GENERAL ELECTION
November 3, 2026
BONNER COUNTY, IDAHO

Precinct ALL

To vote for your choice in each contest, completely fill in the box next to your choice. To vote a "Write-In", fill in the box next to the blank write-in line **and** write the name of your choice on the blank write-in line. If you make a mistake, request a new ballot from an election worker.

CANDIDATES FOR UNITED STATES OFFICES

United States Senator
(Vote for One)

- ☐ Todd Achilles (IND)
- ☐ Natalie M Fleming (IND)
- ☐ Matt Loesby (LIB)
- ☐ Jim Risch (REP)

United States Representative District 1
(Vote for One)

- ☐ Russ Fulcher (REP)
- ☐ Brendan J. Gomez (CON)
- ☐ Kaylee Peterson (DEM)
- ☐ Sarah Zabel (IND)

CANDIDATES FOR STATE OFFICES

Governor
(Vote for One)

- ☐ Brad Little (REP)
- ☐ Terri Pickens (DEM)
- ☐ Pro-Life (CON) (a person, formerly known as Marvin Richardson)
- ☐ Paul Sand (LIB)
- ☐ John R. Stegner (IND)
- ☐ _______________ Write-in

Lieutenant Governor
(Vote for One)

- ☐ Scott Bedke (REP)
- ☐ Eric Myricks (DEM)

Secretary of State
(Vote for One)

- ☐ Shawn Keenan (DEM)
- ☐ Phil McGrane (REP)

State Controller
(Vote for One)

- ☐ Rakesh Mohan (DEM)
- ☐ Brandon D Woolf (REP)

State Treasurer
(Vote for One)

- ☐ Julie A. Ellsworth (REP)
- ☐ Kevin A Jones (DEM)

Attorney General
(Vote for One)

- ☐ Lori Hickman (DEM)
- ☐ Raul R. Labrador (REP)

Superintendent of Public Instruction
(Vote for One)

- ☐ Debbie Critchfield (REP)
- ☐ Teresa Roundy (CON)
- ☐ Becky Sundin Mitchell (DEM)

CANDIDATES FOR LEGISLATIVE OFFICES

State Senator District 1
(Vote for One)

- ☐ Scott Herndon (REP)
- ☐ Steve Johnson (IND)

State Senator District 2
(Vote for One)

- ☐ Phil Hart (REP)
- ☐ Valerie Wade (DEM)

State Representative District 1 Seat A
(Vote for One)

- ☐ Karen Matthee (DEM)
- ☐ Jane Sauter (REP)

State Representative District 1 Seat B
(Vote for One)

- ☐ Kathryn Larson (IND)
- ☐ Cornel Rasor (REP)

State Representative District 2 Seat A
(Vote for One)

- ☐ Birgid Niedenzu (DEM)
- ☐ Heather Scott (REP)

State Representative District 2 Seat B
(Vote for One)

- ☐ Dale Hawkins (REP)
- ☐ Sabine Krier (DEM)

CANDIDATES FOR COUNTY OFFICES

County Commissioner District 1 (4-year term)
(Vote for One)

- ☐ Fred Arn (IND)
- ☐ Steve Smith (REP)

County Commissioner District 2 (2-year term)
(Vote for One)

- ☐ Jeff Roberts (REP)

Clerk of the District Court
(Vote for One)

- ☐ Roger N. Rudd (REP)

County Treasurer
(Vote for One)

- ☐ Clorrisa Koster (REP)

County Assessor
(Vote for One)

- ☐ Cory Gabel (REP)

County Coroner
(Vote for One)

- ☐ Robert Beers (REP)

NONPARTISAN BALLOT

MAGISTRATE JUDGE

Shall Magistrate Luke Hagelberg of Bonner County of the First Judicial District be retained in office?

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

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BALLOT MEASURES

IDAHO CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 4

This proposed constitutional amendment would give the Legislature exclusive authority to legalize marijuana, narcotics, or other psychoactive substances in the State of Idaho.
Question: Shall Section 26, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Idaho be amended to provide that only the Idaho Legislature shall have the power and authority to legalize the growing, producing, manufacturing, transporting, selling, delivering, dispensing, administering, prescribing, distributing, possessing, or using of marijuana, narcotics, or other psychoactive substances?
A **YES** vote **supports** this constitutional amendment to provide that only the Idaho State Legislature shall have the authority to legalize marijuana, narcotics, or other psychoactive substances; and
remove the ability for citizens to initiate state statutes that would legalize these substances.
A **NO** vote **opposes** this constitutional amendment, thereby retaining the ability for citizens to initiate state statutes that would legalize or decriminalize marijuana, narcotics, or other psychoactive substances.

- [ ] **YES**
- [ ] **NO**

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 6

This proposed constitutional amendment would designate English as the official state language. All official speeches, meetings, and other proceedings of state and local governments, such as city council meetings and jury trials, would be conducted in English, and instruction in public schools would be provided in English. All documents of state and local government entities would be published in English. However, the amendment would allow languages other than English to be used when required by federal law.
Question: Shall Article X of the Constitution of the State of Idaho be amended by the addition of a new Section 8, to provide that the English language shall be the official language for the state of Idaho, and to further provide that, except as required by federal law, English shall be used in all public proceedings, public documents, public instruction, and any other public acts of any public institution in the state of Idaho?
A **YES** vote **supports** adding a provision to the Idaho Constitution that designates English as the state's official language.
A **NO** vote **opposes** adding a provision to the Idaho Constitution that designates English as the state's official language, maintaining English as the state's official language in state statute only.

- [ ] **YES**
- [ ] **NO**

PROPOSITION 1

Measure creating right to abortion before fetus viability, and post-viability to protect health; right to privacy; healthcare provider liability protections.
The measure seeks to change Idaho's laws by introducing a right to reproductive freedom and privacy including a right to abortion up to the point of the fetus's ability to survive outside the womb. After fetal viability, there would be no general right to abortion except in cases of "medical emergency." The "medical emergency" exception would expand Idaho's current life exception and allow abortions when pregnant women face complicating physical conditions that threaten their life or health, "including serious impairment to a bodily function" or "serious dysfunction of any bodily organ or part."
The proposed measure codifies a right to make reproductive decisions, including contraception, fertility treatment, and prenatal and postpartum care. This includes a "right of privacy" in making these decisions. The measure seeks to prevent the state from enforcing certain abortion laws protecting the life of the unborn child. It would also impose a requirement that any restrictions on reproductive decisions, including abortion prior to fetus viability, must be "narrowly tailored to improve or maintain the health of the person seeking reproductive health care." The measure would also prevent the state from penalizing patients, healthcare providers, or anyone who assists in exercising the proposed right.
Funding Source Statement: No funding source is required for the Reproductive Freedom and Privacy Act as it does not create any new financial obligation on the state. Because no funding source is required, the Act has no impact on income taxes, sales tax, or product taxes.
Fiscal Impact Statement: The State estimates the initiative would increase state expenditures between $3,100 and $7,800 annually, less than 0.001% of the state share of Idaho's Medicaid budget. This impact is derived from the costs of treating chemical abortion complications for women enrolled in Idaho's Medicaid program. Medicaid covers medically necessary services to treat complications from all abortions. It is anticipated that as legal abortions increase, the complications will also increase. This will likely result in an increase in Medicaid covered services and expenditures to treat complications from chemical abortions, which the State has reliable and readily available data to support.
Question: Shall the above-entitled measure proposed by Proposition One be approved?
A **YES** vote would support creating a right to abortion before fetal viability-defined as a fetus' ability to survive without extraordinary medical measures-and after fetal viability in cases of medical emergency; providing protections against professional discipline and civil and criminal liability for healthcare providers; and codifying a statutory reproductive right to freedom and privacy.
A **NO** vote would support making no change to Idaho's current law, which preserves the life of preborn children by prohibiting abortion, except when necessary to prevent the death of the pregnant woman, and during the first trimester in documented cases of rape or incest reported to law enforcement.

- [ ] **YES**
- [ ] **NO**

IDAHO ADVISORY QUESTION
Which of the following guns should be designated as the state gun of Idaho? Please choose only one answer.

- [ ] **Winchester Model 1894 (.30-30)**
- [ ] **Winchester Model 1873 "Gun that Won the West" (.44-40)**
- [ ] **1873 Colt Single Action Army Revolver "Peacemaker" (.45 Colt)**
- [ ] **M1 Garand rifle (.30-06)**
- [ ] **Colt M1911 .45 automatic Colt pistol (.45 ACP)**
- [ ] **Remington Model 700 bolt-action rifle (.30-06)**

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COOLIN SEWER DISTRICT

COOLIN SEWER DISTRICT
SPECIAL REVENUE BOND ELECTION
BONNER COUNTY, IDAHO
November 3, 2026

QUESTION: Shall the Coolin Sewer District, Bonner County, Idaho (the "District") be authorized to issue and sell its negotiable revenue bonds up to the amount of $8,000,000 for the purpose of financing the design, acquisition and construction of certain capital improvements as hereinafter described (the "Project") to the District's existing wastewater treatment and collection system (the "System"), said bonds due in such installments as fixed by the District, the last installment due and payable not more than thirty (30) years from the date of the bonds, all as provided in Resolution No. 26-02 adopted by the Board of the District on August 5, 2026 (such revenue bonds shall be payable from the revenues of the System, and not from ad valorem property taxes)?

The Project to be financed by the sale of the proposed bonds includes, but is not limited to, repairs, acquisition, construction, and installation of improvements to the System to provide wastewater collection and treatment to patrons of the District including (i) sludge removal and general site work, (ii) new winter storage lagoons and lagoon piping, (iii) irrigation improvements and expansion, (iv) electrical improvements, (v) monitoring wells, fencing, and brush removal, (vi) such other projects identified in the District's Wastewater Facility Planning Study as determined by the District to be necessary, and (vii) expenses properly incident thereto, including but not limited to administrative, engineering and other professional services, costs of issuance of such bonds and any amounts necessary to establish bond reserve funds, if any;

The interest rate anticipated on the proposed bond issue, based upon current market rates, is four and eighty-six hundredths percent (4.86%) per annum. The total amount estimated to be repaid over the life of the bonds, based on the anticipated interest rate, is $15,831,775, consisting of $8,000,000 in principal and $7,831,775 of interest. The term of the bonds will not exceed thirty (30) years from the date of issuance. The estimated average annual cost to the taxpayer on the proposed bond is a tax of $0.00 per $100,000 of taxable assessed value, per year, based on current conditions.

As of November 3, 2026, the total existing bonded indebtedness of the District, including interest accrued, is $0.00.

- [ ] **IN FAVOR of issuing $8,000,000 of revenue bonds for the purposes provided by Resolution No. 26-02**
- [ ] **AGAINST issuing $8,000,000 of revenue bonds for the purposes provided by Resolution No. 26-02**

SPIRIT LAKE FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

SPIRIT LAKE FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT
KOOTENAI COUNTY, IDAHO
BONNER COUNTY, IDAHO
TO ESTABLISH A PERMANENT OVERRIDE TAX LEVY
EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2027

Shall the Board of Commissioners of the Spirit Lake Fire Protection District ("District"), through a permanent override tax levy election to be held on November 3, 2026, pursuant to Idaho Code §63-802(1)(h) be authorized and empowered to permanently increase its property tax budget and levy beyond the amount provided for under Idaho Code §63-802(1)(a) in the amount of Seven Hundred Eighty-Five Thousand and No/100 Dollars ($785,000) for the purpose of maintaining and increasing staffing levels, equipping and maintaining fire district operations, commencing with the District's Fiscal Year 2027/2028 beginning October 1, 2027, which amount shall thereafter be permanently added to the District's base budget for the purposes of Idaho Code §63-802, as provided in the resolution of the Board of Commissioners of the Spirit Lake Fire Protection District adopted on August 12, 2026?

Estimated Taxpayer Impact: A tax of $32.70 per $100,000 of taxable assessed value, per year, based on current conditions. The proposed levy increase will be permanent. The proposed permanent override levy will commence upon expiration of the District's current temporary levy on September 30, 2027.

- [ ] **YES to authorizing an annual $785,000 permanent override tax levy commencing October 1, 2027.**
- [ ] **NO to authorizing an annual $785,000 permanent override tax levy commencing October 1, 2027.**

WESTSIDE FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

WESTSIDE FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT
BONNER COUNTY, IDAHO
TO LEVY A SPECIAL TEMPORARY TWO-YEAR TAX
November 3, 2026

Shall the Board of Commissioners of the Westside Fire Protection District be authorized and empowered to temporarily increase its budget, pursuant to Idaho Code Section 63-802 (1)(a), to hire three (3) additional firefighter/EMTs, to protect property against fire and to provide life preservation services from the current levied property tax amount of $686,451 to $1,066,451, an increase of three hundred and eighty thousand and no/100 dollars [$380,000.00] commencing with the Fiscal Year 2028 and which shall then be established as the base budget for the purposes of Idaho Code § 63-802, as provided in the resolution of the Board of Commissioners of the Westside Fire Protection District adopted on August 12, 2026.

STATEMENT: The temporary two-year [2] levy will be used to obtain staff, increase the number of daily firefighters from one to two, and will be a temporary tax increase of $23.00 per $100,000 of taxable assessed value, per year, based upon current conditions for a total of $67.00 per $100,000 of taxable assessed value, per year, based upon current conditions.

- [ ] **IN FAVOR of authorizing a $380,000 temporary two-year levy override commencing FY 2028.**
- [ ] **AGAINST authorizing a $380,000 temporary two-year levy override commencing FY 2028.**

CITY OF SANDPOINT

CITY OF SANDPOINT, STATE OF IDAHO
LOCAL OPTION NON-PROPERTY
1% CITY SALES TAX
NOVEMBER 3, 2026

QUESTION: Shall the City of Sandpoint, Bonner County, Idaho, adopt an ordinance providing for a 1% local option sales tax to be implemented and effective from January 1, 2027, through December 31, 2036.

This tax will be applicable to all sales, except occupancy sales subject to taxation under Chapter 36 of Title 63, Idaho Code. Per Idaho Code, any excess revenue received will be placed in a designated property tax relief fund. The City will use revenues from the tax to cover the actual cost of collecting and administering the tax.

After administrative costs, revenues from this proposed tax, the amount of which is unknown, will be allocated to the following:

a) 75%: Maintaining, repairing, reconstructing, and improving the City's streets, including related drainage and safety improvements, and;

b) 25%: Maintaining, repairing, improving, and constructing sidewalks, pedestrian crossings, bicycle facilities, pathways, trail, and improvements that connect to the City's transportation network.

On the issue of a 1% local option sales tax:

- [ ] **IN FAVOR**
- [ ] **AGAINST**

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CITY OF DOVER

CITY OF DOVER, IDAHO
LOCAL-OPTION
NON-PROPERTY TAX
November 3, 2026

Shall the City of Dover, Idaho, pursuant to Idaho Code § 50-1044 et seq., adopt an ordinance establishing a city local-option non-property occupancy tax for a period of ten (10) years, beginning January 1, 2027, and ending December 31, 2036, as follows:

A **twelve percent (12%)** occupancy tax on all short-term lodging charges for hotel rooms, motel rooms, short-term rentals (STRs), tourist homes, or other dwelling units rented or leased for thirty (30) consecutive days or less?

Revenues derived from this local option tax shall be used exclusively for the following designated municipal purposes:

A. **Capital Projects, Improvements, Extensions, and Maintenance:** Roads, pathways, sidewalks, water, sewer, stormwater, and parking;

B. **Public Works and Maintenance Expenses:** Operation, repair, improvement, and maintenance of City infrastructure and public facilities;

C. **Administration and Legal Expenses:** Direct costs to collect and enforce the tax;

D. **Parks, Recreation, and Community Amenities:** Acquisition, development, improvements, repairs, and maintenance of land and facilities for parks, recreation, public access, community gathering spaces, and parking serving those uses.

E. **Grant Match:** Local matching funds required for grants or other outside funding used for projects and purposes authorized above.

All excess revenues received beyond budgeted amounts shall be deposited into the Municipal Property Tax Relief Fund pursuant to Idaho Code § 50-1045.

☐ **IN FAVOR**

☐ **AGAINST**