

**OFFICIAL GENERAL ELECTION SAMPLE BALLOT
ST. LUCIE COUNTY, FLORIDA
NOVEMBER 2, 2010**

- **TO VOTE, COMPLETELY FILL IN THE OVAL NEXT TO YOUR CHOICE.**
- Use only the marker provided, or a black pen.
- If you make a mistake, don't hesitate to ask for a new ballot. If you erase or make other marks, your vote may not count.
- To vote for a candidate whose name is not printed on the ballot, fill in the oval, and write in the candidate's name on the blank line provided for a write-in candidate.

CONGRESSIONAL		COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE (Vote for One)	DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL Shall Judge Cory J. Ciklin of the Fourth District Court of Appeal be retained in office?
UNITED STATES SENATOR (Vote for One)		<input type="radio"/> Adam H. Putnam REP <input type="radio"/> Scott Maddox DEM <input type="radio"/> Ira Chester TEA <input type="radio"/> Thad Hamilton NPA	<input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO
<input type="radio"/> Marco Rubio REP <input type="radio"/> Kendrick B. Meek DEM <input type="radio"/> Alexander Andrew Snitker LBT <input type="radio"/> Bernie DeCastro CPF <input type="radio"/> Sue Askeland NPA <input type="radio"/> Bruce Ray Riggs NPA <input type="radio"/> Bobbie Bean NPA <input type="radio"/> Rick Tyler NPA <input type="radio"/> Charlie Crist NPA <input type="radio"/> Lewis Jerome Armstrong NPA <input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in	LEGISLATIVE		DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL Shall Judge Dorian K. Damoorgian of the Fourth District Court of Appeal be retained in office?
REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS DISTRICT 16 (Vote for One)		STATE REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 80 (Vote for One)	<input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO
<input type="radio"/> Tom Rooney REP <input type="radio"/> Jim Horn DEM <input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in	STATE REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 81 (Vote for One)		DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL Shall Judge Jonathan D. Gerber of the Fourth District Court of Appeal be retained in office?
REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS DISTRICT 23 (Vote for One)		<input type="radio"/> Gayle Harrell REP <input type="radio"/> Adam Fetterman DEM	<input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO
<input type="radio"/> Bernard Sansaricq REP <input type="radio"/> Alcee L. Hastings DEM	COUNTY		DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL Shall Judge Robert M. Gross of the Fourth District Court of Appeal be retained in office?
STATE		PROPERTY APPRAISER (Vote for One)	<input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO
GOVERNOR AND LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR (Vote for One)		<input type="radio"/> Ken Pruitt REP <input type="radio"/> Bill Wink DEM <input type="radio"/> Ray Villanova NPA <input type="radio"/> Charlotte Stahlberg NPA	DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL Shall Judge Spencer D. Levine of the Fourth District Court of Appeal be retained in office?
<input type="radio"/> Rick Scott REP Jennifer Carroll <input type="radio"/> Alex Sink DEM Rod Smith <input type="radio"/> Peter Allen IDP John E Zanni <input type="radio"/> Michael E. Arth NPA Al Krulick <input type="radio"/> Farid Khavari NPA Darcy G. Richardson <input type="radio"/> C. C. Reed NPA Larry Waldo, Sr. <input type="radio"/> Daniel Imperato NPA Karl C.C. Behm <input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in	COUNTY COMMISSION DISTRICT 2 (Vote for One)		DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL Shall Judge Melanie G. May of the Fourth District Court of Appeal be retained in office?
ATTORNEY GENERAL (Vote for One)		<input type="radio"/> Tod Mowery REP <input type="radio"/> Ken Waters DEM	<input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO
<input type="radio"/> Pam Bondi REP <input type="radio"/> Dan Gelber DEM <input type="radio"/> Jim Lewis NPA	COUNTY COMMISSION DISTRICT 4 (Vote for One)		SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER DISTRICT 1 (Vote for One)
CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER (Vote for One)		<input type="radio"/> Frances "Frannie" Hutchinson REP <input type="radio"/> Charles Grande DEM	<input type="radio"/> Debbie Johnson Hawley <input type="radio"/> Kerryane Monahan
<input type="radio"/> Jeff Atwater REP <input type="radio"/> Loranne Ausley DEM <input type="radio"/> Ken Mazzie NPA <input type="radio"/> Tom Stearns NPA	NONPARTISAN		SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER DISTRICT 3 (Vote for One)
VOTE BOTH SIDES		JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT Shall Justice Charles T. Canady of the Supreme Court be retained in office?	<input type="radio"/> Donna Mills <input type="radio"/> Teri Pinney
		<input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO	ST. LUCIE WEST SERVICES DISTRICT
		JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT Shall Justice Jorge Labarga of the Supreme Court be retained in office?	ST. LUCIE WEST SERVICES DISTRICT SEAT 3 (Vote for One)
		<input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO	<input type="radio"/> Vincent J. D'Amico <input type="radio"/> Sal Mancuso <input type="radio"/> Tony Stachewicz
		JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT Shall Justice James E. C. Perry of the Supreme Court be retained in office?	CITY OF PORT ST. LUCIE
		<input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO	CITY OF PORT ST. LUCIE MAYOR (Vote for One)
		JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT Shall Justice Ricky L. Polston of the Supreme Court be retained in office?	<input type="radio"/> Chris Cooper <input type="radio"/> JoAnn Faiella
		<input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO	CITY OF PORT ST. LUCIE CITY COUNCIL DISTRICT 1 (Vote for One)
			<input type="radio"/> Linda Bartz <input type="radio"/> Carl Iken

**CITY OF PORT ST. LUCIE
CITY COUNCIL
DISTRICT 3
(Vote for One)**

- Joe Diskin
- Shannon M. Martin

**PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL
AMENDMENTS**

**NO. 1
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
ARTICLE VI, SECTION 7**

**Repeal of public campaign financing
requirement**

Proposing the repeal of the provision in the State Constitution that requires public financing of campaigns of candidates for elective statewide office who agree to campaign spending limits.

- YES
- NO

**NO. 2
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
ARTICLE VII, SECTION 3
ARTICLE XII, SECTION 31**

**Homestead ad valorem tax credit for
deployed military personnel**

Proposing an amendment to the State Constitution to require the Legislature to provide an additional homestead property tax exemption by law for members of the United States military or military reserves, the United States Coast Guard or its reserves, or the Florida National Guard who receive a homestead exemption and were deployed in the previous year on active duty outside the continental United States, Alaska, or Hawaii in support of military operations designated by the Legislature. The exempt amount will be based upon the number of days in the previous calendar year that the person was deployed on active duty outside the continental United States, Alaska, or Hawaii in support of military operations designated by the Legislature. The amendment is scheduled to take effect January 1, 2011.

- YES
- NO

**NO. 4
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
ARTICLE II, SECTION 7**

**Referenda required for adoption and
amendment of local government
comprehensive land use plans**

Establishes that before a local government may adopt a new comprehensive land use plan, or amend a comprehensive land use plan, the proposed plan or amendment shall be subject to vote of the electors of the local government by referendum, following preparation by the local planning agency, consideration by the governing body and notice. Provides definitions. The amendment's impact on local government expenditures cannot be estimated precisely. Local governments will incur additional costs due to the requirement to conduct referenda in order to adopt comprehensive plans or amendments thereto. The amount of such costs depends upon the frequency, timing and method of the referenda, and includes the costs of ballot preparation, election administration, and associated expenses. The impact on state government expenditures will be insignificant.

- YES
- NO

**NO. 5
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
ARTICLE III, SECTION 21**

**Standards for legislature to follow in
legislative redistricting**

Legislative districts or districting plans may not be drawn to favor or disfavor an incumbent or political party. Districts shall not be drawn to deny racial or language minorities the equal opportunity to participate in the political process and elect representatives of their choice. Districts must be contiguous. Unless otherwise required, districts must be compact, as equal in population as feasible, and where feasible must make use of existing city, county and geographical boundaries. The fiscal impact cannot be determined precisely. State government and state courts may incur additional costs if litigation increases beyond the number or complexity of cases which would have occurred in the amendment's absence.

- YES
- NO

**NO. 6
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
ARTICLE III, SECTION 20**

**Standards for legislature to follow in
congressional redistricting**

Congressional districts or districting plans may not be drawn to favor or disfavor an incumbent or political party. Districts shall not be drawn to deny racial or language minorities the equal opportunity to participate in the political process and elect representatives of their choice. Districts must be contiguous. Unless otherwise required, districts must be compact, as equal in population as feasible, and where feasible must make use of existing city, county and geographical boundaries. The fiscal impact cannot be determined precisely. State government and state courts may incur additional costs if litigation increases beyond the number or complexity of cases which would have occurred in the amendment's absence.

- YES
- NO

**NO. 8
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
ARTICLE IX, SECTION 1
ARTICLE XII, SECTION 31**

**Revision of the class size requirements
for public schools**

The Florida Constitution currently limits the maximum number of students assigned to each teacher in public school classrooms in the following grade groupings: for prekindergarten through grade 3, 18 students; for grades 4 through 8, 22 students; and for grades 9 through 12, 25 students. Under this amendment, the current limits on the maximum number of students assigned to each teacher in public school classrooms would become limits on the average number of students assigned per class to each teacher, by specified grade grouping, in each public school. This amendment also adopts new limits on the maximum number of students assigned to each teacher in an individual classroom as follows: for prekindergarten through grade 3, 21 students; for grades 4 through 8, 27 students; and for grades 9 through 12, 30 students. This amendment specifies that class size limits do not apply to virtual classes, requires the Legislature to provide sufficient funds to maintain the average number of students required by this amendment, and schedules these revisions to take effect upon approval by the electors of this state and to operate retroactively to the beginning of the 2010-2011 school year.

- YES
- NO

**NONBINDING STATEWIDE
ADVISORY REFERENDUM**

**BALANCING THE FEDERAL BUDGET
A NONBINDING REFERENDUM
CALLING FOR AN AMENDMENT TO
THE UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION**

In order to stop the uncontrolled growth of our national debt and prevent excessive borrowing by the Federal Government, which threatens our economy and national security, should the United States Constitution be amended to require a balanced federal budget without raising taxes?

- YES
- NO

**SCHOOL DISTRICT
REFERENDUM**

**REFERENDUM REGARDING
CONTINUING FOR TWO YEARS
0.25 MILL LEVY FOR CRITICAL
NEEDS OF SCHOOL DISTRICT**

Shall the 0.25 mills currently levied in the School District of St. Lucie County for critical operating needs of the District be continued for the 2011-2012 and 2012-2013 fiscal years?

- YES - FOR continuing the 0.25 mills for two fiscal years
- NO - AGAINST continuing the 0.25 mills for two fiscal years

**CITY OF PORT ST. LUCIE
REFERENDUM**

**AUTHORITY TO GRANT
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AD
VALOREM TAX EXEMPTIONS**

Shall the City Council of the City of Port St. Lucie be authorized to grant, pursuant to Section 3, Article VII of the State Constitution, property tax exemptions to new businesses and expansions of existing businesses?

- YES - FOR authority to grant exemptions
- NO - AGAINST authority to grant exemptions

**CITY OF FORT PIERCE
REFERENDUM**

**CHANGING FORT PIERCE CITY
ELECTION DATES FROM ODD
NUMBERED YEARS TO EVEN
NUMBERED YEARS**

"Shall the City of Fort Pierce Charter, Section 52, be amended so that the regular municipal elections be held in even-numbered years and coincide with the general and first primary election dates for county and state offices set out in Florida Statutes Chapter 100, thereby extending the terms of office of the currently seated mayor and city commissioners by approximately eleven months?"

- YES
- NO

**ST. LUCIE WEST SERVICES
DISTRICT REFERENDUM**

**REFERENDUM TO ESTABLISH
AMOUNT OF ANNUAL
COMPENSATION FOR MEMBERS
OF BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

Shall each member of the Board of Supervisors of the St. Lucie West Services District be entitled to receive for his or her services the sum of \$6,000 per year, commencing January 1, 2011, subject to annual adjustment thereafter based on the Consumer Price Index-U.S. City Average-All Urban Consumers?

- YES - FOR establishing annual compensation for Supervisors
- NO - AGAINST establishing annual compensation for Supervisors

VOTE BOTH SIDES