

**Merrick County Nebraska  
Notice of General Election**

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 8<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2022 in the election precincts of Merrick County, Nebraska, (Mail in Ballot ONLY for Precincts Prairie Creek, Mead, Midland, Prairie Island, Lone Tree North, Lone Tree South, Clarksville West, Clarksville East, Silver Creek, Loup, Chapman, Vieregg, Central, Ward One, and Ward Two) a General Election will be held. Said election will be for electing candidates to various offices. Some races will not appear on every General Election ballot as some candidates are elected by specific subdivision, districts, or wards. Find your specific ballot at Nebraska Voter Check after October 1, 2022.

**All Races are  
Four Year Term – Vote for ONE  
Unless otherwise stated**

**Congressional Ticket**

**For Representative in Congress  
District 3 – Two Year Term  
Vote for ONE**

Republican  
Adrian Smith  
Democratic  
David J. Else  
Legal Marijuana NOW  
Mark Elworth Jr.

**State Ticket**

**For Governor and Lt Governor**

Republican  
Jim Pillen and Joe Kelly  
Democratic  
Carol Blood and Al Davis  
Libertarian  
Scott Zimmerman and Jason Blumenthal

**For Secretary of State**

Republican  
Bob Evnen  
**For State Treasurer**  
Republican  
John Murante  
Libertarian  
Katrina Tomsen

**For Attorney General**

Republican  
Mike Hilgers  
Legal Marijuana NOW  
Larry Bolinger

**For Auditor of Public Accounts**

Republican  
Mike Foley  
Libertarian  
Gene Siadek  
Legal Marijuana NOW  
L. Leroy Lopez

**For Public Service Commissioner  
District 4 – Six Year Term**

Republican  
Eric Kamler

**Non-Partisan Ticket**

**For Member of the Legislature  
District 34**

Loren Lippincott  
Michael Reimers

**For Member of State Board of  
Education – District 6**

Sherry Jones  
Danielle Helzer

**For University of Nebraska  
Board of Regents – District 6  
Six Year Term**

Paul R. Kenney  
Julie Hehnke

**Chief Justice of the Supreme Court  
Six Year Term**

Shall Judge Michael G. Heavican be retained in office?

Yes  
No

**Judge of the Court of Appeals-  
District 5  
Six Year Term**

Shall Judge Lawrence E. Welch Jr. be retained in office?

Yes  
No

**Judge of the Nebraska Workers'  
Compensation Court  
Six Year Term**

Shall Judge John R. Hoffert be retained in office?

Yes  
No

**Judge of the Nebraska Workers'  
Compensation Court  
Six Year Term**

Shall Judge James R. Coe be retained in office?

Yes  
No

**Judge of the Nebraska Workers'  
Compensation Court  
Six Year Term**

Shall Judge Daniel R. Fridrich be retained in office?

Yes  
No

**Judge of the District Court-District 5  
Six Year Term**

Shall Judge Christina M. Marroquin be retained in office?

Yes  
No

**Judge of the County Court-District 5  
Six Year Term**

Shall Judge Andrew R. Lange be retained in office?

Yes  
No

**Judge of the County Court-District 5  
Six Year Term**

Shall Judge C. Jo Petersen be retained in office?

Yes  
No

**Judge of the Court Court-District 5  
Six Year Term**

Shall Judge Stephen R.W. Twiss be retained in office?

Yes  
No

**Central Community College  
For Board of Governors – District 1  
Central Platte**

Diane R. Keller

**Natural Resources District  
For Board of Directors  
Subdistrict 9**

Edward A. Kyes

**At Large**

Keith A. Ostermeier

**Lower Loup  
Natural Resources District  
For Board of Directors  
Subdistrict 5**

No Filing

**At Large**

N. Richard Hadenfeldt

**Howard Greeley Rural Public Power  
Subdivision 4-Six Year Term  
Vote for up to TWO**

Dennis D. Sperling  
Brian Lukasiewicz  
Dan Scheer  
Troy Lukasiewicz

**Howard Greeley Rural Public Power  
Subdivision 5-Two Year Term**  
Steve L. Wissing

**Educational Service Unit No. 7  
District 3**

Jennifer L. Miller

**Educational Service Unit No. 10  
District 1**

Dale Naprstek

**County Ticket**

**For County Assessor**

Republican  
Jennifer Myers

**For County Attorney**

No Filing

**For Clerk of District Court**

Republican  
Theresa Good

**For County Clerk**

Republican  
Trish Strobel

**For County Sheriff**

Republican  
John Westman

**For County Surveyor**

No Filing

**For County Treasurer**

Sharon A. Gilg

**For County Supervisor**

**District 1**

Republican  
Dennis E. Jarecke  
Democratic  
Clifford P Yrkoski

By Petition

James F. Helgoth

**For County Supervisor**

**District 3**

Republican

Edward D. Dexter

**For County Supervisor**

**District 5**

Republican

Jan Placke

**For County Supervisor**

**District 7**

Republican

Tom Weller

**School Ticket**

**District 1 Fullerton  
For School Board Member  
Vote for up to THREE**

Dillon M. Busch  
Angela Herman  
Scott Russell  
Jennifer Wood  
Beth Sonderup

**District 2 Ward C**  
**Grand Island Public Schools**  
**For School Board Member**  
**Vote for up to TWO**

Carlos A. Barcenas Jr.  
Katherine Mauldin  
Samuel Harris  
Eric Garcia-Mendez

**District 4 Central City**  
**For School Board Member**  
**Vote for up to THREE**

Charles (Chuck) Homolka  
Brent Kennedy  
Aaron Heins

**District 30 Twin River**  
**For School Board Member**  
**Vote for up to THREE**

John Nelson  
Dan Preister  
Chelsa Thompson  
Brian Van Driel  
Jaysen Melcher  
Jeremy Vetick

**District 49 Palmer**  
**For School Board Member**  
**Vote for up to THREE**

Kathy Wolfe  
Heather Shotkoski  
Justin Valasek  
Heather J Paulsen

**District 75 High Plains**  
**For School Board Member**  
**Vote for up to THREE**

Nathan Spurling  
Shane Van Pelt  
Megan Pike

**District 82 Northwest High School**  
**For School Board Member**  
**Vote for up to THREE**

Dan Leiser  
Zach Mader  
Robin L. Schutt  
Bill Buettner

**City Ticket**

**City of Central City**  
**For Mayor**

Clayton Erickson  
Tim Bolling

**City of Central City Ward ONE**  
**For Council Member**  
**Vote for ONE**

No Filing

**City of Central City Ward TWO**  
**For Council Member**  
**Vote for up to TWO**

Chris Fasbender  
Mark Dreher  
Kegnide Bankole

**City of Central City, Nebraska**  
**Resolution No. 2022-23**

“Should the City of Central City, Nebraska, establish and conduct a lottery pursuant to the Nebraska County and City Lottery Act for the purpose of “community betterment”, as that term is defined by Nebraska statute, which includes tax relief?”

[ ] For the lottery

[ ] Against the lottery

**Village Ticket**

**Chapman Village Board**  
**Vote for up to THREE**

Mary A. Steiner  
Francis McCulla  
Casey Bagwell  
Carol A. Quandt  
Chris Moser  
Christopher L Killin

**Clarks Village Board**  
**Vote for up to THREE**

Keith Fader  
James Parsons  
Kelly Urkoski

**Palmer Village Board**  
**Vote for up to TWO**

Mike Thompson  
Mickey Davis  
Christopher Coplen

**Silver Creek Village Board**  
**Vote for up to TWO**

Travis Vanek

**Central Township**  
**Vote for up to THREE**

No Filing

**Chapman Township Board**  
**Vote for up to THREE**

Darrell Widman  
Pamela L. Ogden  
Brad Rice

**Clarks Township Board**  
**Vote for up to THREE**

No Filing

**Lone Tree Township Board**  
**Vote for up to THREE**

No Filing

**Loup Township Board**  
**Vote for up to THREE**

No Filing

**Mead Township Board**  
**Vote for up to THREE**

No Filing

**Midland Township Board**  
**Vote for up to THREE**

No Filing

**Prairie Creek Township Board**  
**Vote for up to THREE**

No Filing

**Prairie Island Township Board**  
**Vote for up to THREE**

No Filing

**Silver Creek Township Board**  
**Vote for up to THREE**

Jerome J. Paczosa

**Vieregg Township Board**  
**Vote for up to THREE**

No Filing

**Proposed Constitutional**  
**Amendments**

The Office of the Secretary of State will publish a true copy of the title and text of any amendment or referendums once a week for three consecutive weeks preceding the General Election

I, Trisha L. Fate-Strobel, County Clerk of Merrick County, Nebraska, do hereby certify that the persons whose names are printed in this certification have made personal filings and each has fulfilled all requirements of law and each is entitled to have their name printed upon the official ballot as a candidate for public office, as designated in the certification.

**Dated this September 19, 2022**

(Seal) *Trisha L. Fate-Strobel*  
Merrick County Clerk

