

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given to the eligible electors and qualified voters of Ida County, Iowa; that the combined City-School Election will be held on Tuesday, November 2, 2021. **All polls in Ida County open at 7:00AM and close at 8:00PM.**

PLEASE NOTE CHANGE – ALL LOCATIONS ARE YOUR GENERAL ELECTION POLLING LOCATIONS WHERE YOU NORMALLY VOTE IN A GENERAL ELECTION IS WHERE YOU VOTE AT THIS ELECTION

Polling places:

Precinct 1 Ida Grove Ward 1: Ida Grove Rec Center Gymnasium, 311 Barnes St, Ida Grove IA

Precinct 2 Ida Grove Ward 2: Ida Grove Rec Center Gymnasium, 311 Barnes St, Ida Grove IA

Precinct 3 Ida Grove Ward 3 & Corwin Twp.: Ida Grove Rec Center Gymnasium, 311 Barnes St, Ida Grove IA

Precinct 4 City of Arthur; Blaine, Hayes & Silver Creek Twps.: Community Center, 224 S Main St, Arthur IA

Precinct 5 City of Galva & Galva Twp.: Galva Veteran Hall, 124 S Main, Galva IA

Precinct 6 City of Holstein; Griggs & Douglas Twps.: Lohff Schumann Comm. Room, 301 Lohff Schumann Dr., Holstein IA

Precinct 7 City of Battle Creek; Maple, Garfield, Grant, Battle & Logan Twps.: Comm. Building, 115 S Main, Battle Creek IA

Pre-registered voters are required to provide an approved form of identification at the polling place before receiving and casting a regular ballot. Voters who are not pre-registered – such as voters registering to vote on Election Day – and voters changing precincts, must also provide proof of residence. A voter who is unable to provide an approved form of identification or prove residence if required. 1) may have voter's identity/residence attested to by another registered voter in the precinct, 2) prove identity and residence using Election Day Registration documents, or 3) cast a provisional ballot and provide proof of identity/residence at the County Auditor's office by noon Tuesday November 9th. Election Day Registrant attestors must provide an approved form of identification. For additional information about providing proof of identity and/or residence visit: <https://sos.iowa.gov/voterid> or phone 712-364-2626.

Voter pre-registration deadline is 5:00 PM on October 18, 2021 (15 days prior to election day) at the Ida County Auditor's office.

Absentee ballots are available 20 days before election day in the County Auditor's office during regular business hours.

The polling places are accessible to elderly and disabled voters. Any voter who is physically unable to enter a polling place has the right to vote in the voter's vehicle. For further information, please contact the County Auditor's Office at 712-364-2626 or email: lsteenbock@idacountyia.us

A public demonstration of the Voting Equipment to be used in this election began at 9:00 am on Wednesday October 20th in the Courthouse, Ida Grove, Iowa as published in the Ida County Reminder on October 19, 2021.

I, Lorna Steenbock, hereby certify the following public measure, offices and candidates will appear on the ballots in the specific jurisdictions at the Combined City/School Election to be held on Tuesday, November 2, 2021.

Ida Grove Mayor

(vote for no more than 1)

Devlun Whiteing

Ida Grove Council At-Large

(vote for no more than 1)

Jason Schable

Ida Grove Council Ward 2

(vote for no more than 1)

Jeff Miesner, Angela M. Johnson

Arthur City Mayor

(vote for no more than 1)

Gary Chase

Arthur City Council

(vote for no more than 3)

Kristy Abegast, Paula Fried

Galva City Mayor

(vote for no more than 1)

No Candidate

Galva City Council

(vote for no more than 2)

No Candidates

Galva Holstein School Board District 1

(vote for no more than 1)

Jamie Whitmer

Galva Holstein School Board District 3

(vote for no more than 1)

Katie Johnson, Jeff Witzke

Galva Holstein School Board District 4

(vote for no more than 1)

Matthew Wittrock

Galva Holstein School Board District 6

(vote for no more than 1)

Don Kalin

Galva Holstein School Board District 2 To Fill Vacancy

(vote for no more than 1)

Tyler Gebers

Denison School Board At Large

(vote for no more than 3)

John R. Held, Rachel Desy, Louis Scheuring, Christy Welch

Schleswig School Board At Large

(vote for no more than 2)

Cynthia March, Jason Schneider

River Valley School Board District 1

(vote for no more than 1)

Jessica Wilson

River Valley School Board District 4

(vote for no more than 1)

Kory Dausel, Sharleen Duncan

Holstein City Council

(vote for no more than 2)

Jamison Voss, Christine Wiese

Battle Creek Mayor

(vote for no more than 1)

Judy Schau

Battle Creek City Council

(vote for no more than 3)

Jeanette Holmes, Myra Meek, Jary Vermeys

Battle Creek City Council To Fill Vacancy

(vote for no more than 1)

Kevin Dausel

OABCIG School Board At-Large

(vote for no more than 1)

Jeff Rasmussen

OABCIG School Board District 3

(vote for no more than 1)

No Candidate

OABCIG School Board District 4

(vote for no more than 1)

Ryan Goodman

OABCIG School Board District 6

(vote for no more than 1)

No Candidate

Maple Valley – Anthon Oto School Board District 1

(vote for no more than 1)

Karen J. Kennedy

Maple Valley – Anthon Oto School Board District 3

(vote for no more than 1)

Trevor Lally, David Jensen, Dale Wimmer

Maple Valley – Anthon Oto School Board District 5

(vote for no more than 1)

No Candidate

Schaller Crestland School District 1

(vote for no more than 1)

Matt Cress

Schaller Crestland School District 2

(vote for no more than 1)

Steven R. Mason

Iowa Central Community College Director District 3

(vote for no more than 1)

No Candidate

Western Iowa Tech Community College Director District 2

(vote for no more than 1)

Bill Anderson

Western Iowa Tech Community College Director District 8

(vote for no more than 1)

Russell Wray

River Valley Public Measure WA

Summary: To adopt a Revenue Purpose Statement specifying the use of revenues the River Valley Community School District will receive from the State of Iowa Secure an Advanced Vision for Education Fund.

In the River Valley Community School District, the following Revenue Purpose Statement which specifies the use of revenues the River Valley Community School District will receive from the State of Iowa Secure an Advanced Vision for Education Fund shall be adopted.

To provide funds to acquire or install information technology infrastructure (including improving building or sites for the purpose of accessing broadband digital telecommunications) and school safety and security infrastructure.

To provide funds to build and furnish a new school building or buildings; to build and furnish addition(s) to school buildings in the District; to remodel, reconstruct, repair, expand, and improve the school buildings in the District; to purchase and improve grounds; for demolition work; to furnish and equip district facilities.

To provide funds for the purchase, lease or lease-purchase of buildings, equipment (including transportation and recreation equipment), or technology and to repair transportation equipment for transporting students as authorized by law, to implement energy conservation measures, sharing or rental of facilities including a joint infrastructure project for the purposes of offering classes under district-to-community college programs as authorized in Iowa Code Section 423F.3(3)(c), procuring or acquisition of libraries, or opening roads to school houses or buildings. To provide funds to purchase land as part of start-up costs for new student construction program or if the sale of the previous student construction was insufficient to purchase land, and to purchase construction materials and supplies for a student-constructed building or shed intended to be retained by and used by the District.

To provide funds to make payments to a municipality or other entity as required under Iowa Code Section 403.19(2).

To provide funds for demolition, cleanup, and other costs if such costs are necessitated by, and incurred within two years of, a disaster.

To provide funds to establish and maintain public recreation places and playgrounds; provide for supervision and instruction for recreational activities; or for community education purposes.

To provide funds for the payment of principal and interest or retirement of general obligation bonds issued for school infrastructure proposed, energy improvement loans, loan agreements authorized by Iowa Code Section 297.36, sales, service and use tax revenue bonds issued under Iowa Code Section 423E.5 or Iowa Code Section 423F.4.

To provide funds for property tax relief; and

To provide funds for other authorized expenditures and purposes as now or hereafter permitted by law and designated by the River Valley Community School District.

It being understood that if this proposition should fail to be approved by the voters, such failure shall not be construed to terminate or restrict authority previously granted by the voters to expend receipts from the Secure an Advanced Vision for Education Fund.

If approved, this Revenue Purpose Statement shall remain in effect until replaced or amended by the River Valley Community School District.

“If a majority of eligible electors voting on the question fail to approve this Revenue Purpose Statement, then upon expiration of the current Revenue Purpose Statement, revenues received by the School District from the Secure an Advanced Vision for Education fund shall be expended in the following order:

The payment of bonds for which SAVE Revenue has been pledged;

Reduction of bond levies under Iowa Code Sections 298.18 and 298.18A and all other debt levies;

Reduction of the regular and voter-approved physical plant and equipment levy under Iowa Code Section 298.2;

Reduction of the public educational and recreational levy under Iowa Code Section 300.2;

For any authorized infrastructure purpose of the school district as defined in Iowa Code Section 423F.3(6); and

For the payment of principal and interest on bonds issued under Iowa Code Sections 423E.5 and 423F.4”