


## Sample Ballot, General Election, November 5, 2024

Pierce County, Nebraska	State of Nebraska	Publication Ballot
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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>PRESIDENTIAL TICKET</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>For President and Vice President of the United States Vote for ONE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Donald J. Trump President } Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> JD Vance Vice President</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Kamala D. Harris President } Democratic</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Tim Walz Vice President</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Chase Oliver President } Libertarian</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Mike ter Maat Vice President</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Cornel West President } Legal Marijuana NOW</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Melina Abdullah Vice President</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Jill Stein President } By Petition</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Samson Kpadenou Vice President</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____ President</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____ Vice President</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>COUNTY TICKET</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>For County Commissioner District 1 Vote for ONE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> John Steinkraus Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>NONPARTISAN TICKET</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>North Central Public Power District For Board of Directors Subdivision 5 - Six Year Term Vote for ONE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Gregory W. Walmer</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>UNITED STATES SENATORIAL TICKET</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>For United States Senator Six Year Term Vote for ONE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Deb Fischer Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Dan Osborn By Petition</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>NONPARTISAN TICKET</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>For Member of the Legislature District 19 Vote for ONE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Rob Dover</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Jeanne M. Reigle</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>NONPARTISAN TICKET</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>North Central Public Power District For Board of Directors Subdivision 7 - Six Year Term Vote for ONE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> James J. Kounovsky</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>UNITED STATES SENATORIAL TICKET</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>For United States Senator Two Year Term Vote for ONE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Pete Ricketts Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Preston Love Jr. Democratic</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Judge of the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Court - Six Year Term</b></p> <p>Shall Judge Julie A. Martin be retained in office?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>NONPARTISAN TICKET</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Northeast Nebraska Public Power District For Board of Directors Subdivision 1 - Six Year Term Vote for ONE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Kelly Hodson</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>UNITED STATES SENATORIAL TICKET</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>For United States Senator Six Year Term Vote for ONE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Donovan Ellis</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Judge of the District Court District 7 - Six Year Term</b></p> <p>Shall Judge James G. Kube be retained in office?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>NONPARTISAN TICKET</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Educational Service Unit No. 8 District 04 Vote for ONE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Randy Jochum</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>UNITED STATES SENATORIAL TICKET</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>For United States Senator Six Year Term Vote for ONE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Jeff Scherer</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>NONPARTISAN TICKET</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Northeast Community College For Board of Governors District 01 Vote for ONE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Donovan Ellis</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>NONPARTISAN TICKET</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Educational Service Unit No. 8 District 06 Vote for ONE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Robert Chilcoat Jr.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>UNITED STATES SENATORIAL TICKET</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>For United States Senator Six Year Term Vote for ONE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Pete Ricketts Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Preston Love Jr. Democratic</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>NONPARTISAN TICKET</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Northeast Community College For Board of Governors At Large Vote for ONE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Jeff Scherer</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>SCHOOL TICKET</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>For Battle Creek Public School Board Member Vote for up to THREE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Sean Lindgren</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Toby Thompson</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Jeremy Pochop</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Shawn West</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Bo Brummels</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p>
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<p align="center"><b>For Elkhorn Valley Public School Board Member Vote for up to THREE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Jenny Schutt</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Tyler Tegeler</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Lucas Negus</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Adam Rutjens</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p>	<p align="center"><b>For Pierce Public School Board Member Vote for up to THREE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Lisa D. Freeman</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Dan Unseld</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Kevin L. Flesner</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Stefanie Dvorak</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p>	<p align="center"><b>Randolph Public School Bond Issue</b></p> <p>"Shall Cedar County School District 0045 (Randolph Public Schools), in the State of Nebraska, issue the bonds of said District in the principal amount of not to exceed Nine Million Seven Hundred Fifty-Thousand Dollars (\$9,750,000) for the purpose of paying the costs of constructing additions and improvements to the existing elementary school, renovating and improving the existing junior and senior high school, including necessary heating, ventilation and air conditioning improvements and roof repairs, demolishing the existing shop and agriculture building, constructing a new shop and agriculture building, and providing for necessary furniture and apparatus for such school buildings and additions; said bonds to be issued from time to time as may be determined by the Board of Education, to bear interest at a rate or rates to be determined by the Board of Education and to become due at such time or times as may be fixed by the Board of Education; and</p>
<p align="center"><b>For Norfolk Public School Board Member Vote for up to THREE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Beth Shashikant</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Brenda Carhart</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Patti S. Gubbels</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Randy E. Dee</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Steven McNally</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p>	<p align="center"><b>For Plainview Public School Board Member Vote for up to THREE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Chance Anderson</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Deb Jensen</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Tom Krause</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Trenton Tarr</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Caden Alexander</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Justin D. Doerr</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p>	<p>"Shall the District cause to be levied and collected annually a special levy of taxes against all the taxable property in said District sufficient in rate and amount to pay the interest and principal of said bonds as the same become due?"</p> <p><input type="radio"/> FOR said bonds and tax</p> <p><input type="radio"/> AGAINST said bonds and tax</p> <p>Electors voting in favor of said proposition shall blacken completely the oval opposite the words "FOR said bonds and tax" following said proposition, and electors voting against said proposition shall blacken completely the oval opposite the words "AGAINST said bonds and tax" following said proposition.</p>
<p align="center"><b>For Osmond Public School Board Member Vote for up to THREE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Mark Moes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Larry M. Krohn</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p>	<p align="center"><b>For Randolph Public School Board Member District 45 Vote for up to THREE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Cody Backer</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Tiffany Gatzemeyer</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Anson Dockhorn</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Corby Robinson</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Marvin Nordhues</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Chris Winkelbauer</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p>	<p align="center"><b>For Wausa Public School Board Members District 76 Vote for up to THREE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Derek Cunningham</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Amanda Nipp</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Eric Wynia</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p>
<p align="center"><b>For Neligh-Oakdale Public School Board Member District 9 Vote for up to THREE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Peter Sample</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Cory Furstenuau</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Mary Oakes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Tonya Strom</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p>		<p align="center"><b>CITY TICKET</b></p> <p align="center"><b>For Osmond City Mayor Vote for ONE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Dennis M. Kuhl</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p> <p align="center"><b>For Osmond City Council Vote for up to TWO</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Douglas A. Schmit</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Dennis Haselhorst</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p>

CITY TICKET	PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION	PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION
<p align="center"><b>For Pierce City Council Vote for up to TWO</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Lee Acklie</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Tom Gubbels</p> <p><input type="radio"/> William Fogle</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p><input type="radio"/></p>	<p align="center"><b>PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION</b></p> <p align="center"><b>Initiative Measure 434</b></p> <p>A vote "<u>FOR</u>" will amend the Nebraska Constitution to provide that, except when a woman seeks an abortion necessitated by a medical emergency or when the pregnancy results from sexual assault or incest, unborn children shall be protected from abortion in the second and third trimesters.</p> <p>A vote "<u>AGAINST</u>" will not amend the Nebraska Constitution in such manner.</p>	<p align="center"><b>Initiative Measure 436</b></p> <p>A vote "<u>FOR</u>" will enact a statute which: (1) provides eligible employees the right to earn paid sick time for personal or family health needs; (2) entitles employees of employers with fewer than 20 employees to accrue and use up to 40 hours of such time annually and those employed by employers with 20 or more employees to accrue and use up to 56 hours of such time annually; (3) specifies conditions regarding paid sick time; (4) prohibits retaliation against employees for exercising such rights; (5) adopts documentation requirements; and (6) establishes enforcement powers and a civil cause of action for violations.</p> <p>A vote "<u>AGAINST</u>" means such a statute will not be enacted.</p>
<p align="center"><b>For Plainview City Council Vote for up to TWO</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Sarah Mae Doty</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Tyler Sanne</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Brian J. Schlote</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p><input type="radio"/></p>	<p>Shall the Nebraska Constitution be amended to include a new section which provides: "Except when a woman seeks an abortion necessitated by a medical emergency or when the pregnancy results from sexual assault or incest, unborn children shall be protected from abortion in the second and third trimesters."</p> <p><input type="radio"/> For</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Against</p>	<p>Shall a statute be enacted which: (1) provides eligible employees the right to earn paid sick time for personal or family health needs; (2) entitles employees of employers with fewer than 20 employees to accrue and use up to 40 hours of such time annually and those employed by employers with 20 or more employees to accrue and use up to 56 hours of such time annually; (3) specifies conditions regarding paid sick time; (4) prohibits retaliation against employees for exercising such rights; (5) adopts documentation requirements; and (6) establishes enforcement powers and a civil cause of action for violations?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> For</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Against</p>
<p align="center"><b>For Randolph City Council At Large Vote for up to TWO</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Kayla Korth</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Brandon Backhaus</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Todd Greiner</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Thomas F. Wiese</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p><input type="radio"/></p>	<p align="center"><b>REFERENDUM ORDERED BY PETITION OF THE PEOPLE</b></p> <p align="center"><b>Referendum Measure 435</b></p> <p>A vote to "<u>RETAIN</u>" will keep in effect Section 1 of Legislative Bill 1402 enacted in 2024 by the Nebraska Legislature. Section 1 of Legislative Bill 1402 provides for \$10 million annually to fund education scholarships to pay all or part of the cost to educate eligible students attending nongovernmental, privately operated elementary and secondary schools in Nebraska.</p> <p>A vote to "<u>REPEAL</u>" will eliminate the funding and scholarship provisions in Section 1 of Legislative Bill 1402.</p> <p><b>Section 1 of Legislative Bill 1402, enacted by the Nebraska Legislature in 2024, provides for \$10 million annually to fund education scholarships to pay all or part of the cost to educate eligible students attending nongovernmental, privately operated elementary and secondary schools in Nebraska.</b></p>	<p>Shall a statute be enacted which: (1) provides eligible employees the right to earn paid sick time for personal or family health needs; (2) entitles employees of employers with fewer than 20 employees to accrue and use up to 40 hours of such time annually and those employed by employers with 20 or more employees to accrue and use up to 56 hours of such time annually; (3) specifies conditions regarding paid sick time; (4) prohibits retaliation against employees for exercising such rights; (5) adopts documentation requirements; and (6) establishes enforcement powers and a civil cause of action for violations?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> For</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Against</p>
<p align="center"><b>VILLAGE TICKET</b></p>		
<p align="center"><b>For Hadar Village Board of Trustees Vote for up to THREE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Myron E. Wasson</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Bob Wehrer</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Dillon Kraft</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p><input type="radio"/></p>	<p>Shall Section 1 of Legislative Bill 1402 be repealed?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Retain</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Repeal</p>	<p align="center"><b>Initiative Measure 437</b></p> <p>A vote "<u>FOR</u>" will enact a statute that makes penalties inapplicable under state and local law for the use, possession, and acquisition of an allowable amount (up to five ounces) of cannabis for medical purposes by a qualified patient with a written recommendation from a health care practitioner, and for a caregiver to assist a qualified patient with these activities.</p> <p>A vote "<u>AGAINST</u>" means such a statute will not be enacted.</p> <p>Shall a statute be enacted that makes penalties inapplicable under state and local law for the use, possession, and acquisition of an allowable amount (up to five ounces) of cannabis for medical purposes by a qualified patient with a written recommendation from a health care practitioner, and for a caregiver to assist a qualified patient with these activities?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> For</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Against</p>
<p align="center"><b>For McLean Village Board of Trustees Vote for up to TWO</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Loren D. Gerdes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Douglas Levos</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p><input type="radio"/></p>		<p align="center"><b>Initiative Measure 438</b></p> <p>A vote "<u>FOR</u>" will enact a statute that makes penalties inapplicable under state law for the possession, manufacture, distribution, delivery, and dispensing of cannabis for medical purposes by registered private entities, and that establishes a Nebraska Medical Cannabis Commission to regulate such activities.</p> <p>A vote "<u>AGAINST</u>" means such a statute will not be enacted.</p>
<p align="center"><b>For Foster Village Board of Trustees Vote for up to TWO</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Jerry E. Reikofski</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Charles Frank Flesner</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p><input type="radio"/></p>		<p>Shall a statute be enacted that makes penalties inapplicable under state law for the possession, manufacture, distribution, delivery, and dispensing of cannabis for medical purposes by registered private entities, and that establishes a Nebraska Medical Cannabis Commission to regulate such activities?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> For</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Against</p>

**PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION**

**Initiative Measure 439**


A vote "FOR" will amend the Nebraska Constitution to provide that all persons shall have a fundamental right to abortion until fetal viability, or when needed to protect the life or health of the pregnant patient, without interference from the state or its political subdivisions. Fetal viability is defined as the point in pregnancy when, in the professional judgment of the patient's treating health care practitioner, there is a significant likelihood of the fetus' sustained survival outside the uterus without the application of extraordinary medical measures.

A vote "AGAINST" will not amend the Nebraska Constitution in such manner.

**Shall the Nebraska Constitution be amended to include a new section which provides: "All persons shall have a fundamental right to abortion until fetal viability, or when needed to protect the life or health of the pregnant patient, without interference from the state or its political subdivisions. Fetal viability means the point in pregnancy when, in the professional judgment of the patient's treating health care practitioner, there is a significant likelihood of the fetus' sustained survival outside the uterus without the application of extraordinary medical measures."**

- For
- Against

# New or Former Resident, Sample Ballot, General Election, November 5, 2024

Pierce County, Nebraska	State of Nebraska	Publication Ballot
<p><b>INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTER</b></p> <p><b>1. TO VOTE, YOU MUST DARKEN THE OVAL COMPLETELY (●).</b></p> <p>2. Use a black ink pen to mark the ballot.</p> <p>3. To vote for a WRITE-IN candidate, write in the name on the line provided AND darken the oval completely.</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div> <p><b>4. DO NOT CROSS OUT OR ERASE.</b> If you make a mistake, ask for a new ballot.</p>		
<p><b>PRESIDENTIAL TICKET</b></p>		
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>For President and Vice President of the United States</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Vote for ONE</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Donald J. Trump President JD Vance Vice President } Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Kamala D. Harris President Tim Walz Vice President } Democratic</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Chase Oliver President Mike ter Maat Vice President } Libertarian</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Cornel West President Melina Abdullah Vice President } Legal Marijuana NOW</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Jill Stein President Samson Kpadenou Vice President } By Petition</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <hr/> <p>President</p> <hr/> <p>Vice President</p>		

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