

**SPECIMEN BALLOT
GENERAL ELECTION
NOVEMBER 8, 2016**



Amy Frederick, County Clerk & Recorder

FORD COUNTY, ILLINOIS

To vote, darken the oval to the LEFT of your choice, like this . To cast a write-in vote, darken the oval to the LEFT of the blank space provided and write the candidate's name in that space. For specific information, refer to the card of instruction posted in the voting booth. If you tear, spoil, deface or erroneously mark this ballot, return it to the election judge and obtain another.

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">FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES (Vote for one)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> (HILLARY RODHAM CLINTON (TIMOTHY MICHAEL KAINE DEMOCRATIC</p> <p><input type="radio"/> (DONALD J. TRUMP (MICHAEL R. PENCE REPUBLICAN</p> <p><input type="radio"/> (GARY JOHNSON (BILL WELD LIBERTARIAN</p> <p><input type="radio"/> (JILL STEIN (AJAMU BARAKA GREEN</p> <p><input type="radio"/> (Write-in _____</p> <p><input type="radio"/> (Write-in _____</p>
<p align="center">CONSTITUTION BALLOT PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE 1970 ILLINOIS CONSTITUTION</p> <p align="center">Explanation of Amendment</p> <p>The proposed amendment adds a new section to the Revenue Article of the Illinois Constitution. The proposed amendment provides that no moneys derived from taxes, fees, excises, or license taxes, relating to registration, titles, operation, or use of vehicles or public highways, roads, streets, bridges, mass transit, intercity passenger rail, ports, or airports, or motor fuels, including bond proceeds, shall be expended for other than costs of administering laws related to vehicles and transportation, costs for construction, reconstruction, maintenance, repair, and betterment of public highways, roads, streets, bridges, mass transit, intercity passenger rail, ports, airports, or other forms of transportation, and other statutory highway purposes, including the State or local share to match federal aid highway funds. You are asked to decide whether the proposed amendment should become part of the Illinois Constitution.</p> <p>For the proposed addition of Section 11 to Article IX of the Illinois Constitution.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES</p> <p><input type="radio"/> NO</p>	<p align="center">FOR UNITED STATES SENATOR (Vote for one)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> TAMMY DUCKWORTH DEMOCRATIC</p> <p><input type="radio"/> MARK STEVEN KIRK REPUBLICAN</p> <p><input type="radio"/> KENTON McMILLEN LIBERTARIAN</p> <p><input type="radio"/> SCOTT SUMMERS GREEN</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p>
	<p align="center">STATE</p>
	<p align="center">FOR COMPTROLLER (For an unexpired two year term) (Vote for one)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> SUSANA MENDOZA DEMOCRATIC</p> <p><input type="radio"/> LESLIE GEISSLER MUNGER REPUBLICAN</p> <p><input type="radio"/> CLAIRE BALL LIBERTARIAN</p> <p><input type="radio"/> TIM CURTIN GREEN</p>
	<p align="center">CONGRESSIONAL</p>
	<p align="center">FOR REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS FIFTEENTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Vote for one)</p> <p>No Candidate DEMOCRATIC</p> <p><input type="radio"/> JOHN M. SHIMKUS REPUBLICAN</p>
	<p align="center">FOR REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS SIXTEENTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Vote for one)</p> <p>No Candidate DEMOCRATIC</p> <p><input type="radio"/> ADAM KINZINGER REPUBLICAN</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p>