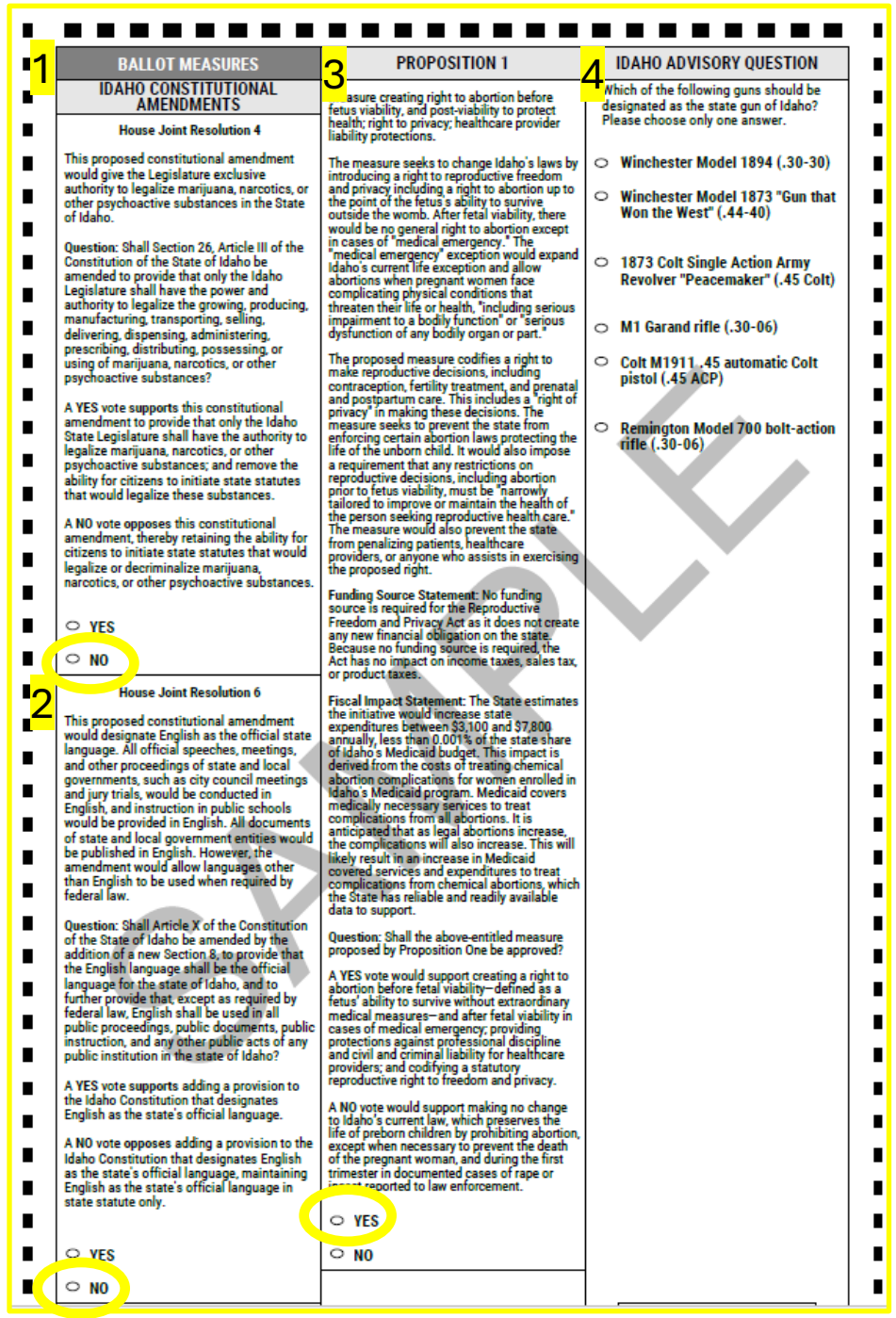
2026 State-Wide Ballot Initiative and General Election Candidate Recommendations* (Idaho Legislative Districts 28, 29, & 30)

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Statewide Ballot Initiatives

1) **House Joint Resolution 4 – Future voter Initiative Authority**
   - "Yes" would grant the state legislature the authority to overturn any future voter initiatives related to the legalization of medical and recreational Marijuana and some other drugs.
   - "No" would allow citizens to pass a ballot initiative legalizing marijuana or other drugs in a future election
   - *Example: In the future, if voters approve Medical Marijuana use, the legislature could overturn the vote.*
   - ***Note: Medical Cannabis legalization is <u>NOT</u> on the 2026 ballot***
2) **House Joint Resolution 6 – Designate English as the State Language**
   - "Yes" would make English the State's official language in the state constitution
   - "No" opposes making English the State's official language
   - The legislature already made English official (2007), so this is largely a symbolic resolution with no impacts to the Tribes.
   - The legislature's justification is that this will incentivize non-English speaking immigrants to learn English.
3) **Proposition 1- Reproductive Freedom and Privacy Act Initiative**
   - "Yes" would **expand abortion access** in Idaho and **increase women's reproductive rights** to make personal healthcare decisions
   - "No" would keep Idaho's law on abortion as is – abortion is ***<u>only legal</u>*** **to prevent the death of the mother**, in cases of **rape or incest**, for **ectopic pregnancies**, and **non-viable pregnancies** (the fetus cannot survive to birth due to developmental failures or complications)
   - *Example 1: Currently, if a mother's life is in danger, she can choose to have an abortion. New law expands a mother's right when facing a "medical emergency" to elect to abort the baby after fetal viability, meaning an abortion could occur even if the baby could survive outside the womb without major medical intervention. "Medical Emergency" is not clearly defined.*
   - *Example 2: Currently, if a fetus has a severe birth defect where it is unlikely to survive, a mother can elect to abort the baby in the first trimester. Current law is unclear if a mother can abort an unviable baby after the first trimester.*
   - *Example 3: A pregnant woman would have more rights to make decisions to abort a fetus before fetal viability and providers would not be criminally charged.*
4) **Idaho Advisory Question:** Select which firearm should be designated as the state gun (No Recommendation)

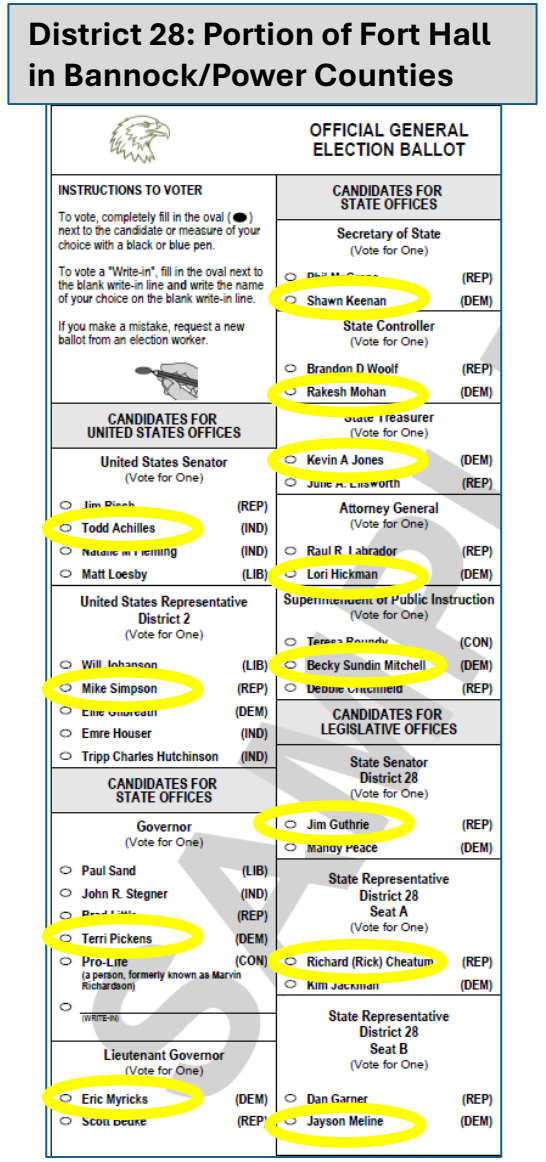
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District 28: Portion of Fort Hall in Bannock/Power Counties



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CANDIDATES FOR UNITED STATES OFFICES

United States Senator (Vote for One)
- Jim Risch (REP)
- Todd Achilles (IND)
- Natalie M Fleming (IND)
- Matt Loesby (LIB)

United States Representative District 2 (Vote for One)
- Will Johanson (LIB)
- Mike Simpson (REP)
- Ellie Oberbroeckling (DEM)
- Emre Houser (IND)
- Tripp Charles Hutchinson (IND)

CANDIDATES FOR STATE OFFICES

Governor (Vote for One)
- Paul Sand (LIB)
- John R. Stegner (IND)
- Brad Little (REP)
- Terri Pickens (DEM)
- Pro-Life (CON) (a person, formerly known as Marvin Richardson)
- (WRITE-IN)

Lieutenant Governor (Vote for One)
- Eric Myricks (DEM)
- Scott Bedke (REP)

CANDIDATES FOR STATE OFFICES

Secretary of State (Vote for One)
- Phil McGrane (REP)
- Shawn Keenan (DEM)

State Controller (Vote for One)
- Brandon D Woolf (REP)
- Rakesh Mohan (DEM)

State Treasurer (Vote for One)
- Kevin A Jones (DEM)
- Julie A. Ellsworth (REP)

Attorney General (Vote for One)
- Raul R. Labrador (REP)
- Lori Hickman (DEM)

Superintendent of Public Instruction (Vote for One)
- Terresa Bowdy (CON)
- Becky Sundin Mitchell (DEM)
- Debbie Critchfield (REP)

CANDIDATES FOR LEGISLATIVE OFFICES

State Senator District 28 (Vote for One)
- Jim Guthrie (REP)
- Mandy Peace (DEM)

State Representative District 28 Seat A (Vote for One)
- Richard (Rick) Cheatum (REP)
- Kim Jackman (DEM)

State Representative District 28 Seat B (Vote for One)
- Dan Garner (REP)
- Jayson Meline (DEM)

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United States Senator (Vote for One)
- Matt Loesby (LIB)
- Jim Risch (REP)
- Todd Achilles (IND)
- [illegible] (IND)

United States Representative District 2 (Vote for One)
- Ellie Gilbreath (DEM)
- Emre Houser (IND)
- Tripp Charles Hutchinson (IND)
- [illegible] (LIB)
- Mike Simpson (REP)

CANDIDATES FOR STATE OFFICES

Governor (Vote for One)
- [illegible] (REP)
- Terri Pickens (DEM)
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- Paul Sand (LIB)
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- (WRITE-IN)

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- Kevin A Jones (DEM)

Attorney General (Vote for One)
- Lori Hickman (DEM)
- Raul R. Labrador (REP)

Superintendent of Public Instruction (Vote for One)
- Debbie Critchfield (REP)
- Teresa Rowndy (CON)
- Becky Sundin Mitchell (DEM)

CANDIDATES FOR LEGISLATIVE OFFICES

State Senator District 29 (Vote for One)
- James D. Ruchti (DEM)
- John Crowder (REP)

State Representative District 29 Seat A (Vote for One)
- Mary Shea (DEM)
- Dustin W. Manwaring (REP)

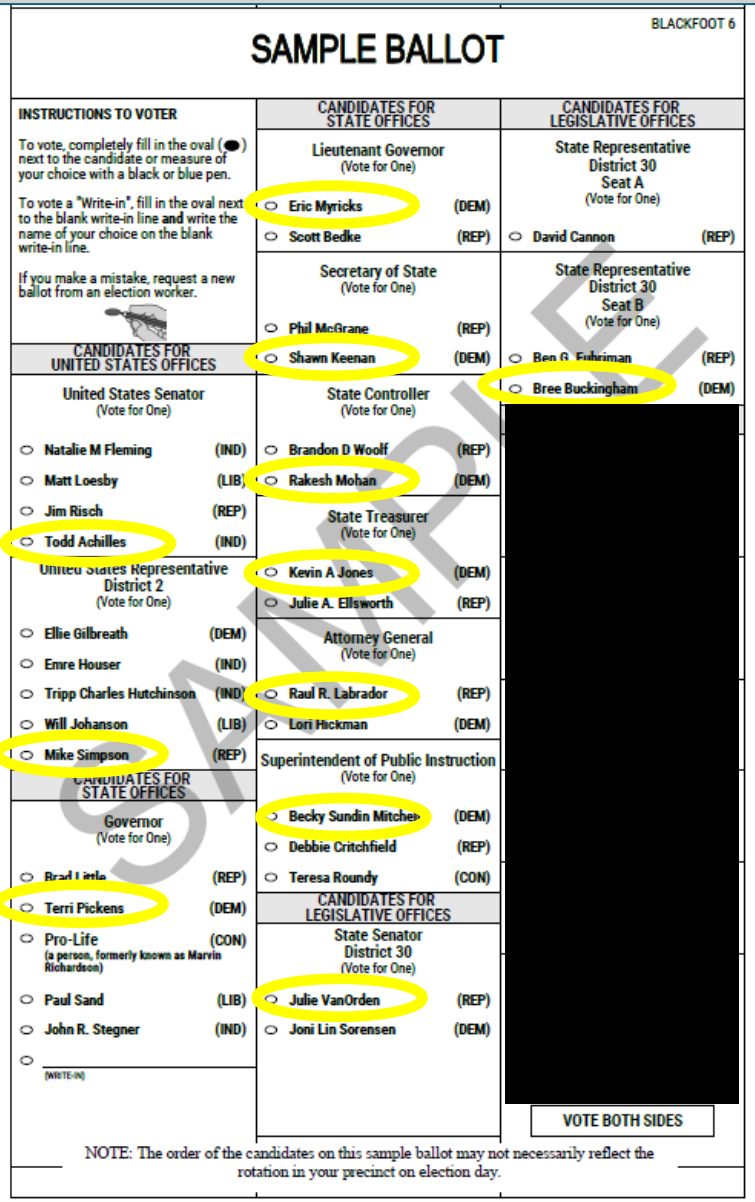
State Representative District 29 Seat B (Vote for One)
- Nate Roberts (DEM)
- Jennifer Miles (REP)

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District 30: Portion of Fort Hall in Bingham County



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- Lori Hickman (DEM)

Superintendent of Public Instruction (Vote for One)
- Becky Sundin Mitchell (DEM)
- Debbie Critchfield (REP)
- Teresa Roundy (CON)

CANDIDATES FOR LEGISLATIVE OFFICES

State Senator District 30 (Vote for One)
- Julie VanOrden (REP)
- Joni Lin Sorensen (DEM)

CANDIDATES FOR LEGISLATIVE OFFICES

State Representative District 30 Seat A (Vote for One)
- David Cannon (REP)

State Representative District 30 Seat B (Vote for One)
- Ben G. Fuhriman (REP)
- Bree Buckingham (DEM)

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VOTE BOTH SIDES

NOTE: The order of the candidates on this sample ballot may not necessarily reflect the rotation in your precinct on election day.

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Frequently Asked Questions

Q: How do I register to vote?
A: Unregistered voters can register to vote at their polling place on election day. Requires ID and proof of residency
Q: Where do I vote?
A: Determine your polling place (both on/off Fort Hall) by visiting: https://elections.sos.idaho.gov/ElectionLink/ElectionLink/ViewPollingLocation.aspx
Q: What do I do if I can't find my voter registration online?
A: No registered voters have been removed from the voting rolls. If you have not voted in the last four years, have moved or have changed your name, you must re-register. When searching online, use your name exactly as you registered it. You can always register at your polling location with proof of residency and your ID.
Q: Do I need to cast a vote for every race/initiative on my ballot?
A: No – If a voter chooses not to cast a vote for every race, their votes in other races still count
Q: Can I write someone in?
A: Yes, BUT, a write-in candidate must have already declared. If you choose to write in someone who has not declared for the election, your vote for that race won't be counted.

Q: Are signatures on absentee ballots verified?
A: Yes, election staff members compare signatures on the ballots with previous signatures from voter registrations, previous ballots, and/or driver's license records to confirm a match
Q: Must I present my identification (ID) to vote?
A: Yes, Idaho passed a voter ID law in 2010
Q: What is an acceptable form of ID to show at the poll?
A: Acceptable forms of ID are: Tribal Identification Card; or Idaho Driver's License; or State Identification Card; or U.S. Passport or Federal Photo Identification Card; or Idaho Concealed Weapons License
Q: I requested an absentee ballot, but I want to vote in person. What should I do?
A: Bring your absentee ballot to early voting or to your voting location on Election Day.
Q: Can a convicted felon vote?
A: Yes, convicted felons can vote if they have completed their sentence and probation
Q: Where can I go to research voting in Idaho?
A: For more information, visit: https://sos.idaho.gov/elections-division/
Q: Where can I go to research candidates in Idaho?
A: A consolidated resource can be found at https://idahovoters.com and at https://www.sbtribes.com/vote/