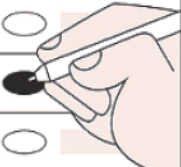


Statewide Special and Municipal General Election - November 04, 2025



To Vote:

1. Use Black or Blue Ink to mark the ballot.
2. Completely fill in the empty oval to the right of the candidate name or choice in all races you wish to vote.
3. If voting for a Write-In candidate, completely fill in the oval to the right of the Write-In selection, then write the name of the Write-In candidate in the space provided.

Warning

Do NOT use red ink or felt tip pen to mark ballot.
Do NOT circle, underline or mark through choices.
Do NOT use check marks or X to mark ballot.
Do NOT mark more choices per race than allowed.
Do NOT sign, cut, tear or damage the ballot.

If you make a mistake or change your mind on a selection:

- A. Do not attempt to mark through the selection or attempt to erase. Write **"Spoiled"** across the ballot AND across the return envelope.
- B. Mail or return the spoiled ballot and envelope to your county board of registrars; a new official absentee ballot will be mailed to you.

If you decide to vote in-person: Surrender the ballot to the poll manager at 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." [O.C.G.A. 21-2-284(e), 21-2-285(h) and 21-2-383(a)]

Statewide Special Election

For Public Service Commission - District 2 For Term Ending December 31, 2030 (Vote for One)

Tim Echols (I) Republican

Alicia M. Johnson Democrat

Write-in:

For Public Service Commission - District 3 For Term Ending December 31, 2026 (Vote for One)

Fitz Johnson (I) Republican

Peter Hubbard Democrat

Write-in:

Provides Homestead Exemption for Whitfield County School District Ad Valorem Tax (Vote for One)

Shall the Act be approved which provides a homestead exemption from Whitfield County school district ad valorem taxes for educational purposes in an amount equal to the amount by which the current year assessed value of a homestead exceeds the adjusted base year assessed value, including any final determination of value on appeal pursuant to Code Section 48-5-311 of the O.C.G.A., as amended, of such homestead?

Yes

No

Special Election City of Dalton

Increases Homestead Exemption from City of Dalton Ad Valorem Taxes - Dalton (Vote for One)

Shall the Act be approved which increases the homestead exemption from City of Dalton ad valorem taxes for municipal purposes for citizens age 70 years or over to the amount of \$325,000.00 of the assessed value of the homestead?

Yes

No

Provides Homestead Exemption from Independent School District Ad Valorem Taxes - Dalton (Vote for One)

Shall the Act be approved which provides a homestead exemption from City of Dalton independent school district ad valorem taxes for educational purposes in an amount equal to the amount by which the current year assessed value of a homestead exceeds the adjusted base year assessed value, including any final determination of value on appeal pursuant to Code Section 48-5-311 of the O.C.G.A., as amended, of such homestead?

Yes

No

Increases Homestead Exemption from Independent School District Ad Valorem Taxes - Dalton (Vote for One)

Shall the Act be approved which increases the homestead exemption from City of Dalton independent school district ad valorem taxes for educational purposes for residents of that school district who are 70 years of age or older to \$325,000.00 of the assessed value of the homestead?

Yes

No

General Election City of Dalton

For Alderman Ward 2 (Vote for One)

Nicolas "Nicky" Lama (I)

Write-in:

For Alderman Ward 4 (Vote for One)

Steve Farrow (I)

Write-in:

For Municipal Board of Education (To Succeed Matt Evans) (Vote for One)

Bill Mayo

Write-in:

For Municipal Board of Education (To Succeed Manuel Meza) (Vote for One)

Manuel Meza (I)

Write-in:

General Election City of Cohutta	
For Mayor (Vote for One)	
Ronald William Shinnick (I)	☐
Write-in: ☐	
For Town Council (Vote for Two)	
Phillip Quinn Bowling	☐
Kelli Bryson	☐
Sandra Lee Clayborne (I)	☐
Kristofer James Pilecki	☐
Randy C. Stanton (I)	☐
Dean Thompson	☐
Write-in: ☐	
Write-in: ☐	
Special Election City of Cohutta	
Amends the Homestead Exemption from City of Cohutta Ad Valorem Taxes - Cohutta (Vote for One)	
Shall the Act which provides a new homestead exemption from City of Cohutta ad valorem taxes for municipal purposes in the amount of \$100,000.00 of the assessed value of the homestead for each resident of that city who is 70 years of age or older be amended so as to raise the exemption amount to \$325,000.00?	
Yes	☐
No	☐

General Election City of Tunnel Hill	
For Councilman Post 3 (Vote for One)	
Elizabeth "Liz" Dennis (I)	☐
Roger Tripp	☐
Write-in: ☐	
For Councilman Post 4 (Vote for One)	
James Middleton (I)	☐
Write-in: ☐	
For Councilman Post 5 (Vote for One)	
Kenneth F. Gowin (I)	☐
Write-in: ☐	
Special Election City of Tunnel Hill	
City of Tunnel Hill Homestead Exemption for Residents 70 Years of Age or Older - Tunnel Hill (Vote for One)	
Shall the Act be approved which provides a new homestead exemption from City of Tunnel Hill ad valorem taxes for municipal purposes in the amount of \$325,000.00 of the assessed value of the homestead for each resident of that city who is 70 years of age or older?	
Yes	☐
No	☐

THIS IS A COMPOSITE SAMPLE BALLOT!

Some voters may not be eligible to vote on certain district races.