

OFFICIAL BALLOT
GENERAL ELECTION HELD FOR
KENTON COUNTY, KY
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2026

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INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS:

To vote for the candidate of your choice, completely fill the oval to the left of the name of the candidate.

STRAIGHT PARTY Vote for One	PROPERTY VALUATION ADMINISTRATOR Vote for One	COUNTY COMMISSIONER 2nd District Vote for One
☐  Republican Party	☐ Darlene M. PLUMMER Republican Party	☐ Jeff NICELEY Republican Party
☐  Democratic Party	☐	☐ Benjamin BACH Democratic Party
☐  Kentucky Party	Write-in	☐
☐  Libertarian Party	JUDGE EXECUTIVE Vote for One	Write-in
UNITED STATES SENATOR Vote for One	☐ Kris A. KNOCHELMANN Republican Party	COUNTY COMMISSIONER 3rd District Vote for One
☐ Andy BARR Republican Party	☐	☐ Richard "Scott" KIMMICH Republican Party
☐ Charles BOOKER Democratic Party	Write-in	☐ Jordan T. BALDRIDGE Democratic Party
☐ Christopher CAMPBELL Kentucky Party	☐ Stacy TAPKE Republican Party	☐
☐	☐	Write-in
Write-in	Write-in	CORONER Vote for One
UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE in CONGRESS 4th Congressional District Vote for One	COUNTY CLERK Vote for One	☐ Amber CONSTANTINO Republican Party
☐ Ed GALLREIN Republican Party	☐ Gabrielle SUMME Republican Party	☐
☐ Melissa Claire STRANGE Democratic Party	☐	Write-in
☐ Jeremy TODD Libertarian Party	Write-in	SURVEYOR Vote for One
☐	SHERIFF Vote for One	☐ James M. SHUMATE Republican Party
Write-in	☐ Larry SHELTON Republican Party	☐
STATE SENATOR 20th Senatorial District Vote for One	☐ Robert "Tom" COLLINS Democratic Party	Write-in
☐ Gex "jay" WILLIAMS Republican Party	☐	MAGISTRATE 2nd District Vote for One
☐ Stella R. POLLARD Democratic Party	Write-in	☐
☐	JAILER Vote for One	CONSTABLE 2nd District Vote for One
Write-in	☐ Marc FIELDS Republican Party	☐ Thomas E. "Tom" TURNER Republican Party
STATE REPRESENTATIVE 69th Representative District Vote for One	☐	☐
☐ Steven DOAN Republican Party	Write-in	Write-in
☐ Wilanne STANGEL Democratic Party	COUNTY COMMISSIONER 1st District Vote for One	NONPARTISAN JUDICIAL BALLOT
☐	☐ Beth SEWELL Republican Party	DISTRICT JUDGE 16th Judicial District, 1st Division Vote for One
Write-in	☐ Sarah FROELICH Democratic Party	☐ Ann RUTTLE
	☐	☐
	Write-in	Write-in
		VOTE BOTH SIDES

NONPARTISAN JUDICIAL BALLOT		NONPARTISAN CITY BALLOT	
DISTRICT JUDGE 16th Judicial District, 2nd Division Vote for One		INDEPENDENCE CITY COUNCIL Vote for up to Six	
Kenneth L. EASTERLING		Chris VOGELPOHL	
Write-in		Jantzen J. WITTROCK	
DISTRICT JUDGE 16th Judicial District, 3rd Division Vote for One		Giuseppe BENTIVEGNA	
Douglas J. GRÖTHAUS		Matt FEHLER	
Write-in		Bryan ROEMER	
NONPARTISAN BALLOT		David COOPER	
SOIL and WATER SUPERVISORS Vote for up to Three		Thomas BRINKER	
Mitchell KRIEGE		Write-in	
Larry OWEN		Write-in	
Write-in		CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT 1	
Write-in		Are you in favor of limiting a Governor's ability to grant pardons or commute sentences by prohibiting him or her from granting pardons or commuting sentences during the time period beginning 60 days prior to the general election at which the Governor is elected, and ending when the Governor is sworn in for that term by amending the Constitution of Kentucky as stated below?	
NONPARTISAN SCHOOL CANDIDATES		It is proposed that Section 77 of the Constitution of Kentucky be amended to read as follows:	
COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION MEMBER, 2nd District Unexpired Term Vote for One		(1) The Governor shall have power to:	
Brian REMOLE		(a) Remit fines and forfeitures; and	
Write-in		(b) Commute sentences and grant reprieves and pardons, except:	
NONPARTISAN CITY BALLOT		1. In case of impeachment; or	
INDEPENDENCE MAYOR Vote for One		2. For the period beginning sixty days prior to the date of the gubernatorial election and ending the fifth Tuesday succeeding the election.	
Kevin STAMBAUGH II		(2) The Governor shall file with each application therefor a statement of the reasons for his or her decision thereon, which application and statement shall always be open to public inspection.	
Carol FRANZEN		(3) In cases of treason, the Governor shall have power to grant reprieves until the end of the next session of the General Assembly, in which the power of pardoning shall be vested; but he or she shall have no power to remit the fees of the Clerk, Sheriff or Commonwealth's Attorney in penal or criminal cases.	
Greg STEFFEN		YES NO	
Write-in			