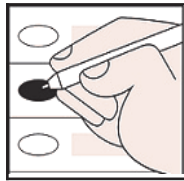




# OFFICIAL ABSENTEE / PROVISIONAL / EMERGENCY BALLOT

Stephens County, Georgia  
Precinct: 001-Historic Courthouse, 002-Historic Courthouse, 003-Historic Courthouse  
**Democratic General Primary and Nonpartisan General Election - May 21, 2024**



**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 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 at 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)]*

<p><b>For United States House of Representatives - District 9</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Tambrei Cash</p>	<p align="center"><b>- 5 -</b></p> <p>Should the State of Georgia stop using taxpayer dollars intended for public education to pay for private school vouchers?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p><b>For Justice Supreme Court of Georgia</b> (To Succeed Nels S.D. Peterson) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Nels Peterson (Incumbent)</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p>
<p><b>For State Senate District 50</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> June Krise</p>	<p align="center"><b>- 6 -</b></p> <p>Should the State of Georgia raise the minimum wage to a living wage?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p><b>Write-in</b></p> <p><b>For Justice Supreme Court of Georgia</b> (To Succeed Andrew A. Pinson) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> John Barrow</p>
<p><b>For County Commission Post 3</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Justin Richie</p>	<p align="center"><b>- 7 -</b></p> <p>Should the portion of the Georgia state constitution allowing for involuntary servitude of prisoners and others convicted of offenses be repealed, thus prohibiting all forms of slavery and involuntary servitude statewide?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p><input type="radio"/> Andrew Pinson (Incumbent)</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p><b>Write-in</b></p>
<p align="center"><b>State Democratic Party Questions</b></p>		
<p align="center"><b>- 1 -</b></p> <p>Should the United States and the State of Georgia protect Georgians from gun violence by banning assault weapons and large-capacity magazines, closing background check loopholes, and passing other common-sense gun safety reforms?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p><input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No</p> <p align="center"><b>- 8 -</b></p> <p>Should the State of Georgia improve access to safe, affordable housing by increasing the affordable housing supply, protecting tenants' rights to habitable living conditions, and cracking down on negligence or abuse by property management companies or landlords?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p><b>For Judge Court of Appeals of Georgia</b> (To Succeed Stephen Louis A. Dillard) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Stephen Dillard (Incumbent)</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p><b>Write-in</b></p>
<p align="center"><b>- 2 -</b></p> <p>Should the State of Georgia incentivize clean energy production as part of a climate policy that recognizes the urgent threat that climate change poses to Georgians' health, lives and future?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p align="center"><b>Nonpartisan General Election</b></p>	
<p align="center"><b>- 3 -</b></p> <p>Should the State of Georgia expand voter access by allowing same-day voter registration, removing obstacles to voting by mail, and making secure ballot drop boxes accessible at all times through Election Day?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p><b>For Justice Supreme Court of Georgia</b> (To Succeed Michael P. Boggs) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Michael P. Boggs (Incumbent)</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p><b>Write-in</b></p>	<p><b>For Judge Court of Appeals of Georgia</b> (To Succeed Benjamin A. Land) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Ben Land (Incumbent)</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p><b>Write-in</b></p>
<p align="center"><b>- 4 -</b></p> <p>Should the State of Georgia protect reproductive freedom by repealing the current six-week abortion ban, restoring the protections of Roe v. Wade and ensuring access to contraceptives, IVF, abortion and other reproductive health care?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p><b>For Justice Supreme Court of Georgia</b> (To Succeed John J. Ellington) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> John J. Ellington (Incumbent)</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p><b>Write-in</b></p>	<p><b>For Judge Court of Appeals of Georgia</b> (To Succeed Amanda H. Mercier) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Amanda H. Mercier (Incumbent)</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p><b>Write-in</b></p>

Turn Ballot Over To Continue Voting

**For Judge  
Court of Appeals of Georgia**  
(To Succeed M. Yvette Miller)  
(Vote for One)

**Jeff Davis**

**Tabitha Ponder**

Write-in

**For Judge  
Court of Appeals of Georgia**  
(To Succeed Brian M. Rickman)  
(Vote for One)

**Brian M. Rickman**  
(Incumbent)

Write-in

**For Judge  
Court of Appeals of Georgia**  
(To Succeed Jeffrey A. Watkins)  
(Vote for One)

**Jeffrey A. Watkins**  
(Incumbent)

Write-in

**For Judge - Superior Court  
Mountain Judicial Circuit**  
(To Succeed B. Chan Caudell)  
(Vote for One)

**B. Chan Caudell**  
(Incumbent)

Write-in

**For Judge - Superior Court  
Mountain Judicial Circuit**  
(To Succeed William Ray Oliver)  
(Vote for One)

**William R. "Bill" Oliver**  
(Incumbent)

Write-in

**For Judge of State Court**  
(Vote for One)

**James T. Irvin**  
(Incumbent)

Write-in

**For Judge of Probate Court**  
(Vote for One)

**Marti Whitlock Mulligan**

**Chris Stephens**

Write-in

**For Judge of Magistrate**  
(Vote for One)

**Donald C. Tabor**  
(Incumbent)

Write-in

