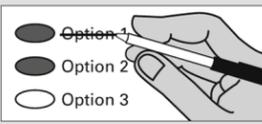


# SAMPLE BALLOT

## Whitman County, Washington

### General Election, November 3, 2020

<p><b>Instructions</b></p> <p><b>How to vote</b></p>  <p>Use a dark blue or black ink pen to completely fill in the oval to the left of your choice. Vote for one in each race. If you vote for more than one, no votes will be counted for that race.</p> <p><b>If you make a mistake</b></p>  <p>Draw a line through the entire measure response or candidate's name. Then you may make another choice.</p> <p><b>Optional write-in</b></p>  <p>To vote for a candidate not listed for that race, fill in the oval to the left of the line and print the name of the candidate.</p> <p><b>Who donates to campaigns?</b> View contributors for candidates and measures <b>Public Disclosure Commission</b> www.pdc.wa.gov Toll Free (877) 601-2828</p> <p>If a primary election was held for an office, the two top candidates who received the most votes in the Primary advanced to the General Election. 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. The election for President and Vice President is different. Candidates for President and Vice President are the official nominee of their political party.</p> <p style="text-align: center; background-color: black; color: white; padding: 5px;"><b>START VOTING HERE</b></p> <p><b>State Measure - Referendum Measure</b></p> <p><b>Referendum Measure No.90</b></p> <p>The legislature passed Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill 5395 concerning comprehensive sexual health education. This bill would require school districts to adopt or develop, consistent with state standards, comprehensive age-appropriate sexual health education, as defined, for all students, and excuse students if their parents request.</p> <p>Should this bill be:</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Approved</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Rejected</p>	<p><b>State Measures - Advisory Votes</b></p> <p><b>Advisory Vote No. 32</b> <b>Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill 5323</b></p> <p>The legislature imposed, without a vote of the people, a retail sales tax on pass-through charges retail establishments collect for specified carryout bags, costing \$32,000,000 in its first ten years, for government spending. This tax increase should be:</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Repealed</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Maintained</p> <p><b>Advisory Vote No.33</b> <b>Substitute Senate Bill 5628</b></p> <p>The legislature imposed, without a vote of the people, a tax on heavy equipment rentals to consumers by heavy equipment rental property dealers, costing \$103,000,000 in its first ten years, for government spending. This tax increase should be:</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Repealed</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Maintained</p> <p><b>Advisory Vote No. 34</b> <b>Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill 6492</b></p> <p>The legislature increased, without a vote of the people, the business and occupation tax rate for certain businesses, while reducing certain surcharges, costing \$843,000,000 in its first ten years, for government spending. This tax increase should be:</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Repealed</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Maintained</p> <p><b>Advisory Vote No. 35</b> <b>Engrossed Senate Bill 6690</b></p> <p>The legislature increased, without a vote of the people, the business and occupation tax on manufacturers of commercial airplanes, including components or tooling, costing \$1,024,000,000 in its first ten years, for government spending.</p> <p>This tax increase should be:</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Repealed</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Maintained</p> <p><b>State Measure - Proposed Constitutional Amendment</b></p> <p><b>Engrossed Senate Joint Resolution No. 8212</b></p> <p>The legislature has proposed a constitutional amendment on investment of public funds. This amendment would allow public money held in a fund for long-term care services and supports to be invested by governments as authorized by state law, including investments in private stocks.</p> <p>Should this constitutional amendment be:</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Approved</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Rejected</p> <p><b>Federal - Partisan Office</b></p> <p><b>United States President and Vice President</b> 4 Year Term      Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Joseph R. Biden and Kamala D. Harris Democratic Party Nominees</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Donald J. Trump and Michael R. Pence Republican Party Nominees</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Jo Jorgensen and Jeremy "Spike" Cohen Libertarian Party Nominees</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Howie Hawkins and Angela Walker Green Party Nominees</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Gloria La Riva and Sunil Freeman Socialism and Liberation Party Nominees</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Alyson Kennedy and Malcolm M. Jarrett Socialist Workers Party Nominees</p> <p><b>READ: Each candidate for President and Vice President is the official nominee of a political party. For other partisan offices, each candidate may state a political party that he or she prefers. 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Davidson (Prefers Republican Party)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p> <p><b>State Auditor</b> 4 Year Term      Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Pat (Patrice) McCarthy (Prefers Democratic Party)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Chris Leyba (Prefers Republican Party)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p> <p><b>State Attorney General</b> 4 Year Term      Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Bob Ferguson (Prefers Democratic Party)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Matt Larkin (Prefers Republican Party)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p> <p><b>Commissioner of Public Lands</b> 4 Year Term      Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Hilary Franz (Prefers Democratic Party)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Sue Kuehl Pederson (Prefers Republican Party)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p> <p><b>State -- Nonpartisan Office</b></p> <p><b>Superintendent of Public Instruction</b> 4 Year Term      Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Chris Reykdal</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Maia Espinoza</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p> <p><b>State - Partisan Office</b></p> <p><b>Insurance Commissioner</b> 4 Year Term      Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Mike Kreidler (Prefers Democratic Party)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Chirayu Avinash Patel (Prefers Republican Party)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p>	<p><b>Legislative - Partisan Office</b></p> <p><b>State Senator, District #9</b> 4 Year Term      Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Mark G. Schoesler (Prefers GOP Party)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Jenn Goulet (Prefers Democratic Party)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p> <p><b>State Representative, District #9, Position #1</b> 2 Year Term      Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Mary Dye (Prefers Republican Party)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Brett Borden (Prefers Libertarian Party)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p> <p><b>State Representative, District #9, Position #2</b> 2 Year Term      Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Joe Schmick (Prefers GOP Party)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p> <p><b>County - Partisan Office</b></p> <p><b>County Commissioner, District #1</b> 4 Year Term      Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Art Swannack (Prefers Republican Party)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p> <p><b>County Commissioner, District #2</b> 4 Year Term      Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Tom Handy (States No Party Preference)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Dean Kinzer (Prefers Republican Party)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p> <p><b>Judicial - Nonpartisan Office</b></p> <p><b>State Supreme Court Justice, Position #3</b> Short &amp; 6 Year Term      Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Dave Larson</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Raquel Montoya-Lewis</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p> <p><b>State Supreme Court Justice, Position #4</b> 6 Year Term      Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Charles W. Johnson</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p> <p><b>State Supreme Court Justice, Position #6</b> 2 Year Unexpired Term      Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Richard S. Serns</p> <p><input type="radio"/> G. Helen Whitener</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p> <p><b>State Supreme Court Justice, Position #7</b> 6 Year Term      Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Debra L. Stephens</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p> <p><b>Whitman County Superior Court Judge</b> <b>Position #1</b> 4 Year Term      Vote for One</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Gary J. Libey</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 1.5em; font-weight: bold;">Turn Over and Continue Voting</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">➔</p>
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<b>Lacrosse School District #126</b>	<b>Town of Farmington</b>	<b>Town of Rosalia</b>	<b>St. John Park &amp; Recreation District #3</b>												
<p><b>Special Election - Proposition #1</b></p> <p><b>REPLACEMENT CAPITAL LEVY TO MODERNIZE, RENOVATE AND IMPROVE SCHOOL FACILITIES</b></p> <p>The Board of Directors of Lacrosse School District No.126 adopted Resolution No. 19-20-04, concerning a proposition for a replacement levy for capital improvements. This proposition would authorize the District to levy the following excess taxes, replacing an expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District, to acquire technology equipment and infrastructure, acquire maintenance vehicles, update gymnasium common area, restrooms and locker rooms for disability access, and upgrade high school HVAC and football field lighting:</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="82 606 546 777"> <thead> <tr> <th>Collection Year</th> <th>Estimated Levy Rate/\$1,000 Assessed Value</th> <th>Levy Amount</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>2021</td> <td>\$1.58</td> <td>\$366,666</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2022</td> <td>\$1.54</td> <td>\$366,666</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2023</td> <td>\$1.49</td> <td>\$366,666</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>all as provided in Resolution No. 19-20-04. Should this proposition be approved?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes, Levy</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No, Levy</p>	Collection Year	Estimated Levy Rate/\$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount	2021	\$1.58	\$366,666	2022	\$1.54	\$366,666	2023	\$1.49	\$366,666	<p><b>Special Election - Proposition #1</b></p> <p>The Town Council of the Town of Farmington adopted Resolution 397-20, concerning a proposition to finance street maintenance and repair and street improvements for the Town of Farmington. This proposition would authorize the town to collect an excess property tax levy upon all taxable property within the town in the amount of \$8,000.00, an estimated \$1.57 or less per \$1,000.00 of assessed value in the year 2020 for collection in 2021.</p> <p>Should this proposition be approved?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p><b>Special Election - Proposition #1</b></p> <p>Shall the Town of Rosalia be authorized to impose a special (excess) tax levy of \$4.41 per thousand dollars of 2020 assessed valuation, to be collected in the year 2021, to collect \$95,000 for the City Street Fund, to help defray the costs of street lights, seal coating, shoulder work, capital improvements, equipment and regular maintenance of city street?</p> <p>Should this proposition be approved?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p><b>Special Election - Proposition #1</b></p> <p>Shall a special tax levy of \$55,000, an estimated \$.24 per one thousand dollars of assessed valuation, for the operating fund, swimming pool, capital outlay, and/or cumulative reserve for St. John Park and Recreation District No.3 be approved for collection in the year 2021?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>
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<b>Stephoe School District #304</b>	<p><b>Special Election - Propostion #2</b></p> <p>The Town Council of the Town of Farmington adopted Resolution 397-20, concerning a proposition to finance the current expense fund for the Town of Farmington. This proposition would authorize the town to collect an excess property tax levy upon all taxable property within the town in the amount of \$15,000.00, an estimated \$2.94 or less per \$1,000.00 of assessed value in the year 2020 for collection in 2021.</p> <p>Should this proposition be approved?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p><b>Town of St. John</b></p> <p><b>Special Election - Proposition #1</b></p> <p>Shall a special tax levy of \$50,000.00, an estimated \$1.56 or less per one thousand dollars of assessed valuation, be collected in 2021, for street improvements and maintenance for the Town of St. John, be authorized and approved?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes, Levy</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No, Levy</p>	<p><b>Oakesdale Park &amp; Recreation District #4</b></p> <p><b>Special Election - Proposition #1</b></p> <p>Shall the Oakesdale Park and Recreation District #4 be authorized to impose a special levy tax of \$92,000, an estimated .55 per thousand dollars of assessed valuation, to be collected in 2021 for the purpose of operating, maintaining and improving its recreational facilities?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>												
<p><b>Special Election - Proposition #1</b></p> <p><b>Two-Year Replacement Educational Programs and Operation Levy</b></p> <p>The Board of Directors of Steptoe School District #304 adopted Resolution No. 2020-2, concerning a proposition to finance educational programs and operation expenses. This proposition would authorize the District to levy the following excess taxes, to replace an expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District, for support of District's educational programs and operation expenses not funded by the State:</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="82 1414 546 1554"> <thead> <tr> <th>Collection Years</th> <th>Approximate Levy Rate/\$1,000 Assessed Value</th> <th>Levy Amount</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>2021</td> <td>\$2.50</td> <td>\$110,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2022</td> <td>\$2.50</td> <td>\$110,000</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>all as provided in Resolution No. 2020-2, and subject to legal limits on levy rates and amounts at the time of the levy. Should this proposition be approved?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes, Levy</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No, Levy</p>	Collection Years	Approximate Levy Rate/\$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount	2021	\$2.50	\$110,000	2022	\$2.50	\$110,000	<p><b>Town of Oakesdale</b></p> <p><b>Special Election - Proposition #1</b></p> <p>SHALL THE TOWN OF OAKESDALE LEVY A SPECIAL TAX OF \$14,000, AN ESTIMATED \$0.76 PER \$1,000 OF 2020 ASSESSED VALUATION FOR PUBLIC SAFETY TO FUND FIRE PROTECTION AND EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES FOR THE TOWN OF OAKESDALE FOR COLLECTION IN 2021?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p><b>City of Tekoa</b></p> <p><b>Special Election - Proposition #1</b></p> <p>Shall the City of Tekoa impose a special property tax levy upon taxable property within the City of Tekoa in the amount of \$50,000.00, an estimated \$1.60 per \$1,000.00 of assessed valuation in 2020 for collection in 2021, for ongoing oiling of gravel streets, chip sealing roads and repairing and replacing sidewalks?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p><b>Tekoa Park &amp; Recreation District #6</b></p> <p><b>Special Election - Proposition #1</b></p> <p>Shall the Tekoa Parks and Recreation District No. 6 one year levy a maintenance and operations levy in the amount of \$200,000. An estimated \$1.04 per one thousand dollars of assessed valuation, for collection in 2021, for operation and maintenance in the Park District?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>			
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<p><b>Town of Colton</b></p> <p><b>Special Election - Proposition #1</b></p> <p>Shall the Town of Colton be authorized to levy additional taxes by an excess levy in 2020 for collection in 2021 of approximately .88¢ per \$1000.00 of assessed value, to raise \$30,000.00 for General Operations, Improvement of the Town Streets and the Water/Sewer Systems.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p><b>Special Election - Proposition #2</b></p> <p>SHALL THE TOWN OF OAKESDALE LEVY A SPECIAL TAX OF \$41,000, AN ESTIMATED \$2.22 PER \$1,000 OF 2020 ASSESSED VALUATION FOR STREET WORK, STREET LIGHTS, STREET EXPENSES AND MAINTENANCE FOR THE TOWN OF OAKESDALE FOR COLLECTION IN 2021?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p><b>Endicott Fire Protection District #6</b></p> <p><b>Special Election - Proposition #1</b></p> <p>The Commissioners of Whitman County Fire District No.6 adopted Resolution No. 2020-1, concerning a proposition to finance a maintenance and operation levy for the District. Will Whitman County Fire District No.6 be authorized to impose regular property levies of \$40,000.00, an estimated rate of \$0.41 per \$1,000.00 of assessed valuation, for each of four consecutive years. to be collected in 2021, 2022, 2023, and 2024? This levy would renew an existing levy that expires in 2020.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p><b>Endicott Park &amp; Recreation District #7</b></p> <p><b>Special Election - Proposition #1</b></p> <p>Shall the Endicott Parks &amp; Recreation District No. 7 be authorized to impose a special tax levy of \$50,000.00, an estimated \$0.38, or less per \$1,000.00 of assessed valuation for the operating fund, swimming pool, capital outlay and/or cumulative reserve to be collected in 2021?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes, Levy</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No, Levy</p>												
<p><b>Town of Endicott</b></p> <p><b>Special Election - Proposition #1</b></p> <p>Shall the Town of Endicott be authorized to impose a special tax levy in 2020 for collection in 2021 of \$7,500.00 an estimated \$.62, or less per \$1,000.00 of assessed valuation for Fire and EMT Protection?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes, Levy</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No, Levy</p>	<p><b>Special Election - Proposition #3</b></p> <p>SHALL THE TOWN OF OAKESDALE LEVY A SPECIAL TAX OF \$50,000, AN ESTIMATED \$2.71 PER \$1,000 OF 2020 ASSESSED VALUATION FOR CHIP SEALING STREETS FOR THE TOWN OF OAKESDALE FOR COLLECTION IN 2021?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p><b>Garfield Park &amp; Recreation District #2</b></p> <p><b>Special Election - Proposition #1</b></p> <p>The Garfield Park &amp; Recreation District #2 adopted Resolution No. 2020-08, concerning a proposition to finance maintenance, repair and operation of the pool facilities for the year 2021. This proposition would authorize the Garfield Park &amp; Recreation District #2 to collect a property tax levy upon all taxable property within the District in the amount of \$140,000.00 an estimated \$1.60 per \$1,000 assessed value in the year 2020 for collection in 2021.</p> <p>Should this proposition be approved?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p><b>Oakedale Cemetery District #1</b></p> <p><b>Special Election - Proposition #1</b></p> <p>Shall a special levy tax of \$55,000, an estimate of \$.37 per \$1,000 of assessed property valuation for collection in 2021, for the continued improvements and general maintenance of the Oakesdale Cemetery District #1 be approved?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>												
<p><b>Special Election - Proposition #2</b></p> <p>Shall the Town of Endicott be authorized to impose a special tax levy in 2020 for collection in 2021 of \$20,000.00 an estimated \$1.64, or less per \$1,000.00 of assessed valuation for street work and maintenance?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes, Levy</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No, Levy</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>LOCAL ELECTIONS WILL APPEAR ONLY IN THE AREAS ELIGIBLE TO VOTE ON THEM.</b></p>	<p><b>St. John Cemetery District #3</b></p> <p><b>Special Election - Proposition #1</b></p> <p>Shall a special property tax levy of \$16,000, an estimated \$.09 per one thousand dollars of assessed valuation in 2020, for collection in 2021, to be used for one year of maintenance and operation of the Whitman County Cemetery District 3, be authorized and approved?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p><b>Special Election - Proposition #1</b></p> <p>Shall a special property tax levy of \$16,000, an estimated \$.09 per one thousand dollars of assessed valuation in 2020, for collection in 2021, to be used for one year of maintenance and operation of the Whitman County Cemetery District 3, be authorized and approved?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>												
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