Election Notice for use with the Federal Write-In Absentee Ballot (FWAB)

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BOE to check one:

Initial notification (to be posted 100 days prior to date of election)

■ Updated notification (to be posted 46 days prior to date of election)

MAY 6, 2025 PRIMARY/ SPECIAL ELECTION

(month, date, year, primary/general/special)

Local Offices (Mayor, Attorney, Auditor, Treasurer, Council President, Council, Board of Public Affairs, Trustee, Fiscal Officer, Educational Service Center Board Member, Board of Education Member, etc.)

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Name of Candidate	Office /District/Term	Party	Precincts
Kevin S. Myers	Bucyrus City President of Council FTC 1-1-2026 (Vote for 1)	Republican	City of Bucyrus: Bucyrus 1A (01.1-2), Bucyrus 1B (02.1-2), Bucyrus 2A (03.0), Bucyrus 2B (04.1-2), Bucyrus 3A (06.1- 2), Bucyrus 3B (07.1-2), Bucyrus 3C (08.1-2), Bucyrus 4A (09.1-2), Bucyrus 4B (10.0)
Adrienne Kemery	Bucyrus City Treasurer FTC 1-1-2026 (Vote for 1)	Republican	City of Bucyrus: Bucyrus 1A (01.1-2), Bucyrus 1B (02.1-2), Bucyrus 2A (03.0), Bucyrus 2B (04.1-2), Bucyrus 3A (06.1- 2), Bucyrus 3B (07.1-2), Bucyrus 3C (08.1-2), Bucyrus 4A (09.1-2), Bucyrus 4B (10.0)
Brandon Micheal Gobrecht	Bucyrus City Director of Law UTE 12-31-2027 (Vote for 1)	Republican	City of Bucyrus: Bucyrus 1A (01.1-2), Bucyrus 1B (02.1-2), Bucyrus 2A (03.0), Bucyrus 2B (04.1-2), Bucyrus 3A (06.1- 2), Bucyrus 3B (07.1-2), Bucyrus 3C (08.1-2), Bucyrus 4A (09.1-2), Bucyrus 4B (10.0)
James D. Mee	Bucyrus City Council- At-Large FTC 1-1-2026 (Vote for 3)	Republican	City of Bucyrus: Bucyrus 1A (01.1-2), Bucyrus 1B (02.1-2), Bucyrus 2A (03.0), Bucyrus 2B (04.1-2), Bucyrus 3A (06.1- 2), Bucyrus 3B (07.1-2), Bucyrus 3C (08.1-2), Bucyrus 4A (09.1-2), Bucyrus 4B (10.0)

Clarissa Slater	Bucyrus City Council- At-Large FTC 1-1-2026 (Vote for 3)	Republican	City of Bucyrus: Bucyrus 1A (01.1-2), Bucyrus 1B (02.1-2), Bucyrus 2A (03.0), Bucyrus 2B (04.1-2), Bucyrus 3A (06.1- 2), Bucyrus 3B (07.1-2), Bucyrus 3C (08.1-2), Bucyrus 4A (09.1-2), Bucyrus 4B (10.0)
Robert E. Taylor	Bucyrus City Council- At-Large FTC 1-1-2026 (Vote for 3)	Republican	City of Bucyrus: Bucyrus 1A (01.1-2), Bucyrus 1B (02.1-2), Bucyrus 2A (03.0), Bucyrus 2B (04.1-2), Bucyrus 3A (06.1- 2), Bucyrus 3B (07.1-2), Bucyrus 3C (08.1-2), Bucyrus 4A (09.1-2), Bucyrus 4B (10.0)
Ray A. Thitoff	Bucyrus City Council- At-Large FTC 1-1-2026 (Vote for 3)	Republican	City of Bucyrus: Bucyrus 1A (01.1-2), Bucyrus 1B (02.1-2), Bucyrus 2A (03.0), Bucyrus 2B (04.1-2), Bucyrus 3A (06.1- 2), Bucyrus 3B (07.1-2), Bucyrus 3C (08.1-2), Bucyrus 4A (09.1-2), Bucyrus 4B (10.0)
Christopher A. Mauritz	Bucyrus City 1 st Ward Council FTC 1-1-2026 (Vote for 1)	Republican	City of Bucyrus Ward 1: Bucyrus 1A (01.1-2), Bucyrus 1B (02.1-2)
Allison LeClair	Bucyrus City 2 nd Ward Council FTC 1-1-2026 (Vote for 1)	Republican	City of Bucyrus Ward 2: Bucyrus 2A (03.0), Bucyrus 2B (04.1-2)
C. Aaron Sharrock	Bucyrus City 2 nd Ward Council FTC 1-1-2026 (Vote for 1)	Democrat	City of Bucyrus Ward 2: Bucyrus 2A (03.0), Bucyrus 2B (04.1-2)
Zyan Morrison Hickman	Bucyrus City 3 rd Ward Council FTC 1-1-2026 (Vote for 1)	Republican	City of Bucyrus Ward 3: Bucyrus 3A (06.1-2), Bucyrus 3B (07.1-2), Bucyrus 3C (08.1-2)
Cody Thomas Scott	Bucyrus City 4 th Ward Council FTC 1-1-2026 (Vote for 1)	Republican	City of Bucyrus Ward 4: Bucyrus 4A (09.1-2), Bucyrus 4B (10.0)
Kimberly R. Bauer- Gonzales	Crestline Village Council FTC 1-1-2026	Republican	Crestline Village: Crestline 1A (11.0), Crestline 2A (12.1), Crestline 3A (13.0), Crestline 4A (14.0)
Cheryl L. Downey	Crestline Village Council FTC 1-1-2026	Republican	Crestline Village: Crestline 1A (11.0), Crestline 2A (12.1), Crestline 3A (13.0), Crestline 4A (14.0)

David A Sharrock	Crestline Village Council FTC 1-1-2026	Republican	Crestline Village: Crestline 1A (11.0), Crestline 2A (12.1), Crestline 3A (13.0), Crestline 4A (14.0)
No Valid Petition Filed	Crestline Village Council FTC 1-1-2026		Crestline Village: Crestline 1A (11.0), Crestline 2A (12.1), Crestline 3A (13.0), Crestline 4A (14.0)

State Issues		
Number	Title	Precincts

Proposed Constitutional Amendment

To Fund Public Infrastructure Capital Improvements by Permitting the Issuance of General Obligation Bonds

Proposed by Joint Resolution of the General Assembly

To enact Section 2t of Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of Ohio

A majority yes vote is required for adoption of Section 2t.

This proposed amendment would:

- 1. Authorize the state to issue bonds or other obligations to finance or assist in financing public infrastructure capital improvements for local governments and other governmental entities. Capital improvement projects would be limited to roads and bridges, waste water treatment systems, water supply systems, solid waste disposal facilities, storm water and sanitary collection, storage, and treatment facilities.
- 2. Determine that such capital improvements are necessary to preserve and expand the public infrastructure, ensure public health, safety and welfare, create and preserve jobs, enhance employment opportunities, and improve the economic welfare of the people of Ohio.
- 3. Limit the total principal amount of the state general obligations issued under the amendment to no more than \$2.5 billion over a ten-year period. Any principal amount that could have been issued in any prior fiscal year, but was not issued, may subsequently be issued.
- 4. Require that obligations issued under this amendment mature no later than thirty (30) years after their date of issuance, and that any obligation issued to retire or refund other obligation mature no later than the permitted maturity date for the obligations being retired or refunded.

Bucyrus 1A (01.1-2), Bucyrus 1B (02.1-2), Bucyrus 2A (03.0), Bucyrus 2B (04.1-2), Bucyrus 3A (06.1-2), Bucyrus 3B (07.1-2), Bucyrus 3C (08.1-2), Bucyrus 4A (09.1-2), Bucyrus 4B (10.0), Crestline 1A (11.0), Crestline 2A (12.1-2), Crestline 3A (13.0), Crestline 4A (14.0), Galion 1A (15.1), Galion 1B (16.1-2-3), Galion 2A (17.1-2-3), Galion 2B (18.1), Galion 3A (19.0), Galion 3B (20.0), Galion 4A (21.0), Galion 4B (22.0), Galion 4C (23.0), Auburn (24.1-2-3-4), Bucyrus Twp (25.1-2-3), Chatfield Twp (26.1-2-3), Cranberry Twp (27.1-2-3), Dallas Twp (29.1-2-3), Holmes-Texas (30.1-2-3-4), Jefferson Twp (34.1-2-3-4), Liberty Twp (35.1-2), Lykens-Tod (37.1-2-3), Polk Twp (40.0), Sandusky-Whetstone North (41.1-2-3-4-5), Vernon Twp (44.1-2-3), Whetstone Twp South (46.1-2)

5. Authorize the General Assembly to pass laws implementing this amendment, including laws establishing procedures for incurring and issuing obligations, and laws providing for the use of Ohio products, materials, services and labor to the extent possible.	
If approved, the amendment shall take effect immediately.	

Local Questions and Issues			
Number	Title	Precincts	
#3	Shall the Ordinance providing for the continuation of an existing one-half per cent levy on income, to be exclusively used for the construction, general improvement and continued maintenance, repair and upkeep of public streets, thoroughfares and alleys, curbs, gutters, catch basins and wheelchair ramps within the City of Bucyrus as well as the purchase of such street equipment and machinery as may deemed necessary to accomplish same, for a period of 6 years, commencing July 1, 2025, be passed?	City of Bucyrus: Bucyrus 1A (01.1-2), Bucyrus 1B (02.1-2), Bucyrus 2A (03.0), Bucyrus 2B (04.1-2), Bucyrus 3A (06.1-2), Bucyrus 3B (07.1-2), Bucyrus 3C (08.1-2), Bucyrus 4A (09.1-2), Bucyrus 4B (10.0)	
#4	An additional tax for the benefit of the Village of Crestline for the purpose of providing for safety services for Fire and Ambulance funds that the county auditor estimates will collect \$340,000 annually, at a rate not exceeding 4.5 mills for each \$1 of taxable value, which amounts to \$158 for each \$100,000 of the county auditor's appraised value, for a continuing period of time, commencing in 2026, first due in calendar year 2027.	Crestline Village: Crestline 1A (11.0), Crestline 2A (12.1), Crestline 3A (13.0), Crestline 4A (14.0)	

#5	An additional tay for the benefit of Galien City	Galian City School District: Calian 14
#5	An additional tax for the benefit of Galion City School District for the purpose of general permanent improvements, that the county auditor estimates will collect \$998,000 annually, at a rate not exceeding 3.5 mills for each \$1 of taxable value, which amounts to \$123 for each \$100,000 of the county auditor's appraised value, for a continuing period of time, commencing in 2025, first due in calendar year 2026.	Galion City School District: Galion 1A (15.1-2), Galion 1B (16.1-2-3), Galion 2A (17.1-2), Galion 2B (18.1-2), Galion 3A (19.0), Galion 3B (20.0), Galion 4A (21.0), Galion 4B (22.0), Galion 4C (23.0), Jefferson Twp (34.2), Polk Twp (40.0)
#6	Shall bonds be issued by the Life First Joint Ambulance District for the purpose of constructing a building for providing ambulance services; furnishing and equipping the same; improving the site thereof; and acquiring land and interests in land necessary in connection therewith in the principal amount of \$1,400,000, to be repaid annually over a maximum period of 29 years, and an annual levy of property taxes to be made outside the ten-mill limitation, estimated by the county auditor to average over the repayment period of the bond issue 0.200 mill for each \$1 of taxable value, which amounts to \$6 for each \$100,000 of the county auditor's appraised value, commencing in 2025, first due in calendar year 2026, to pay the annual debt charges on the bonds, and to pay debt charges on any notes issued in anticipation of those bonds?	Life First Joint Ambulance District: Auburn Twp (24.1-2-3-4), Chatfield Twp (26.1-2-3), Cranberry Twp (27.1-2-3), Liberty Twp (35.1-2), Sandusky-Whetstone North (41.1-2-3-4-5), Whetstone Twp (46.1-2)
ADVISORY ELECTION- VILLAGE OF CRESTLINE		
	Advisory Election- Village of Crestline: Shall the Village of Crestline permit the establishment and operation of an adult cannabis dispensary within the Village of Crestline and direct Village Council to enact legislation regulating the operation of such dispensary.	Crestline Village: Crestline 1A (11.0), Crestline 2A (12.1), Crestline 3A (13.0), Crestline 4A (14.0)

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTER FOR INDICATING YOUR CHOICES ON A FEDERAL WRITE-IN ABSENTEE BALLOT (FWAB):

To complete a Federal Write-In Absentee Ballot (FWAB), go to www.fvap.gov. You have the option of downloading a blank, hard copy FWAB to complete by hand, or proceeding through electronic completion of the FWAB using the website's FWAB Wizard.

The first page of the FWAB is a Voter Declaration/Affirmation you must complete in order for your ballot to count.

After completing the Voter Declaration/Affirmation, use the initial election notice issued on the 100th day before the election and the updated election notice issued on the 46th day before the election as a guide to:

- (1) write the name of each candidate or issue contest for which you are casting a vote and then
- (2) write the name of your choice of candidate or choice for or against an issue.

After you have completed the FWAB, you must PRINT the ballot and MAIL it to your county board of elections at this address: 112 East Mansfield Street, Suite A, Bucyrus, Ohio 44820.

A complete listing of all county board of elections mailing addresses and contact information is available at: https://ohiosos.gov/SOS/elections/electionsofficials/boeDirectory.aspx#dir.

Do not send your ballot via e-mail or fax. Ohio law prohibits electronic transmission of a voted ballot.