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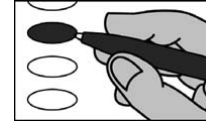
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Rutherford County, North Carolina
November 3, 2026

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BALLOT MARKING INSTRUCTIONS

- A. With the marking device provided or a black ball point pen, completely fill in the oval to the left of each candidate or selection of your choice as shown.
- B. Where authorized, you may write in a candidate by filling in the oval and writing the name on the Write-in line.
- C. If you tear, deface or wrongly mark this ballot, return it to request a replacement.



PARTISAN ELECTIONS		NC State Senate District 48 (You may vote for ONE)	Rutherford County Board of Commissioners District 5 (You may vote for ONE)
US Senate (You may vote for ONE)	☒ Doyle G. Brown, Jr.  Democratic Party	☒ Phil Burney  Democratic Party	
☐ Michael Dublin Green Party	☐ Tim Moffitt Republican Party	☐ Scott J. Haynes Republican Party	
☒ Roy Cooper  Democratic Party	NC House of Representatives District 113 (You may vote for ONE)	Rutherford County Board of Education District 1 (You may vote for ONE)	
☐ Shannon W. Bray Libertarian Party	☒ John Morgan  Democratic Party	☒ Erica Carson Davenport  Democratic Party	
☐ Michael Whatley Republican Party	☐ Jake Johnson Republican Party	☐ Joshua Millwood Republican Party	
US House of Representatives District 14 (You may vote for ONE)	NC District Court Judge District 41 Seat 1 (You may vote for ONE)	Rutherford County Board of Education District 2 (You may vote for ONE)	
☒ Lakesha Womack  Democratic Party	☐ Robert K. Martelle Republican Party	☐ Kala Suttle Republican Party	
☐ Tim Moore Republican Party	☐ NC District Court Judge District 41 Seat 2 (You may vote for ONE)	☒ Kisha McDowell  Democratic Party	
NC Supreme Court Associate Justice Seat 1 (You may vote for ONE)	☐ Michelle McEntire Republican Party	Rutherford County Board of Education District 3 (You may vote for ONE)	
☒ Anita Earls  Democratic Party	NC District Court Judge District 41 Seat 3 (You may vote for ONE)	☐ April Mayse Republican Party	
☐ Sarah Stevens Republican Party	☐ Ellen M. Shelley Republican Party	Rutherford County Clerk of Superior Court (You may vote for ONE)	
NC Court of Appeals Judge Seat 1 (You may vote for ONE)	District Attorney District 41 (You may vote for ONE)	☐ Steve H. Owens Republican Party	
☐ Michael C. Byrne Republican Party	☐ David Norris Republican Party	Rutherford County Sheriff (You may vote for ONE)	
☒ John S. Arrowood  Democratic Party	Rutherford County Board of Commissioners District 1 (You may vote for ONE)	☐ Aaron Ellenburg Republican Party	
NC Court of Appeals Judge Seat 2 (You may vote for ONE)	☐ Allen Hardin Republican Party		
☐ George Cooper Bell Republican Party	Rutherford County Board of Commissioners District 4 (You may vote for ONE)		
☒ Tobias (Toby) Hampson  Democratic Party	☐ Adam Yelton Republican Party		
NC Court of Appeals Judge Seat 3 (You may vote for ONE)			
☐ Craig Collins Republican Party			
☒ Christine Marie Walczyk  Democratic Party			
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	NONPARTISAN ELECTIONS	Town of Spindale Commissioner Unexpired term ending 2028 (You may vote for ONE)					
	Rutherford County Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisor (You may vote for TWO)	☐ Jonah Creech					
	☐ Cathy Darnell	☐ Paige Hines					
	☐ Shannon Buckley	☐ Nancy B. Walker					
	☐ Mortellus Amorello	☐					
	☐ Reggie Hines	Write-in					
	☐ Clint Green						
	☐	REFERENDA					
	Write-in	Constitutional Amendment					
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	Write-in	☐ For					
		☒ Against 					
	Town of Spindale Mayor (You may vote for ONE)	Constitutional Amendment					
	☐ Jonathan M. Bland	Constitutional amendment to keep the State income tax rate from being raised higher than three and one-half percent (3.5%).					
	☐ Charlie Brooks	☐ For					
	☐ Wyvern Mason	☒ Against 					
	☐	Constitutional Amendment					
	Write-in	Constitutional amendment requiring limits on property tax increases by local governments.					
	SAMPLE BALLOT	Town of Spindale Commissioner (You may vote for TWO)	☐ For				
☐ Rosaleen M. Francis		☒ Against 					
☐ Todd Hines		End of Ballot					
☐ Andrew Kegley		This ballot was not produced by the NC State Board of Elections. This is not an official ballot.					
☐ Ricky Ledbetter							
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