

# Wisconsin Elections Commission

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**DATE:** For the December 1, 2020 Commission Meeting

TO: Members, Wisconsin Elections Commission

FROM: Meagan Wolfe Administrator

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SUBJECT: 2021 Spring Ballot Templates

Sample ballots for the 2021 Spring Primary and Spring Election accompany this memorandum and are submitted to the Wisconsin Elections Commission (WEC) for approval.

No changes in format have been made to the Spring Primary and Spring Election ballot samples since the Commission approved the 2020 Spring Ballots. The current design continues to be acceptable to county clerks, voters, ballot printers, and equipment vendors.

#### **Recommended Motion:**

The Commission approves the ballot design presented by staff and directs staff to utilize the ballot design for the 2021 Spring Primary and Spring Election.

#### Official Primary Ballot Nonpartisan Office and Referendum February 16, 2021

**February 16, 2021** 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	Judicial (cont.)	Municipal (cont.)
If you make a mistake on your ballot or have a question, ask an election inspector for help (absentee voters: contact your municipal clerk).	Circuit Court Judge District Vote for 1	Town Board Supervisor Vote for not more than
To vote for a name on the ballot, complete the arrow next to the name like this:	Candidate 🗲 🗕	Candidate 🗲 —
To vote for a name that is not on the	Candidate 🗲 🗕	Candidate 🗲 🗕
ballot, write the name on the line marked "write-in" and complete the arrow next to the name like this:	write-in:	Candidate 🗲 🗕
State Superintendent of Public Instruction	County	Candidate 🗲 🗕
State Superintendent Vote for 1	County Executive Vote for 1	Candidate 🗲 🗕
Candidate 🗲 🗕	Candidate 🗲 🗕	Candidate 🗲 —
Candidate 🗲 🗕	Candidate 🗲 🗕	write-in:
Candidate 🗲 🗕	Candidate 🗲 🗕	write-in:
write-in:	write-in:	Town Clerk Vote for 1
Judicial	County Supervisor District	Candidate 🗲 🗕
Court of Appeals Judge District	Vote for 1 Candidate	Candidate 🗲 —
Vote for 1	Candidate 🗲 🗕	Candidate 🗲 🗕
Candidate 🗲 🗕	<b>+</b> -	write-in:
Candidate 🗲 🗕	write-in: Municipal	Town Treasurer Vote for 1
Candidate 🗲 🗕	Town Board Chairperson Vote for 1	Candidate 🗲 🗕
write-in:	Candidate 🗲 🗕	Candidate 🗲 🗕
	Candidate 🗲 🗕	Candidate 🗲 🗕
		write-in:
	write-in:	
Continue voting at top of next column.	Continue voting at top of next column.	Continue voting on back of ballot.
Page 1 of 2-sided ballot. Ballot continues on other side.		

Municipal (cont.)			Referendum	Official Primary Ballot
Municipal Judge Vote for 1			To vote in favor of a question, complete the arrow next to "Yes," like this:	Nonpartisan Office and Referendum February 16, 2021
Candidate	+	-	To vote against a question, complete the arrow next to "No," like this: <b>Level of government conducting</b>	for
Candidate	+		referendum (State, tech college, county, municipal, school district) Municipality and ward number(s)	
Candidate	+		Question (number if necessary) Shall the?	Ballot issued by
write-in:	+	_	Yes 🗲 🗕	-
Sanitary District			No 🗲 🗕	
Sanitary District Commissio Vote for 1	oner			Initials of election inspectors
Candidate	•	-		Absentee ballot issued by
Candidate	+			Initials of Municipal Clerk or Deputy Clerk
write-in:	+			If issued by SVDs, both must initial
School District				Certification of Voter Assistance
Name of School District (op School Board Member Vote for not more than	tional	)		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
Candidate	•	_		receive assistance.
Candidate	+			Signature of assistor
Candidate	•			For Official Use Only
Candidate	•			<b>Inspectors:</b> Identify ballots required to be remade:
Candidate	+			Overvoted
Candidate	•			Damaged
write-in:	+			Other
write-in:	+	_		
				If this is the <b>Original</b> If this is the <b>Duplicate Ballot</b> , write the serial number here:
Continue voting at top of nex	toolur	<b>n</b> n		
			ided ballot. Ballot begins	Initials of inspectors who remade ballot

### Official Primary Ballot Nonpartisan Office February 16, 2021

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Instructions to Voters	County
If you make a mistake on your ballot or have a question, ask an election inspector for help. (Absentee voters:	County Executive Vote for 1
contact your municipal clerk).	Candidate
To vote for a name on the ballot, make an "X" or other mark in the square next to the name like this: 🛛	Candidate
To vote for a name that is not on the ballot, write the name on the line marked "write-in."	Candidate
State Superintendent of	Write-in: County Supervisor
Public Instruction	District
State Superintendent Vote for 1	Vote for 1 Candidate
Candidate	Candidate
Candidate	Candidate
Candidate	Write-in:
Write-in:	
Judicial	
Court of Appeals Judge	
District Vote for 1	
Candidate	
Candidate	
Candidate	
Write-in:	
Circuit Court Judge Branch Vote for 1	
Candidate	
Candidate	
Candidate	
Write-in:	
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#### Official Ballot Nonpartisan Office and Referendum April 6, 2021

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General Instructions	County	Municipal (cont.)	
If you make a mistake on your ballot or have a question, ask an election inspector for help (absentee voters: contact your municipal clerk).	County Executive Vote for 1	Village Trustee Vote for not more than	
To vote for a name on the ballot, fill in the oval next to the name like this:	Candidate	Candidate	
To vote for a name that is not on the ballot, write the name on the line marked	Candidate	Candidate	
"write-in" and fill in the oval next to the name like this:	── write-in:	Candidate	
State Superintendent of Public Instruction	County Supervisor District Vote for 1	Candidate	
State Superintendent Vote for 1	Candidate	── write-in:	
Candidate	Candidate	O write-in:	
Candidate	write-in:	Village Clerk Vote for 1	
── write-in:	Multi-Jurisdictional Judge	Candidate	
Judicial	Municipal Judge for the Town of and Village of	Candidate	
Court of Appeals Judge District Vote for 1	Vote for 1 Candidate	write-in:	
Candidate	Candidate	Village Treasurer Vote for 1	
Candidate	── write-in:	Candidate	
write-in:	Municipal	Candidate	
Circuit Court Judge District Vote for 1	Village President Vote for 1	── write-in:	
Candidate	Candidate	Village Assessor Vote for 1	
Candidate	Candidate	Candidate	
write-in:	── write-in:	Candidate	
		write-in:	
Continue voting at top of next column.	Continue voting at top of next column.	Continue voting on back of ballot.	
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Municipal (cont.)	Referendum	Official Ballot
Constable Vote for 1	To vote in favor of a question, fill in the oval next to "Yes," like this: ●	Nonpartisan Office and Referendum April 6, 2021
Candidate	To vote against a question, fill in the oval next to "No," like this:	for
Candidate	Level of government conducting referendum (State, tech college,	Municipality and ward number(s)
write-in:	county, municipal, school district) Question (number if necessary)	Ballot issued by
Municipal Judge Vote for 1	Shall the?	
Candidate	─ Yes	
Candidate		Initials of election inspectors
write-in:		Absentee ballot issued by
Sanitary District		Initials of Municipal Clerk or Deputy Clerk
Sanitary District Commissioner Vote for 1		If issued by SVDs, both must initial
Candidate		Certification of Voter Assistance
Candidate		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
write-in:		receive assistance.
School District		Signature of assistor
Name of School District (optional) School Board Member Vote for not more than		For Official Use Only
Candidate		<b>Inspectors:</b> Identify ballots required to be remade:
Candidate		Overvoted
Candidate		Damaged
Candidate		Other
write-in:		If this is the <b>Original</b> If this is the <b>Duplicate</b>
write-in:		Ballot, write the serial number here:
Page 2 of 2-s	ided ballot. Ballot begins o	Initials of inspectors who remade ballot

## Official Ballot Nonpartisan Office April 6, 2021

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Instructions to Voters	Village Assessor Vote for 1
If you make a mistake on your ballot or have a question, ask an election inspector for help. (Absentee voters:	Candidate
contact your municipal clerk).	Candidate
To vote for a name on the ballot, make an "X" or other	Write-in:
mark in the square next to the name like this: 🗵	Municipal Judge Vote for 1
To vote for a name that is not on the ballot, write the name on the line marked "write-in."	Candidate
Village President Vote for 1	Candidate
Candidate	
Candidate	Write-in:
Write-in:	
Village Trustee Vote for not more than 2	
Candidate	
Candidate	
Candidate	
Candidate	
Write-in:	
Write-in:	
Village Clerk Vote for 1	
Candidate	
Candidate	
Write-in:	
Village Treasurer Vote for 1	
Candidate	
Candidate	
Write-in:	
Continue voting at top of next column.	