

# CHATTOOGA COUNTY

## OFFICIAL ABSENTEE/PROVISIONAL/CHALLENGED BALLOT

### OFFICIAL DEMOCRATIC PARTY PRIMARY AND NONPARTISAN GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA MAY 22, 2018

To vote, blacken the Oval (●) next to the candidate of your choice. To vote for a person whose name is not on the ballot, manually WRITE his or her name in the write-in section and blacken the Oval (●) next to the write-in section. If you desire to vote YES or NO for a PROPOSED QUESTION, blacken the corresponding Oval (●). Use only blue or black pen or pencil.

Do not vote for more candidates than the number allowed for each specific office. Do not cross out or erase. If you erase or make other marks on the ballot or tear the ballot, your vote may not count.

If you change your mind or make a mistake, you may return the ballot by writing "Spoiled" across the face of the ballot and return envelope. You may then mail the spoiled ballot back to your county board of registrars, and you will be issued another official absentee ballot. Alternatively, you may surrender the ballot to the poll manager of an early voting site within your county or the precinct to which you are assigned. You will then be permitted to vote a regular ballot.

\*I understand that the offer or acceptance of money or any other object of value to vote for any particular candidate, list of candidates, issue, or list of issues included in this election constitutes an act of voter fraud and is a felony under Georgia law.\* [OCGA 21-2-284(e), 21-2-285(h) and 21-2-383(a)]

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>For Governor</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> STACEY ABRAMS</p> <p><input type="radio"/> STACEY EVANS</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>For Public Service Commissioner</b> (To Succeed Chuck Eaton) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> LINDY MILLER</p> <p><input type="radio"/> JOHN NOEL</p> <p><input type="radio"/> JOHNNY C. WHITE</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>-2-</b></p> <p>Should Georgia pull down our federal tax dollars to save rural hospitals and create more than fifty thousand jobs by expanding Medicaid?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES</p> <p><input type="radio"/> NO</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>For Lieutenant Governor</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> SARAH RIGGS AMICO</p> <p><input type="radio"/> TRIANA ARNOLD JAMES</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>For Public Service Commissioner</b> (To Succeed Tricia Pridemore) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> DAWN A. RANDOLPH</p> <p><input type="radio"/> DOUG STONER</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>-3-</b></p> <p>Should Georgia allow voters to elect our own representatives by amending our Constitution to place the power of drawing district lines under the authority of an independent, non-partisan commission?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES</p> <p><input type="radio"/> NO</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>For Secretary of State</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> JOHN BARROW</p> <p><input type="radio"/> DEE DAWKINS-HAIGLER</p> <p><input type="radio"/> RAKEIM "RJ" HADLEY</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>For U.S. Representative in 116<sup>th</sup> Congress From the 14<sup>th</sup> Congressional District of Georgia</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> STEVEN LAMAR FOSTER</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>-4-</b></p> <p>Should Georgia alleviate traffic congestion, reduce carbon emissions, and better connect communities by investing a substantial amount of existing tax dollars in mass transit?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES</p> <p><input type="radio"/> NO</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>For Attorney General</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> CHARLIE BAILEY</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>For County Board of Education District 2</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> ALMA V. LEWIS <small>(Incumbent)</small></p>	<p><b>NONPARTISAN GENERAL ELECTION</b></p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>For Commissioner of Agriculture</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> FRED SWANN</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>For County Board of Education District 3</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> EDDIE MASSEY <small>(Incumbent)</small></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>For Justice, Supreme Court of Georgia</b> (To Succeed Michael P. Boggs) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> MICHAEL P. BOGGS <small>(Incumbent)</small></p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>For Commissioner of Insurance</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> JANICE LAWS</p> <p><input type="radio"/> CINDY ZELDIN</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>For County Board of Education District 4</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> LARRY F. WEESNER <small>(Incumbent)</small></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>For Justice, Supreme Court of Georgia</b> (To Succeed Britt C. Grant) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> BRITT CAGLE GRANT <small>(Incumbent)</small></p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>For State School Superintendent</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> SID CHAPMAN</p> <p><input type="radio"/> SAM MOSTELLER</p> <p><input type="radio"/> OTHA E. THORNTON, JR</p>	<p><b>DEMOCRATIC PARTY QUESTIONS</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>For Justice, Supreme Court of Georgia</b> (To Succeed Carol Hunstein) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> JOHN ELLINGTON</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>For Commissioner of Labor</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> RICHARD KEATLEY</p> <p><input type="radio"/> FRED QUINN</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>-1-</b></p> <p>Should the sale and distribution of bump stocks be prohibited in the state of Georgia?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES</p> <p><input type="radio"/> NO</p>	

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<p><b>For Justice, Supreme Court of Georgia</b> (To Succeed Harold D. Melton) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> HAROLD D. MELTON (Incumbent)</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>Write-in</p>	<p><b>For Judge, Superior Court of the Lookout Mountain Judicial Circuit</b> (To Succeed Don W. Thompson) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> DON W. THOMPSON (Incumbent)</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>Write-in</p>
<p><b>For Justice, Supreme Court of Georgia</b> (To Succeed Nels P. Peterson) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> NELS PETERSON (Incumbent)</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>Write-in</p>	<p><b>For Judge, Superior Court of the Lookout Mountain Judicial Circuit</b> (To Succeed Ralph Van Pelt, Jr.) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> MELISSA GIFFORD HISE</p> <p><input type="radio"/> RALPH VAN PELT, JR (Incumbent)</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>Write-in</p>
<p><b>For Judge, Court of Appeals of Georgia</b> (To Succeed Charles Jones Bethel) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> CHARLIE BETHEL (Incumbent)</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>Write-in</p>	<p><b>For Judge, State Court of Chattooga County</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> JOHN R. DENNIS (Incumbent)</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>Write-in</p>
<p><b>For Judge, Court of Appeals of Georgia</b> (To Succeed Stephen Dillard) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> STEPHEN DILLARD (Incumbent)</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>Write-in</p>	<p><b>Sunday Sales by the Drink</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p>"Shall the governing authority of Chattooga County, Georgia, be authorized to issue licenses to sell distilled spirits for beverage purposes by the drink, such sales to be for consumption only on the premises?"</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES</p> <p><input type="radio"/> NO</p>
<p><b>For Judge, Court of Appeals of Georgia</b> (To Succeed John Ellington) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> KEN HODGES</p> <p><input type="radio"/> KEN SHIGLEY</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>Write-in</p>	<p><b>Sunday Sales by the Package</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p>"Shall the governing authority of Chattooga County, Georgia, be authorized to permit and regulate package sales by retailers of malt beverages and wine on Sundays between the hours of 12:30P.M. and 11:30P.M.?"</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES</p> <p><input type="radio"/> NO</p>
<p><b>For Judge, Court of Appeals of Georgia</b> (To Succeed Amanda Mercier) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> AMANDA H. MERCIER (Incumbent)</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>Write-in</p>	
<p><b>For Judge, Court of Appeals of Georgia</b> (To Succeed M. Yvette Miller) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> M. YVETTE MILLER (Incumbent)</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>Write-in</p>	
<p><b>For Judge, Court of Appeals of Georgia</b> (To Succeed Clyde L. Reese, III) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> CLYDE L. REESE III (Incumbent)</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>Write-in</p>	
<p><b>For Judge, Court of Appeals of Georgia</b> (To Succeed Brian M. Rickman) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> BRIAN RICKMAN (Incumbent)</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>Write-in</p>	