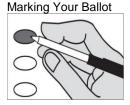
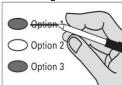
Sample Ballot Spokane County, Washington April 28, 2015 Special Election

Instructions



Completely fill in the oval to the left of your choice. Use a dark pen.
Unless specifically allowed by law, more that one vote for a ballot measure will be an over vote and no votes for that office or ballot measure will be counted.

Correcting Your Ballot



If you make a correction, draw a line through the entire response. You then have the option of making another choice if you wish.

In order for your ballot to be counted, it must be either postmarked or deposited at a designated deposit site no later than 8:00 p.m. on Election Day (April 28, 2015). A list of deposit sites may be found at www.spokanecounty.org/elections.

Proposition No. 1 Spokane County Renewal of Spokane County Sales Tax For Juvenile Detention Facilities and Jails

The Board of County Commissioners of Spokane County adopted Resolution No. 15-0189 concerning a proposition to renew the Juvenile Detention Facilities and Jails Sales and Use Tax. The proposition would renew the expiring one-tenth of one percent sales and use tax, the proceeds to be used solely for the purpose of operating, maintaining, repairing, equipping, reequipping, and financing of Juvenile Detention Facilities and Jails for a period commencing January 1, 2016 and terminating December 31, 2025.

Should this proposition be approved?

Yes No

Proposition No. 1
Spokane Transit Authority

Preservation and Improvement of Public Transportation Services

The Spokane Transit Authority Board of Directors approved a proposition seeking an increase in its sales and use tax authority to maintain the existing transit system, including paratransit and vanpool services, and improve fixed-route bus service through high frequency, high performance transit service, including extended hours on all basic and frequent routes, expanded transit service to new areas, new commuter routes, expanded passenger services including new and enhanced park and ride lots, transit centers, shelters, and bike lockers. This proposition would authorize the collection of an additional sales and use tax of up to 3/10 of 1%, expiring no later than December 31, 2025, all as provided in Resolution No. 728-14. Should this proposition be:

Approved Rejected

Proposition No. 1 Nine Mile Falls School District No. 325-179 Bonds to Modernize and Expand Lakeside High School

The Board of Directors of Nine Mile Falls School District No. 325-179 adopted Resolution No. 1-15, concerning a proposition to improve safety, infrastructure and educationally outdated classrooms. This proposition would authorize the District to: modernize and expand Lakeside High School (including improving safety, security, technology, mechanical and electrical systems; constructing a replacement wing of classrooms; constructing additional educational space, a new auxiliary gym and multipurpose/community and performing arts areas; and making site improvements); issue no more than \$29,450,000 of general obligation bonds maturing within 20 years; and levy annual excess property taxes to repay the bonds, all as provided in Resolution No. 1 - 15. Should this proposition be:

Approved Rejected Proposition No. 1 Cheney School District No. 360 Unlimited Tax General Obligation Bonds - \$44,885,830

The Board of Directors of Cheney School District approved a proposition for bonds. This proposition authorizes the District to make improvements to Cheney High School, including improvements to safety, security, heating, plumbing, electrical systems, make improvements to and equip Three Springs High School, construct and equip additional space for educational programs and student growth, undertake site improvements to address traffic/parking issues and make necessary capital improvements, to issue \$44,885,830 of general obligation bonds maturing within a 21 year term, and to levy excess property taxes annually to repay the bonds as described in Resolution No. 16-14-15. Should this proposition be

Approved Rejected

Proposition No. 1 East Valley School District No. 361 Two-Year Levy to Purchase New School Buses

The Board of Directors of East Valley School District No. 361 adopted Resolution No. 2738, concerning a proposition to finance the purchase of new school buses. This proposition would authorize the District to levy the following excess taxes on all taxable property within the District to improve safety and operational efficiency by purchasing new school buses to replace the District's aging bus fleet:

Approximate Levy Rate/\$1,000

 Collection Year
 Assessed Value
 Levy Amount

 2016
 \$0.55
 \$1,500,000

 2017
 \$0.55
 \$1,500,000

all as provided in Resolution No. 2738. Should this proposition be approved?

Levy Yes Levy No

Voter Service Centers will be open on Election Day (April 28, 2015) only from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Voters may drop off ballots; get replacement ballots; use an Accessible Voting Unit, or receive other assistance as needed on Election Day.

Downtown Spokane - Elections Office - 1033 W Gardner Ave; STA Plaza - 701 W Riverside Ave; West Plains - Cheney Library - 610 First St North Spokane - N. Spokane Library - 44 E Hawthorne Rd; South Hill - St. Mark's Church - 316 E 24th Ave; Spokane Valley - CenterPlace - 2426 N Discovery Pl

Ballot Drop Box locations are available 20 days prior to Election Day

Airway Heights Library – 1213 S Lundstrom St; Argonne Library - 4322 N Argonne Rd; Cheney Library – 610 First St; Deer Park Library – 208 S Forest Ave; Downtown Library - 906 W Main Ave; East Side Library - 524 S Stone St; Elections Office -1033 W Gardner Ave; Fairfield Library – 305 E Main St; Hillyard Library - 4005 N Cook St; Indian Trail Library - 4909 W Barnes Rd; Library – 23123 E Mission Ave; Medical Lake Library – 321 E Herb St; Moran Prairie Library - 6004 S Regal St; North Spokane Library - 44 E Hawthorne Rd; Otis Orchards Library - 22324 E Wellesley Ave; Shadle Library - 2111 W Wellesley Ave; South Hill Library - 3324 S Perry St; Spokane Valley Library - 12004 E Main Ave; STA Plaza - 701 W Riverside Ave

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