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Stevens County, Washington
November 04, 2014

GENERAL ELECTION

Precinct

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VOTE FOR ONLY ONE CANDIDATE IN EACH RACE.
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To vote for a write-in candidate, fill in the box left of the words "Write-In" and write in the name of the candidate.
If you make a mistake, draw a line through the entire candidate's name. You then have the option of making another choice.

Start voting here

STATE MEASURES

Initiatives to the People

State Initiative Measure No. 1351
Initiative Measure No. 1351concerns K-12 education. This measure would direct the legislature to allocate funds to reduce class sizes and increase staffing support for students in all K-12 grades, with additional class-size reductions and staffing increases in high-poverty schools.
Should this measure be enacted into law?
Vote Yes or No
- [ ] Yes
- [ ] No

Initiatives to the Legislature

State Initiative Measure No. 591
Initiative Measure No. 591 concerns firearms. This measure would prohibit government agencies from confiscating guns or other firearms from citizens without due process, or from requiring background checks on firearm recipients unless a uniform national standard is required.
Should this measure be enacted into law?
Vote Yes or No
- [ ] Yes
- [ ] No

State Initiative Measure No. 594
Initiative Measure No. 594 concerns background checks for firearm sales and transfers. This measure would apply currently used criminal and public safety background checks by licensed dealers to all firearm sales and transfers, including gun show and online sales, with specific exceptions.
Should this measure be enacted into law?
Vote Yes or No
- [ ] Yes
- [ ] No

Advisory Votes

Advisory Vote No. 8
Senate Bill 6505
The legislature eliminated, without a vote of the people, agricultural excise tax preferences for various aspects of the marijuana industry, costing an estimated $24,903,000 in the first ten years, for government spending.
This tax increase should be:
Vote Repealed or Maintained
- [ ] Repealed
- [ ] Maintained

Advisory Vote No. 9
Engrossed Substitute House Bill 1287
The legislature imposed, without a vote of the people, the leasehold excise tax on certain leasehold interests in tribal property, costing an estimated $1,298,000 in the first ten years, for government spending.
This tax increase should be:
Vote Repealed or Maintained
- [ ] Repealed
- [ ] Maintained

READ: Each candidate for partisan office may state a political party that he or she prefers. A candidate's preference does not imply that the candidate is nominated or endorsed by the party, or that the party approves of or associates with that candidate.

FEDERAL - PARTISAN OFFICES

Congressional District 5
U.S. Representative
- [ ] Cathy McMorris Rodgers (Prefers Republican Party)
- [ ] Joseph (Joe) Pakootas (Prefers Democratic Party)
- [ ] Write-in

STATE - PARTISAN OFFICES

Legislative District 7
State Senator
- [ ] Brian Dansel (Prefers Republican Party)
- [ ] Tony Booth (Prefers Republican Party)
- [ ] Write-in

Legislative District 7
State Representative Pos 1
- [ ] Shelly Short (Prefers Republican Party)
- [ ] James R. Apker (Prefers Libertarian Party)
- [ ] Write-in

Legislative District 7
State Representative Pos 2
- [ ] Joel Kretz (Prefers Republican Party)
- [ ] Ronnie Rae (Prefers Centralist Party)
- [ ] Write-in

COUNTY - PARTISAN OFFICES

Assessor
- [ ] John Olson (Prefers Republican Party)
- [ ] CJ Wolfe (Prefers Republican Party)
- [ ] Write-in

Auditor
- [ ] Tim Gray (Prefers Democratic Party)
- [ ] Write-in

Superior Court Clerk
- [ ] Patricia A. "Patty" Chester (Prefers Democratic Party)
- [ ] Write-in

County Commissioner District 2
- [ ] Don Dashiell (Prefers Republican Party)
- [ ] Write-in

Coroner
- [ ] Lorrie Sampson (Prefers Republican Party)
- [ ] Dave Baskin (Prefers Republican Party)
- [ ] Write-in

Sheriff
- [ ] Kendle E. Allen (Prefers Republican Party)
- [ ] Ken Barker (Prefers Republican Party)
- [ ] Write-in

Treasurer
- [ ] Sue Harnasch (Prefers Democratic Party)
- [ ] Write-in

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Prosecuting Attorney
- [ ] Tim Rasmussen (Prefers Republican Party)
- [ ] Write-in

COUNTY - NON PARTISAN OFFICE

Public Utility District 1 Commissioner District 2
- [ ] Howie Kubik
- [ ] Write-in

JUDICIAL - NON PARTISAN OFFICES

Supreme Court Justice Position 1
Unexpired 2 year term
- [ ] Mary Yu
- [ ] Write-in

Supreme Court Justice Position 3
- [ ] Mary E. Fairhurst
- [ ] Write-in

Supreme Court Justice Position 4
- [ ] Eddie Yoon
- [ ] Charles W. Johnson
- [ ] Write-in

Supreme Court Justice Position 7
- [ ] Debra L. Stephens
- [ ] John (Zamboni) Scannell
- [ ] Write-in

Court of Appeals, Division 3 District 1 Judge Position 2
- [ ] Kevin M. Korsmo
- [ ] Write-in

District Court Judge
- [ ] Michael E. Clay
- [ ] Gina A. Tveit
- [ ] Write-in

LOCAL MEASURES

STEVENS COUNTY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT NO. 5

Stevens County Fire Protection District No. 5
Board of Commissioners
Proposition Restoring Property Tax Levy For Fire Protection and Emergency Medical Services.

The Board of Stevens County Fire Protection District No. 5 adopted Resolution No. 14-06C concerning a proposition to maintain and fund operations, facilities and staffing.

This proposition authorizes the District to restore its regular property tax levy to $1.00 per $1,000 of assessed value to be assessed in 2014 and collected in 2015. The funds will finance improved fire protection operations, replace apparatus and equipment, provide staffing and increase emergency medical service levels. The maximum allowable levy in 2014 shall serve as the base for subsequent levy limitations as provided by chapter 84.55 RCW.
Should this proposition be:
Vote Approved or Rejected
- [ ] Approved
- [ ] Rejected

FORMATION OF FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

Formation of Fire Protection District No. 13
PROPOSITION NO. 1
STEVENS COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
FORMATION OF FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT NO. 13
The Board of County Commissioners of Stevens County adopted Resolution No. 34-2014 concerning the formation of Stevens County Fire Protection District No. 13.

This Proposition would approve the formation of a fire protection district pursuant to RCW 52.02 to provide fire protection to the residents and property owners within the boundaries described in Resolution No. 34-2014. The district would be financed by property tax levy and managed by three elected fire district commissioners.
Should the proposition be approved?
Vote Fire District Yes or Fire District No
- [ ] Fire District Yes
- [ ] Fire District No

NON PARTISAN OFFICES

Formation of Fire Protection District No. 13 Commissioners

First Fire Protection District No. 13 Commissioner
- [ ] Reg Davenport
- [ ] Write-in

First Fire Protection District No. 13 Commissioner
- [ ] Arden Fritz
- [ ] Write-in

First Fire Protection District No. 13 Commissioner
- [ ] Jerry Pechin
- [ ] Write-in

STEVENS COUNTY RURAL LIBRARY DISTRICT

PROPOSITION NO. 1
STEVENS COUNTY RURAL LIBRARY DISTRICT LEVY LIFT FOR LIBRARY SERVICES
The Board of Trustees of Stevens County Rural Library District adopted Resolution No. 01-2014, concerning a proposition to authorize a regular property tax. This proposition would provide for the continued funding for normal operation and maintenance of the District's libraries and services and would authorize the District to restore its regular property tax levy rate to $0.50 per $1,000 of assessed valuation in 2014 for collection in 2015, as allowed by chapter 84.55 RCW. The 2015 levy amount will be used to calculate any subsequent levy limit increase as allowed by chapter 84.55 RCW.
Should this proposition be approved?
Vote Levy Yes or Levy No
- [ ] Levy Yes
- [ ] Levy No

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