



**MONROE COUNTY CLERK
JONATHAN MCLEAN**

ELECTION GUIDE

CONSOLIDATED ELECTION

APRIL 1, 2025

POLLS OPEN FROM 6:00 A.M. TO 7:00 P.M.

The Consolidated Election will be held on April 1, 2025 at all Monroe County, Illinois polling places listed on the last page of this election guide. The offices, candidates, and public questions published in this election guide will be printed on the official ballots in Monroe County. The voter's residence will determine which offices, candidates, and public questions appear on their official ballot.

Early voting begins on February 20, 2025 at the Monroe County Clerk's Office. The office is open Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. (except Holidays). Saturday early voting will be on March 29, 2025, 9:00 a.m. until noon.

**Voters can request their sample ballot by going to
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PUBLICATION BALLOT

CITY	WARD
<p>CITY OF COLUMBIA FOR MAYOR (Vote for ONE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Bob Hill INDEPENDENT</p>	<p>CITY OF WATERLOO WARD 1 FOR ALDERMAN (Vote for ONE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Matt Buettner INDEPENDENT</p>
<p>CITY OF COLUMBIA FOR CITY CLERK (Vote for ONE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Derek Reichert INDEPENDENT</p>	<p>CITY OF WATERLOO WARD 2 FOR ALDERMAN (Vote for ONE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> James A. Tranthan INDEPENDENT</p>
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<p>CITY OF COLUMBIA WARD 1 FOR ALDERMAN (Vote for ONE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Andrew Hitzemann INDEPENDENT</p>	<p>CITY OF WATERLOO WARD 3 FOR ALDERMAN UNEXPIRED TWO YEAR TERM (Vote for ONE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Jason Jones, Sr. INDEPENDENT</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Kyle D. Buettner INDEPENDENT</p>
<p>CITY OF COLUMBIA WARD 2 FOR ALDERMAN (Vote for ONE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Michael S. Lawlor INDEPENDENT</p>	<p>CITY OF WATERLOO WARD 3 FOR ALDERMAN (Vote for ONE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Tina Charron INDEPENDENT</p>
<p>CITY OF COLUMBIA WARD 3 FOR ALDERMAN (Vote for ONE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Paul Khoury INDEPENDENT</p>	<p>CITY OF WATERLOO WARD 4 FOR ALDERMAN (Vote for ONE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Jordon Riley INDEPENDENT</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Ryan J. Hirsch INDEPENDENT</p>
<p>CITY OF COLUMBIA WARD 4 FOR ALDERMAN (Vote for ONE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Jason Mayer INDEPENDENT</p>	<p style="background-color: #e0e0e0;">VILLAGE</p> <p>VILLAGE OF FULTS FOR VILLAGE TRUSTEE UNEXPIRED TWO YEAR TERM (Vote for ONE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Timothy Helms INDEPENDENT</p>

VILLAGE	VILLAGE
<p align="center">VILLAGE OF FULTS FOR VILLAGE TRUSTEE (Vote for not more than THREE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Linda Sutter INDEPENDENT</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Jeffrey Williams INDEPENDENT</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Jimmy R. Davis INDEPENDENT</p>	<p align="center">VILLAGE OF VALMEYER FOR VILLAGE TRUSTEE (Vote for not more than THREE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Timothy Valentine INDEPENDENT</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Robert Nowlan INDEPENDENT</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Adam L. Tyberendt INDEPENDENT</p>
<p align="center">VILLAGE OF HECKER FOR VILLAGE PRESIDENT (Vote for ONE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Aaron Eckart INDEPENDENT</p>	<p align="center">ROAD DISTRICT</p>
<p align="center">VILLAGE OF HECKER FOR CITY CLERK (Vote for ONE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Annette Schreder INDEPENDENT</p>	<p align="center">ROAD DISTRICT NO. 1 FOR ROAD DISTRICT COMMISSIONER (Vote for ONE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Walter E. Gregson, Jr. INDEPENDENT</p>
<p align="center">CITY OF HECKER FOR VILLAGE TRUSTEE (Vote for not more than THREE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> James Mueth INDEPENDENT</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Gary Wittenauer INDEPENDENT</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Arnold Eckart INDEPENDENT</p>	<p align="center">ROAD DISTRICT NO. 1 FOR ROAD DISTRICT CLERK (Vote for ONE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Edward Stellhorn INDEPENDENT</p>
<p align="center">VILLAGE OF MAEYSTOWN FOR VILLAGE TRUSTEE (Vote for not more than THREE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Adam Eckart INDEPENDENT</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Sandy Tutka INDEPENDENT</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Linda Coats INDEPENDENT</p>	<p align="center">ROAD DISTRICT NO. 2 FOR ROAD DISTRICT COMMISSIONER (Vote for ONE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> George L. Gregson INDEPENDENT</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Alex D. Voelker INDEPENDENT</p>
<p align="center">VILLAGE OF VALMEYER FOR VILLAGE PRESIDENT (Vote for ONE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Howard Heavner INDEPENDENT</p>	<p align="center">ROAD DISTRICT NO. 2 FOR ROAD DISTRICT CLERK (Vote for ONE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Sarah Heck INDEPENDENT</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Kevin L. Poetker INDEPENDENT</p> <p align="center">ROAD DISTRICT NO. 3 FOR ROAD DISTRICT COMMISSIONER (Vote for ONE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Patrick Doyle INDEPENDENT</p>

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ROAD DISTRICT	ROAD DISTRICT
ROAD DISTRICT NO. 3 FOR ROAD DISTRICT CLERK (Vote for ONE) <input type="radio"/> Kearn E. (Kerry) Kelley INDEPENDENT	ROAD DISTRICT NO. 7 FOR ROAD DISTRICT COMMISSIONER (Vote for ONE) <input type="radio"/> Don W. Voelker INDEPENDENT
ROAD DISTRICT NO. 4 FOR ROAD DISTRICT COMMISSIONER (Vote for ONE) <input type="radio"/> Scott Mudd INDEPENDENT	ROAD DISTRICT NO. 7 FOR ROAD DISTRICT CLERK (Vote for ONE) <input type="radio"/> Heidi Ruwald INDEPENDENT
ROAD DISTRICT NO. 4 FOR ROAD DISTRICT CLERK (Vote for ONE) <input type="radio"/> Brian Leonard INDEPENDENT	ROAD DISTRICT NO. 8 FOR ROAD DISTRICT COMMISSIONER (Vote for ONE) <input type="radio"/> Leroy G. Brandt INDEPENDENT
ROAD DISTRICT NO. 5 FOR ROAD DISTRICT COMMISSIONER (Vote for ONE) <input type="radio"/> Mark J. Schaefer INDEPENDENT	ROAD DISTRICT NO. 8 FOR ROAD DISTRICT CLERK (Vote for ONE) <input type="radio"/> Robert C. Schmidt INDEPENDENT
ROAD DISTRICT NO. 5 FOR ROAD DISTRICT CLERK (Vote for ONE) <input type="radio"/> Charlotte Barker INDEPENDENT	ROAD DISTRICT NO. 9 FOR ROAD DISTRICT COMMISSIONER (Vote for ONE) <input type="radio"/> Jason Niebruegge INDEPENDENT
ROAD DISTRICT NO. 6 FOR ROAD DISTRICT COMMISSIONER (Vote for ONE) <input type="radio"/> Martin W. Mertz INDEPENDENT	ROAD DISTRICT NO. 9 FOR ROAD DISTRICT CLERK (Vote for ONE) <input type="radio"/> Justin Roberts INDEPENDENT
ROAD DISTRICT NO. 6 FOR ROAD DISTRICT CLERK (Vote for ONE) <input type="radio"/> Richard Heine INDEPENDENT	ROAD DISTRICT NO. 10 FOR ROAD DISTRICT COMMISSIONER (Vote for ONE) <input type="radio"/> Randy Scheibe INDEPENDENT

ROAD DISTRICT	LIBRARY
<p style="text-align: center;">ROAD DISTRICT NO. 10 FOR ROAD DISTRICT CLERK (Vote for ONE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Aaron Scheibe INDEPENDENT</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">VALMEYER PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT FOR LIBRARY TRUSTEE TO SERVE A FULL 6-YEAR TERM (Vote for not more than THREE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Dana Phillips</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Angela Siburt</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Julie Williams</p>
PARK	EDUCATIONAL SERVICE REGION
<p style="text-align: center;">WATERLOO PARK DISTRICT FOR PARK COMMISSIONER FOR AN UNEXPIRED 2-YEAR TERM (Vote for ONE)</p> <p>No Candidate</p> <p style="text-align: center;">WATERLOO PARK DISTRICT FOR PARK COMMISSIONER TO SERVE A FULL 4-YEAR TERM (Vote for not more than THREE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Gina Pfund</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Curtis Haentzler</p> <p><input type="radio"/> James D. Perotti</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">FOR MEMBERS OF THE REGIONAL BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES (MONROE AND RANDOLPH COUNTIES) (For a 6-year term) (Vote for not more than TWO)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Kenneth Hartmann Monroe County</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Perry Riechmann Monroe County</p> <p style="text-align: center;">FOR MEMBERS OF THE REGIONAL BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES (MONROE AND RANDOLPH COUNTIES) (For an unexpired 4-year term) (Vote for ONE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Kathryn Haudrich Monroe County</p> <p style="text-align: center;">FOR MEMBERS OF THE REGIONAL BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES (MONROE AND RANDOLPH COUNTIES) (For an unexpired 2-year term) (Vote for not more than THREE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> James Wesbecher Randolph County</p>
LIBRARY	<p style="text-align: center;">FOR MEMBERS OF THE REGIONAL BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES (ST. CLAIR COUNTY)</p> <p>Instructions to voters: Not more than one may serve from the same congressional township.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">TO SERVE A FULL 6-YEAR TERM (Vote for not more than TWO)</p> <p>No Candidate</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">NEW ATHENS LIBRARY DISTRICT FOR LIBRARY TRUSTEE TO SERVE AN UNEXPIRED 4-YEAR TERM (Vote for not more than TWO)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Lorien Bowns Trover-Manookin</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Robert Kreher</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;">NEW ATHENS LIBRARY DISTRICT FOR LIBRARY TRUSTEE TO SERVE A FULL 6-YEAR TERM (Vote for not more than THREE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Kathryn Renshaw</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Regina Kurtz</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Jo D Fritsche</p>	

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SCHOOL	SCHOOL
VALMEYER COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 3	COLUMBIA COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 4
<p>Instructions to voter: Membership on the board of education is restricted to a maximum of 3 members from any congressional township.</p> <p>ON THE BASIS OF EXISTING BOARD MEMBERSHIP, MEMBERS MAY BE ELECTED IN THE FOLLOWING NUMBERS FROM EACH CONGRESSIONAL TOWNSHIP.</p> <p>NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 2S RANGE 10W</p> <p>NOT MORE THAN 2 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 3S RANGE 10W</p> <p>NOT MORE THAN 2 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 4S RANGE 10W</p> <p>NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 5S RANGE 10W</p> <p>NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 1S RANGE 11W</p> <p>NOT MORE THAN 2 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 2S RANGE 11W</p> <p>NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 3S RANGE 11W</p> <p>NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 4S RANGE 11W</p>	<p>Instructions to voter: The board of education shall be composed of members from both the incorporated and the unincorporated area; not more than 3 board members shall be selected from any city, village or incorporated town.</p> <p>ON THE BASIS OF EXISTING BOARD MEMBERSHIP, NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM THE INCORPORATED AREAS.</p>
FOR MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO SERVE AN UNEXPIRED 2-YEAR TERM (Vote for ONE)	FOR MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO SERVE A FULL 4-YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR A TOTAL OF FOUR)
<p><input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in</p>	<p><input type="radio"/> Incorporated Tyson Search</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Incorporated Andrea C. Khoury</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Unincorporated Greg Meyer</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Unincorporated Adam Q. Hemken</p>
FOR MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF EDUATION TO SERVE A FULL 4-YEAR TERM (Vote for not more than THREE)	NEW ATHENS COMMUNITY UNIT DISTRICT NO. 60
<p><input type="radio"/> Township 4S Range 11W Michelle L. Skaggs</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Township 2S Range 11W Stephanie Johnson-Tyberendt</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in</p>	<p>Instructions to voter: Membership on the board of education is to consist of 4 members from the congressional township that has at least 75% but not more than 90% of the population, and 3 board members from the remaining congressional townships in the school district.</p> <p>ON THE BASIS OF EXISTING BOARD MEMBERSHIP, MEMBERS MAY BE ELECTED IN THE FOLLOWING NUMBERS FROM EACH CONGRESSIONAL TOWNSHIP.</p>
	FOR MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO SERVE AN UNEXPIRED 4-YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR TWO)
	<p>2 shall be elected from NEW ATHENS Township 2S Range 7W</p> <p><input type="radio"/> New Athens Township 2S Range 7W Erin Wilson</p> <p>1 member shall be elected from the remaining congressional townships.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Vote for ONE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Remaining Congressional Township Karen D. Meyer</p>

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<p style="text-align: center;">WATERLOO COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 5</p> <p>Instructions to voter: Membership on the board of education is restricted to a maximum of 3 members from any congressional township.</p> <p>ON THE BASIS OF EXISTING BOARD MEMBERSHIP, MEMBERS MAY BE ELECTED IN THE FOLLOWING NUMBERS FROM EACH CONGRESSIONAL TOWNSHIP.</p> <p>NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 3S RANGE 8W NOT MORE THAN 2 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 2S RANGE 9W NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 3S RANGE 9W NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 4S RANGE 9W NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 5S RANGE 9W NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 1S RANGE 10W NOT MORE THAN 2 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 2S RANGE 10W NOT MORE THAN 2 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 3S RANGE 10W NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 4S RANGE 10W NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 2S RANGE 11W</p> <p>FOR MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO SERVE AN UNEXPIRED 2-YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Township 2S Range 9W Nathan Mifflin</p> <p>FOR MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO SERVE A FULL 4-YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR A TOTAL OF THREE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Township 2S Range 9W Lloyd Wesley Jarden</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Township 3S Range 9W Neil A. Giffhorn</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Township 2S Range 10W James Yaekel</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Township 2S Range 10W John Caupert</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">RED BUD COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 132</p> <p>Instructions to voter: Membership on the board of education is restricted to a maximum of 3 members from any congressional township.</p> <p>ON THE BASIS OF EXISTING BOARD MEMBERSHIP, MEMBERS MAY BE ELECTED IN THE FOLLOWING NUMBERS FROM EACH CONGRESSIONAL TOWNSHIP.</p> <p>NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 3S RANGE 7W NOT MORE THAN 1 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 3S RANGE 8W NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 4S RANGE 7W NOT MORE THAN 2 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 4S RANGE 8W NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 4S RANGE 9W NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 5S RANGE 7W NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 5S RANGE 8W NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 5S RANGE 9W NOT MORE THAN 3 MAY BE ELECTED FROM TOWNSHIP 6S RANGE 8W</p> <p>FOR MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO SERVE A FULL 4-YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR A TOTAL OF FOUR)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Township 4S Range 7W James R. Hogrefe</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Township 4S Range 8W Todd Birkner</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Township 4S Range 8W Carol Harms</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Township 3S Range 8W Abigail Carter</p>
	PARK
	<p>PUBLIC QUESTION</p> <p>Shall the Waterloo Park District, Monroe County, Illinois, construct and equip an outdoor community swimming pool and related facilities and issue bonds of said Park District to the amount of \$6,000,000 for the purpose of paying the costs thereof?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>
	FIRE
	<p style="text-align: center;">NEW ATHENS FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT FOR FIRE TRUSTEE (Vote for ONE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Scott J. Harriss</p>

LIST OF MONROE COUNTY POLLING PLACES

Precincts 1, 2, and 4

American Legion 375 East Locus Street, Columbia, IL 62236

Precincts 3 and 5

First Baptist Church, 1200 Valmeyer Road, Columbia, IL 62236

Precincts 6, 7, and 8

Turner Hall, 211 East Cherry Street, Columbia, IL 62236

Precincts 9 and 13

Annex Building, 901 Illinois Ave, Waterloo, IL 62298

Precincts 10, 14, 15, 16

VFW Hall, 406 Veterans Drive, Waterloo, IL 62298

Precincts 11 and 12

First Baptist Church Hall, 320 Covington Drive, Waterloo, IL 62298

Precinct 17, 18 and 22

Hope Christian Church, 9273 Coach Stop Road, Columbia, IL 62236

Precincts 19 and 20

St. Mary's Parish Hall, Valmeyer, IL 62295

Precincts 21 and 24

Hecker Community Center, 230 East Washington St., Hecker, IL 62248

Precincts 23, and 25

St. John Fellowship Hall, 1208 Franklin Street, Maeystown, IL 62256