

NOTICE OF CITY/SCHOOL ELECTION

All the qualified Electors of Pocahontas County, Iowa are hereby notified that a combined City/School Election will be held on Tuesday, November 2, 2021.
All polls in Pocahontas County will be open from 7:00 a.m. till 8:00 p.m.

PLEASE NOTE CHANGE: ALL POLLING LOCATIONS FOR THE COMBINED CITY/SCHOOL ELECTION MAY BE DIFFERENT THAN YOUR NORMAL POLLING LOCATIONS.

Please read this notice carefully to determine your correct voting location. If you are unsure of your polling place for this election, please contact the Pocahontas County Auditor & Commissioner of Elections at (712) 335-3361 or by email at kjepson@pocahontascounty.iowa.gov. You may also verify the voting location for your home address at: <https://sos.iowa.gov/elections/voterreg/pollingplace/search.aspx>.

VOTING PRECINCTS AND POLLING PLACES

Precinct	Includes	Polling Place
Precinct 1	City of Laurens, Townships of Swan Lake & North Marshall	Laurens Municipal Building 227 N 3rd St Laurens, IA
Precinct 2	Cities of Havelock, Plover & Rolfe, Townships of Cummins, Powhatan, Des Moines, North Sherman, North Roosevelt & North Garfield	Rolfe Community Center 319 Garfield Ave Rolfe, IA
Precinct 3	Townships of South Marshall, South Sherman & Grant	Pocahontas County Expo Center 310 NE 1st St, Pocahontas, IA Normally at: Pocahontas Fire Station
Precinct 4	City of Pocahontas	Pocahontas County Expo Center 310 NE 1st St, Pocahontas, IA Normally at: Courthouse Assembly Rm
Precinct 5	Cities of Pocahontas & Gilmore City, Townships of South Roosevelt, North Lincoln, North Lake, South Garfield, and Center Township Outside Pocahontas City Limits	Pocahontas County Expo Center 310 NE 1st St, Pocahontas, IA Normally at: Pocahontas Public Library
Precinct 6	Cities of Fonda & Varina Townships of Dover, Cedar & Colfax	Fonda Fire Department 813 N Queen St, Fonda, IA Normally at: Fonda Community Center
Precinct 7	City of Palmer, Townships of South Lincoln, Bellville, South Lake & Lizard	Palmer Community Center 415 Hansen Ave Palmer, IA

Pre-registered voters are required to provide an approved form of identification at the polling place before receiving and casting a regular ballot. Voters who are not pre-registered, such as voters registering to vote on Election Day and voters changing precincts, must also provide proof of residence. A voter who is unable to provide an approved form of identification (or prove residence if required) may: 1.) have voter’s identity/residence attested to by another registered voter in the precinct. Attesters for voters unable to provide proper identification at the polls must themselves provide proper identification before signing the attester’s oath. 2.) prove identity and residence using Election Day Registration documents, or 3.) cast a provisional ballot and provide proof of identity/residence at the County Auditor’s office by NOON on Monday, November 8, 2021. For additional information about providing proof of identity and/or residence visit: <https://sos.iowa.gov/voterid> or phone (712) 335-3361.

Absentee ballots are available for in-person absentee voting in the County Auditor’s office during regular business hours, 8:00 a.m. till 4:00 p.m., Monday – Friday, until 4:00 p.m. on Monday, November 1, 2021. Voters may check the status of their absentee ballot by contacting the Pocahontas County Auditor’s Office or at www.sos.iowa.gov/elections/absenteeballotstatus/search.


Any voter who is physically unable to enter a polling place has the right to vote in the voter’s vehicle. For further information, please contact the Pocahontas County Auditor’s Office at (712) 335-3361 or email kjepson@pocahontascounty.iowa.gov. For TTY access, dial 711+712-335-3361.

PUBLIC TEST OF VOTER EQUIPMENT

The public test of Pocahontas County’s voter equipment to be used in the November 2, 2021 combined City/School Election will commence at 9:00 a.m. on October 27, 2021, in the Board of Supervisors Room, located on the second floor of the Pocahontas County Courthouse, and will continue until completed. The public is invited to attend. For further information, please contact the Pocahontas County Auditor’s office at the contact information listed above.

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO VOTERS

The Pocahontas County Auditor and Commissioner of Elections does hereby certify that the listing below is representative of the ballot which the voters will cast their votes at the combined City/School Election held on November 2, 2021. The following offices and candidates will appear on the ballots in the specific jurisdictions:

CITY CANDIDATES	SCHOOL DISTRICT CANDIDATES
Candidates are listed in the order they will appear on the ballots for voters in the respective cities.	Candidates are listed in the order they will appear on the ballots for voters in the respective school districts.
<p>CITY OF FONDA</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• For Mayor - vote for no more than ONE<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Don Wolf• For Council - vote for no more than TWO<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Logan Duane Nehman○ Janelle Block○ Brian Larsen○ Cory Walker <p>CITY OF GILMORE CITY</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• For Mayor - vote for no more than ONE<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Landon Bailey○ Bruce D. Torkelson• For Council - vote for no more than TWO<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Tom Cavanaugh○ Lavonne Hoover○ Irina Jacobs <p>CITY OF HAVELOCK</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• For Mayor - vote for no more than ONE<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Duane Stearns• For Council - vote for no more than THREE<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Tina Jehle○ Joseph Smith○ No Candidate Filed• For Council To Fill Vacancy- vote for no more than ONE<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Alan Hubbell <p>CITY OF LAURENS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• For Council - vote for no more than TWO<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Elsa Jean Swanson○ John Jamison• For Council To Fill Vacancy- vote for no more than ONE<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Loren Booth <p>CITY OF PALMER</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• For Mayor - vote for no more than ONE<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Robert Rosenboom• For Council - vote for no more than THREE<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Bette Wamke○ Melinda Habben○ Marvin G. Alig <p>CITY OF PLOVER</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• For Mayor - vote for no more than ONE<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Kirk Hubbell• For Council - vote for no more than TWO<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Jacob Point○ Randall Lauderback <p>CITY OF POCAHONTAS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• For Mayor - vote for no more than ONE<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Jada Hallberg• For Council - vote for no more than THREE<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Dean Zuetlau○ Jonathan Rittgers○ Tom Ries○ Heather Hull• For Hospital Trustee- vote for no more than TWO<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Jody L. Lyon○ Gregg White <p>CITY OF ROLFE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• For Mayor - vote for no more than ONE<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Jim Pentico○ Alan Kuchenreuther• For Council - vote for no more than THREE<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Dave Sandvig○ Rob Jackson○ Diana Sandvig○ Dan V. Allen○ Joshua Robertson○ Allan L. Minkler <p>CITY OF VARINA</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• For Mayor - vote for no more than ONE<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Richard Farrell• For Council - vote for no more than THREE<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Rodney Falline○ Chris Archer○ Richard Kollbaum	<p>ALBERT CITY-TRUESDALE COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• School Board Member at Large - vote for no more than THREE<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Kayla McCarthy○ Jennifer Holt○ Kyle Swenson <p>GILMORE CITY-BRADGATE COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• School Board Member at Large - vote for no more than TWO<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Marsha Habben○ Mitch Nielsen• School Board Member at Large To Fill Vacancy - vote for no more than ONE<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Logan Peters <p>LAURENS MARATHON COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• School Board Member at Large - vote for no more than TWO<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Laura Todd○ Benjamin Zylstra○ Charles J. Harrold• School Board Member at Large To Fill Vacancy - vote for no more than ONE<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ No Candidate Filed <p>MANSON NORTHWEST WEBSTER COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• School Board Member at Large - vote for no more than ONE<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Dan Oswald• School Board Member District 1 - vote for no more than ONE<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ James V. Stubbs• School Board Member District 2 - vote for no more than ONE<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Jan Nelson○ Patrick J. Fitzgerald <p>NEWELL FONDA COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• School Board Member District 1 - vote for no more than ONE<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ John Sievers• School Board Member District 2 - vote for no more than ONE<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Chris A. Mercer <p>POCAHONTAS AREA COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• School Board Member at Large - vote for no more than ONE<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Chris Janssen○ Randy Barnhardt○ Troy Lenz• School Board Member District 1 - vote for no more than ONE<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Nick Lenz○ Dustin Thompson• School Board Member District 2 - vote for no more than ONE<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Sherre Johnson○ Michael Crosgrove <p>WEST BEND-MALLARD SCHOOL DISTRICT</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• School Board Member at Large - vote for no more than THREE<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Chris Montag○ Lisa Traub○ David Bruellman
	<p>COMMUNITY COLLEGE CANDIDATES</p> <p>Candidates are listed in the order they will appear on the ballots for voters in the respective community college districts.</p>
	<p>IOWA CENTRAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Director District #2 - vote for no more than ONE<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Brandon Michael Wessels <p>IOWA LAKES COMMUNITY COLLEGE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Director District #6 - vote for no more than ONE<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Pat Kibbie
	<div><div></div><div>Certified by: Kelly Jepsen Pocahontas County Auditor & Commissioner of Elections</div></div>