

# Election Notice for use With the Federal Write-In Absentee Ballot (FWAB)

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## Issued by the Portage County Board of Elections

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- ☐ Initial notification (to be posted 100 days prior to date of election)  
☒ Updated notification (to be posted 46 days prior to date of election)

## NOVEMBER 8, 2022 GENERAL ELECTION

State Executive Offices			
Name of Candidate	Office	Party	Precincts
Nan Whaley and Cheryl L. Stephens	Governor/Lt. Governor	Democratic	Portage County
Mike DeWine and Jon Husted		Republican	
Timothy Grady and Dayna Bickley (Write-in)			
Craig Patton and Collin Cook (Write-In)			
Renea Turner and Adina Pelletier (Write-in)			
Marshall Usher and Shannon Walker (Write-in)			
Jeffrey A. Crossman	Attorney General	Democratic	Portage County
Dave Yost		Republican	
Taylor Sappington	Auditor of State	Democratic	Portage County
Keith Faber		Republican	
Chelsea Clark	Secretary of State	Democratic	Portage County
Frank LaRose		Republican	
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Scott Schertzer	Treasurer of State	Democratic	Portage County
Robert Sprague		Republican	
Ohio Supreme Court			
Name of Candidate	Office /Term	Party	Precincts
Jennifer Brunner	Chief Justice of the Supreme Court (Term commencing 1/1/23)	Democratic	Portage County
Sharon L. Kennedy		Republican	
Terri Jamison	Justice of the Supreme Court (Term commencing 1/1/23)	Democratic	Portage County
Pat Fischer		Republican	
Marilyn Zayas	Justice of the Supreme Court (Term commencing 1/2/23)	Democratic	Portage County
Pat DeWine		Republican	

U.S. Senate and U.S. Congress			
Name of Candidate	Office /District/Term	Party	Precincts
Tim Ryan	U.S. Senator	Democratic	Portage County
JD Vance		Republican	
John Cheng (Write-in)			
Matthew R. Esh (Write-in)			
Stephen Faris (Write-in)			
Shane Hoffman (Write-in)			
LaSondra Tinsley (Write-in)			
Emilia Sykes	13 <sup>th</sup> Congressional District	Democratic	Mogadore Village, Suffield Township A, split 1 and split 2, D, split 1, and E, split 1 and split 2
Madison Gesiotto Gilbert		Republican	

Matt Kilboy	14 <sup>th</sup> Congressional District	Democratic	Ravenna City, Kent City, Aurora City, Streetsboro City, Atwater Township, Brimfield Township, Charlestown Township, Deerfield Township, Edinburg Township, Franklin Township, Freedom Township, Garrettsville Village, Hiram Township, Hiram Village, Mantua Township, Mantua Village, Nelson Township, Palmyra Township, Paris Township, Randolph Township, Ravenna Township, Rootstown Township, Shalersville Township, Suffield Township A, split 3 and split 4, B, C, D, split 2 and E, split 3, Sugar Bush Knolls, Windham Township, Windham Village
David P. Joyce		Republican	

Ohio General Assembly (Ohio Senate and Ohio House of Representatives)			
Name of Candidate	Office /District/Term	Party	Precincts
Lori O'Neill	State Representative 35 <sup>th</sup> District (Term commencing 1/1/23)	Democratic	Garrettsville Village, Mogadore Village, Windham Village, Atwater Township, Brimfield Township, Deerfield Township, Nelson Township, Palmyra Township, Paris Township, Randolph Township C and D, Suffield Township, Windham Township
Steve Demetriou		Republican	
Kathleen Clyde	State Representative 72 <sup>nd</sup> District (Term commencing 1/1/23)	Democratic	Aurora City, Kent City, Ravenna City, Streetsboro City, Hiram Village, Mantua Village, Sugar Bush Knolls Village, Charlestown Township, Edinburg Township, Franklin Township, Freedom Township, Hiram Township, Mantua Township, Randolph Township A and B, Ravenna Township, Rootstown Township, Shalersville Township
Gail Pavliga		Republican	

Ohio Court of Appeals (11 <sup>TH</sup> District)			
Name of Candidate	Office /Term	Party	Precincts
No candidate filed	11 <sup>th</sup> District (Unexpired term to end 2/8/25)	Democratic	Portage County
John J. Eklund		Republican	
Thomas R. Wright	11 <sup>th</sup> District (Term commencing 2/9/23)	Democratic	Portage County
Eugene A. Lucci		Republican	

**County Administrative Offices (County Commissioner or County Council, Prosecuting Attorney, Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas, Sheriff, County Recorder, County Treasurer, County Engineer, Coroner, County Auditor, and Municipal Court Clerk)**

Name of Candidate	Office /District/Term	Party	Precincts
Geraldine Hayes Nelson	County Commissioner (Term commencing 1/1/23)	Democratic	Portage County
Mike Tinlin		Republican	
Brad Cromes	County Auditor (Term commencing 3/13/23)	Democratic	Portage County
Matt Kelly		Republican	

**State Board of Education**

Name of Candidate	Office /Term	Precincts
Robert R. Fulton	State Board of Education 9 <sup>th</sup> District (Term commencing 1/1/23)	Portage County
John P. Hagan		

**County Court of Common Pleas or County Court**

Name of Candidate	Office /Division/Term	Party	Precincts
Laurie J. Pittman	Court of Common Pleas – General Division (Term commencing 1/1/23)	Democratic	Portage County
Wesley Buchanan		Republican	
Paula C. Giulitto	Court of Common Pleas – Domestic Relations Division (Term commencing 1/2/23)	Democratic	Portage County
No candidate filed		Republican	

**State Issues**

Number	Title	Precincts
1	Constitutional Amendment To require courts to consider factors like public safety when setting the amount of bail	Portage County

2	Constitutional Amendment To prohibit local government from allowing non-electors to vote	Portage County
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Local Questions and Issues		
Number	Title	Precincts
3	Springfield Local School District Additional Tax Levy – 3.9 mills Current Expenses	Suffield Township E, split 2
4	Stow-Munroe Falls City School District Additional Tax Levy – 6.93 mills Emergency Requirements \$7,922,893	Franklin Township A, split 2
5	Waterloo Local School District Additional Earned Income Tax Levy 1.5% for Current Operating Expenses 5 years commencing on January 1, 2023	Atwater Township, Deerfield Township A, split 2, Randolph Township
6	West Branch Local School District Additional Earned Income Tax Levy 0.5% for School District Purposes 5 years commencing on January 1, 2023	Deerfield B, split 2
7	WVFD Joint Fire District Replacement and Increase Tax Levy – 3.79 mills Fire Protection	Windham Township and Windham Village
8	Portage County Combined General Health District Renewal Tax Levy – 0.4 mill Current Expenses	Ravenna City, Aurora City, Streetsboro City, Atwater Township, Brimfield Township, Charlestown Township, Deerfield Township, Edinburg Township, Franklin Township, Freedom Township, Garrettsville Village, Hiram Township, Hiram Village, Mantua Township, Mantua Village, Mogadore Village, Nelson Township, Palmyra Township, Paris Township, Randolph Township, Ravenna Township, Rootstown Township, Shalersville Township, Suffield Township, Sugar Bush Knolls Village, Windham Township, Windham Village
9	Local Option – Sunday Sales Wine, mixed beverages, spirituous liquor F.O.E. Aerie 2164, Ravenna	Ravenna City 1-A

10	Local Option – Sunday Sales Beer, wine and mixed beverages Proserpine Vineyard & Winery LLC dba West Main Street Winery	Ravenna City 1-A
11	Ravenna City Charter Amendment Mayoral duties regarding annual budget	Ravenna City
12	Ravenna City Charter Amendment Addition of virtual and hybrid meetings	Ravenna City
13	Ravenna City Charter Amendment Provide for the annual review of employee salaries and bonds	Ravenna City
14	Ravenna City Charter Amendment Charter Review Commission Composition	Ravenna City
15	Ravenna City Charter Amendment Charter Review Commission Chair	Ravenna City
16	Local Option – Sunday Sales Wine and mixed beverages, and spirituous liquor 175 Main, Ltd., dba All Folked Up (Kent Stage)	Kent City 5A
17	Kent City Initiative Petition Marijuana Penalties	Kent City
18	Aurora City Zoning Ordinance Rezoning 25.42 acres from R-4 to I-1	Aurora City
19	Streetsboro City Zoning Ordinance Rezoning 16 acres from I-1 to R-1	Streetsboro City
20	Streetsboro City Charter Amendment Changes to purchasing and contracting procedures	Streetsboro City
21	Streetsboro City Charter Amendment Exempt downtown district from voter approval of zoning changes	Streetsboro City

22	Mogadore Village Charter Amendment Prevent Mayor from holding other public employment	Mogadore Village
23	Mogadore Village Charter Amendment Council member must serve on Board of Zoning Appeals	Mogadore Village
24	Local Option – Sunday Sales Wine and mixed beverages Aldi, Inc., Ohio, dba Aldi 83	Brimfield Township A
25	Franklin Township Renewal Tax Levy – 0.5 mill Roads and Bridges 5 years commencing in 2022	Franklin Township
26	Local Option – Sunday Sales Beer, wine and mixed beverages, spirituous liquor CVJK LLC dba Shortie C's Bar & Grill	Freedom Township A
27	Local Option – Sunday Sales Beer; wine and mixed beverages or spirituous liquor NEW MILFORD CAFÉ LTD	Rootstown Township D
28	Rootstown Township Renewal Tax Levy – 1.5 mills Fire & EMS 5 years commencing in 2023	Rootstown Township
29	Local Option – Weekday Sales Beer, wine and mixed beverages, spirituous liquor Dirty Miner Distillery LLC	Shalersville Township B
30	Local Option – Sunday Sales Wine and mixed beverages, spirituous liquor Dirty Miner Distillery LLC	Shalersville Township B
31	Suffield Township Renewal Tax Levy – 1.25 mills Fire & EMS 5 years commencing in 2023	Suffield Township

## **INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTER FOR INDICATING YOUR CHOICES ON A FEDERAL WRITE-IN ABSENTEE BALLOT (FWAB):**

To complete a Federal Write-In Absentee Ballot (FWAB), go to [www.fvap.gov](http://www.fvap.gov). You have the option of downloading a blank, hard copy FWAB to complete by hand, or proceeding through electronic completion of the FWAB using the website's FWAB Wizard.

The first page of the FWAB is a Voter Declaration/Affirmation you must complete in order for your ballot to count.

After completing the Voter Declaration/Affirmation, use the initial election notice issued on the 100<sup>th</sup> day before the election and the updated election notice issued on the 46<sup>th</sup> day before the election as a guide to:

- (1) write the name of each candidate or issue contest for which you are casting a vote and then
- (2) write the name of your choice of candidate or choice for or against an issue.

After you have completed the FWAB, **you must PRINT the ballot and MAIL it to your county board of elections at this address: 449 S. Meridian, Ravenna, OH 44266.**

A complete listing of all county board of elections mailing addresses and contact information is available at: <https://ohiosos.gov/SOS/elections/electionsofficials/boeDirectory.aspx#dir>.

**Do not send your ballot via e-mail or fax; Ohio law prohibits electronic transmission of a voted ballot.**