

Notice of Spring Election and

Sample Ballots

February 18, 2025

Office of the Green Lake County Clerk

To the voters of Green Lake County:

Notice is hereby given of a spring election to be held in Green Lake County on February 18, 2025, at which the officers named below shall be chosen. The names of the candidates for each office, whose nominations have been certified to or filed in this office, are given under the title of the office, each in its proper column, together with the questions submitted to a vote, for a referendum, if any, in the sample ballot below.

Information to Voters

Upon entering the polling place and before being permitted to vote, a voter shall:

- state their name and address
- show an acceptable form of photo identification*
- sign the poll book**

***If a voter does not have acceptable photo identification, the voter may obtain a free photo ID for voting from the Division of Motor Vehicles.**

****If the voter is unable to sign the poll book due to disability, a poll worker may write the word "exempt."**

If a voter is not registered to vote, they may register to vote at the polling place serving their residence if the voter provides proof of residence.

Where ballots are distributed to voters, the initials of two inspectors must appear on the ballot.

Upon being permitted to vote, the voter shall enter a voting booth or go to a machine and cast their ballot. The vote should not be cast in any manner other than specified here. Sample ballots or other materials to assist the voter in marking their ballot may be taken into the booth and copied. The sample ballot shall not be shown to anyone so as to reveal how the ballot is marked.

A voter who is a parent or guardian may be accompanied by the voter's minor child or minor ward.

An election official may inform the voter of the proper manner for casting a vote but the official may not advise or indicate a particular voting choice.

Assistance for Voting

A voter may select an individual to assist in casting their vote if the voter declares to the presiding official that they are unable to read, have difficulty reading, writing, or understanding English, or that due to disability are unable to cast their ballot. The selected individual rendering assistance may not be the voter's employer or an agent of that employer or an officer or agent of a labor organization which represents the voter.

Where Optical Scan Voting is Used

The voter shall fill in the oval or connect the arrow next to the name of the candidate of their

choice for each office for which they intend to vote. To vote for a person whose name does not appear on the ballot, the voter shall write in the name of the person of their choice in the space provided for a write-in vote and fill in the oval or connect the arrow next to the write-in line.

When using an *electronic ballot marking device* (“ImageCast Evolution-ICE”) to mark an **optical scan ballot**, the voter shall touch the screen or use the tactile pad to select the name of the candidate of his or her choice for each office for which he or she intends to vote. To vote for a person whose name does not appear on the ballot, the voter shall type in the name of the person of his or her choice in the space provided for a write-in vote.

After Voting the Ballot

After an official **optical scan ballot** is marked, the voter may insert the ballot in the voting device or deliver the ballot to an inspector for deposit. The voter shall leave the polling place promptly.

Spoiling Ballots

If a voter spoils an **optical scan** ballot, they shall return it to an election official who shall issue another ballot in its place, but not more than three ballots shall be issued to any one voter. If the ballot has not been initialed by two inspectors or is defective in any other way, the voter shall return it to the election official who shall issue a proper ballot in its place.

The following is a sample of the official ballot:

Elizabeth A. Otto

Elizabeth A. Otto – Green Lake County Clerk

Notice of Location and Hours of Polling Place

At the Primary Election to be held on February 18, 2025 in the cities, towns and villages of Green Lake County, the following polling place locations will be used for all wards:

TOWN OF BERLIN
Town Hall
N9291 Willard Rd.
Berlin, WI 54923
Brenda Murkley, Clerk
(920)361-4717 (Ext 100)

TOWN OF ST. MARIE
Town Hall
N7090 County Road D
Princeton, WI 54968
Joan Beck, Clerk
(920)294-6493

TOWN OF MACKFORD
Town Hall
N2270 County Road A
Markesan, WI 53946
Andrea Dillie, Clerk
(608)297-0107

CITY OF GREEN LAKE
City Hall
534 Mill Street
Green Lake, WI 54941
Barbara L. Dugenske, Clerk
(920)294-6912

TOWN OF BROOKLYN
Town Hall
N5988 County Road A
Green Lake, WI 54941
Amy Wesenberg, Clerk
(920)294-6600

TOWN OF SENECA
Town Hall
W3102 County Road F
Berlin, WI 54923
Rose Wick, Clerk
(920)229-0124

TOWN OF MANCHESTER
Manchester Senior Center
N1645 School Street
Manchester, WI 53946
Vicki Sievert, Clerk
(920)767-1695

CITY OF MARKESAN
City Hall
150 S. Bridge Street
Markesan, WI 53946
Tamra Harrington, Clerk-Treas.
(920)398-3031

TOWN OF GREEN LAKE
Town Hall
N4454 Horner Road
Ripon, WI 54971
Katie Mehn, Clerk
(920)463-0938

VILLAGE OF KINGSTON
Village Hall
105 W Ann Street
Kingston, WI 53939
Kathy Jerome, Clerk-Treas.
(920)394-3309

TOWN OF MARQUETTE
Town Hall
306 Lyons Street
Marquette, WI 53947
Brittney Frederick, Clerk
(920)203-8009

CITY OF PRINCETON
Princeton Fire Station
431 W. Main Street
Princeton, WI 54968
Elizabeth Amend, City Clerk
(920)295-6612

TOWN OF KINGSTON
Town Hall
W6368 E. Pine Street
Dalton, WI 53926
Traci Campnell, Clerk
(920)394-2208

VILLAGE OF MARQUETTE
Village Hall
127 E. Fourth Street
Marquette, WI 53947
Sue Gerald, Clerk
(920)394-9361

TOWN OF PRINCETON
Town Hall
N5865 County Road D
Princeton, WI 54968
Jill Bartol, Clerk
(920)295-2067

CITY OF BERLIN
Berlin Armory
147 Memorial Drive
Jessi Balcom, Clerk/Administrator
(920)361-5400

All polling places will open at 7:00 A.M. and will close at 8:00 P.M. All polling places are accessible to elderly and voters with disabilities.

If you have any questions concerning your polling place, contact the municipal clerk listed above.

Notice of Meeting of the Local and Municipal Board of Canvassers (MBOC)

At the close of voting on Election Day, pursuant to the provisions of Wis. Stat. §19.84, the Election Inspectors will convene as a joint meeting of the Local Board of Canvassers and the MBOC for the purpose of conducting the local and municipal canvasses pursuant to Wis. Stat. §7.51 and 7.53(1). This meeting will be open to the public pursuant to Wis. Stat. §19.81-89.

Notice of Meeting of MBOC to Process Rehabilitated Provisional Ballots

If provisional ballots have been issued and are subsequently cured by the voter before 4:00 p.m. on the Friday after the election, the MBOC must meet no later than the following Monday at 9:00 a.m. to process the cured provisional ballots. This is a public meeting and requires applicable notice.