

OFFICIAL GENERAL ELECTION SAMPLE BALLOT
CHAMPAIGN COUNTY
NOVEMBER 3, 2020

Instructions to Voter

To vote: completely darken the oval (●) to the left of your choice.

Note the permitted number of choices directly below the title of each candidate office. Do not mark the ballot for more choices than allowed.

If you mark the ballot for more choices than permitted, that contest or question will not be counted.

To Vote for a write-in candidate: Completely darken the oval (●) to the left of the blank line and write in the candidate's name. Only votes cast for candidates who filed as write-in candidates can be counted.

Do not write in a candidate's name if that person's name already is printed on the ballot for that same contest.

If you make a mistake or want to change your vote: return your ballot to an election official and get a new ballot. You may ask for a new ballot up to two times.

For President and Vice President
(Vote for not more than 1 pair)

A vote for any candidate for President and Vice President shall be a vote for the electors of those candidates whose names have been certified to the Secretary of State.

For President
Joseph R. Biden
For Vice President
Kamala D. Harris
Democratic

For President
Howie Hawkins
For Vice President
Angela Walker

For President
Jo Jorgensen
For Vice President
Spike Cohen
Libertarian

For President
Donald J. Trump
For Vice President
Michael R. Pence
Republican

For President _____
Write-in _____
For Vice President _____
Write-in _____

For Representative to Congress (4th District)
(Vote for not more than 1)

Shannon M. Freshour
Democratic

Jim Jordan
Republican

Steve Perkins
Libertarian

For State Senator (12th District)
(Vote for not more than 1)

Matt Huffman
Republican

Ken Poling
Democratic

For State Representative (85th District)
(Vote for not more than 1)

Nino Vitale
Republican

Write-In

For Commissioner (Full term commencing 1-2-2021)
(Vote for not more than 1)

Timothy D. Cassady
Republican

For Commissioner (Full term commencing 1-3-2021)
(Vote for not more than 1)

Steven R. Hess
Republican

For Prosecuting Attorney (Vote for not more than 1)

Kevin S. Talebi
Republican

For Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas (Vote for not more than 1)

Penny S. Underwood
Republican

For Sheriff (Vote for not more than 1)

Matthew R. Melvin
Republican

For County Recorder (Vote for not more than 1)

Glenda L. Bayman
Republican

For County Treasurer (Vote for not more than 1)

Robin K. Edwards
Republican

For County Engineer (Vote for not more than 1)

Stephen E. McCall
Republican

For Coroner (Vote for not more than 1)

Write-In

**For Member of the State Board
Of Education
(1st District)
(Vote for not more than 1)**

Diana M. Fessler

**For Justice Of
the Supreme Court
(Full term commencing 1-1-2021)
(Vote for not more than 1)**

John P. O'Donnell
 Sharon L. Kennedy

**For Justice Of
the Supreme Court
(Full term commencing 1-2-2021)
(Vote for not more than 1)**

Jennifer Brunner
 Judi French

**For Judge Of the
Court Of Appeals
(2nd District)
(Full term commencing 2-9-2021)
(Vote for not more than 1)**

Chris Epley
 Marshall G. Lachman

**For Judge of the Court of
Common Pleas
(Juvenile/Domestic/Probate Division)
(Full Term Commencing 2-9-2021)
(Vote for not more than 1)**

Lori L. Reisinger

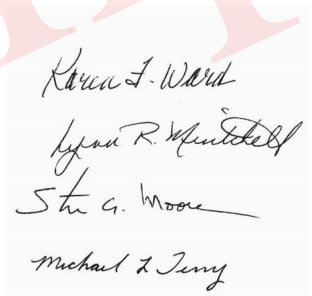
**For Judge of the Court of
Common Pleas
(Juvenile/Domestic/Probate Division)
(Full term commencing 2-10-2021)
(Vote for not more than 1)**

Brett A. Gilbert

**Proposed Tax Levy (Renewal)
CHAMPAIGN COUNTY LIBRARY
A majority affirmative vote is
necessary for passage.**

A renewal of a tax for the benefit of Champaign Champaign Library for the purpose of **current expenses** at a rate not exceeding 0.8 mill for each one dollar of valuation, which amounts to \$0.08 for each one hundred dollars of valuation, for 5 years, commencing in 2020, first due in calendar year 2021.

For the Tax Levy
 Against the Tax Levy



**CITY OF URBANA
CHARTER AMENDMENTS
NOVEMBER 3, 2020**

**PROPOSED CHARTER AMENDMENT
CITY OF URBANA
A majority affirmative vote is
necessary for passage.**

Shall Section 2.03 of the Charter of the City of Urbana, Ohio be amended to delete the language indicated in brackets?

SECTION 2.03. COMPENSATION

Compensation for City officials and employees shall be established by ordinance of Council. This does not preclude the City administration from negotiating with City employee groups regarding wages and fringe benefits. [Any changes in the salaries of elected officials for the ensuing term shall be set at least 5 days prior to the last day for filing for candidacy and salaries may not be changed during the term.]

SHALL SECTION 2.03 OF THE CHARTER OF URBANA CITY BE AMENDED?

- Yes
- No

**PROPOSED CHARTER AMENDMENT
CITY OF URBANA
A majority affirmative vote is
necessary for passage.**

Shall Section 2.09 of the Charter of City of Urbana, Ohio be amended to delete the language indicated in brackets?

SECTION 2.09. LEGISLATIVE PROCEDURE

The legislative action of the Council shall be by ordinance or resolution, introduced in written form, which shall contain no more than one subject, which shall be expressed clearly in the title. Ordinances involving general appropriations may contain the various subjects and accounts for which monies are appropriated, and codification, recodifications and publications of ordinances and resolutions in book form may contain more than one subject. An affirmative vote of a majority of Council shall be required for the enactment of every ordinance or resolution, unless a larger number be required by the provisions of this Charter.

[Council shall pass no ordinance or resolution which adopts a position contrary to a recommendation of the Planning Commission, made within the scope of its authority, except by a vote of majority. Council may enact ordinances that supercede state statutory provisions with respect to acquisition and disposition of property upon a majority affirmative vote.]

SHALL SECTION 2.09 OF THE CHARTER OF URBANA CITY BE AMENDED?

- Yes
- No

**PROPOSED CHARTER AMENDMENT
CITY OF URBANA
A majority affirmative vote is
necessary for passage.**

Shall Section 2.17 of the Charter of the City of Urbana, Ohio, be amended to add the following language capitalized below?

SECTION 2.17. PUBLICATION OF ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS.

At least once every 90 days, the Clerk of Council shall submit a list of legislation adopted by Council to a newspaper of general circulation AND/OR DIGITALLY within the city and post that list conspicuously in the City building and online. The list shall fairly describe and summarize the legislation enacted and announce that the full text of Ordinances and Resolutions are available for inspection at the office of the Clerk of Council, or the full text may be provided by a digital or hard copy upon request to the Clerk. Failure of publication, or any error or omission in publication, shall not invalidate an Ordinance or Resolution. The City shall not be required to advertise through paid publication except to comply with Ohio Revised Code Section 705.16(B), which requires legal advertising in a newspaper of general circulation only once upon adoption for a legislation of a permanent general nature, or providing for public improvements, or assessing property in the municipal corporation.

SHALL SECTION 2.17 OF THE CHARTER OF URBANA CITY BE AMENDED?

- Yes
- No

**PROPOSED CHARTER AMENDMENT
CITY OF URBANA
A majority affirmative vote is
necessary for passage.**

Shall Section 2.06 of the Charter of the City of Urbana, Ohio be amended to add the following language capitalized below and to delete the language indicated in brackets?

SECTION 2.06. VACANCIES

If the office of president of Council becomes vacant, the president pro tempore shall also serve as acting president until a successor to the president of Council is nominated and elected as provided in Section 7.07. The President of Council shall not lose his status as a voting member of Council. While serving as acting president, the president pro tempore shall not lose his status as a voting member of the Council and he shall stand in line of succession to the office of Mayor. No vacancy in the Council shall be created by the president pro tempore serving as acting president. A vacancy in the office of the president pro tempore shall be filled by appointment of a Council member made by a majority vote of the remaining Council members. When the office of Council members becomes vacant, the vacancy shall [be filled by election of a qualified person by a majority vote of remaining Council members in such a manner as prescribed by adopted rules of Council. If the Council shall fail within forty-five days of the occurrence of the vacancy to fill such vacancy, the President of Council shall fill it by appointment. The person elected by the Council or appointed by the President of Council shall serve until a successor is nominated and elected as provided in section 7.07.] REMAIN OPEN UNTIL FILLED BY AN ELECTED PERSON AT THE NEXT ELECTION AT WHICH CANDIDATES MAY RUN IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE BOARD OF ELECTION TIME RESTRAINTS. THE NEWLY-ELECTED PERSON SHALL COMPLETE THE VACANT TERM.

SHALL SECTION 2.06 OF THE CHARTER OF URBANA CITY BE AMENDED?

- Yes
- No

**PROPOSED CHARTER AMENDMENT
CITY OF URBANA
A majority affirmative vote is
necessary for passage.**

Shall Section 3.05 of the Charter of the City of Urbana, Ohio, be amended to add the following language capitalized below and to delete the language indicated in brackets?

SECTION 3.05 VACANCY.

In the event of a vacancy in the office of Mayor, the president of Council shall succeed to the office of Mayor to serve [the unexpired term.] UNTIL SAID OFFICE IS FILLED BY AN ELECTED PERSON AT THE NEXT ELECTION AT WHICH CANDIDATES MAY RUN IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE BOARD OF ELECTION TIME RESTRAINTS. THE NEWLY-ELECTED PERSON SHALL COMPLETE THE VACANT TERM.

SHALL SECTION 3.05 OF THE CHARTER OF URBANA CITY BE AMENDED?

- Yes
- No

**PROPOSED CHARTER AMENDMENT
CITY OF URBANA**
A majority affirmative vote is necessary for passage.

Shall Section 4.02 of the Charter of the City of Urbana 4.02 be amended to add the following language capitalized below?
SECTION 4.02. DIRECTOR OF LAW.
The Director of Law shall be appointed by the Mayor, subject to confirmation by the Council, and shall be admitted to practice law in the State of Ohio. REMOVAL OF THE DIRECTOR OF LAW MUST ALSO BE CONFIRMED BY COUNCIL.

SHALL SECTION 4.02 OF THE CHARTER OF URBANA CITY BE AMENDED?

Yes
 No

**PROPOSED CHARTER AMENDMENT
CITY OF URBANA**
A majority affirmative vote is necessary for passage.

Shall a subsection (k) be added to Section 4.06 of the Charter of the City of Urbana, Ohio, which subsection (k) would contain the following language capitalized below?

(k) A SALARY COMMISSION IS HEREBY CREATED WHICH SHALL DETERMINE THE SALARIES OF THE MAYOR AND THE COUNCIL MEMBERS. THE SALARY COMMISSION SHALL CONSIST OF FIVE MEMBERS WHO ARE REGISTERED ELECTORS OF THE CITY APPOINTED BY THE MAYOR SUBJECT TO THE CONFIRMATION BY COUNCIL BY RESOLUTION. THE FIVE MEMBERS SHALL CONSIST OF ONE PERSON FROM EACH OF THE 4 WARDS IN THE CITY, AS WELL AS ONE AT-LARGE. THREE OF THE MEMBERS OF THE SALARY COMMISSION SHALL SERVE FOR TWO YEARS AND TWO FOR THREE YEARS, TO TAKE OFFICE WITHIN 30 DAYS AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS SECTION. THEREAFTER, MEMBERS OF THE SALARY COMMISSION SHALL BE APPOINTED TO SERVE FOR THREE YEARS AND UNTIL THEIR SUCCESSORS HAVE BEEN APPOINTED AND QUALIFIED. NO COUNCIL MEMBER OR EMPLOYEE OF THE CITY OR MEMBERS OF THE IMMEDIATE FAMILY OF A COUNCIL MEMBER OR EMPLOYEE SHALL BE ELIGIBLE TO BE A MEMBER OF THE SALARY COMMISSION.

THE SALARY COMMISSION SHALL FROM TIME TO TIME ELECT A CHAIRPERSON FROM ITS MEMBERSHIP. WITHIN 45 DAYS OF ITS CREATION, AND EVERY ODD NUMBERED YEAR THEREAFTER, THE SALARY COMMISSION SHALL MEET TO CONSIDER THE SALARIES AND COMPENSATION OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL MEMBERS.

BEYOND THE TERMS CONTAINED HEREIN, THE RULES GOVERNING THE SALARY COMMISSION SHALL BE SET BY CITY COUNCIL.

SHALL A SUBSECTION (k) BE ADDED TO SECTION 4.06 OF THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF URBANA, OHIO?

Yes
 No

**PROPOSED CHARTER AMENDMENT
CITY OF URBANA**
A majority affirmative vote is necessary for passage.

Shall Section 4.03 of the Charter of the City of Urbana, Ohio, be amended to add the following language capitalized below?
SECTION 4.03. DIRECTOR OF FINANCE.
The Director of Finance shall be appointed by the Mayor, subject to confirmation by the Council, on the basis of his OR HER competence as demonstrated by experience, education or both. REMOVAL OF THE DIRECTOR OF FINANCE MUST ALSO BE CONFIRMED BY COUNCIL.

SHALL SECTION 4.03 OF THE CHARTER OF URBANA CITY BE AMENDED?

Yes
 No

Rocca J. Ward
Byron R. Winsted
Stu G. Moore
Michael L. Jerry