

Election Notice for Use with the Federal Write-In Absentee Ballot (FWAB)

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NOVEMBER 3, 2026 GENERAL ELECTION

State Executive Offices			
Name of Candidate	Office / Division / Term	Party	Precincts
Amy Acton/ David Pepper	Governor/Lt. Governor	Democratic	Countywide
Don Kissick/ James L. Mills	Governor/Lt. Governor	Libertarian	Countywide
Vivek Ramaswamy/ Robert A. McColley	Governor/Lt. Governor	Republican	Countywide
Keith Faber	Attorney General	Republican	Countywide
John J. Kulewicz	Attorney General	Democratic	Countywide
Annette Blackwell	Auditor of State	Democratic	Countywide
Frank LaRose	Auditor of State	Republican	Countywide
Tom Pruss	Secretary of State	Libertarian	Countywide
Allison Russo	Secretary of State	Democratic	Countywide
Robert Sprague	Secretary of State	Republican	Countywide

Jay Edwards	Treasurer of State	Republican	Countywide
Seth Walsh	Treasurer of State	Democratic	Countywide

U.S. Senate and U.S. Congress			
Name of Candidate	Office / Division / Term	Party	Precincts
Sherrod Brown	U.S. Senator, UTE 1/3/29	Democratic	Countywide
Jon Husted	U.S. Senator, UTE 1/3/29	Republican	Countywide
Greg Levy (Pending Certification)	U.S. Senator, UTE 1/3/29		Countywide
William B. Redpath	U.S. Senator, UTE 1/3/29	Libertarian	Countywide
Elizabeth Kirtley	U.S. Representative to Congress (6 th District)	Democratic	City of Alliance 1 A-C, 2 A-C, 3 A-C, 4 A-F, City of Canal Fulton A-D, City of Canton 1B (part), 3-A (part), 6-A (part), City of Louisville A-G, City of Massillon 1 A-E, 2 A-D, 3 A-E, 4 A-C, 5 A-C, 6 A-D, Meyers Lake A, Navarre A, Bethlehem Twp. 1-4, Canton Twp. 3, Jackson Twp. 10 (part), Lake Twp. A-B, 4-5, 10-13, 14 (part), 16, Lawrence Twp. 1-6, Lexington Twp. 1-4, Marlboro Twp. 1-3, Nimishillen Twp. 1-7, Osnaburg Twp. A, 1-2, 3 (part), Paris Twp. A, 1-3, Perry Twp. 1-20, Pike Twp. 1-3, Sandy Twp. 1-2, Sugarcreek Twp. A-C, 1-2, Tuscarawas Twp. 1-4, Washington Twp. 1-3

Michael A. Rulli	U.S. Representative to Congress (6 th District)	Republican	City of Alliance 1 A-C, 2 A-C, 3 A-C, 4 A-F, City of Canal Fulton A-D, City of Canton 1 B (part), 3-A (part), 6-A (part), City of Louisville A-G, City of Massillon 1 A-E, 2 A-D, 3 A-E, 4 A-C, 5 A-C, 6 A-D, Meyers Lake A, Navarre A, Bethlehem Twp. 1-4, Canton Twp. 3, Jackson Twp. 10 (part), Lake Twp. A-B, 4-5, 10-13, 14 (part), 16, Lawrence Twp. 1-6, Lexington Twp. 1-4, Marlboro Twp. 1-3, Nimishillen Twp. 1-7, Osnaburg Twp. A, 1-2, 3 (part), Paris Twp. A, 1-3, Perry Twp. 1-20, Pike Twp. 1-3, Sandy Twp. 1-2, Sugarcreek Twp. A-C, 1-2, Tuscarawas Twp. 1-4, Washington Twp. 1-3
Carey Coleman	U.S. Representative to Congress (13 th District)	Republican	City of Canton 1-A, 1-B (part), 1 C-D, 2 A-E, 3-A (part), B-E, 4 A-F, 5 A-D, 6-A (part), 6 B-D, 7 A-G, 8 A-F, 9 A-G, North Canton 1 A-C, 2 A-C, 3 A-C, 4 A-C, Canton Twp. 1-2, 4-8, Jackson Twp. 1-9, 10 (part) 11-33, Lake Twp. 1-3, 6-9, 14 (part), 15, 17-21, Osnaburg Twp. 3 (part), Plain Twp. 1-29
Sandeep Dixit	U.S. Representative to Congress (13 th District)	Non-Party	City of Canton 1-A, 1-B (part), 1 C-D, 2 A-E, 3-A (part), B-E, 4 A-F, 5 A-D, 6-A (part), 6 B-D, 7 A-G, 8 A-F, 9 A-G, North Canton 1 A-C, 2 A-C, 3 A-C, 4 A-C, Canton Twp. 1-2, 4-8, Jackson Twp. 1-9, 10 (part) 11-33, Lake Twp. 1-3, 6-9, 14 (part), 15, 17-21, Osnaburg Twp. 3 (part), Plain Twp. 1-29
Emilia Sykes	U.S. Representative to Congress (13 th District)	Democratic	City of Canton 1-A, 1-B (part), 1 C-D, 2 A-E, 3-A (part), B-E, 4 A-F, 5 A-D, 6-A (part), 6 B-D, 7 A-G, 8 A-F, 9 A-G, North Canton 1 A-C, 2 A-C, 3 A-C, 4 A-C, Canton Twp. 1-2, 4-8, Jackson Twp. 1-9, 10 (part) 11-33, Lake Twp. 1-3, 6-9, 14 (part), 15, 17-21, Osnaburg Twp. 3 (part), Plain Twp. 1-29

Ohio General Assembly (Ohio Senate and Ohio House of Representatives)

Name of Candidate	Office / Division / Term	Party	Precincts
Jane Timken	State Senator (29 th District)	Republican	City of Alliance 1 A-C, 2 A-C, 3 A-C, 4 A-F, Canal Fulton A-D, Canton 1 A-D, 2 A-E, 3 A-E, 4 A-F, 5 A-D, 6 A-D, 7 A-G, 8 A-F, 9 A-G, Louisville A-G, Massillon 1 A-E, 2 A-D, 3 A-E, 4 A-C, 5 A-C, 6 A-D, North Canton 1 A-C, 2 A-C, 3 A-C, 4 A-C, Meyers Lake A, Canton Twp. 1-8, Jackson Twp. 1-33, Lake Twp. A-B, 1-21, Lawrence Twp. 1-6, Lexington Twp. 1-4, Marlboro Twp. 1-3, Nimishillen Twp. 1-7, Osnaburg Twp. A, 1-3, Paris Twp. A, 1-3, Perry Twp. 1-3, 4 (part), 5-20, Plain Twp. 1-29, Sandy Twp. 1-2, Tuscarawas Twp. 1, 2 (part), Washington Twp. 1-3
Thomas West	State Senator (29 th District)	Democratic	City of Alliance 1 A-C, 2 A-C, 3 A-C, 4 A-F, Canal Fulton A-D, Canton 1 A-D, 2 A-E, 3 A-E, 4 A-F, 5 A-D, 6 A-D, 7 A-G, 8 A-F, 9 A-G, Louisville A-G, Massillon 1 A-E, 2 A-D, 3 A-E, 4 A-C, 5 A-C, 6 A-D, North Canton 1 A-C, 2 A-C, 3 A-C, 4 A-C, Meyers Lake A, Canton Twp. 1-8, Jackson Twp. 1-33, Lake Twp. A-B, 1-21, Lawrence Twp. 1-6, Lexington Twp. 1-4, Marlboro Twp. 1-3, Nimishillen Twp. 1-7, Osnaburg Twp. A, 1-3, Paris Twp. A, 1-3, Perry Twp. 1-3, 4 (part), 5-20, Plain Twp. 1-29, Sandy Twp. 1-2, Tuscarawas Twp. 1, 2 (part), Washington Twp. 1-3
Al Landis	State Senator (31 st District)	Republican	Navarre A, Bethlehem Twp. 1-4, Perry Twp. 4 (part), Pike Twp. 1-3, Sugarcreek Twp. A-C, 1-2, Tuscarawas Twp. 2 (part), 3-4
Laura Sirot	State Senator (31 st District)	Democratic	Navarre A, Bethlehem Twp. 1-4, Perry Twp. 4 (part), Pike Twp. 1-3, Sugarcreek Twp. A-C, 1-2, Tuscarawas Twp. 2 (part), 3-4

Christina M. Hagan	State Representative (48 th District)	Republican	City of Alliance 1 A-C, 2 A-C, 3 A-C, 4 A-F, City of Canton 6 A (part), City of Louisville A-G, City of North Canton 1 A-C, 2 A-C, 3 A-C, 4 A-C, Lake Twp. A-B, 1-21, Lexington Twp. 1-4, Marlboro Twp. 1-3, Nimishillen Twp. 1-7, Plain Twp. 3, 4 (part), 5, 6 (part), 8-11, 12 (part), 14-20, 22 (part), 23 (part), 24-29, Washington Twp. 1 (part)
Nick Morris	State Representative (48 th District)	Democratic	City of Alliance 1 A-C, 2 A-C, 3 A-C, 4 A-F, City of Canton 6 A (part), City of Louisville A-G, City of North Canton 1 A-C, 2 A-C, 3 A-C, 4 A-C, Lake Twp. A-B, 1-21, Lexington Twp. 1-4, Marlboro Twp. 1-3, Nimishillen Twp. 1-7, Plain Twp. 3, 4 (part), 5, 6 (part), 8-11, 12 (part), 14-20, 22 (part), 23 (part), 24-29, Washington Twp. 1 (part)
Krista L. Allison	State Representative (49 th District)	Democratic	City of Canton 1 A-D, 2 A-E, 3 A-E, 4 A (part), B-F, 5 A (part), B-D, 6 A (part), B-D, 7 A-G, 8 A-F, 9 A-G, Canton Twp. 1 (part), 6 (part), Jackson Twp. 1-9, 11-19, 21, 22 (part), 23, 25-29, 31-33, Osnaburg Twp. 3 (part), Plain Twp. 1-2, 4 (part), 6 (part), 7, 12 (part), 13, 21, 22 (part), 23 (part)
Jim Thomas	State Representative (49 th District)	Republican	City of Canton 1 A-D, 2 A-E, 3 A-E, 4 A (part), B-F, 5 A (part), B-D, 6 A (part), B-D, 7 A-G, 8 A-F, 9 A-G, Canton Twp. 1 (part), 6 (part), Jackson Twp. 1-9, 11-19, 21, 22 (part), 23, 25-29, 31-33, Osnaburg Twp. 3 (part), Plain Twp. 1-2, 4 (part), 6 (part), 7, 12 (part), 13, 21, 22 (part), 23 (part)
Rylan Zachary Finzer	State Representative (50 th District)	Democratic	City of Canal Fulton A-D, City of Canton 4 A (part), 5-A (part), City of Massillon 1 A-E, 2 A-D, 3 A-E, 4 A-C, 5 A-C, 6 A-D, Meyers Lake A, Canton Twp. 1 (part), 2-5, 6 (part), 7-8, Jackson Twp. 10, 20, 22 (part), 24, 30, Lawrence Twp. 1-6, Osnaburg Twp. A, 1-2, 3 (part), Paris Twp. A, 1-3, Perry Twp. 1-3, 4 (part), 5-20, Sandy Twp. 1-2, Tuscarawas Twp. 1, 2 (part), Washington Twp. 1 (part), 2-3

Matthew Kishman	State Representative (50 th District)	Republican	City of Canal Fulton A-D, City of Canton 4 A (part), 5-A (part), City of Massillon 1 A-E, 2 A-D, 3 A-E, 4 A-C, 5 A-C, 6 A-D, Meyers Lake A, Canton Twp. 1 (part), 2-5, 6 (part), 7-8, Jackson Twp. 10, 20, 22 (part), 24, 30, Lawrence Twp. 1-6, Osnaburg Twp. A, 1-2, 3 (part), Paris Twp. A, 1-3, Perry Twp. 1-3, 4 (part), 5-20, Sandy Twp. 1-2, Tuscarawas Twp. 1, 2 (part), Washington Twp. 1 (part), 2-3
Amanda Fontana	State Representative (51st District)	Democratic	Navarre A, Bethlehem Twp. 1-4, Perry Twp. 4 (part), Pike Twp. 1-3, Sugarcreek Twp. A-C, 1-2, Tuscarawas Twp. 2 (part), 3-4
Jodi Salvo	State Representative (51st District)	Republican	Navarre A, Bethlehem Twp. 1-4, Perry Twp. 4 (part), Pike Twp. 1-3, Sugarcreek Twp. A-C, 1-2, Tuscarawas Twp. 2 (part), 3-4

Ohio Supreme Court			
Daniel R. Hawkins	Justice of the Supreme Court, FTC 1/1/27	Republican	Countywide
Marilyn Zayas	Justice of the Supreme Court, FTC 1/1/27	Democratic	Countywide
Jennifer Brunner	Justice of the Supreme Court, FTC 1/2/27	Democratic	Countywide
Colleen O'Donnell	Justice of the Supreme Court, FTC 1/2/27	Republican	Countywide

Ohio Court of Appeals (5 th District)			
Matthew George	Judge of the Court of Appeals, FTC 2/9/27	Republican	Countywide

County Offices			
Name of Candidate	Office / Division / Term	Party	Precincts
Alan Harold	County Commissioner, FTC 1/1/27	Republican	Countywide
Tony M. Townsend	County Commissioner, FTC 1/1/27	Democratic	Countywide
Chalice E. Brown	County Auditor	Democratic	Countywide
Angela Kinsey	County Auditor	Republican	Countywide

County Court of Common Pleas			
Kristin G. Farmer	Judge of the Court of Common Pleas General Division, FTC 1/1/27	Republican	Countywide
Frank G. Forchione	Judge of the Court of Common Pleas General Division, FTC 1/4/27	Democratic	Countywide
Jennifer L. Dave	Judge of the Court of Common Pleas General Division, FTC 2/9/27	Republican	Countywide
Kristen S. Moore	Judge of the Court of Common Pleas General Division, FTC 2/9/27	Democratic	Countywide
Curt Werren	Judge of the Court of Common Pleas Probate Division, FTC 2/9/27	Republican	Countywide

Local Questions and Issues

Number	Title	Precincts
TBD	STARK COUNTY LIBRARY DISTRICT (Stark, Carroll, Portage and Summit Counties) Renewal of 2 mills and increase of 0.3 mill, current expenses, 8 years, commencing in 2027.	City of Canton 1 A-D, 2 A-E, 3 A-E, 4 A-F, 5 A-D, 6 -A (part), B-D, 7 A-G, 8 A-F, 9 A-G, Massillon 1-A (part), 2-D (part), 3-C(part), 3-E (part), 4-A (part), 4-B (part) 4-C, 5-B (part), 5-C (part), 6-A (part), 6-C (part), North Canton 1-B (part), 3-A (part), 3-B (part), 3-C (part), 4-A (part), 4-C (part), Meyers Lake A, Bethlehem Twp. 1-4, Canton Twp. 1-8, Jackson Twp. 1-33, Lake Twp. A-B, 1, 2 (part), 3, 5-6, 7 (part), 10-14, 15 (part), 16-17, 18 (part), Lawrence Twp. 1, 3 (part), 4 (part), 6 (part), Marlboro Twp. 3 (part), 6 (part), Osnaburg Twp. A, 1 (part), 2 (part), 3, Perry Twp. 1 2 (part), 3 (part), 4-20, Pike Twp. 1-3, Plain Twp. 1,2, 4-9, 10 (part), 11-13, 15-16, 18-21, 23-26, 27 (part), 28-29, Sandy Twp. 1 (part), 2, Sugarcreek Twp. A, 1-2, Tuscarawas Twp, 1 (part), 2 (part), 3 (part), 4 (part).
TBD	WAYNE COUNTY JOINT VOCATIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT (Wayne, Ashland, Holmes, Medina and Stark Counties) Renewal, 0.5 mill, general permanent improvements, 5 years, commencing in 2027.	Sugarcreek Twp. 2 (part)
TBD	PLAIN LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT Bond Issue, \$116,802,000, 3.5 mills, maximum 37 years, constructing, furnishing, equipping, renovating, rehabilitating, remodeling, adding to and otherwise improving School District buildings and facilities, acquiring, clearing, equipping and otherwise improving sites therefor, demolishing existing buildings and facilities, commencing in 2026.	City of Canton 6-A (part), 6-C (part), 6-D (part), 7-A (part), 7-C (part), 7-G, 8 A-F, 9-G (part), North Canton 3-A (part), 3-B (part), 3-C (part), 4-C (part), Jackson Twp. 3 (part), 5 (part), 7 (part), 9, 25, Lake Twp. 1 (part), 6 (part), Nimishillen Twp. 6 (part), Plain Twp. 1, 2 (part), 4-9, 10 (part), 11-13, 15-16, 18-21, 23 (part), 24-26, 27 (part), 28-29
TBD	SANDY VALLEY LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT (Stark, Carroll and Tuscarawas Counties) Renewal, 2.3 mills, current expenses, 5 years, commencing in 2027.	Pike Twp. 1 (part), 2 (part), 3 (part), Sandy Twp. 1 (part), 2 (part)
TBD	MASSILLON CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT Renewal, 4.9 mills, current expenses, 5 years, commencing in 2027.	Massillon 1- A (part), 1 B-E, 2 A-C, D (part), 3 A-B, C (part), D, E (part), 4- A (part), B (part), 5- A, B (part), C (part), 6- A (part), B, C (part), D, Perry Twp. 3 (part), Tuscarawas Twp. 1 (part), 2 (part), 3 (part), 4 (part)

TBD	STARK REGIONAL TRANSIT AUTHORITY (SARTA) Continuation of sales and use tax, 0.25 %, 10 years.	Countywide
TBD	VILLAGE OF EAST SPARTA Renewal, 6.5 mills, current expenses, 5 years, commencing in 2026.	Pike Twp. 1 (part)
TBD	VILLAGE OF EAST SPARTA Renewal, 3 mills, police, 5 years, commencing in 2026.	Pike Twp. 1 (part)
TBD	LOCAL LIQUOR OPTION – ALLIANCE 1-B Sunday sales, wine and mixed beverages, Hanny Rahi, L.L.C., dba Mom's Drive Thru, 840 Diehl Court, Alliance, Ohio 44601	Alliance 1-B
TBD	VILLAGE OF BEACH CITY Renewal, 5 mills, road levy, 5 years, commencing in 2026.	Sugarcreek Twp. A
TBD	LOCAL LIQUOR OPTION – LAKE TOWNSHIP A Sale of wine and mixed beverages, CNEPAL, L.L.C., dba Hartville Mini Mart, 260 S. Prospect Ave. Hartville, Ohio 44632.	Lake Twp. A
TBD	LOCAL LIQUOR OPTION – LAKE TOWNSHIP A Sale of beer, CNEPAL, L.L.C., dba Hartville Mini Mart, 260 S. Prospect Ave. Hartville, Ohio 44632.	Lake Twp. A
TBD	LOCAL LIQUOR OPTION – PARIS TOWNSHIP A Sunday Sales, wine and mixed beverages, Topsy Farmer Winery LLC, DBA: Topsy Teller Urban Winery LLC, 123 N. Main Street Minerva, Ohio 44657.	Paris Twp. A
TBD	PIKE TOWNSHIP FIRE DISTRICT Renewal, 1 mill, fire levy, 5 years, commencing in 2027.	Pike Twp. 1 (part), 2-3
TBD	NIMISHILLEN TOWNSHIP Additional, 3 mills, fire levy, 5 years, commencing in 2027.	Canton City 6-A, Nimishillen Twp. 1-7
TBD	LAKE TOWNSHIP FIRE DISTRICT Additional, 2.75 mills, fire levy, 5 years, commencing in 2027.	Lake Twp. 1-21

TBD	LAWRENCE TOWNSHIP FIRE DISTRICT Renewal, 0.5 mill, fire levy, 5 years, commencing in 2027.	Lawrence Twp. 1-6
TBD	PLAIN TOWNSHIP ROAD DISTRICT Renewal, 1.5 mills, road levy, 5 years, commencing in 2027.	Plain Twp. 1-29
TBD	MARLBORO TOWNSHIP Renewal, 2 mills, road levy, 5 years, commencing in 2027.	Marlboro Twp. 1-3
TBD	PARIS TOWNSHIP ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER ONE Additional, 2 mills, road levy, 5 years, commencing in 2026.	Paris Twp. 1-3

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. 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 100th day before the election and the updated election notice issued on the 46th 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: 3525 Regent Ave NE Canton, Ohio 44705.** A complete listing of all county board of elections mailing addresses and contact information is available at <https://ohiosos.gov/SOS/elections/electionofficials/boeDirectory.aspx#dir>

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

