

# Election Notice for use With the Federal Write-In Absentee Ballot (FWAB)

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## Issued by the Wayne County Board of Elections

- BOE to check one:      - Initial notification (to be posted 100 days prior to date of election)  
 Updated notification (to be posted 46 days prior to date of election)

### GENERAL ELECTION

November 3, 2020

<b>President and Vice President (General Election)</b>		
<b>Name(s) of Joint Candidates / Candidate</b>	<b>Party</b>	<b>Precincts</b>
For President <b>Joseph R. Biden</b> For Vice President <b>Kamala D. Harris</b>	DEM	All Precincts
For President <b>Howie Hawkins</b> For Vice President <b>Angela Walker</b>	n/a	All Precincts
For President <b>Jo Jorgensen</b> For Vice President <b>Spike Cohen</b>	LIB	All Precincts
For President <b>Donald J. Trump</b> For Vice President <b>Michael R. Pence</b>	REP	All Precincts
For President <b>Brian Carroll</b> For Vice President <b>Amar Patel</b>	WRITE IN	All Precincts
For President <b>Tom Hoefling</b> For Vice President <b>Andy Prior</b>	WRITE IN	All Precincts

For President <b>Dario Hunter</b> For Vice President <b>Dawn Neptune Adams</b>	WRITE IN	All Precincts
For President <b>Jade Simmons</b> For Vice President <b>Claudelia J. Roze</b>	WRITE IN	All Precincts
For President <b>Kasey Wells</b> For Vice President <b>Rachel Wells</b>	WRITE IN	All Precincts
For President <b>President R19 Boddie</b> For Vice President <b>Eric Stoneham</b>	WRITE IN	All Precincts

<b>U.S. Congress</b>			
<b>Name of Candidate</b>	<b>Office /District/Term</b>	<b>Party</b>	<b>Precincts</b>
Aaron Paul Godfrey	US Congress 16 <sup>th</sup> District	DEM	All Precincts
Anthony Gonzalez	US Congress 16 <sup>th</sup> District	REP	All Precincts

<b>Ohio General Assembly</b>			
<b>Name of Candidate</b>	<b>Office /District/Term</b>	<b>Party</b>	<b>Precincts</b>
Scott Wiggam	Ohio House of Representatives-1 <sup>st</sup> District/FTC 01/01/2021	REP	All Precincts
Alison Theiss	Ohio House of Representatives-1 <sup>st</sup> District/FTC 01/01/2021	DEM	All Precincts

<b>County Administrative Offices (County Commissioner, Prosecuting Attorney, Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas, Sheriff, County Recorder, County Treasurer, County Engineer, and County Coroner)</b>			
<b>Name of Candidate</b>	<b>Office /District/Term</b>	<b>Party</b>	<b>Precincts</b>
Ron Amstutz	Commissioner – FTC 01/02/21	REP	All Precincts

Sue A. Smail	Commissioner - FTC 01/03/21	REP	All Precincts
Daniel R. Lutz	Prosecuting Attorney - FTC 01/04/2021	REP	All Precincts
Tim Neal	Clerk of Courts -FTC 01/04/2021	REP	All Precincts
Jane Carmichael	Recorder FTC 01/04/2019	REP	All Precincts
Melissa A. Koch	Treasurer FTC 09/06/2021	REP	All Precincts
Travis Hutchinson	Sheriff FTC 01/04/2021	REP	All Precincts
Scott A. Miller	Engineer FTC 01/04/2021	REP	All Precincts
Amy S. Jolliff	Coroner FTC 01/04/2021	REP	All Precincts

<b>State Board of Education</b>			
<b>Name of Candidate</b>	<b>Office /Term</b>	<b>Party</b>	<b>Precincts</b>
Christina Collins	Member, State Board of Education – 5 <sup>th</sup> District	n/a	All Precincts
Lisa Woods	Member, State Board of Education – 5 <sup>th</sup> District	n/a	All Precincts

<b>Ohio Supreme Court</b>			
<b>Name of Candidate</b>	<b>Office /Term</b>	<b>Party</b>	<b>Precincts</b>
John P. O'Donnell	Justice FTC 1/1/21	DEM	All Precincts
Sharon L. Kennedy	Justice FTC 1/1/21	REP	All Precincts
Jennifer Brunner	Justice FTC 1/2/21	DEM	All Precincts
Judi French	Justice FTC 1/2/21	REP	All Precincts

**Ohio Court of Appeals (9th District)**

<b>Name of Candidate</b>	<b>Office /Term</b>	<b>Party</b>	<b>Precincts</b>
Betty Sutton	Judge of the Court of Appeals FTC 2/9/21	DEM	All Precincts
Julie A. Schafer	Judge of the Court of Appeals FTC 2/9/21	REP	All Precincts

**County Court of Common Pleas or County Court**

<b>Name of Candidate</b>	<b>Office /Division/Term</b>	<b>Party</b>	<b>Precincts</b>
Latecia Eileen Wiles	Common Pleas/Probate-Juvenile FTC 02/09/2021	REP	All Precincts

# Local Questions and Issues

Certified by the Wayne County Board of Elections August 13, 2020.

Title	Precincts
<p><b>Proposed Tax Levy Replacement and Increase City of Norton</b></p> <p><b>A majority affirmative vote is necessary for passage.</b></p> <p>A replacement of 4.6 mills of an existing levy and an increase of 1 mill, to constitute a tax for the benefit of the City of Norton for the purpose of <b>providing and maintaining fire apparatus, appliances, buildings and sites therefor, sources of water supply and materials therefor, the payment of permanent, part-time or volunteer firefighting, emergency medical service, administrative and communications personnel to operate the same, including the payment of any employer contributions required for such personnel under Section 145.48 or 742.34 of the Revised Code, and the provision of ambulance, paramedic and other emergency medical services operated by the fire department</b> at a rate not exceeding 5.6 mills for each one dollar of valuation, which amounts to 56 cents for each one hundred dollars in valuation, for five years, commencing in 2021, first due in calendar year 2022.</p> <p>FOR THE TAX LEVY</p> <p>AGAINST THE TAX LEVY</p>	<p><i>From Summit County</i></p> <p>City of Norton – 55.02</p>

**Proposed Charter Amendment  
Article II – The Council  
City of Wooster**

**A majority affirmative vote is necessary for passage.**

If passed, this amendment would change Article II of the Charter of the City of Wooster as follows:

- a. Clarify the Charter definition of compensation.
- b. Reduce the number of Compensation Commission members from nine to seven for ease of recruitment.
- c. Allow for flexibility in the scheduling of City Council meetings.
- d. Changes the title of “emergency ordinances” to “ordinances in need of immediate enactment.” This title allows for more clarity for the public.
- e. Allows notice of public meetings to be made electronically in addition to traditional methods.

**Shall Article II of the Charter of the City of Wooster be amended?**

**YES**

**NO**

City of Wooster - 15.01-15.02-15.03-16.01-17.01-20.01-21.01-22.01-23.01-26.01-27.01-28.01-28.02-29.01-30.01-32.01-33.01-34.01-34.02-35.01

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**Proposed Charter Amendment**  
**Article III – The Mayor**  
**Article IV – Administrative Officers, Departments and Commissions**  
**City of Wooster**

**A majority affirmative vote is necessary for passage.**

If passed, this amendment would change Articles III & IV of the Charter of the City of Wooster as follows:

- a. Make the Charter easier to understand as to the Mayor’s supervisory and procedural duties.
- b. Provides for a succession plan for the Director of Law and clarifies how the Director of Law and the Director of Finance are appointed.

**Shall Articles III & IV of the Charter of the City of Wooster be amended?**

**YES**

**NO**

City of Wooster - 15.01-15.02-15.03-16.01-17.01-20.01-21.01-22.01-23.01-26.01-27.01-28.01-28.02-29.01-30.01-32.01-33.01-34.01-34.02-35.01

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**Proposed Charter Amendment  
Article V – The Civil Service  
City of Wooster**

**A majority affirmative vote is necessary for passage.**

If passed, this amendment would change Article V of the Charter of the City of Wooster as follows:

- a. Remove the limit on the number of Administrative Assistants as this is more appropriately handled outside of the Charter.
- b. Remove the governance of civil service from the Charter as Civil Service Rules are a more efficient method.
- c. Allow employees to move from the classified to the unclassified civil service as this restriction has been overly restrictive to employees who wish to change.

**Shall Article V of the Charter of the City of Wooster be amended?**

**YES**

**NO**

City of Wooster - 15.01-15.02-15.03-16.01-17.01-20.01-21.01-22.01-23.01-26.01-27.01-28.01-28.02-29.01-30.01-32.01-33.01-34.01-34.02-35.01

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**Proposed Charter Amendment  
Article VI – Taxation and Finance  
Article VII – Nomination, Elections, Qualifications,  
Initiative and Referendum  
City of Wooster**

**A majority affirmative vote is necessary for passage.**

If passed, this amendment would change Articles VI & VII of the Charter of the City of Wooster as follows:

- a. Allows for the transfer of unencumbered appropriation balances to be transferred among accounts within a fund.
- b. Changes the term “Councilman” to “Member of Council” and adds feminine pronouns.
- c. Clarifies residency requirements for elected officials to match state law.
- d. Changes the procedure for filing an initiative petition in order to make the process more efficient.

**Shall Articles VI and VII of the Charter of the City of Wooster be amended?**

**YES**

**NO**

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**Proposed Charter Amendment  
Articles X & IV – Wooster Community Hospital  
City of Wooster**

**A majority affirmative vote is necessary for passage.**

If passed, this amendment would change Articles X & IV of the Charter of the City of Wooster as follows:

- a. Changes the title of the Mayor’s position on the Board of Governors from “President” to Chairperson and adds feminine pronouns.
- b. Removes the requirement that City Council approve Hospital Ranges of Compensation as it is duplicative of their duty to approve the Hospital budget.
- c. Clarifies the duties and definition of the position of “Vice President of Fiscal Affairs”.
- d. Eliminates term limits for members of the Wooster Community Hospital Board of Governors in order to create parity between Township and City board members.

**Shall Article X and IV of the Charter of the City of Wooster be amended?**

**YES**

**NO**

City of Wooster - 15.01-15.02-15.03-16.01-17.01-20.01-21.01-22.01-23.01-26.01-27.01-28.01-28.02-29.01-30.01-32.01-33.01-34.01-34.02-35.01

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<p><b>Proposed Tax Levy Additional Village of Marshallville</b></p> <p><b>A majority affirmative</b></p> <p>An additional tax for the purpose of providing services at a rate not exceeding \$1.00 per \$100 of valuation, which amount shall be \$1.00 per \$100 of valuation, for the first due in calendar year 2023.</p> <p>FOR THE TAX LEVY</p> <p>AGAINST THE TAX LEVY</p>	<p>Village of Marshallville – 44.04</p> <p>**Full Ballot Language will be posted at polling location**</p> <div data-bbox="446 262 1226 745" style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 20px; text-align: center;"> <p><b>THIS ISSUE HAS BEEN WITHDRAWN BY THE MUNICIPALITY.</b></p> </div>
<p><b>Special Election by Petition Local Liquor Option for Particular Use Wooster City 1-C</b></p> <p><b>A majority affirmative vote is necessary for passage.</b></p> <p>Shall the sale of wine and mixed beverages and spirituous liquor be permitted for sale on Sunday between the hours of ten a.m. and midnight by Nussflick LLC DBA Meatheads Union of Ohio, an applicant for a D-6 liquor permit, who is engaged in the business of operating a butcher shop complete with bar and restaurant at 147 S Market St (1<sup>st</sup> floor only), Wooster, Ohio 44691 in this precinct?</p> <p><b>YES</b></p> <p><b>NO</b></p>	<p>City of Wooster 1-C – 17.01</p>

<p><b>Proposed Tax Levy Replacement &amp; Increase Canaan Township</b></p> <p><b>A majority affirmative vote is necessary for passage.</b></p> <p>A replacement of 2 mills and an increase of 1.5 mills, to constitute a tax for the benefit of Canaan Township, Wayne County, Ohio for the purpose of providing fire and emergency medical services at a rate not exceeding 3.5 mills for each one dollar of valuation, which amounts to \$0.35 for each one hundred dollars of valuation, for a continuing period of time, commencing in 2020, first due in calendar year 2021.</p> <p>FOR THE TAX LEVY</p> <p>AGAINST THE TAX LEVY</p>	<p>Canaan Township 45.01-45.02-46.01-47.01 Overlaps with Medina County</p> <p><b>**Full Ballot Language will be posted at polling location**</b></p>
<p><b>Proposed Tax Levy Renewal Chester Township</b></p> <p><b>A majority affirmative vote is necessary for passage.</b></p> <p>A renewal of a tax for the benefit of Chester Township for the purpose of general construction, reconstruction, resurfacing, and repair of streets, roads, and bridges at a rate not exceeding 1.9 mills for each one dollar of valuation, which amounts to \$0.19 for each one hundred dollars of valuation, for five (5) years, commencing in 2021, first due in calendar year 2022.</p> <p>FOR THE TAX LEVY</p> <p>AGAINST THE TAX LEVY</p>	<p>Chester Township 50.01-50.02-51.01</p>

<p><b>Proposed Tax Levy Additional Milton Township</b></p> <p><b>A majority affirmative vote is necessary for passage.</b></p> <p>An additional tax for the benefit of Milton Township for the purpose of general construction, reconstruction, resurfacing, and repair of streets, roads, and bridges at a rate not exceeding 1.25 mills for each one dollar of valuation, which amounts to \$0.125 for each one hundred dollars of valuation, for five (5) years, commencing in 2020, first due in calendar year 2021.</p> <p>FOR THE TAX LEVY</p> <p>AGAINST THE TAX LEVY</p>	<p>Milton Township 80.01-80.03-80.05-80.07-80.08-80.09-81.01-81.03</p>
<p><b>Proposed Tax Levy Renewal Paint Township</b></p> <p><b>A majority affirmative vote is necessary for passage.</b></p> <p>A renewal of a tax for the benefit of Paint Township, Wayne County, Ohio, for the purpose of fire and ambulance protection at a rate not exceeding 0.6 mill for each one dollar of valuation, which amounts to \$0.06 for each one hundred dollars of valuation, for five (5) years, commencing in 2021, first due in calendar year 2022.</p> <p>FOR THE TAX LEVY</p> <p>AGAINST THE TAX LEVY</p>	<p>Paint Township 83.01-83.02-83.03</p> <p><b>**Full Ballot Language will be posted at Polling Location**</b></p>

<p><b>Proposed Tax Levy Renewal Paint Township</b></p> <p><b>A majority affirmative vote is necessary for passage.</b></p> <p>A renewal of a tax for the benefit of Paint Township, Wayne County, Ohio, for the purpose of fire and ambulance protection at a rate not exceeding 2 mills for each one dollar of valuation, which amounts to \$0.20 for each one hundred dollars of valuation, for five (5) years, commencing in 2021, first due in calendar year 2022.</p> <p>FOR THE TAX LEVY</p> <p>AGAINST THE TAX LEVY</p>	<p>Paint Township 83.01-83.02-83.03</p> <p><b>**Full Ballot Language will be posted at Polling Location**</b></p>
<p><b>Proposed Tax Levy Renewal Plain Township</b></p> <p><b>A majority affirmative vote is necessary for passage.</b></p> <p>A renewal of a tax for the benefit of Plain Township for the purpose of fire and emergency medical services at a rate not exceeding 3 mills for each one dollar of valuation, which amounts to \$0.30 for each one hundred dollars of valuation, for five (5) years, commencing in 2021, first due in calendar year 2022.</p> <p>FOR THE TAX LEVY</p> <p>AGAINST THE TAX LEVY</p>	<p>Plain Township – 84.01, 84.02-84.03- 85.01-85.02-85.03</p> <p><b>**Full Ballot Language will be posted at Polling Location**</b></p>

<p><b>Proposed Tax Levy Renewal Wooster Township</b></p> <p><b>A majority affirmative vote is necessary for passage.</b></p> <p>A renewal of a tax for the benefit of Wooster Township for the purpose of fire and ambulance protection at a rate not exceeding 2 mills for each one dollar of valuation, which amounts to \$0.20 for each one hundred dollars of valuation, for five (5) years, commencing in 2021, first due in calendar year 2022.</p> <p><b>FOR THE TAX LEVY</b></p> <p><b>AGAINST THE TAX LEVY</b></p>	<p>Wooster Township 15.03-97.01-97.02-97.03-98.01-99.01-99.02</p>
<p><b>Proposed Tax Levy Renewal Green Local School District</b></p> <p><b>A majority affirmative vote is necessary for passage.</b></p> <p>Shall a levy renewing an existing levy be imposed by the Green Local School District for the purpose of <b>providing for the emergency requirements of the School District</b> in the sum of \$850,000 and a levy of taxes to be made outside of the ten-mill limitation estimated by the county auditor to average 5.7 mills for each one dollar of valuation, which amounts to 57 cents for each one hundred dollars of valuation, for a period of 10 years?</p> <p><b>FOR THE TAX LEVY</b></p> <p><b>AGAINST THE TAX LEVY</b></p>	<p>Green Local School District 44.03-44.04-53.02-75.01-75.04-76.01-77.01-80.03-80.09-92.02</p>

<p><b>Proposed Tax Levy Additional East Wayne Joint Fire District</b></p> <p><b>A majority affirmative vote is necessary for passage.</b></p> <p>An additional tax for the benefit of the East Wayne Joint Fire District for the purpose of fire and emergency medical services at a rate not exceeding 2.9 mills for each one dollar of valuation, which amounts to \$0.29 for each one hundred dollars of valuation, for two (2) years, commencing in 2020, first due in calendar year 2021.</p> <p>FOR THE TAX LEVY</p> <p>AGAINST THE TAX LEVY</p>	<p>East Wayne Joint Fire District 44.04-89.01</p> <p><b>**Full Ballot Language will be posted at Polling Location**</b></p>
<p><b>Proposed Tax Levy Additional Northern Sugar Creek Township Fire District</b></p> <p><b>A majority affirmative vote is necessary for passage.</b></p> <p>An additional tax for the benefit of the Northern Sugar Creek Township Fire District for the purpose of fire and emergency medical services at a rate not exceeding 2.9 mills for each one dollar of valuation, which amounts to \$0.29 for each one hundred dollars of valuation, for two (2) years, commencing in 2020, first due in calendar year 2021.</p> <p>FOR THE TAX LEVY</p> <p>AGAINST THE TAX LEVY</p>	<p>Northern Sugar Creek Township Fire District 87.03-88.01</p> <p><b>**Full Ballot Language will be posted at Polling Location**</b></p>

<p><b>Proposed Tax Levy Additional Southern Sugar Creek Township Fire District</b></p> <p><b>A majority affirmative vote is necessary for passage.</b></p> <p>An additional tax for the benefit of the Southern Sugar Creek Township Fire District for the purpose of fire and emergency medical services at a rate not exceeding 1.5 mills for each one dollar of valuation, which amounts to \$0.15 for each one hundred dollars of valuation, for two (2) years, commencing in 2020, first due in calendar year 2021.</p> <p>FOR THE TAX LEVY</p> <p>AGAINST THE TAX LEVY</p>	<p>Southern Sugar Creek Township Fire District 87.01-87.02-88.02-88.03</p> <p><b>**Full Ballot Language will be posted at Polling Location**</b></p>
<p><b>Proposed Tax Levy Renewal Wayne County</b></p> <p><b>A majority affirmative vote is necessary for passage.</b></p> <p>A renewal of a tax for the benefit of the Wayne County Board of Developmental Disabilities, Ohio for the purpose of providing for the operation of community programs and services authorized by county boards of developmental disabilities, and for the acquisition, construction, financing, maintenance, and operation of developmental disabilities facilities, or for both such purposes, at a rate not exceeding 1 mill for each one dollar of valuation, which amounts to \$0.10 for each one hundred dollars of valuation, for five (5) years, commencing in 2021, first due in calendar year 2022.</p> <p>FOR THE TAX LEVY</p> <p>AGAINST THE TAX LEVY</p>	<p>Countywide</p>

**Proposed Tax Levy  
Replacement & Increase  
Wayne County**

**A majority affirmative vote is necessary for passage.**

A replacement of 0.25 mill and an increase of 0.35 mill, to constitute a tax for the benefit of Wayne County, Ohio for the purpose of providing anti-drug enforcement services by the Medway Drug Enforcement Agency (Medway), at a rate not exceeding 0.6 mill for each one dollar of valuation, which amounts to \$0.06 for each one hundred dollars of valuation, for a continuing period of time, commencing in 2020, first due in calendar year 2021.

FOR THE TAX LEVY

AGAINST THE TAX LEVY

Countywide

## **INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTER FOR INDICATING YOUR CHOICES ON A FEDERAL WRITE-IN ABSENTEE BALLOT (FWAB):**

To complete a Federal Write-In Absentee Ballot (FWAB), go to [www.fvap.gov](http://www.fvap.gov). You have the option of downloading a blank, hard copy FWAB to complete by hand, or proceeding through electronic completion of the FWAB using the website's FWAB Wizard.

The first page of the FWAB is a Voter Declaration/Affirmation you must complete in order for your ballot to count.

After completing the Voter Declaration/Affirmation, use the initial election notice issued on the 100<sup>th</sup> day before the election and the updated election notice issued on the 46<sup>th</sup> day before the election as a guide to:

- (1) write the name of each candidate or issue contest for which you are casting a vote and then
- (2) write the name of your choice of candidate or choice for or against an issue.

After you have completed the FWAB, **you must PRINT the ballot and MAIL it to your county board of elections at this address: Wayne County Board of Elections, 200 Vanover Street, Wooster, OH 44691.**

A complete listing of all county board of elections mailing addresses and contact information is available at: <https://ohiosos.gov/SOS/elections/electionofficials/boeDirectory.aspx#dir>.

**Do not send your ballot via e-mail or fax; Ohio law prohibits electronic transmission of a voted ballot.**

