


The following is a list of all races that appear throughout Buffalo County. Please note that NOT all races will appear on your specific ballot.

**SAMPLE BALLOT 2016 GENERAL ELECTION**

Buffalo County, Nebraska		General Election		November 8, 2016		
<b>INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTER</b> 1. TO VOTE, YOU MUST DARKEN THE OVAL COMPLETELY  2. Use a black or blue ink pen or a No. 2 pencil. 3. To vote for a WRITE-IN candidate, write in the name on the line provided AND darken the oval completely. 4. DO NOT CROSS OUT OR ERASE. If you make a mistake, ask for a new ballot. 5. DO NOT FOLD THE BALLOT.	<b>Nonpartisan Ticket</b> <b>Chief Justice of the Supreme Court Statewide</b> Shall Chief Justice Michael G. Heavican be retained in office? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	<b>Nonpartisan Ticket</b> <b>Central Platte Natural Resources District For Board of Directors SubDistrict 5</b> Vote for ONE <input type="radio"/> Jim Bendfeldt <input type="radio"/> _____	<b>School Ticket</b> <b>Amherst Public School District 119 For Board of Education</b> Vote for up to THREE <input type="radio"/> Terry D. Abbott <input type="radio"/> Ryan G. Fisher <input type="radio"/> Micheal Taubenheim <input type="radio"/> _____ <input type="radio"/> _____	<b>School Ticket</b> <b>Ravenna Public School District 69 For Board of Education</b> Vote for up to THREE <input type="radio"/> Tara Schirmer <input type="radio"/> Marc Vacek <input type="radio"/> Dawn Standage <input type="radio"/> _____ <input type="radio"/> _____	<b>Village Ticket</b> <b>For Miller Village Board of Trustees</b> Vote for up to TWO <input type="radio"/> Phillip Schroeder <input type="radio"/> LeRoy Lambert <input type="radio"/> Chuck Day <input type="radio"/> Craig M. Simmons <input type="radio"/> Ray Shields <input type="radio"/> _____ <input type="radio"/> _____	
	<b>Presidential Ticket</b> <b>For President and Vice President of the United States</b> Vote for ONE <input type="radio"/> Donald J. Trump - Republican President Michael R. Pence Vice President <input type="radio"/> Hillary Clinton - Democratic President Tim Kaine Vice President <input type="radio"/> Gary Johnson - Libertarian President Bill Weld Vice President <input type="radio"/> Jill Stein - By Petition President Ajamu Baraka Vice President <input type="radio"/> _____ President <input type="radio"/> _____ Vice President	Shall Judge John F. Wright be retained in office? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	<b>Central Platte Natural Resources District For Board of Directors SubDistrict 5 2 Year Term</b> Vote for ONE <input type="radio"/> Deborah VanMatre <input type="radio"/> _____	<b>School Bond Election</b> <b>Amherst Public School District 119</b> "Shall Buffalo County School District 0119 (Amherst Public Schools) in the State of Nebraska issue its bonds in a total principal amount not to exceed Seven Million Nine Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$7,900,000) for the purpose of financing the costs of constructing renovations of and additions to the District's existing school facility, such renovations and additions to include K-6 classrooms, a new kitchen and lunchroom/common area, locker rooms and an expansion of the industrial arts/shop area, and acquiring and installing necessary furniture, equipment and apparatus for such school building and additions; said bonds to be issued from time to time, to be sold at such prices, to bear interest at such rates, to become due at such times, and to have such other terms and provisions, all as may be fixed and determined by the Board of Education of the District; and  "Shall the District cause to be levied and collected annually a special levy of taxes against all the taxable property in the District sufficient in rate and amount to pay the principal of, the premium, if any, and the interest on said bonds as the same become due?"  <input type="radio"/> FOR said bonds and tax <input type="radio"/> AGAINST said bonds and tax	<b>Shelton Public School District 19 For Board of Education</b> Vote for up to THREE <input type="radio"/> Matt Gangwish <input type="radio"/> Russ Muhlback <input type="radio"/> Chris Lewis <input type="radio"/> Patricia Wiehn <input type="radio"/> _____ <input type="radio"/> _____	<b>For Pleasanton Village Board of Trustees</b> Vote for up to THREE <input type="radio"/> Michael Stubbs <input type="radio"/> Dean Smith <input type="radio"/> Richard T. Miller <input type="radio"/> Andrew Petersen <input type="radio"/> Mike Tracy <input type="radio"/> _____ <input type="radio"/> _____
	<b>Congressional Ticket</b> <b>For Representative in Congress District 3 - 2 Year Term</b> Vote for ONE <input type="radio"/> Adrian Smith Republican <input type="radio"/> _____	<b>Judge of the Court of Appeals District 6</b> Shall Judge Frankie J. Moore be retained in office? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	<b>Central Platte Natural Resources District For Board of Directors SubDistrict 6</b> Vote for ONE <input type="radio"/> Michael Reynolds <input type="radio"/> _____	Electors voting in favor of said proposition shall blacken completely the oval opposite the words "FOR said bonds and tax" following said proposition, and electors voting against said proposition shall blacken completely the oval opposite the words "AGAINST said bonds and tax" following said proposition.  <input type="radio"/> FOR said bonds and tax <input type="radio"/> AGAINST said bonds and tax	<b>Sumner-Eddyville-Miller Public School District 101 For Board of Education</b> Vote for up to THREE <input type="radio"/> Kirby Burden <input type="radio"/> Matthew Glatter <input type="radio"/> Bryce Williams <input type="radio"/> _____ <input type="radio"/> _____	<b>For Riverdale Village Board of Trustees</b> Vote for up to THREE <input type="radio"/> Allen C. Richards <input type="radio"/> Timothy Pratt <input type="radio"/> Jeremy T. Johnson <input type="radio"/> _____ <input type="radio"/> _____
	<b>State Ticket</b> <b>For Public Service Commissioner District 5 - 6 Year Term</b> Vote for ONE <input type="radio"/> Mary Ridder Republican <input type="radio"/> _____	<b>Judge of the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Court Statewide</b> Shall Judge Daniel R. Fridrich be retained in office? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	<b>Central Platte Natural Resources District For Board of Directors At Large 2 Year Term</b> Vote for ONE <input type="radio"/> Charles J. Bicak <input type="radio"/> Keith Ostermeier <input type="radio"/> _____	<b>Lower Loup Natural Resources District For Board of Directors SubDistrict 3</b> Vote for ONE <input type="radio"/> James C. Nelson <input type="radio"/> _____	<b>City Ticket</b> <b>For Gibbon City Mayor</b> Vote for ONE <input type="radio"/> Deborah VanMatre <input type="radio"/> _____	<b>For Shelton Village Board of Trustees</b> Vote for up to THREE <input type="radio"/> Troy Spellman <input type="radio"/> Richard L. Mathieson <input type="radio"/> William Chuck Roe <input type="radio"/> Lynn McBride <input type="radio"/> David Doremus <input type="radio"/> Jeff Oberg <input type="radio"/> _____ <input type="radio"/> _____
	<b>County Ticket</b> <b>For County Board of Commissioners District 2</b> Vote for ONE <input type="radio"/> Ron Loeffelholz Republican <input type="radio"/> _____	<b>Judge of the District Court District 9</b> Shall Judge William T. Wright be retained in office? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	<b>Dawson Public Power District For Board of Directors Buffalo Subdivision - 6 Year Term</b> Vote for ONE <input type="radio"/> Dave Dwigins <input type="radio"/> _____	<b>Nebraska Public Power District For Board of Directors Subdivision 3 - 6 Year Term</b> Vote for ONE <input type="radio"/> Ron Larsen <input type="radio"/> Melissa Freelend <input type="radio"/> _____	<b>For Gibbon City Council Member Ward I</b> Vote for ONE <input type="radio"/> Derrick J. Clevenger <input type="radio"/> _____	<b>VILLAGE OF SHELTON, NEBRASKA 1% CITY SALES AND USE TAX</b>  Shall the governing body of the Village of Shelton, Nebraska impose a sales and use tax of one percent (1%) upon the same transactions within the Village of Shelton on which the State of Nebraska is authorized to impose a tax pursuant to the Nebraska Revenue Act of 1967, as amended, the proceeds of which to be used to offset and provide for property tax relief?  <input type="radio"/> FOR City Sales and Use Tax <input type="radio"/> AGAINST City Sales and Use Tax
<b>For County Board of Commissioners District 4</b> Vote for ONE <input type="radio"/> Dennis W. Reiter Republican <input type="radio"/> _____	<b>Judge of the District Court District 9</b> Shall Judge Teresa K. Luther be retained in office? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	<b>Educational Service Unit 10 For Board of Directors District 6</b> Vote for ONE <input type="radio"/> Gordon Roethemeyer <input type="radio"/> _____	<b>Gibbon Public School District 2 For Board of Education</b> Vote for up to THREE <input type="radio"/> Kimberly Wadkins <input type="radio"/> Brian Knoll <input type="radio"/> Alan M. Green <input type="radio"/> _____ <input type="radio"/> _____	<b>For Gibbon City Council Member Ward II</b> Vote for ONE <input type="radio"/> Kevin Hynes <input type="radio"/> _____	<b>Referendum ordered by Petition of the People Referendum No. 426</b>  A vote to "Retain" will eliminate the death penalty and change the maximum penalty for the crime of murder in the first degree to life imprisonment by retaining Legislative Bill 268, passed in 2015 by the First Session of the 104th Nebraska Legislature.  A vote to "Repeal" will keep the death penalty as a possible penalty for the crime of murder in the first degree by repealing Legislative Bill 268, passed in 2015 by the First Session of the 104th Nebraska Legislature.  The purpose of Legislative Bill 268, passed by the First Session of the 104th Nebraska Legislature in 2015, is to eliminate the death penalty and change the maximum penalty for the crime of murder in the first degree to life imprisonment. Shall Legislative Bill 268 be repealed?  <input type="radio"/> Retain <input type="radio"/> Repeal	
<b>For County Board of Commissioners District 6</b> Vote for ONE <input type="radio"/> Bill McMullen Republican <input type="radio"/> _____	<b>Central Community College For Board of Governors District 2</b> Vote for ONE <input type="radio"/> David A. Stubbs <input type="radio"/> _____	<b>Ansley Public School District 44 For Board of Education</b> Vote for up to THREE <input type="radio"/> Jaimee Bailey <input type="radio"/> Peter Cunningham <input type="radio"/> Tim Loy <input type="radio"/> _____ <input type="radio"/> _____	<b>Kearney Public School District 7 For Board of Education</b> Vote for up to THREE <input type="radio"/> Angela Nickel <input type="radio"/> Tim Higgins <input type="radio"/> Marvion E. Reichert <input type="radio"/> Kathy Gifford <input type="radio"/> _____ <input type="radio"/> _____	<b>For Ravenna City Council Member At Large</b> Vote for up to TWO <input type="radio"/> Jim D. Rasmussen <input type="radio"/> Russell R. Crowell <input type="radio"/> Travis W. Bruce <input type="radio"/> _____ <input type="radio"/> _____	<b>Village Ticket</b> <b>For Amherst Board of Trustees</b> Vote for up to THREE <input type="radio"/> Harvey G. Fisher <input type="radio"/> George J. Day <input type="radio"/> Larry Dean Fisher <input type="radio"/> Raymond L. King <input type="radio"/> _____ <input type="radio"/> _____	
<b>For Member of the Legislature District 37</b> Vote for ONE <input type="radio"/> Bob Lammers <input type="radio"/> John S. Lowe Sr. <input type="radio"/> _____	<b>Central Community College For Board of Governors At Large</b> Vote for ONE <input type="radio"/> Sam Cowan <input type="radio"/> _____	<b>Centura Public School District 100 Ward 1 For Board of Education</b> Vote for ONE <input type="radio"/> Will Kemptar <input type="radio"/> Brent McDonald <input type="radio"/> _____	<b>Pleasanton Public School District 105 For Board of Education</b> Vote for up to THREE <input type="radio"/> Steven Klein <input type="radio"/> Diane Hand <input type="radio"/> Lisa A. Nichols <input type="radio"/> Bruce Loeffelholz <input type="radio"/> _____ <input type="radio"/> _____	<b>For Elm Creek Village Board of Trustees</b> Vote for up to THREE <input type="radio"/> Tanner Tool <input type="radio"/> Cory Halliwell <input type="radio"/> Davis Miner <input type="radio"/> Mike Brown <input type="radio"/> _____ <input type="radio"/> _____		
<b>For Member of the Board of Regents University of Nebraska District 6 - 6 Year Term</b> Vote for ONE <input type="radio"/> Marsha E. Fangmeyer <input type="radio"/> Paul Kenney <input type="radio"/> _____	<b>Central Platte Natural Resources District For Board of Directors SubDistrict 3</b> Vote for ONE <input type="radio"/> Marvion Reichert Jr. <input type="radio"/> _____	<b>Elm Creek Public School District 9 For Board of Education</b> Vote for up to THREE <input type="radio"/> Lynette J. Mitchell <input type="radio"/> Marvion Reichert Jr. <input type="radio"/> Morgan Fouts <input type="radio"/> J.C. Ourada <input type="radio"/> Suzanne Brodine <input type="radio"/> Jeni Brown <input type="radio"/> _____ <input type="radio"/> _____				
	<b>Central Platte Natural Resources District For Board of Directors SubDistrict 2</b> Vote for ONE <input type="radio"/> Dwayne Margritz <input type="radio"/> _____					
	<b>Central Platte Natural Resources District For Board of Directors SubDistrict 4</b> Vote for ONE <input type="radio"/> Keith Stafford <input type="radio"/> _____					