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Election Day UPDATE - Summer 2014

My fellow residents of Detroit, on Tuesday, August 5, 2014 a State Primary will be held to nominate candidates for Federal, State and Local offices. Precinct Delegates to the County Convention will also be on the ballot, along with the proposals.

Precinct Delegates assist their political parties in "grass roots" voter education, registration and Election Day mobilization in their elected precincts. They also serve as liaisons between the political party, government and their constituents.

The "Election Connection" newsletter has been mailed to each registered voter household in Detroit to provide you with information concerning the Primary. Before going to the polls on Election Day, use the sample ballot to select the candidates you wish to vote for. Take your sample ballot with your predetermined candidates to the voting booth and transfer your choices to the actual ballot that will be issued to you at your polling precinct.

This is a very important Primary for our city and state. We must make democracy work

for us by learning about those you wish to vote for. To ensure that you are choosing the right candidates to represent you, it is important to research them using the local newspapers, other forms of media and online sources. Also attend and actively participate in as many candidate forums as possible. You may even invite candidates to your block club and community meetings. Remember, knowledge is power.

Those who qualify may vote by absentee ballot at the Department of Elections through August 4th. Office hours are Monday - Saturday 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. On Monday, August 4th, you may vote by absentee in the office until 4:00 p.m. If you wish to have an absentee ballot mailed to you, please contact the Absentee Voting Unit at (313) 876-0212. Satellites at Wayne County Community College District's Eastern and Northwest campuses will be open for absentee voting Monday through Friday beginning Monday, July 21st through Monday, August 4th, 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Remember:

- Refer to the political composition chart on the back page to determine your respective districts, voting precinct and Election Day polling location.
- When going to vote, please be prepared to present photo ID. If you do not have photo ID, you must fill out and sign an affidavit.
- Polls open at 7:00 a.m. and close at 8:00 p.m. Anyone in line before the polls close will be allowed to vote.

For further information, please contact the Department of Elections at (313) 876-0190.

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Convicted Felons Do Have Voting Rights



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Write-In Candidates

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Primary Ballot Election Instructions

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Official Ballot
Primary Election

Tuesday, August 5, 2014 Wayne County, Michigan City of Detroit		
PARTISAN VOTE ONLY 1 F	N SECTION PARTY SECTION	PROPOSAL SECTION
REPUBLICAN PARTY	DEMOCRATIC PARTY	STATE
SECTION STATE	STATE	PROPOSAL 14-1 APPROVAL OR DISAPPROVAL OF AMENDATIORY ACT TO REDUCE STATE USE TAX AND REPLACE WITH
GOVERNOR Vote for not more than 1	GOVERNOR Vote for not more than 1	A LOCAL COMMUNITY STABILIZATION SHARE TO MODERNIZE THE TAX
Rick Snyder	Mark Schauer	SYSTEM TO HELP SMALL BUSINESSES GROW AND CREATE JOBS
CONGRESSIONAL	CONGRESSIONAL	The amendatory act adopted by the Legislature would:
UNITED STATES SENATOR Vote for not more than 1 Terri Lynn Land	UNITED STATES SENATOR Vote for not more than 1 Gary Peters	Reduce the state use tax and replace with a local community stabilization share of the tax for the purpose of modernizing the tax system to help small businesses grow and create jobs in Michigan.
		2. Require Local Community Stabilization Authority to provide revenue to local
REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS 14th DISTRICT	REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS 14th DISTRICT	governments dedicated for local purposes, including police safety, fire protection, and ambulance emergency services.
Vote for not more than 1	Vote for not more than 1	Increase portion of state use tax dedicated for aid to local school districts.
Christina Conyers	Hansen Clarke Burgess D. Foster	4. Prohibit Authority from increasing taxes.5. Prohibit total use tax rate from
LEGISLATIVE	Rudy Hobbs	exceeding existing constitutional 6% limitation.
STATE SENATOR	Brenda Lawrence	Should this law be approved?
1st DISTRICT Vote for not more than 1	L FOIGLATIVE	YES
Barry Berk	LEGISLATIVE	CITY
REPRESENTATIVE IN	STATE SENATOR 1st DISTRICT Vote for not more than 1	CITY OF DETROIT PROPOSAL L: LIBRARY OPERATING
STATE LEGISLATURE 2nd DISTRICT	Coleman Young	MILLAGE RENEWAL Shall the tax limitation on taxable property
Vote for not more than 1 Daniel J. Lamar COUNTY	REPRESENTATIVE IN STATE LEGISLATURE 2nd DISTRICT Vote for not more than 1	for operating and maintaining the Detroit Public Libraries, be renewed for up to 3.9943 mills (\$3.9943 on each \$1000.00 of taxable value) for 10 years (July 1, 2015 to June 30, 2025)? This renewal combines two millages that voters approved on November 2, 2004, which expire June 30, 2015. 3.9943 mills will raise estimated
COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Andrew Casazza	revenue of \$37,700,000.00 the first year, if approved, levied, and 100% collected. Of this, 5% may be captured by the tax
Vote for not more than 1	Bill Miller	increment authorities under the Detroit Economic Growth Corporation, as required
Fred A. Bolden John Dalton	Alberta Tinsley Talabi	by state law.
Daniel K. Wenderlich	COUNTY	YES ONO
	COUNTY EXECUTIVE Vote for not more than 1	
	Adam Salam Adamski	<u> </u>
	Phil Cavanagh Cindy Darrah	2
	Warren C. Evans	
	Robert A. Ficano	>
	Russell George Leviska	2
	Kevin M. McNamara Bettie Cook Scott	<u>-</u>
	Sigmunt John Szczepkowski, Jr.	>
	William R. Wild	2
	Christopher Wojtowicz	<u> </u>
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PARTISAN SECTION - CONTINUED VOTE ONLY 1 PARTY SECTION PROPOSAL SECTION CONTINUED **REPUBLICAN** DÉMOCBÂTIC **DEMOCRATIC** PARTY SECTION PARTY SECTION INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT COUNTY COUNTY WAYNE COUNTY REGIONAL EDUCATIONAL SERVICE AGENCY REGIONAL ENHANCEMENT MILLAGE PROPOSAL **COUNTY COMMISSIONER COUNTY COMMISSIONER** 2nd DISTRICT 2nd DISTRICT Pursuant to state law, the revenue raised by the proposed enhancement millage will be collected by the Wayne County Regional Educational Service Agency and distributed to local public school districts within the boundaries of the Wayne County Regional Educational Service Agency hased on publi membership count Vote for not more than 1 Vote for not more than 1 David A. Dudenhoefer Dale Foster **Mark Anthony Murphy Billy Lee Pettiway DELEGATE** Jewel Ware based on pupil membership count. **DELEGATE TO COUNTY** Shall the limitation on the amount of ad Shall the limitation on the amount of ad valorem taxes which may be imposed on taxable property in the Wayne County Regional Educational Service Agency, Michigan, be increased by 2.00 mills (\$2 per thousand dollars of taxable value) for a period of six (6) years, 2014 to 2019, inclusive, as new additional millage to revide operating funds to phages other CONVENTION Vote for not more than 1 **DELEGATE DELEGATE TO COUNTY** CONVENTION Vote for not more than 3 provide operating funds to enhance other state and local funding for local school district operating purposes? It is estimated that 2 mills would raise approximately \$80,000,000 when first levied in 2014. The revenue from this millage will be disbursed to the following school districts: disbursed to the following school districts:

Allen Park Public Schools, Crestwood School District, Dearborn City School District, Dearborn Heights School District #7, School District of the City of Detroit, Ecorse Public School District of the City of Detroit, Ecorse Public School District, Flat Rock Community Schools, School District of the City of Garden City, Gibraltar School District, Grosse Ile Township Schools, The Grosse Pointe Public School System, Hamtramck Public Schools City of Harper Woods Schools, School District of the City of Highland Park, Huron School District, School District of the City of Lincoln Park, Livonia Public Schools, Melvindale - Northern Allen Park Schools, Melvindale - Northern Allen Park Schools, Northville Public Schools, Plymouth-Canton Community Schools, Redford Union School District, Riiver Rouge School District, Riiver Rouge School District, Romulus Community School District, Romulus Community School District, Romulus Community School District, Rouge School District, Rouge Schools, Wan Buren Public Schools, Wayne-Westland Community School District, Westwood Community School District, Westwood Community School District, Wyandotte City School District. YES NO

Candidates for the Primary • Tuesday, August 5, 2014 • Wayne County, Michigan • City of Detroit

REPUBLICAN REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS 13TH DISTRICT JEFF GORMAN 14TH DISTRICT CHRISTINA CONYERS REPUBLICAN STATE SENATOR **1ST DISTRICT** BARRY BERK 2ND DISTRICT MARK ASHLEY PRICE 3RD DISTRICT MATTHEW KELLER **4TH DISTRICT** KEITH FRANKLIN **5TH DISTRICT** JENNIFER RYNICKI REPUBLICAN REPRESENTATIVE IN STATE **LEGISLATURE** 1st DISTRICT JOHN HAULER 2ND DISTRICT DANIEL J. LAMAR 3RD DISTRICT DOLORES BRODERSEN **4TH DISTRICT** EDITH FLOYD **5TH DISTRICT** DOROTHY PATTERSON **6TH DISTRICT** TAIRIA BRIDGES **7TH DISTRICT** DAVID BRADLEY 8TH DISTRICT CHRISTOPHER EWALD 9TH DISTRICT **JAMES STEPHENS** 10TH DISTRICT MATTHEW X. HAUSER REPUBLICAN **COUNTY EXECUTIVE** FRED A. BOLDEN JOHN DALTON DANIEL K. WENDERLICH REPUBLICAN **COUNTY COMMISSIONER 1ST DISTRICT** JOHN W. STEININGER 2ND DISTRICT DAVID A. DUDENHOEFER **3RD DISTRICT** MATT SCHONERT DEMOCRATIC REPRESENTATIVE IN **CONGRESS**

13TH DISTRICT

JOHN CONYERS, JR. HORACE SHEFFIELD

14TH DISTRICT HANSEN CLARKE BURGESS D. FOSTER RUDY HOBBS BRENDA LAWRENCE DEMOCRATIC STATE SENATOR 1ST DISTRICT COLEMAN YOUNG 2ND DISTRICT BERT JOHNSON **GEORGIA LEMMONS** TARAS NYKORIAK **IOHN OLUMBA** 3RD DISTRICT MORRIS HOOD 4TH DISTRICT VIRGIL SMITH RASHIDA TLAIB HOWARD WORTHY **5TH DISTRICT** SHANELLE JACKSON DAVID KNEZEK DAVID E. NATHAN CARRIE J. O'CONNOR THOMAS F. STALLWORTH III FRANK A. TOMCSIK **DEMOCRATIC** REPRESENTATIVE IN STATE **LEGISLATURE 1ST DISTRICT** BRIAN BANKS PAUL FILLMORE COREY JOSEF GILCHRIST TARYN JONES MICHAEL KOESTER HARRY SCOTT REBECCA THOMPSON 2ND DISTRICT ANDREW CASAZZA BILL MILLER ALBERTA TINSLEY TALABI 3RD DISTRICT WENDELL L. BYRD JERMAINE DAVIS CLARENCE GAYLES MELIA HOWARD STEVEN W. LETT CARRON L. PINKINS VANESSA SIMPSON OLIVE DORTHEA E. THOMAS 4TH DISTRICT MOHAMMED HASSAN ROSE MARY C. ROBINSON **5TH DISTRICT** JAMEKA ARMSTRONG FRED DURHAL CYNTHIA A. JOHNSON WILLIAM PHILLIPS ISHMAIL TERRY TONYA RENAY WELLS **6TH DISTRICT** TYRONE CARTER STEPHANIE CHANG EZE EIELONU ELENA HERRADA CASONDRIA WALKER KEITH PATRICK D. O'CONNELL

VERL JEAN PITTMAN

JAMES COLE, JR. LATANYA GARRETT **KURT SWANSON** BERNARD THOMPSON NICOLE WELLS STALLWORTH JEANETTE BROWN WILLIAMS 8TH DISTRICT SHERRY GAY-DAGNOGO MIA GRILLIER NICHOLE HAMPTON MUHSIN MUHAMMAD I STACY PUGH CYRUS L. WHEELER 9TH DISTRICT **HUSSEIN BERRY** HARVEY SANTANA 10TH DISTRICT RONALD J. COLE BRANDON A. JESSUP JAY JOHNSON LESLIE LOVE ROY MCCALISTER, JR. **DEMOCRATIC COUNTY EXECUTIVE** ADAM SALAM ADAMSKI PHIL CAVANAGH CINDY DARRAH WARREN C. EVANS ROBERT A. FICANO RUSSELL GEORGE LEVISKA KEVIN M. MCNAMARA BETTIE COOK SCOTT SIGMUNT JOHN SZCZEPKOWSKI, JR. WILLIAM R. WILD CHRISTOPHER WOJTOWICZ DEMOCRATIC **COUNTY COMMISSIONER 1ST DISTRICT** FRANK ACCAVITTI, JR. LATISHA JOHNSON TIM KILLEEN 2ND DISTRICT DALE FOSTER MARK ANTHONY MURPHY BILLY LEE PETTIWAY JEWEL WARE 3RD DISTRICT FRANCINE ADAMS KHURSHEED ASH-SHAFII LAMAR LEMMONS MARTHA G. SCOTT **4TH DISTRICT** LISA CARTER ILONA VARGA **5TH DISTRICT** MICHELLE BROUGHTON IRMA CLARK-COLEMAN **6TH DISTRICT** BURTON LELAND MONIQUE BAKER MCCORMICK RAMON J. PATRICK

7TH DISTRICT

GARY ROQUEMORE

ALISHA BELL

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Elección Primaria Martes 5 de Agosto, 2014 Condado de Wayne, Michigan

PARA VOTAR: Llene completamente el ovalo opuesto a su elección como se muestra:

IMPORTANTE: Para marcar su voto, use tan solo bolígrafo de tinta azul o negra. ¡NO USE NINGUN OTRO COLOR DE TINTA!

SECCION DEL PARTIDO: Para votar en la sección de Partido de la boleta, usted puede votar una "Boleta Entera", o una "Boleta Dividida" o una "Boleta Combinada"

Boleta Entera: Vote por el partido de su elección. No necesita hacer nada más en la Sección del Partido.

Boleta Dividida: Usted puede votar por con por boleta entera Y votar por un candidato individual de su elección.

Boleta Combinada: Vote por el candidato individual de su elección para cada oficina.

LAS SECCIONES SIN PARTIDO y DE PROPUESTAS de la boleta deben ser votadas por separado.

NO VOTE por más candidatos a los indicados bajo el titulo de cada oficina.

CANDIDATOS ESCRITOS: Para votar por un candidato cuyo nombre NO está impreso en la boleta, escriba o ponga el nombre de ese candidato en el espacio en blanco y llene por completo el ovalo. Debe hacer esto aun si está votando con una Boleta Entera por un Partido. NO escriba el nombre de un candidato cuyo nombre ya está impreso en la boleta para esa posición u oficina.

REVISE AMBOS LADOS DE LA BOLETA: Esta boleta tiene dos lados. Asegúrese de checar el reverso de la boleta.

CUANDO TERMINE DE VOTAR: Ponga su boleta dentro del sobre de manera que sus votos no puedan ser vistos y que el talón numerado sea visible. Entregue su boleta al oficial de la elección que se encuentre en el tabulador. (Si está votando con una boleta de ausente, siga las instrucciones dadas por el encargado para regresar su boleta).

NOTA: Si comete un error, regrese su boleta al oficial de la elección y obtenga una boleta nueva. NO intente borrar o corregir ninguna marca hecha por error.

الإنتخبات الأولية

الثلاثاء

مقاطعة واين، ميشيغان

للانتخاب: قم بتعليم الشكل البيضاوي المقابل لكل اختيار كاملا كالتالي: هم: المنافعة ا

القسم الحزبي: للانتخاب في القسم الحزبي، يمكنك انتخاب «اللائحة كاملة» أو «اللائحة منقسمة» أو «اللائحة مختطلة».

«اللائحة كاملة»: انتخب الحزب الذي تختاره. لا حاجة للقيام بأي شيء اخر في القسم الحزبي.

«اللائحة منقسمة»: بامكانك انتخاب «اللائحة كاملة» بإلاضافة الى انتخاب مرشحين أفراد من اختيارك.

«اللائحة مختلطة»؛ انتخب مرشح من اختيارك لكل منصب على حدة.

القسم غير الحزبي و المقترحات الانتخابية؛ على ورقة الاقتراع عليك ان تنتخب المرشحين بشكل منفصل.

لا تنتخب عدد من المرشحين يفوق العدد المطلوب حسب المبين لكل منصب.

مرشحون تكتب اسماءهم بنفسك: لانتخاب مرشح اسمه غير مطبوع على ورقة الاقتراع، اكتب أو ضع اسم المرشح في الفراغ المخصص لذلك وقم بتعليم الشكل البيضاوي المقابل له كاملا. هذه الخطوة عليك القيام بها حتى لو انتخبت لائحة حزبية كاملة. ًلا تقم بتدوين اسم المرشح اذا اسمه كان موجودا اصلا تحت المنصب الذي تريد انتخابه له.

قم بالتحقق من جهتي ورقة الاقتراع: ان ورقة الاقتراع هذه لها جهتين. تأكد من أنك تحققت من الجهة المقابلة من ورقة الاقتراع.

عندما تنتهي من عملية الانتخاب؛ قم بوضع ورقة الاقتراع في «ظرف السرية» حتى تتاكد أن اختياراتك لا يمكن ان يراها أحد. تاكد أن رقم ورقة الاقتراع يبقى ظاهراً عند ادخاله في «ظرف السرية» ثم أعيد ورقة الاقتراع الى المسئوول الانتخابي عن الحاسوب. (اذا كنت تنتخب عبر ورقة اقتراع غيابية، اتبع التعليمات الصادرة عن الكاتب (كليرك) لتسليم ورقة الاقتراع).

ملاحظة: في حال اقترفت خطًا في تعبئة ورقة الاقتراع، يمكنك مراجعة المسئوول الانتخابي للحصول على نسخة جديدة لاستخدامها. لا تحاول أن تمحو أي علامات وضعتها بالخطأ على ورقة الاقتراع.

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