

**SPECIMEN BALLOT  
DeWITT COUNTY, ILLINOIS  
GENERAL ELECTION  
NOVEMBER 8, 2022**

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS SPECIMEN BALLOT IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE OFFICES AND CANDIDATES TO BE VOTED IN THE GENERAL ELECTION TO BE HELD IN DeWITT COUNTY ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2022.

*Dana Smith*  
DANA SMITH, COUNTY CLERK  
DeWITT COUNTY, ILLINOIS

**CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT**

**"NOTICE**

**THE FAILURE TO VOTE THIS BALLOT MAY BE THE EQUIVALENT OF A NEGATIVE VOTE, BECAUSE A CONVENTION SHALL BE CALLED OR THE AMENDMENT SHALL BECOME EFFECTIVE IF APPROVED BY EITHER THREE-FIFTHS OF THOSE VOTING ON THE QUESTION OR A MAJORITY OF THOSE VOTING IN THE ELECTION. (THIS IS NOT TO BE CONSTRUED AS A DIRECTION THAT YOUR VOTE IS REQUIRED TO BE CAST EITHER IN FAVOR OF OR IN OPPOSITION TO THE PROPOSITION HEREIN CONTAINED.)**

**WHETHER YOU VOTE THIS BALLOT OR NOT YOU MUST RETURN IT TO THE ELECTION JUDGE WHEN YOU LEAVE THE VOTING BOOTH".**

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE 1970 ILLINOIS CONSTITUTION

**EXPLANATION OF AMENDMENT**

The proposed amendment would add a new section to the Bill of Rights Article of the Illinois Constitution that would guarantee workers the fundamental right to organize and to bargain collectively and to negotiate wages, hours, and working conditions, and to promote their economic welfare and safety at work. The new amendment would also prohibit from being passed any new law that interferes with, negates, or diminishes the right of employees to organize and bargain collectively over their wages, hours, and other terms and conditions of employment and workplace safety. At the general election to be held on November 8, 2022, you will be called upon to decide whether the proposed amendment should become part of the Illinois Constitution.

For the proposed addition of Section 25 to Article I of the Illinois Constitution.

- YES
- NO

**FEDERAL**

**FOR UNITED STATES SENATOR  
(Vote for one)**

- KATHY SALVI REPUBLICAN
- TAMMY DUCKWORTH DEMOCRATIC
- BILL REDPATH LIBERTARIAN
- Write-in \_\_\_\_\_

**STATE**

**FOR GOVERNOR AND  
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR**

**(Vote for one)**

- (DARREN BAILEY REPUBLICAN  
(STEPHANIE TRUSSELL
- (JB PRITZKER DEMOCRATIC  
(JULIANA STRATTON
- (SCOTT SCHLUTER LIBERTARIAN  
(JOHN PHILLIPS
- ( Write-in \_\_\_\_\_  
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**FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL  
(Vote for one)**

- THOMAS G. DeVORE REPUBLICAN
- KWAME RAOUL DEMOCRATIC
- DANIEL K. ROBIN LIBERTARIAN

**FOR SECRETARY OF STATE  
(Vote for one)**

- DAN BRADY REPUBLICAN
- ALEXI GIANNOULIAS DEMOCRATIC
- JON STEWART LIBERTARIAN
- Write-in \_\_\_\_\_

**STATE**

**FOR COMPTROLLER  
(Vote for one)**

- SHANNON L. TERESI REPUBLICAN
- SUSANA A. MENDOZA DEMOCRATIC
- DEIRDRE McCLOSKEY LIBERTARIAN
- Write-in \_\_\_\_\_

**FOR TREASURER  
(Vote for one)**

- TOM DEMMER REPUBLICAN
- MICHAEL W. FRERICHS DEMOCRATIC
- PRESTON NELSON LIBERTARIAN
- Write-in \_\_\_\_\_

**CONGRESSIONAL**

**FOR REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS  
FIFTEENTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT**

**(Vote for one)**

- MARY MILLER REPUBLICAN
- PAUL J. LANGE DEMOCRATIC

**LEGISLATIVE**

**FOR STATE SENATOR  
FORTY-FOURTH LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT**

**(Vote for one)**

- SALLY J. TURNER REPUBLICAN
- No Candidate DEMOCRATIC

**REPRESENTATIVE**

**FOR REPRESENTATIVE IN  
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
EIGHTY-SEVENTH  
REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT**

**(Vote for one)**

- WILLIAM E HAUTER REPUBLICAN
- No Candidate DEMOCRATIC

**FOR REPRESENTATIVE IN  
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
EIGHTY-EIGHTH  
REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT**

**(Vote for one)**

- DAN CAULKINS REPUBLICAN
- No Candidate DEMOCRATIC

**COUNTY**

**FOR COUNTY CLERK AND RECORDER  
(Vote for one)**

- KARI (ALLEN) HARRIS REPUBLICAN
- No Candidate DEMOCRATIC

**FOR COUNTY TREASURER  
(Vote for one)**

- SARA JADE RUSSELL REPUBLICAN
- No Candidate DEMOCRATIC

**FOR SHERIFF  
(Vote for one)**

- MIKE WALKER REPUBLICAN
- No Candidate DEMOCRATIC

**EDUCATIONAL SERVICE REGION**

**FOR REGIONAL SUPERINTENDENT  
OF SCHOOLS  
(DeWITT, LIVINGSTON, LOGAN AND  
McLEAN COUNTIES)**

**(Vote for one)**

- MARK E. JONTRY REPUBLICAN
- No Candidate DEMOCRATIC

**FOR REGIONAL SUPERINTENDENT  
OF SCHOOLS  
(MACON AND PIATT COUNTIES)**

**(Vote for one)**

- JILL R. REEDY REPUBLICAN
- No Candidate DEMOCRATIC

**COUNTY BOARD**

**FOR MEMBERS OF THE COUNTY BOARD  
DISTRICT A**

**(Vote for not more than three)**

- CLARO "BUCK" CARTER REPUBLICAN
- JOE WITTE REPUBLICAN
- JAMIE PRESTEGAARD REPUBLICAN
- No Candidate DEMOCRATIC

**FOR MEMBERS OF THE COUNTY BOARD  
DISTRICT B**

**(Vote for not more than three)**

- TERRY FERGUSON REPUBLICAN
- PATRICK RYAN REPUBLICAN
- JOHN WERTS REPUBLICAN
- No Candidate DEMOCRATIC

**FOR MEMBERS OF THE COUNTY BOARD  
DISTRICT C**

**(Vote for not more than three)**

- MEGAN A. MYERS REPUBLICAN
- THOMAS L. FARRIS REPUBLICAN
- KRISTINA DEERWESTER REPUBLICAN
- No Candidate DEMOCRATIC

**FOR MEMBERS OF THE COUNTY BOARD  
DISTRICT D**

**(Vote for not more than three)**

- MELONIE TILLEY REPUBLICAN
- DAN MATTHEWS REPUBLICAN
- BRIAN RIDDLE REPUBLICAN
- No Candidate DEMOCRATIC

**JUDICIAL**

**FOR JUDGE OF THE APPELLATE COURT  
FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT  
(To fill the vacancy of the Hon.  
David K. Overstreet)**

**(Vote for one)**

- MIKE McHANEY REPUBLICAN
- BRIAN ROBERTS DEMOCRATIC

**JUDICIAL RETENTION**

BALLOT FOR JUDICIAL CANDIDATES SEEKING  
RETENTION IN OFFICE

*"Vote on the Proposition with respect to all or any of the Judges listed on this ballot. No Judge listed is running against any other Judge. The sole question is whether each Judge shall be retained in his or her present office."*

**APPELLATE COURT JUDGE**

**SHALL  
JUDY CATES  
be retained in office as  
JUDGE OF THE APPELLATE COURT  
FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT?**

- YES
- NO

**CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE**

**SHALL  
KARLE E. KORITZ  
be retained in office as  
JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT  
SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT?**

- YES
- NO