vote for One	<input type="radio"/> Jensine Kurtti	<b>Council Member</b> City of Vermdale Vote for Up to Two
<input type="radio"/> Paul Gazelka Republican	<input type="radio"/> Patrick Foss <i>write-in, if any</i>	<input type="radio"/> Gary VanDam
<input type="radio"/> Jason Weirnerman Democratic-Farmer-Labor	<i>write-in, if any</i>	<input type="radio"/> Tara Erckenbrack
<i>write-in, if any</i>	<b>Mayor</b> City of Nimrod Vote for One	<input type="radio"/> Jeremy Umland
<b>State Offices</b>	<input type="radio"/> Keith Frame	<input type="radio"/> Jim Ackerson <i>write-in, if any</i>
<b>State Representative</b> District 2B Vote for One	<i>write-in, if any</i>	<input type="radio"/> Jim Ackerson <i>write-in, if any</i>
<input type="radio"/> Steve Green Republican	<b>Mayor</b> City of Sebekka Vote for One	<b>Council Member</b> City of Wadena Vote for Up to Two
<input type="radio"/> Bryan Klabunde Democratic-Farmer-Labor	<input type="radio"/> David A. Anderson	<input type="radio"/> Jessie Gibbs
<i>write-in, if any</i>	<input type="radio"/> James K Murphy	<input type="radio"/> Wade Miller
<b>State Representative</b> District 9A Vote for One	<i>write-in, if any</i>	<input type="radio"/> Troy Pierce <i>write-in, if any</i>
<input type="radio"/> John M. Poston Republican	<i>write-in, if any</i>	<i>write-in, if any</i>
<input type="radio"/> Meg Litts Democratic-Farmer-Labor	<i>write-in, if any</i>	<i>write-in, if any</i>
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City Offices	School District Offices	Judicial Offices
<b>Council Member</b> City of Staples Vote for Up to Four	<b>School Board Member</b> Independent School District No. 821 (Menahga) Vote for Up to Three	<b>Court of Appeals</b>
<input type="radio"/> Rachel Johnson	<input type="radio"/> Brad Goehrig	<input type="radio"/> Louise Dovre Bjorkman Incumbent
<input type="radio"/> Douglas M. Case	<input type="radio"/> Jon Kangas	<i>write-in, if any</i>
<input type="radio"/> Charles Tester	<input type="radio"/> Robert E. Smith	<b>Judge 8</b> Vote for One
<input type="radio"/> Brian Fisher	<input type="radio"/> Julia Kicker	<input type="radio"/> Denise D. Reilly Incumbent
<input type="radio"/> Mary M. Theurer	<input type="radio"/> Curtis Hasbargen	<i>write-in, if any</i>
<i>write-in, if any</i>	<i>write-in, if any</i>	<b>Judge 11</b> Vote for One
<i>write-in, if any</i>	<i>write-in, if any</i>	<input type="radio"/> Michelle A. Larkin Incumbent
<i>write-in, if any</i>	<i>write-in, if any</i>	<i>write-in, if any</i>
<i>write-in, if any</i>	<b>School District Offices</b>	<b>Judge 13</b> Vote for One
<b>City Offices</b>	<b>School Board Member</b> Independent School District No. 2155 (Wadena-Deer Creek) Vote for Up to Three	<input type="radio"/> Randolph W. Peterson Incumbent
<b>Special Election For Council Member</b> City of Menahga To fill vacancy in term expiring January 7, 2019 Vote for One	<input type="radio"/> Dan Lawson	<i>write-in, if any</i>
<input type="radio"/> Maxine (Norman) McNeece	<input type="radio"/> Ryan Damlo	<b>Judge 14</b> Vote for One
<input type="radio"/> Kim Raemoseper	<input type="radio"/> Vince Hinojos	<input type="radio"/> Larry Stauber Jr. Incumbent
<i>write-in, if any</i>	<input type="radio"/> Keith Scrimitt	<i>write-in, if any</i>
<b>City Clerk</b> City of Aldrich Vote for One	<i>write-in, if any</i>	<b>Judge 16</b> Vote for One
<i>write-in, if any</i>	<i>write-in, if any</i>	<input type="radio"/> Peter M. Reyes, Jr. Incumbent
<i>write-in, if any</i>	<i>write-in, if any</i>	<i>write-in, if any</i>
<i>write-in, if any</i>	<b>School Board Member</b> Independent School District No. 2170 (Staples-Motley) Vote for Up to Three	<b>Judge 17</b> Vote for One
<b>City Treasurer</b> City of Nimrod Vote for One	<input type="radio"/> Bryan Winkels	<input type="radio"/> Matthew E. Johnson Incumbent
<input type="radio"/> Jeannie Arthur	<input type="radio"/> Creig Dobson	<i>write-in, if any</i>
<i>write-in, if any</i>	<input type="radio"/> Chad Longbella	<b>Judge 18</b> Vote for One
<b>School District Offices</b>	<input type="radio"/> Greg Frisk	<input type="radio"/> Heidi Schellhas Incumbent
<b>School Board Member</b> Independent School District No. 818 (Vermdale) Vote for Up to Three	<i>write-in, if any</i>	<b>Judge 19</b> Vote for One
<input type="radio"/> Shyla Hess	<i>write-in, if any</i>	<input type="radio"/> Francis Connolly Incumbent
<input type="radio"/> Chris Youngbauer	<b>Special District Offices</b>	<i>write-in, if any</i>
<input type="radio"/> Marcus Edin	<b>United Hospital District</b> Board Member At Large Vote for One	<b>Judicial Offices</b>
<i>write-in, if any</i>	<input type="radio"/> Robert M. Mueller	<b>7th District Court</b>
<i>write-in, if any</i>	<i>write-in, if any</i>	<b>Judge 3</b> Vote for One
<b>School Board Member</b> Independent School District No. 820 (Sebekka) Vote for Up to Three	<input type="radio"/> Michael Fritz Incumbent	<input type="radio"/> Daniel A. Benson Incumbent
<input type="radio"/> Charles Funk	<b>Judicial Offices</b>	<i>write-in, if any</i>
<input type="radio"/> Rodney Huttunen	<b>Supreme Court</b>	<b>Judge 18</b> Vote for One
<input type="radio"/> Eric S. Nelson	<b>Associate Justice 6</b> Vote for One	<input type="radio"/> Michael Fritz Incumbent
<i>write-in, if any</i>	<input type="radio"/> Natalie Hudson Incumbent	<i>write-in, if any</i>
<i>write-in, if any</i>	<input type="radio"/> Michelle L. MacDonald	<b>Judge 22</b> Vote for One
<i>write-in, if any</i>	<i>write-in, if any</i>	<input type="radio"/> Sally Ireland Robertson Incumbent
<i>write-in, if any</i>	<i>write-in, if any</i>	<i>write-in, if any</i>
<i>write-in, if any</i>	<i>write-in, if any</i>	<b>Judge 25</b> Vote for One
<i>write-in, if any</i>	<i>write-in, if any</i>	<input type="radio"/> John H. Scherer Incumbent
<i>write-in, if any</i>	<i>write-in, if any</i>	<i>write-in, if any</i>
<i>write-in, if any</i>	<i>write-in, if any</i>	<b>Judge 28</b> Vote for One
<i>write-in, if any</i>	<i>write-in, if any</i>	<input type="radio"/> Douglas P. Anderson Incumbent
<i>write-in, if any</i>	<i>write-in, if any</i>	<i>write-in, if any</i>

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