

**CITY AND SCHOOL ELECTIONS
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BLACK HAWK COUNTY, IA
CANDIDATE & PUBLIC MEASURE LIST
NOVEMBER 7, 2023**

CITY CANDIDATES AND PUBLIC MEASURES

* Indicates Incumbent

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NOTE: All Cedar Falls, Raymond and Waterloo Races are subject to Runoff Provision.

CEDAR FALLS

Mayor Danny Laudick, 4516 Coronado Ct	50613	2YR TERM (Vote for no more than one) PH: 319-231-8694 danny.laudick@gmail.com
Council Member-At-Large Hannah Crisman, 820 W 12th St		4YR TERM (Vote for no more than one) PH: 319-231-4283 hannahcrisman10@gmail.com
Ward Two Council Member Christopher Latta, 5301 Fernwood Dr		4YR TERM (Vote for no more than one) PH: 319-404-1496 christopherdlatta@gmail.com
Ward Four Council Member Gabriel Glen Groothuis, 2715 Garden Ave Aaron Hawbaker, 2309 Iowa St		4YR TERM (Vote for no more than one) PH: 319-210-4655 gabe.groothuis4@gmail.com PH: 319-290-0025 ahawby@gmail.com

Contiguous Cities – Public Measure A:

Summary: To authorize imposition of a new local sales and services tax in the cities of Cedar Falls, Elk Run Heights, Evansdale, Hudson, Raymond and Waterloo, that will continue without repeal of the existing local sales and services tax at the rate of one percent (1%) to be effective on January 1, 2026, until repealed.

Revenues from the sales and services tax are to be allocated as follows:

For the City of Cedar Falls: Zero percent (0%) for property tax relief.

The specific purposes for which the revenues will otherwise be expended are:

One hundred percent (100%) of the revenue generated in the City of Cedar Falls, Iowa during each fiscal year from said local sales and services tax is to be allocated for reconstruction/repair/replacement of existing streets, curbs, structures, storm sewers and sanitary sewers as they relate to streets within the corporate limits of the City of Cedar Falls, Iowa.

DUNKERTON

Mayor *Michael J Schares, 305 W Williams St	50626	2YR TERM (Vote for no more than one) PH: 319-822-7339 michaelschares@yahoo.com
Council Member		4YR TERM (Vote for no more than two)

Dunkerton City – Public Measure B:

Summary: To authorize imposition of a local sales and services tax in the city of Dunkerton, that will continue without repeal of the existing local sales and services tax at the rate of one percent (1%) to be effective on January 1, 2026, until repealed.

Revenues from the sales and services tax shall be allocated as follows:

For the City of Dunkerton: Fifty percent (50%) for property tax relief.

The specific purposes for which the revenues will otherwise be expended are:

Fifty percent (50%) for public capital improvements and/or capital improvement debt reduction. Public improvements shall include city streets, curbs, bridges, storm sewer, water, buildings, equipment, parks and recreational facilities as authorized by the City Council of Dunkerton, Iowa.

ELK RUN HEIGHTS

Mayor

*Lisa Smock, 301 Marie Ave
Gary Wurtz, 187 Gray St

50707

2YR TERM (Vote for no more than one)

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Council Member

*Dennis D Bass, 505 Gilbertville Rd
*Dave Galbraith, 623 Amber Ln
Ronald J Ratchford, 404 Everette Ave
Travis Rodden, 235 Elk Run St

2YR TERM (Vote for no more than five)

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Revenues from the sales and services tax are to be allocated as follows:

For the City of Elk Run Heights: Zero percent (0%) for property tax relief.

The specific purposes for which the revenues will otherwise be expended are:

One hundred percent (100%) of the revenue generated in the City of Elk Run Heights, Iowa during each fiscal year from said local sales and services tax be allocated for Capital Improvement and/or Capital Improvement Debt Reduction. Public capital improvements shall include city streets, curbs, bridges, storm sewer, sanitary sewer, water, buildings, equipment, and parks and recreational facilities.

Public Measure BL: Shall the City of Elk Run Heights, Iowa, change the term of office for the council members from two (2) year to four (4) year staggered terms pursuant to Iowa Code 376.2(3), effective January 1, 2024?

EVANSDALE

Mayor

*DeAnne Kobliska, 1660 W Gilbert Dr

50707

2YR TERM (Vote for no more than one)

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Ward One Council Member

*Jeff Bergman, 319 River Forest Rd
Sandy Clements, 143 East End Ave

4YR TERM (Vote for no more than one)

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Ward Two Council Member, To Fill Vacancy

Reed A Pryor, 1000 Schons St
Dottie Wear, 630 Dodge St

For the remainder of the four-year term ending January 2, 2026

(Vote for no more than one)

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Ward Three Council Member

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4YR TERM (Vote for no more than one)

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Ward Four Council Member

Richard Dewater, 930 2nd Ave
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2YR TERM (Vote for no more than one)

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Parks & Recreation Board

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Revenues from the sales and services tax are to be allocated as follows:

For the City of Evansdale: Thirty percent (30%) for property tax relief.

The specific purposes for which the revenues will otherwise be expended are:

Fifty percent (50%) of the revenue generated in the City of Evansdale, Iowa during each fiscal year from said sales and services tax is to be allocated for the repair, replacement, maintenance, creation or reconstruction of city streets, curbs, bridges, storm sewer, sanitary sewer, buildings, and facilities.

Twenty percent (20%) of the revenue generated in the City of Evansdale, Iowa during each fiscal year from said sales and services tax is to be allocated for capital expansion, capital improvements, and capital equipment to be used for library, park and recreation, fire, police, public works, and policy/administration departments capital needs.

Public Measure BK: Shall the term of Library Board members for the Evansdale Public Library be reduced from six (6) to three (3) years of service?

GILBERTVILLE

Mayor

50634

Sheila Brustkern, 215 Parkview Dr, PO Box 213

*Mark Thome, 2141 3rd St

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Council Member

*Scott D Becker, 706 16th Ave, PO Box 323

*Mike Even, 427 Prairie Ln, PO Box 545

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Gilbertville City – Public Measure C:

Summary: To authorize imposition of a local sales and services tax in the city of Gilbertville, that will continue without repeal of the existing local sales and services tax at the rate of one percent (1%) to be effective on January 1, 2026, until repealed.

Revenues from the sales and services tax shall be allocated as follows:

For the City of Gilbertville: Fifty percent (50%) for direct property tax relief.

The specific purposes for which the revenues will otherwise be expended are:

Fifty percent (50%) for Capital Improvements and/or Capital Improvement Debt. Public Improvements shall include city streets, curbs, bridges, storm sewer, water, buildings, equipment, parks and recreational facilities.

HUDSON

Mayor

50643

Gail Bunz, 105 S Washington St, PO Box 331

2YR TERM (Vote for no more than one)

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Council Member

*Jeff Lawson, 409 Blue Bell Ct

*Matt Reisetter, 4511 Ranchero Rd, CF 50613

*Lori Seawel, 4880 Butterfield Rd, CF 50613

4YR TERM (Vote for no more than three)

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Revenues from the sales and services tax are to be allocated as follows:

For the City of Hudson: Zero percent (0%) for property tax relief.

The specific purposes for which the revenues will otherwise be expended are:

One hundred percent (100%) of the revenue generated in the City of Hudson, Iowa during each fiscal year from said local sales and services tax is to be allocated for expenditures within the Public Safety, Public Works, Health and Social Services, Culture and Recreation, Community and Economic Development, or General Government categories of the annual City Budget.

JANESVILLE – Elections for the City of Janesville are managed by Bremer County. We will receive a completed list at the end of the filing period, which is Thursday, September 21st.

Mayor **50647** **2YR TERM** (Vote for no more than one)

Council Member **4YR TERM** (Vote for no more than two)

JESUP – Elections for the City of Jesup are managed by Buchanan County. We will receive a completed list at the end of the filing period, which is Thursday, September 21st.

Mayor **50648** **2YR TERM** (Vote for no more than one)

Council Member **4YR TERM** (Vote for no more than three)

LA PORTE CITY

Council Member **50651** **4YR TERM** (Vote for no more than three)

*Brett Hakeman, 1010 Hillcrest Blvd

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*Jan Pint, 1002 Bishop Ave

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La Porte City – Public Measure D:

Summary: To authorize imposition of a local sales and services tax in the city of La Porte City, that will continue without repeal of the existing local sales and services tax at the rate of one percent (1%) to be effective on January 1, 2026, until repealed.

Revenues from the sales and services tax are to be allocated as follows:

For the City of La Porte City: One hundred percent (100%) of the revenue received will be used for property tax relief.

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RAYMOND

Council Member **50667** **4YR TERM** (Vote for no more than three)

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*Rebecca Pint, 6913 Lafayette Rd, PO Box 117

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*Larry Thies, 6801 Lafayette Rd, PO Box 122

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Revenues from the sales and services tax are to be allocated as follows:

For the City of Raymond: Zero percent (0%) for property tax relief.

The specific purposes for which the revenues will otherwise be expended are:

One hundred percent (100%) of the revenue generated in the City of Raymond, Iowa during each fiscal year from said local sales and services tax is to be allocated for capital improvements and/or capital improvement debt reduction. Including, but not limited to, expenditure for construction, repair, replacement, maintenance, and reconstruction of city streets, sanitary sewer, water, economic development, public buildings, equipment, parks and property tax relief for taxpayers.

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WATERLOO

Mayor

2YR TERM (Vote for no more than one)

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Council Member-At-Large

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Steve Simon, 1140 Kaplan Dr 50702

4YR TERM (Vote for no more than one)

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Ward Two Council Member

Dave Boesen, 3203 Marigold Dr 50701

4YR TERM (Vote for no more than one)

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Ward Four Council Member

*Belinda Creighton-Smith, 416 Oliver St 50703
Josh Gramlich, 1838 Patton Ave 50702

4YR TERM (Vote for no more than one)

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Revenues from the sales and services tax are to be allocated as follows:

For the City of Waterloo: Twenty percent (20%) for property tax relief.

The specific purposes for which the revenues will otherwise be expended are:

Eighty percent (80%) of the revenue generated in the City of Waterloo, Iowa during each fiscal year from said local sales and services tax is to be allocated for construction, reconstruction, replacement, maintenance, and improvement of city streets, curbs, storm sewers, and related infrastructure.

RURAL PUBLIC MEASURE

Rural (Unincorporated) – Public Measure E:

Summary: To authorize imposition of a local sales and services tax in the unincorporated area of Black Hawk County, Iowa, that will continue without repeal of the existing local sales and services tax at the rate of one percent (1%) to be effective on January 1, 2026, until repealed.

Revenues from the sales and services tax are to be allocated as follows:

For the Unincorporated area of Black Hawk County: Fifty percent (50%) for property tax relief.

The specific purposes for which the revenues will otherwise be expended are:

Fifty percent (50%) of the revenue generated in the unincorporated area of Black Hawk County, Iowa during each fiscal year be allocated for secondary road and bridge construction.

SCHOOL CANDIDATES AND PUBLIC MEASURES

***** School Board and Community College candidates file with the appropriate School Board or Community College Secretary. We will receive a completed list by Noon on Friday, September 22nd. *****

* Indicates Incumbent

CEDAR FALLS

Board of Directors **50613** **4YR TERM** (Vote for no more than four)
*Nate Gruber
Matt Garvin
Jeff Orvis
Bett Peterson
Jordan Vernoy

Board of Directors, To Fill Vacancy **For the remainder of the four-year term ending November 2025**
(Vote for no more than one)

DENVER

Board of Directors **50622** **4YR TERM** (Vote for no more than three)

DIKE-NEW HARTFORD

Board of Directors **4YR TERM** (Vote for no more than one)

Board of Directors, District 2 **4YR TERM** (Vote for no more than one)

DUNKERTON

Board of Directors, District 1 **4YR TERM** (Vote for no more than one)

Board of Directors, District 3 To Fill Vacancy **For the remainder of the four-year term ending November 2025**
(Vote for no more than one)

Board of Directors, District 5 **4YR TERM** (Vote for no more than one)

GLADBROOK-REINBECK

Board of Directors **4YR TERM** (Vote for no more than four)

HAWKEYE COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Board of Directors, District 1 **4YR TERM** (Vote for no more than one)
*Barbara McGregor
(Vote totals reported by Black Hawk, Bremer, Butler, Chickasaw, and Floyd)

Board of Directors, District 2 **4YR TERM** (Vote for no more than one)
(Vote totals reported by Black Hawk)

Board of Directors, District 3 **2YR TERM** (Vote for no more than one)
(Vote totals reported by Benton, Black Hawk, Buchanan, and Tama)

Board of Directors, District 4 **2YR TERM** (Vote for no more than one)
(Vote totals reported by Black Hawk)

Board of Directors, District 6
(Vote totals reported by Black Hawk)

4YR TERM (Vote for no more than one)

Board of Directors, District 8
(Vote totals reported by Black Hawk, Bremer, Buchanan, Chickasaw, and Fayette)

4YR TERM (Vote for no more than one)

HUDSON

Board of Directors
*David Ball
*Amy Thole

4YR TERM (Vote for no more than two)

JANESVILLE

Board of Directors

50647

4YR TERM (Vote for no more than three)

Public Measure: To adopt a Revenue Purpose Statement specifying the use of revenues the Janesville Consolidated School District will receive from the State of Iowa Secure an Advanced Vision for Education Fund.

JESUP

Board of Directors

4YR TERM (Vote for no more than four)

UNION

Board of Directors

4YR TERM (Vote for no more than one)

Board of Directors, District 1

4YR TERM (Vote for no more than one)

Board of Directors, District 3

4YR TERM (Vote for no more than one)

Board of Directors, District 4

4YR TERM (Vote for no more than one)

Public Measure BM: To adopt a Revenue Purpose Statement specifying the use of revenues the Union Community School District will receive from the State of Iowa Secure an Advanced Vision for Education Fund.

VINTON-SHELLSBURG

Board of Directors

52349

4YR TERM (Vote for no more than one)

Board of Directors, District 1

4YR TERM (Vote for no more than two)

Board of Directors, District 2

4YR TERM (Vote for no more than one)

WAPSIE VALLEY

Board of Directors, District 1

4YR TERM (Vote for no more than one)

Board of Directors, District 4

4YR TERM (Vote for no more than one)

WATERLOO

Board of Directors
*Stacie J Mills
*Lyle Schmitt

4YR TERM (Vote for no more than two)

Board of Directors, District 2
Jonathan Cox

4YR TERM (Vote for no more than one)

Board of Directors, District 3
*Jesse Knight

4YR TERM (Vote for no more than one)

WAVERLY-SHELL ROCK

Board of Directors, District 2

50677

4YR TERM (Vote for no more than one)

Board of Directors, District 3

4YR TERM (Vote for no more than one)

Board of Directors, District 5

4YR TERM (Vote for no more than one)