

Notice of Spring Election and Sample Ballots February 18, 2025

Office of the Green Lake County Clerk

To the voters of Green Lake County:

Notice is hereby given of a spring election to be held in Green Lake County on February 18, 2025, at which the officers named below shall be chosen. 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.

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 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.

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.

After Voting the Ballot

After an official **optical scan ballot** is marked, the voter may insert the ballot in the voting device or deliver the ballot to an inspector for deposit. The voter shall leave the polling place promptly.

Spoiling Ballots

If a voter spoils an **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.

At right is a sample of the official ballot:

Elizabeth A. Otto
Green Lake County Clerk

**Official Primary Ballot
Nonpartisan Office
February 18, 2025**

Notice to voters: if you are voting on Election Day, your ballot must be initialed by two (2) election inspectors. If you are voting absentee, your ballot must be initialed by the municipal clerk or deputy clerk. Your ballot may not be counted without initials (see end of ballot for initials).

General Instructions

If you make a mistake on your ballot or have a question, ask an election inspector for help (absentee voters: contact your municipal clerk).

To vote for a name on the ballot, fill in the oval next to the name like this: ●

To vote for a name that is not on the ballot, write the name on the line marked "write-in" and fill in the oval next to the name like this: ●

State Superintendent of Public Instruction

State Superintendent
Vote for 1

Jeff Wright

Brittany Kinser

Jill Underly

write-in: _____

SAMPLE

<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">Official Primary Ballot Nonpartisan Office February 18, 2025 for</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Green Lake County</p>	<p>Ballot issued by _____</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">Initials of election inspectors</p> <p>Absentee ballot issued by _____</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">Initials of Municipal Clerk or Deputy Clerk</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">If issued by SVDs, both must initial</p> <p>Certification of Voter Assistance</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">I certify that I marked or read aloud this ballot at the request and direction of a voter who is authorized under Wis. Stat. §6.82 to receive assistance.</p> <p>_____ Signature of assistor</p>	<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">For Official Use Only</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">Inspectors: Identify ballots required to be remade:</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;"><input type="checkbox"/> Overvoted</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;"><input type="checkbox"/> Damaged</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;"><input type="checkbox"/> Other</p> <table style="width: 100%; font-size: x-small;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%;">If this is the Original Ballot, write the serial number here: _____</td> <td style="width: 50%;">If this is the Duplicate Ballot, write the serial number here: _____</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" style="text-align: center; font-size: x-small;">Initials of inspectors who remade ballot</td> </tr> </table>	If this is the Original Ballot, write the serial number here: _____	If this is the Duplicate Ballot, write the serial number here: _____	Initials of inspectors who remade ballot	
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Notice of Location and Hours of Polling Place

At the Primary Election to be held on February 18, 2025 in the cities, towns and villages of Green Lake County, the following polling place locations will be used for all wards:

<p>TOWN OF BERLIN Town Hall N9291 Willard Rd. Berlin, WI 54923 Brenda Murkley, Clerk 920-361-4717 (Ext. 100)</p>	<p>TOWN OF ST. MARIE Town Hall N7090 County Road D Princeton, WI 54968 Joan Beck, Clerk 920-294-6493</p>	<p>TOWN OF MACKFORD Town Hall N2270 County Road A Markesan, WI 53946 Andrea Dillie, Clerk 608-297-0107</p>	<p>CITY OF GREEN LAKE City Hall 534 Mill Street Green Lake, WI 54941 Barbara L. Dugenske, Clerk 920-294-6912</p>
<p>TOWN OF BROOKLYN Town Hall N5988 County Road A Green Lake, WI 54941 Amy Wesenberg, Clerk 920-294-6600</p>	<p>TOWN OF SENECA Town Hall W3102 County Road F Berlin, WI 54923 Rose Wick, Clerk 920-229-0124</p>	<p>TOWN OF MANCHESTER Manchester Senior Center N1645 School Street Manchester, WI 53946 Vicki Sievert, Clerk 920-767-1695</p>	<p>CITY OF MARKESAN City Hall 150 S. Bridge Street Markesan, WI 53946 Tamra Harrington, Clerk-Treas. 920-398-3031</p>
<p>TOWN OF GREEN LAKE Town Hall N4454 Horner Road Ripon, WI 54971 Katie Mehn, Clerk 920-463-0938</p>	<p>VILLAGE OF KINGSTON Village Hall 105 W. Ann Street Kingston, WI 53939 Kathy Jerome, Clerk-Treas. 920-394-3309</p>	<p>TOWN OF MARQUETTE Town Hall 306 Lyons St. Marquette, WI 53947 Brittney Frederick, Clerk 920-203-8009</p>	<p>CITY OF PRINCETON Princeton Fire Station 431 W. Main Street Princeton, WI 54968 Elizabeth Amend, City Clerk 920-295-6612</p>
<p>TOWN OF KINGSTON Town Hall W6368 E. Pine St. Dalton, WI 53926 Traci Campnell, Clerk 920-394-2208</p>	<p>VILLAGE OF MARQUETTE Village Hall 127 E. Fourth Street Marquette, WI 53947 Sue Geralsi, Clerk 920-394-9361</p>	<p>TOWN OF PRINCETON Town Hall N5865 County Road D Princeton, WI 54968 Jill Bartol, Clerk 920-295-2067</p>	<p>CITY OF BERLIN Berlin Armory 147 Memorial Drive Berlin, WI 54923 Jessi Balcom, Clerk/Administrator 920-361-5400</p>

**All polling places will open at 7:00 A.M. and will close at 8:00 P.M.
All polling places are accessible to elderly and voters with disabilities.**

If you have any questions concerning your polling place, contact the municipal clerk listed above.

Notice of Meeting of the Local and Municipal Board of Canvassers (MBOC)

At the close of voting on Election Day, pursuant to the provisions of Wis. Stat. §19.84, the Election Inspectors will convene as a joint meeting of the Local Board of Canvassers and the MBOC for the purpose of conducting the local and municipal canvasses pursuant to Wis. Stat. §7.51 and 7.53(1). This meeting will be open to the public pursuant to Wis. Stat. §19.81-89.

Notice of Meeting of MBOC to Process Rehabilitated Provisional Ballots

If provisional ballots have been issued and are subsequently cured by the voter before 4:00 p.m. on the Friday after the election, the MBOC must meet no later than the following Monday at 9:00 a.m. to process the cured provisional ballots. This is a public meeting and requires applicable notice.

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