

Notice of Spring Election and

Sample Ballots

April 7, 2026

Office of the Waukesha County Clerk

To the voters of Waukesha County:

Notice is hereby given of a spring election to be held in Waukesha County on April 7, 2026, at which the officers named below shall be nominated. 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. On referendum questions, the voter shall fill in the oval or connect the arrow next to "yes" if in favor of the question, or the voter shall fill in the oval or connect the arrow next to "no" if opposed to the question.

When using an *electronic ballot marking device* ("Automark," "ExpressVote," "Clear Access or "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. On referendum questions, the voter shall touch the screen or use the tactile pad to select "yes" if in favor of the question, or the voter shall touch the screen or use the tactile pad to select "no" if opposed to the question.

After Voting the Ballot

After an official **optical scan ballot** is marked, it shall be inserted in the security sleeve, so the marks do not show. The voter may insert the ballot in the voting device and discard the sleeve or deliver the ballot to an inspector for deposit. If a central count system is used, the voter shall insert the ballot in the ballot box and discard the sleeve 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.

The following is a sample of the official ballot:



Meg Wartman, Waukesha County Clerk

Official Ballot Nonpartisan Office April 7, 2026

HC 1

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General Instructions	Municipal
<p>If you make a mistake on your ballot or have a question, ask an election inspector for help (absentee voters: contact your municipal clerk).</p> <p>To vote for a name on the ballot, fill in the oval next to the name like this: ●</p> <p>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: ●</p>	<div style="background-color: #eee; padding: 5px;">Town Supervisor Vote for not more than 2</div> <div style="padding: 5px;"><input type="radio"/> Steve Kohlmann</div> <div style="padding: 5px;"><input type="radio"/> write-in:</div> <div style="padding: 5px;"><input type="radio"/> write-in:</div>
School District	
<div style="background-color: #eee; padding: 5px;">Judicial</div> <div style="background-color: #eee; padding: 5px;">Justice of the Supreme Court Vote for 1</div> <div style="padding: 5px;"><input type="radio"/> Chris Taylor</div> <div style="padding: 5px;"><input type="radio"/> Maria S. Lazar</div> <div style="padding: 5px;"><input type="radio"/> write-in:</div> <div style="background-color: #eee; padding: 5px;">Court of Appeals Judge District 2 Vote for 1</div> <div style="padding: 5px;"><input type="radio"/> Anthony LoCoco</div> <div style="padding: 5px;"><input type="radio"/> write-in:</div> <div style="background-color: #eee; padding: 5px;">Circuit Court Judge Branch 5 Vote for 1</div> <div style="padding: 5px;"><input type="radio"/> Jack Melvin</div> <div style="padding: 5px;"><input type="radio"/> write-in:</div>	<div style="background-color: #eee; padding: 5px;">Waukesha School District School Board Member Vote for not more than 3</div> <div style="padding: 5px;"><input type="radio"/> Mitch Gallagher</div> <div style="padding: 5px;"><input type="radio"/> Maria Carrillo</div> <div style="padding: 5px;"><input type="radio"/> Melissa Toledo</div> <div style="padding: 5px;"><input type="radio"/> Bette Koenig</div> <div style="padding: 5px;"><input type="radio"/> Diane Voit</div> <div style="padding: 5px;"><input type="radio"/> Chase Allen</div> <div style="padding: 5px;"><input type="radio"/> write-in:</div> <div style="padding: 5px;"><input type="radio"/> write-in:</div>
County	
<div style="background-color: #eee; padding: 5px;">County Supervisor District 9 Vote for 1</div> <div style="padding: 5px;"><input type="radio"/> Sean Parkinson</div> <div style="padding: 5px;"><input type="radio"/> Jim Heinrich</div> <div style="padding: 5px;"><input type="radio"/> write-in:</div>	

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Official Ballot
Nonpartisan Office
April 7, 2026
for
Town Of Brookfield
Wards 1, 2, 11
Waukesha School

Ballot issued by

Initials of election inspectors

Absentee ballot issued by

Initials of Municipal Clerk or Deputy Clerk

Certification of Voter Assistance

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.

Signature of assistor

For Official Use Only

Inspectors: Identify ballots required to be remade:

- Overvoted
- Damaged
- Other

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

SAMPLE

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School District	
Judicial	<div style="background-color: #eee; padding: 5px;">Waukesha School District School Board Member Vote for not more than 3</div>
Justice of the Supreme Court Vote for 1	
<input type="radio"/> Chris Taylor	<input type="radio"/> Mitch Gallagher
<input type="radio"/> Maria S. Lazar	<input type="radio"/> Maria Carrillo
<input type="radio"/> write-in:	<input type="radio"/> Melissa Toledo
Court of Appeals Judge District 2 Vote for 1	<input type="radio"/> Bette Koenig
<input type="radio"/> Anthony LoCoco	<input type="radio"/> Diane Voit
<input type="radio"/> write-in:	<input type="radio"/> Chase Allen
Circuit Court Judge Branch 5 Vote for 1	<input type="radio"/> write-in:
<input type="radio"/> Jack Melvin	<input type="radio"/> write-in:
<input type="radio"/> write-in:	
County	
County Supervisor District 10 Vote for 1	
<input type="radio"/> Terry Thieme	
<input type="radio"/> write-in:	

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for
Town Of Brookfield
Wards 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8
Waukesha School

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	<p><input type="radio"/> Steve Kohlmann</p>
	<p><input type="radio"/> write-in:</p>
	<p>School District</p>
<p>Judicial</p>	<p>Elmbrook School District School Board Member Area I Seat Vote for 1</p>
<p>Justice of the Supreme Court Vote for 1</p>	
<p><input type="radio"/> Chris Taylor</p>	<p><input type="radio"/> Scott Wheeler</p>
<p><input type="radio"/> Maria S. Lazar</p>	<p><input type="radio"/> Kevin W. Klandrud</p>
<p><input type="radio"/> write-in:</p>	<p><input type="radio"/> write-in:</p>
<p>Court of Appeals Judge District 2 Vote for 1</p>	<p>Elmbrook School District School Board Member Area III Seat Vote for 1</p>
<p><input type="radio"/> Anthony LoCoco</p>	
<p><input type="radio"/> write-in:</p>	<p><input type="radio"/> Bob Burlage</p>
<p>Circuit Court Judge Branch 5 Vote for 1</p>	<p><input type="radio"/> Jennifer Roskopf</p>
<p><input type="radio"/> Jack Melvin</p>	<p><input type="radio"/> write-in:</p>
<p><input type="radio"/> write-in:</p>	<p>Elmbrook School District School Board Member At Large Seat Vote for 1</p>
<p>County</p>	
<p>County Supervisor District 9 Vote for 1</p>	<p><input type="radio"/> Sam Hughes</p>
<p><input type="radio"/> Sean Parkinson</p>	<p><input type="radio"/> Elizabeth Theis</p>
<p><input type="radio"/> Jim Heinrich</p>	<p><input type="radio"/> write-in:</p>
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Elmbrook School

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