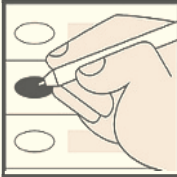




OFFICIAL ABSENTEE / PROVISIONAL / EMERGENCY BALLOT

Pickens County, Georgia
Precinct: 115-Hill City
General and Special Election - November 03, 2026



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)]

For United States Senate (Vote for One)	For Commissioner of Insurance (Vote for One)	For State Senate District 51 (Vote for One)
Mike Collins Republican ☐	John King (I) Republican ☐	Will Wade Republican ☐
Jon Ossoff (I) Democrat ☐	Keisha Sean Waites Democrat ☐	Gary St. Lawrence Democrat ☐
Write-in: ☐	Write-in: ☐	Write-in: ☐
For Governor (Vote for One)	For State School Superintendent (Vote for One)	For State House of Representatives - District 11 (Vote for One)
Rick Jackson Republican ☐	Richard Woods (I) Republican ☐	Rick Jasperse (I) Republican ☐
Keisha Lance Bottoms Democrat ☐	Lydia Powell Democrat ☐	Ryan Fountain Democrat ☐
Write-in: ☐	Write-in: ☐	Write-in: ☐
For Lieutenant Governor (Vote for One)	For Commissioner of Labor (Vote for One)	For County Commission District 1 (Vote for One)
Greg Dolezal Republican ☐	Bárbara Rivera Holmes (I) Republican ☐	Josh Tippens (I) Republican ☐
Josh McLaurin Democrat ☐	Nikki Porcher Democrat ☐	Write-in: ☐
Write-in: ☐	Write-in: ☐	Write-in: ☐
For Secretary of State (Vote for One)	For Public Service Commissioner District 3 (Vote for One)	For County Board of Education Post 2 (Vote for One)
Tim Fleming Republican ☐	Fitz Johnson Republican ☐	Steve Lowe (I) Republican ☐
Penny Brown Reynolds Democrat ☐	Peter Hubbard (I) Democrat ☐	Write-in: ☐
Write-in: ☐	Write-in: ☐	For County Board of Education Post 3 (Vote for One)
For Attorney General (Vote for One)	For Public Service Commissioner District 5 (Vote for One)	Brian Cleghorn Republican ☐
Brian Strickland Republican ☐	Josh Tolbert Republican ☐	Write-in: ☐
Tanya Miller Democrat ☐	Shelia Edwards Democrat ☐	For County Board of Education Post 5 (Vote for One)
Write-in: ☐	Write-in: ☐	Joe Wigington (I) Republican ☐
For Commissioner of Agriculture (Vote for One)	For United States House of Representatives - District 11 (Vote for One)	Write-in: ☐
Tyler Harper (I) Republican ☐	John Cowan Republican ☐	For Limestone Valley Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisor (Vote for One)
Katherine E. Juhan-Arnold Democrat ☐	Chris Harden Democrat ☐	Write-in: ☐
Write-in: ☐	Write-in: ☐	John Lewis Tatum (I) ☐

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Proposed Constitutional Amendments	Special Election
- 1 - Increases the maximum qualifying acreage for assessment and taxation as bona fide conservation use property. House Resolution 32 Ga. L. 2025, p. 1081 “Shall the Constitution of Georgia, for the purpose of protecting family farmland, be amended so as to increase the maximum acreage to qualify for assessment and taxation as a bona fide conservation use property from 2,000 acres to 4,000 acres?” Yes ☐ No ☐	Pickens County School District Senior Tax Exemption Amendment Act 590 HB1551 Shall the Act be approved which increases the income cap on the current full homestead exemption that certain senior citizens and disabled persons receive from Pickens County School District ad valorem taxes for education purposes from \$25,000.00 to \$40,000.00 Yes ☐ No ☐ Pickens County Package Sale of Distilled Spirits Referendum (Vote for One) "Shall the issuance of licenses for the package sale of distilled spirits within the unincorporated limits of Pickens County?" Those desiring to vote in favor of the issuance of licenses shall vote "Yes" Those desiring to vote against issuance of licenses shall vote "No" Yes ☐ No ☐
- 2 - Provides for the nonpartisan election of all probate court judges. House Resolution 251 Ga. L. 2026, p. 1110 “Shall the Constitution of Georgia be amended so as to require that all probate court judges be elected in nonpartisan elections?” Yes ☐ No ☐	
- 3 - Authorizes creation of Georgia Next Generation 9-1-1 Fund for 9-1-1 systems expansion, maintenance, and operation. House Resolution 1243 Ga. L. 2026, p. 1109 “Shall the Constitution of Georgia be amended so as to authorize the General Assembly to dedicate certain existing revenues, including revenues reallocated by law, to a nonlapsing fund to be used exclusively for the expansion, maintenance, and operation of emergency 9-1-1 systems in this state?” Yes ☐ No ☐	

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