



Counting Board Challenge – Areas of concern

- ★1 Authenticate voter ballot – RISK switching ballots
- ★2 Ensure Inspector does not write on ballot or erase votes – RISK voiding vote by “over vote” or by removing vote by erasing
- ★3 Ensure accurate voter intent – RISK changing vote; one should call, one copy Reverse roles and do again
- ★4 Ensure accurate voter intent – RISK changing vote; ??
- ★5 Ensure accurate count – RISK extra ballots in process

VOTER RETURN ENVELOPE

Keep your ballot secure.
 It is a felony for anyone other than the possessor of an absentee ballot to have possession of the ballot or to knowingly disclose the contents of the ballot to any other person, including the recipient of postal services or other common carriers, unless the recipient of these services is a member of the voter's immediate family or household unless the absentee voter has asked to return the ballot.

Did you...
 • Sign to the true ballot in your own handwriting?
 • Put your ballot in the envelope?
 • Securely seal the envelope if you are on Election Day?

For Clerk's use only
 Precinct: _____
 Ballot: _____

Return date and time: _____

Signature verified? Initial: _____
 Rejected? Reason: _____

I assert that:
 • I am a United States citizen.
 • I am qualified and registered to vote at the address listed.
 • I am voting in conformity with state election law.
 • I marked my ballot and placed it in this envelope without showing it to anyone.
 • I am returning my ballot to the clerk's office by delivering it myself or a member of my immediate family or household, or sending it by public post, express mail, or parcel post service, or other common carrier.
 I understand that knowingly making a false statement is a misdemeanor.

Voter, sign here in ink. Power of attorney is not acceptable. This box must be signed or your vote will not be counted.

Sign Here: John Doe 10/2/2020

Barcode: 00004601

John Doe
 Main Street
 Anytown, MI 48###

Print name: _____
 Print full address: _____

A person who assists an absent voter and knowingly makes a false statement is guilty of a felony.

Ballot Number

VOTER BALLOT INSIDE SECRECY SLEEVE

16 - 00004601 +

VOTER: PLEASE DO NOT REMOVE STUB
 IF STUB DETACHES, PLEASE RETURN WITH BALLOT

PSI 11-00-0685

Secrecy Sleeve - Ballot Marking Instructions
GENERAL ELECTION

TO VOTE: Completely darken the oval opposite each choice as shown.

IMPORTANT: To mark your ballot, use only a black or blue ink pen. **DO NOT USE ANY OTHER INK COLOR!**

PARTISAN SECTION: To vote the partisan section of the ballot, you may cast a "straight ticket," a "split ticket," a "mix-and-match ticket," or a "straight party vote."
 • **Straight Ticket:** Vote the party of your choice. Nothing further need be done in the partisan section.
 • **Split Ticket:** You may vote a straight ticket AND vote for individual candidates of your choice.
 • **Mix-and-Match:** Vote for the individual candidates of your choice in each office.

NONPARTISAN and PROPOSAL SECTIONS: of the ballot, if any, must be voted separately.
DO NOT vote for more candidates than indicated under each office title.

WRITE-IN CANDIDATES: To vote for a candidate whose name is not printed on the ballot, write or place the name of that candidate in the blank space provided and completely darken the voting target area. **This must be done even if you cast a straight party vote.** Do not cast a write-in vote for a candidate whose name is already printed on the ballot for that office.

CHECK BOTH SIDES OF BALLOT: The ballot may have two sides. Be certain to check the reverse side of the ballot.

WHEN YOU HAVE COMPLETED VOTING: Place the ballot in this secrecy sleeve so that votes cannot be seen and the numbered stub is visible.

Follow the instructions on the reverse side for returning the ballot.

NOTE: If you make a mistake, return your ballot to the election official and obtain a new ballot. Do not attempt to erase or correct any marks made in error.

ADJUDICATION



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Allows for efficient processing of ballots that require resolution of voter intent during the post-voting stage of an election.

Once scanned on ImageCast® Central scanners, ballots with out-stack conditions are automatically sent to the Adjudication application for digital ballot review.

Adjudicators will always have the full ballot in front of them, ensuring complete transparency during ballot intent checking.

Ballot changes always preserve the voter's original intent. Anyone reviewing a ballot will be able to see how the voter marked their ballot, how the scanner interpreted the intent, and how the ballot was adjudicated (shown below).

Scanned on ICC Tabulator 1
Ballot ID: 2

UNITED STATES SENATOR
Vote for EVERETT DIRKSEN
UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE
Vote for WRITE-IN
STATE SENATOR, 37TH DISTRICT
Vote for ANDREW CARNEGIE
BOARD OF EDUCATION
Vote for THOMAS ALVA EDISON

Adjudicated at 2:48 PM on 12/12/2015 by admin

UNITED STATES SENATOR
Vote for EVERETT DIRKSEN
UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE
* Adjudicated* Write-In accepted for JANE AUSTEN
STATE SENATOR, 37TH DISTRICT
Vote for ANDREW CARNEGIE
NONPARTISAN OFFICES
BOARD OF EDUCATION
Vote for THOMAS ALVA EDISON

THE DOMINION
DIFFERENCE

FAMOUS NAMES
Demonstration Ballot

To VOTE: Completely fill in the oval (), next to your choice like this
Mark with a blue or black ink pen, or with a pencil.

FEDERAL OFFICES	STATE OFFICES	PROPOSITIONS
UNITED STATES SENATOR <input type="checkbox"/> EVERETT DIRKSEN <input type="checkbox"/> CARSON <input type="checkbox"/> CURTIS <input type="checkbox"/> CHANGMART <input type="checkbox"/> JOHN HANCOCK <input type="checkbox"/> RANDOOK <input type="checkbox"/> Write-In	STATE SENATOR 37th DISTRICT <input type="checkbox"/> FLORENCE RICHFIELD <input type="checkbox"/> VIKING PARTY <input type="checkbox"/> ANDREW CARNEGIE <input type="checkbox"/> FRANCIS SCOTT KEY <input type="checkbox"/> CALIFORNIA PARTY <input type="checkbox"/> Write-In	UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE <input type="checkbox"/> WILLIAMS <input type="checkbox"/> WILLIAMS <input type="checkbox"/> VIKING PARTY <input type="checkbox"/> LAVALLETTE <input type="checkbox"/> BOONERT <input type="checkbox"/> LAVALLETTE <input type="checkbox"/> BOONERT <input type="checkbox"/> ALBERT <input type="checkbox"/> SHERIN <input type="checkbox"/> THOMAS ALVA EDISON <input type="checkbox"/> Write-In <input type="checkbox"/> Write-In

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