

Official 2012 General Election Sample Ballot



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Instructions for Voting

- Press the button ☐ to the right of the candidate of your choice. A green "X" will appear next to your selection.
- To change a selection, press the button ☐ again. The green "X" will disappear and you may make a new selection.
- To vote on a Public Question, press the button ☐ to the right of the word “YES” or “NO.” A green “X” will appear next to your selection.
- If you wish to cast a WRITE-IN vote, go to the PERSONAL CHOICE column and press the button next to WRITE-IN across from the office you wish to write-in. Using the alphabetical keyboard below, enter the name of the person of your choice, one letter at a time. To make a space between the first and middle name or initial and last name, use the arrow pointing to the right on the keyboard. To make a correction, use the arrow pointing to the left. The name you enter will appear in the display to the left of the keyboard. Prior to pressing **enter** for a write-in vote, be sure you have verified the spelling of the person's name and you have selected the correct office. Your choice is recorded and removed from the display.
WARNING: If instructions for a write-in vote are not followed exactly, then you have an improperly cast write-in vote, which will be void and not counted.
- After ALL selections have been made, press the RED CAST VOTE BUTTON located in the lower right corner. This electronically records all of your votes.
- Part the curtains and exit the voting booth.
Before entering the machine, if you have any questions about voting, ask the Poll Clerk.

ATTENTION
VOTERS!

Familiarize yourself with this ballot and instructions. It will assist you in voting, and save time on election day.
IMPORTANT: All voters who can should vote early in the day and thus avoid the possibility of congestion and inconvenience to themselves and others near the close of the polls.

M. Claire French

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County Clerk

Official General Election

Tuesday, November 6, 2012, Monmouth County, New Jersey
Township of Aberdeen

OFFICE TITLE	REPUBLICAN Column 1	DEMOCRATIC Column 2	NOMINATION BY PETITION Column 3	NOMINATION BY PETITION Column 4	NOMINATION BY PETITION Column 5	NOMINATION BY PETITION Column 6	NOMINATION BY PETITION Column 7	NOMINATION BY PETITION Column 8	NOMINATION BY PETITION Column 9	NOMINATION BY PETITION Column 10	PERSONAL CHOICE
PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS Vote for One	Mitt ROMNEY Paul Ryan ☐	Barack OBAMA Joe Biden ☐	Gary JOHNSON James P. Gray <i>Libertarian Party</i> ☐	James HARRIS Maura DeLuca <i>Socialist Workers Party</i> ☐	Ross C. (Rocky) ANDERSON Luis J. Rodriguez <i>NJ Justice Party</i> ☐	Virgil GOODE Jim Clymer <i>Constitution Party</i> ☐	Merlin MILLER Harry Bertram <i>American Third Position</i> ☐	Jeff BOSS Bob Pasternak <i>NSA Did 911</i> ☐	Jill STEIN Cheri Honkala <i>Green Party</i> ☐	Peta LINDSAY Yari Osorio <i>Socialism and Liberation</i> ☐	Write In <i>(Use keyboard below)</i> ☐
FOR UNITED STATES SENATE Vote for One	Joe KYRILLOS ☐	Robert MENENDEZ ☐	Inder "Andy" SONI <i>America First</i> ☐	Eugene Martin LAVERGNE ☐	Daryl Mikell BROOKS <i>Reform Nation</i> ☐	Gregory PASON <i>Socialist Party USA</i> ☐	Ken WOLSKI <i>Green Party</i> ☐	Robert "Turk" TURKAVAGE <i>Responsibility Fairness Integrity</i> ☐	Gwen DIAKOS <i>Jersey Strong Independents</i> ☐	J. David DRANIKOFF <i>Totally Independent Candidate</i> ☐	Write In <i>(Use keyboard below)</i> ☐
FOR U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 6TH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT Vote for One	Anna LITTLE ☐	Frank PALLONE, Jr. ☐	Kenneth R. KAPLAN <i>Libertarian Party</i> ☐	Herbert L. TARBOUS <i>Reform Party</i> ☐	Karen ZALETEL <i>Overthrow All Incumbents</i> ☐	MacDara LYDEN <i>Revitalize American Economy</i> ☐	Len FLYNN <i>Libertarian Party</i> ☐				Write In <i>(Use keyboard below)</i> ☐
FOR COUNTY CLERK Vote for One	M. Claire FRENCH ☐	Michael STEINHORN ☐									Write In <i>(Use keyboard below)</i> ☐
FOR MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF CHOSEN FREEHOLDERS Full Term Vote for One	John P. CURLEY ☐	William SHEA ☐									Write In <i>(Use keyboard below)</i> ☐
FOR MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF CHOSEN FREEHOLDERS One Year Unexpired Term Vote for One	Serena DiMASO ☐	Kevin LAVAN ☐									Write In <i>(Use keyboard below)</i> ☐

Public Questions
General Election

PUBLIC QUESTIONS TO BE VOTED UPON	
STATE PUBLIC QUESTION No. 1 Building Our Future Bond Act Do you approve the "Building Our Future Bond Act"? This bond act authorizes the State to issue bonds in the aggregate principal amount of \$750 million to provide matching grants to New Jersey's colleges and universities. Money from the grants will be used to build, equip and expand higher education facilities for the purpose of increasing academic capacity. INTERPRETIVE STATEMENT Approval of this act will allow the State to issue bonds in the total principal amount of \$750 million. Proceeds from the bonds will be used to provide grants to New Jersey's public and private colleges and universities to construct and equip higher education buildings to increase academic capacity. Bond proceeds will be allocated as follows: * \$300 million for public research universities; * \$247.5 million for State colleges and other State universities; * \$150 million for county colleges; and * \$52.5 million for private institutions with an endowment of \$1 billion or less. Public and private colleges and universities which receive grants will be required to provide funds to support 25% of a project.	YES ☐ No ☐
STATE PUBLIC QUESTION No. 2 Constitutional Amendment Allowing Contributions To Be Taken From Justices' And Judges' Salaries For Their Employee Benefits Do you approve an amendment to the New Jersey Constitution, as agreed to by the Legislature, to allow contributions set by law to be taken from the salaries of Supreme Court Justices and Superior Court Judges for their employee benefits? INTERPRETIVE STATEMENT This amendment clarifies the Legislature's authority to pass laws requiring contributions be taken from the salaries of Supreme Court Justices and Superior Court Judges for their employee benefits. These benefits include their pension and health care coverage. The amendment responds to a question raised in a 2011 lawsuit filed by a judge after the Legislature passed and the Governor signed into law P.L.2011, c.78. That law increased the contributions taken from current and future justices' and judges' salaries for their benefits, starting in October 2011. The lawsuit, which was appealed to the New Jersey Supreme Court, argued against taking the higher contributions from currently appointed justices and judges, citing language in the Constitution that their salaries cannot be reduced during their appointed terms. The amendment clarifies that such contributions, set by law, may be taken from justices' and judges' salaries during their terms. It would also allow for the higher contributions set by P.L.2011, c.78 to be deducted from current and future justices' and judges' salaries.	YES ☐ No ☐

Township of Aberdeen
School Election

OFFICE TITLE	NOMINATION BY PETITION Column 1	PERSONAL CHOICE
FOR MEMBERS OF THE MATAWAN-ABERDEEN REGIONAL BOARD OF EDUCATION Full Term Vote for Two	James MACOMBER ☐	Write In <i>(Use keyboard below)</i> ☐
	Tara MARTINEZ ☐	Write In <i>(Use keyboard below)</i> ☐
	Kenneth M. AITKEN ☐	
	Elizabeth Loud HAYWARD ☐	
FOR MEMBER OF THE MATAWAN-ABERDEEN REGIONAL BOARD OF EDUCATION One Year Unexpired Term Vote for One	No Nomination Made	Write In <i>(Use keyboard below)</i> ☐

WARNING: DO NOT PRESS THE 'CAST VOTE' BUTTON UNTIL YOU HAVE MADE ALL DESIRED SELECTIONS. CAST VOTE BUTTON