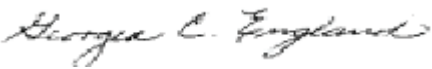


SPECIMEN BALLOT
MOULTRIE COUNTY, ILLINOIS
GENERAL ELECTION
NOVEMBER 3, 2020

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS SPECIMEN BALLOT IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE OFFICES AND CANDIDATES TO BE VOTED IN THE GENERAL ELECTION TO BE HELD IN MOULTRIE COUNTY ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2020.


GEORGIA C. ENGLAND, COUNTY CLERK
MOULTRIE COUNTY, ILLINOIS

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT	
"NOTICE	
THE FAILURE TO VOTE THIS BALLOT MAY BE THE EQUIVALENT OF A NEGATIVE VOTE, BECAUSE A CONVENTION SHALL BE CALLED OR THE AMENDMENT SHALL BECOME EFFECTIVE IF APPROVED BY EITHER THREE-FIFTHS OF THOSE VOTING ON THE QUESTION OR A MAJORITY OF THOSE VOTING IN THE ELECTION. (THIS IS NOT TO BE CONSTRUED AS A DIRECTION THAT YOUR VOTE IS REQUIRED TO BE CAST EITHER IN FAVOR OF OR IN OPPOSITION TO THE PROPOSITION HEREIN CONTAINED.)	
WHETHER YOU VOTE THIS BALLOT OR NOT YOU MUST RETURN IT TO THE ELECTION JUDGE WHEN YOU LEAVE THE VOTING BOOTH".	
CONSTITUTION BALLOT	
PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE 1970 ILLINOIS CONSTITUTION	
Explanation of Amendment	
The proposed amendment grants the State authority to impose higher income tax rates on higher income levels, which is how the federal government and a majority of other states do it. The amendment would remove the portion of the Revenue Article of the Illinois Constitution that is sometimes referred to as the "flat tax," that requires all taxes on income to be at the same rate. The amendment does not itself change tax rates. It gives the State the ability to impose higher tax rates on those with higher income levels and lower income tax rates on those with middle or lower income levels. You are asked to decide whether the proposed amendment should become a part of the Illinois Constitution.	
For the proposed amendment of Section 3 of Article IX of the Illinois Constitution.	
<div><div><input type="radio"/> YES</div><div><input type="radio"/> NO</div></div>	
FEDERAL	
FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES	
(Vote for one)	
<div><input type="radio"/> (JOSEPH R. BIDEN (KAMALA D. HARRIS)</div>	DEMOCRATIC
<div><input type="radio"/> (DONALD J. TRUMP (MICHAEL R. PENCE)</div>	REPUBLICAN
<div><input type="radio"/> (HOWIE HAWKINS (ANGELA WALKER)</div>	GREEN
<div><input type="radio"/> (GLORIA LA RIVA (LEONARD PELTIER)</div>	PARTY FOR SOCIALISM AND LIBERATION
<div><input type="radio"/> (BRIAN CARROLL (AMAR PATEL)</div>	AMERICAN SOLIDARITY PARTY
<div><input type="radio"/> (JO JORGENSEN (JEREMY "SPIKE" COHEN)</div>	LIBERTARIAN
<div><input type="radio"/> Write-in</div>	

FEDERAL	
FOR UNITED STATES SENATOR	
(Vote for one)	
<div><input type="radio"/> RICHARD J. DURBIN</div>	DEMOCRATIC
<div><input type="radio"/> MARK C. CURRAN JR.</div>	REPUBLICAN
<div><input type="radio"/> WILLIE L. WILSON</div>	WILLIE WILSON PARTY
<div><input type="radio"/> DAVID F. BLACK</div>	GREEN
<div><input type="radio"/> DANNY MALOUF</div>	LIBERTARIAN
<div><input type="radio"/> Write-in</div>	

CONGRESSIONAL	
FOR REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS FIFTEENTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT	
(Vote for one)	
<div><input type="radio"/> ERIKA C. WEAVER</div>	DEMOCRATIC
<div><input type="radio"/> MARY MILLER</div>	REPUBLICAN

REPRESENTATIVE	
FOR REPRESENTATIVE IN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT	
(Vote for one)	
<div><input type="radio"/> MITCHELL ESSLINGER</div>	DEMOCRATIC
<div><input type="radio"/> BRAD HALBROOK</div>	REPUBLICAN

COUNTY	
FOR STATE'S ATTORNEY	
(Vote for one)	
<div>No Candidate</div>	DEMOCRATIC
<div><input type="radio"/> TRACY WEAVER</div>	REPUBLICAN

FOR CIRCUIT CLERK	
(Vote for one)	
<div>No Candidate</div>	DEMOCRATIC
<div><input type="radio"/> CHRISTA S. HELMUTH</div>	REPUBLICAN

FOR CORONER	
(Vote for one)	
<div>No Candidate</div>	DEMOCRATIC
<div><input type="radio"/> LYNN REED</div>	REPUBLICAN

FOR MEMBERS OF THE COUNTY BOARD AT LARGE	
(Vote for not more than four)	
<div><input type="radio"/> RITA FLOREY</div>	DEMOCRATIC
<div><input type="radio"/> GARY P. SMITH</div>	DEMOCRATIC
<div><input type="radio"/> ELIZABETH A. HOUSER</div>	REPUBLICAN
<div><input type="radio"/> NEIL BRYAN</div>	REPUBLICAN
<div><input type="radio"/> LARRY R. BAKER</div>	REPUBLICAN
<div><input type="radio"/> J. JOHN FAYHEE</div>	REPUBLICAN

JUDICIAL	
FOR JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT (To fill the vacancy of the Hon. Thomas J. Difanis)	
(Vote for one)	
<div><input type="radio"/> SCOTT A. LERNER</div>	DEMOCRATIC
<div><input type="radio"/> JASON BOHM</div>	REPUBLICAN

FOR JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT (To fill the vacancy of the Hon. Albert G. Webber)	
(Vote for one)	
<div>No Candidate</div>	DEMOCRATIC
<div><input type="radio"/> JEFFREY S. GEISLER</div>	REPUBLICAN

JUDICIAL RETENTION	
BALLOT FOR JUDICIAL CANDIDATES SEEKING RETENTION IN OFFICE	
<i>"Vote on the Proposition with respect to all or any of the Judges listed on this ballot. No Judge listed is running against any other Judge. The sole question is whether each Judge shall be retained in his present office."</i>	

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE	
SHALL RICHARD L. BROCH, JR. be retained in office as JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT?	
<div><div><input type="radio"/> YES</div><div><input type="radio"/> NO</div></div>	

SHALL ROBERT C. (R.C.) BOLLINGER be retained in office as JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT?	
<div><div><input type="radio"/> YES</div><div><input type="radio"/> NO</div></div>	

PROPOSITION	
MOULTRIE COUNTY PROPOSITION TO CREATE A NEW STATE	
"Shall Moultrie County collaborate in discussions with the remaining 101 counties of the State of Illinois, with the exception of Cook County, the possibility of forming a new state and ultimately seeking admission to the Federal Union as the 51st state, pursuant to the provisions of the United States Constitution?"	
<div><div><input type="radio"/> YES</div><div><input type="radio"/> NO</div></div>	