OCONEE COUNTY

104-City Hall

OFFICIAL ABSENTEE/PROVISIONAL/EMERGENCY BALLOT

OFFICIAL GENERAL AND SPECIAL ELECTION BALLOT
OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA
NOVEMBER 3, 2020

INSTRUCTIONS:

To Vote

1. Use black or blue ink to mark the ballot
2. Completely fill in the empty oval to the left of the candidate name or choice in all races you wish to vote
3. If voting for a Write-In candidate, completely fill in the empty oval to the left of the Write-In selection, then write the name of the write-in candidate in the space provided

Warning

Do NOT use red ink or felt tip pen to mark ballot
Do NOT circle, underline or mark through choices
Do NOT use check marks or X to mark ballot
Do NOT mark more choices per race than allowed
Do NOT sign, cut, tear or damage the ballot

If you make a mistake or change your mind on a selection:

A. Do not attempt to mark through the selection or attempt to erase. Write "**Spoiled**" across **the ballot and across the return envelope**
B. Mail or return the spoiled ballot and envelope to your county board of registrars; a new official absentee ballot will be mailed to you

If you decide to vote in-person: Surrender the ballot to the poll manager of an early voting site within your county or the precinct to which you are assigned. You will then be permitted to vote a regular ballot

"I understand that the offer or acceptance of money or any other object of value to vote for any particular candidate, list of candidates, issue, or list of issues included in this election constitutes an act of voter fraud and is a felony under Georgia law." [O.C.G.A. 21-2-284(e), 21-2-285(h) and 21-2-383(a)]

For President of the United States
(Vote for One)

- ◯ **Donald J. Trump** - President
  Michael R. Pence - Vice President
  (Incumbent) Republican
- ◯ **Joseph R. Biden** - President
  Kamala D. Harris - Vice President
  Democrat
- ◯ **Jo Jorgensen** - President
  Jeremy "Spike" Cohen - Vice President
  Libertarian
- ◯ Write-in

For United States Senate
(Vote for One)

- ◯ **David A. Perdue**
  (Incumbent) Republican
- ◯ **Jon Ossoff**
  Democrat
- ◯ **Shane Hazel**
  Libertarian
- ◯ Write-in

SPECIAL ELECTION

For United States Senate
(To Fill the Unexpired Term of Johnny Isakson, Resigned)
(Vote for One)

- ◯ **Al Bartell** Independent
- ◯ **Allen Buckley** Independent
- ◯ **Doug Collins** Republican
- ◯ **John Fortuin** Green
- ◯ **Derrick E. Grayson** Republican
- ◯ **Michael Todd Greene** Independent
- ◯ **Annette Davis Jackson** Republican
- ◯ **Deborah Jackson** Democrat
- ◯ **Jamesia James** Democrat
- ◯ **A. Wayne Johnson** Republican
- ◯ **Tamara Johnson-Shealey** Democrat
- ◯ **Matt Lieberman** Democrat
- ◯ **Kelly Loeffler** **(Incumbent)** Republican
- ◯ **Joy Felicia Slade** Democrat
- ◯ **Brian Slowinski** Libertarian
- ◯ **Valencia Stovall** Independent
- ◯ **Ed Tarver** Democrat
- ◯ **Kandiss Taylor** Republican
- ◯ **Raphael Warnock** Democrat
- ◯ **Richard Dien Winfield** Democrat
- ◯ Write-in

For Public Service Commissioner
(To Succeed Jason Shaw)
(Vote for One)

- ◯ **Jason Shaw** **(Incumbent)** Republican
- ◯ **Robert G. Bryant** Democrat
- ◯ **Elizabeth Melton** Libertarian
- ◯ Write-in

For Public Service Commissioner
(To Succeed Lauren Bubba McDonald, Jr.)
(Vote for One)

- ◯ **Lauren Bubba McDonald, Jr.** **(Incumbent)** Republican
- ◯ **Daniel Blackman** Democrat
- ◯ **Nathan Wilson** Libertarian
- ◯ Write-in

For U.S. Representative in 117th Congress From the 10th Congressional District of Georgia
(Vote for One)

- ◯ **Jody Hice** **(Incumbent)** Republican
- ◯ **Tabitha Johnson-Green** Democrat
- ◯ Write-in

For State Senator From 46th District
(Vote for One)

- ◯ **Bill Cowsert** **(Incumbent)** Republican
- ◯ **Zachary Perry** Democrat
- ◯ Write-in

For State Representative In the General Assembly From 119th District
(Vote for One)

- ◯ **Marcus A. Wiedower** **(Incumbent)** Republican
- ◯ **Jonathan Wallace** Democrat
- ◯ Write-in

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SPECIAL ELECTION

For District Attorney of the Western Judicial Circuit
(Vote for One)

- James Chafin
- Deborah Gonzalez
  Democrat
- Brian Patterson
  Democrat
- Write-in

For Clerk of Superior Court
(Vote for One)

- Angela C. Elder-Johnson
  (Incumbent) Republican
- Write-in

For Sheriff
(Vote for One)

- James A. Hale, Jr.
  Republican
- Write-in

For Tax Commissioner
(Vote for One)

- Jennifer T. Riddle
  (Incumbent) Republican
- Write-in

For Coroner
(Vote for One)

- Ed Carson
  (Incumbent) Republican
- Write-in

For County Commission Chairman
(Vote for One)

- John E. Daniell
  (Incumbent) Republican
- Eric Gisler
  Democrat
- Write-in

For County Commissioner Post 1
(Vote for One)

- Mark H. Thomas
  (Incumbent) Republican
- Write-in

SPECIAL ELECTION

For County Commissioner Post 3
(To Fill the Unexpired Term of W.E. "Bubber" Wilkes, Deceased)
(Vote for One)

- Jacob Douylliez
  Democrat
- Amrey Harden
  Republican
- Aaron W. Nowak
  Republican
- Write-in

For County Commissioner Post 4
(Vote for One)

- Mark T. Saxon
  (Incumbent) Republican
- Write-in

For County Board of Education Chairman, Post 1
(Vote for One)

- Tom Odom
  (Incumbent) Republican
- Write-in

For County Board of Education Post 4
(Vote for One)

- Tim Burgess
  (Incumbent) Republican
- Laura Williams Ormes
  Democrat
- Write-in

For County Board of Education Post 5
(Vote for One)

- Michael D. Ransom
  Republican
- Joan E. Parker
  Democrat
- Write-in

GENERAL ELECTION CITY OF WATKINSVILLE

For City Council Post 3
(Vote for One)

- Chris Summers
- Brett Thomas
- Write-in

For City Council Post 4
(Vote for One)

- Peter Steckel
- Christine Tucker
  (Incumbent)
- Write-in

For City Council Post 5
(Vote for One)

- Jeff Campbell
- Carolyn A. Maultsby
- Write-in

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

- 1 -

Authorizes dedication of fees and taxes to their intended purposes by general state law.
House Resolution 164
Act No. 597

"Shall the Constitution of Georgia be amended so as to authorize the General Assembly to dedicate revenues derived from fees or taxes to the public purpose for which such fees or taxes were intended?"

- YES
- NO

- 2 -

Waives state and local sovereign immunity for violation of state laws, state and federal constitutions.
House Resolution 1023
Act No. 596

"Shall the Constitution of Georgia be amended to waive sovereign immunity and allow the people of Georgia to petition the superior court for relief from governmental acts done outside the scope of lawful authority or which violate the laws of this state, the Constitution of Georgia, or the Constitution of the United States?"

- YES
- NO

STATEWIDE REFERENDUM

- A -

Establishes a tax exemption for certain real property owned by charities.
House Bill 344
Act No. 149

"Shall the Act be approved which provides an exemption from ad valorem taxes for all real property owned by a purely public charity, if such charity is exempt from taxation under Section 501(c)(3) of the federal Internal Revenue Code and such real property is held exclusively for the purpose of building or repairing single-family homes to be financed by such charity to individuals using loans that shall not bear interest?"

- YES
- NO

SPECIAL ELECTION

1% Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax and Oconee County, Georgia General Obligation Debt
(Vote for One)

Shall Oconee County (the "County") issue general obligation bonds in the aggregate principal amount of not to exceed $12,500,000 for the purpose of providing funds to finance the costs of (a) the County Projects listed in (a)(7) below, (b) paying capitalized interest through January 1, 2021, and (c) paying the costs of issuance of the general obligation bonds; during the period of the hereinafter mentioned special one percent sales and use tax is imposed, the debt service on such bonds will be paid from the County's portion of the proceeds of the special one percent sales and use tax, to the extent available, AND shall a special one percent sales and use tax be imposed in the special district of Oconee County for a period of time of twenty-four calendar quarters (6 years) and for the raising of an estimated amount of $64,648,250 for the following capital outlay projects, pursuant to an Intergovernmental Contract, dated July 7, 2020, between Oconee County, Georgia, the Town of Bishop, the Town of Bogart, the Town of North High Shoals, and the Municipality of Watkinsville, which qualified municipalities comprise more than 50% of the municipal population of the special district: (a) funding the following capital outlay projects for Oconee County: (1) Recreational facilities, (2) Water and sewer facilities, (3) Roads, streets and bridges, (4) Farmland protection, (5) Fire station and rescue facilities and equipment, (6) Historic and scenic facilities, (7) Library and administrative facilities, (8) General County facilities, (9) Broadband facilities, (10) Recreational and park facilities, (11) Courthouse facilities, and (12) Law enforcement vehicles; (b) funding the following capital outlay projects for the Town of Bishop: (1) Roads, streets, bridges and sidewalks; (c) funding the following capital outlay projects for the Town of Bogart: (1) Roads, streets, bridges and sidewalk facilities, (2) Fire department equipment, (3) Sewer facilities, (4) General city facilities, (5) Park facilities, and (6) Broadband facilities; (d) funding the following capital outlay projects for the Town of North High Shoals: (1) Park facilities, (2) Roads, streets, bridges, sidewalks and traffic control facilities, (3) Community building, (4) Fire station equipment, and (5) Greenway facilities; and (e) funding the following capital outlay projects for the Municipality of Watkinsville: (1) Public safety facilities and equipment, (2) Recreational, park and greenspace facilities, (3) Roads, streets, bridges, drainage and sidewalks, and (4) Multi-purpose city facilities, signage and equipment?

- YES
- NO

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