

**SPECIMEN BALLOT
GENERAL ELECTION
NOVEMBER 3, 2020**

Jennifer Harper

Jennifer Harper, Piatt County Clerk & Recorder

Judge's Initials _____

PIATT COUNTY, ILLINOIS

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT PROPOSAL	FEDERAL
<p align="center">"NOTICE</p> <p>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.)</p> <p>WHETHER YOU VOTE THIS BALLOT OR NOT YOU MUST RETURN IT TO THE ELECTION JUDGE WHEN YOU LEAVE THE VOTING BOOTH".</p>	<p align="center">FEDERAL</p> <p align="center">FOR UNITED STATES SENATOR (Vote for one)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> MARK C. CURRAN JR. REPUBLICAN</p> <p><input type="radio"/> RICHARD J. DURBIN DEMOCRATIC</p> <p><input type="radio"/> WILLIE L. WILSON WILLIE WILSON PARTY</p> <p><input type="radio"/> DAVID F. BLACK GREEN</p> <p><input type="radio"/> DANNY MALOUF LIBERTARIAN</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p>
<p align="center">CONSTITUTION BALLOT</p> <p align="center">PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE 1970 ILLINOIS CONSTITUTION</p> <p align="center">Explanation of Amendment</p> <p>The proposed amendment grants the State authority to impose higher income tax rates on higher income levels, which is how the federal government and a majority of other states do it. The amendment would remove the portion of the Revenue Article of the Illinois Constitution that is sometimes referred to as the "flat tax," that requires all taxes on income to be at the same rate. The amendment does not itself change tax rates. It gives the State the ability to impose higher tax rates on those with higher income levels and lower income tax rates on those with middle or lower income levels. You are asked to decide whether the proposed amendment should become a part of the Illinois Constitution.</p> <p>For the proposed amendment of Section 3 of Article IX of the Illinois Constitution</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES</p> <p><input type="radio"/> NO</p>	<p align="center">CONGRESSIONAL</p> <p align="center">FOR REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS THIRTEENTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Vote for one)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> RODNEY DAVIS REPUBLICAN</p> <p><input type="radio"/> BETSY DIRKSEN LONDRIGAN DEMOCRATIC</p>
<p align="center">FEDERAL</p> <p align="center">FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES (Vote for one)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> (DONALD J. TRUMP (MICHAEL R. PENCE) REPUBLICAN</p> <p><input type="radio"/> (JOSEPH R. BIDEN (KAMALA D. HARRIS) DEMOCRATIC</p> <p><input type="radio"/> (HOWIE HAWKINS (ANGELA WALKER) GREEN</p> <p><input type="radio"/> (GLORIA LA RIVA (LEONARD PELTIER) PARTY FOR SOCIALISM AND LIBERATION</p> <p><input type="radio"/> (BRIAN CARROLL (AMAR PATEL) AMERICAN SOLIDARITY PARTY</p> <p><input type="radio"/> (JO JORGENSEN (JEREMY "SPIKE" COHEN) LIBERTARIAN</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p>	<p align="center">REPRESENTATIVE</p> <p align="center">FOR REPRESENTATIVE IN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY ONE HUNDRED AND FIRST REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT (Vote for one)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> DAN CAULKINS REPUBLICAN</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No Candidate DEMOCRATIC</p>
	<p align="center">COUNTY</p> <p align="center">FOR CIRCUIT CLERK (Vote for one)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> SETH E. FLOYD REPUBLICAN</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No Candidate DEMOCRATIC</p>
	<p align="center">FOR STATE'S ATTORNEY (Vote for one)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> SARAH PERRY REPUBLICAN</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No Candidate DEMOCRATIC</p>
	<p align="center">FOR MEMBER OF THE COUNTY BOARD DISTRICT ONE (Vote for one)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> JERRY LYNN EDWARDS REPUBLICAN</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No Candidate DEMOCRATIC</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p>
	<p align="center">FOR MEMBER OF THE COUNTY BOARD DISTRICT TWO (Vote for one)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> GAIL S. JONES REPUBLICAN</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No Candidate DEMOCRATIC</p>

COUNTY
FOR MEMBER OF THE COUNTY BOARD DISTRICT THREE (Vote for one)
<input type="radio"/> TODD C HENRICKS REPUBLICAN <input type="radio"/> No Candidate DEMOCRATIC
JUDICIAL
FOR JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT (To fill the vacancy of the Hon. Thomas J. Difanis) (Vote for one)
<input type="radio"/> JASON BOHM REPUBLICAN <input type="radio"/> SCOTT A. LERNER DEMOCRATIC
FOR JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT (To fill the vacancy of the Hon. Albert G. Webber) (Vote for one)
<input type="radio"/> JEFFREY S. GEISLER REPUBLICAN <input type="radio"/> No Candidate DEMOCRATIC
FOR JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT PIATT COUNTY (To fill the vacancy of the Hon. William Hugh Finson) (Vote for one)
<input type="radio"/> DANA RHOADES REPUBLICAN <input type="radio"/> No Candidate DEMOCRATIC <input type="radio"/> SUZANNE WELLS LINCOLN HERITAGE PARTY
JUDICIAL RETENTION
"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 present office."
SHALL RICHARD L. BROCH, JR. be retained in office as JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT?
<input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO
SHALL ROBERT C. (R.C.) BOLLINGER be retained in office as JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT?
<input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO