

# GLYNN COUNTY

## OFFICIAL ABSENTEE/PROVISIONAL/CHALLENGED BALLOT

### OFFICIAL DEMOCRATIC PARTY PRIMARY AND NONPARTISAN GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA JULY 31, 2012

To vote, blacken the Oval (●) next to the candidate of your choice. To vote for a person whose name is not on the ballot, manually WRITE his or her name in the write-in section and blacken the Oval (●) next to the write-in section. If you desire to vote YES or NO for a PROPOSED QUESTION, blacken the corresponding Oval (●). Use only blue or black pen or pencil.

Do not vote for more candidates than the number allowed for each specific office. Do not cross out or erase. If you erase or make other marks on the ballot or tear the ballot, your vote may not count.

If you change your mind or make a mistake, you may return the ballot by writing "Spoiled" across the face of the ballot and return envelope. You may then mail the spoiled ballot back to your county board of registrars, and you will be issued another official absentee ballot. Alternatively, you may surrender the ballot to the poll manager of an early voting site within your county or the precinct to which you are assigned. You will then be permitted to vote a regular ballot.

*"I understand that the offer or acceptance of money or any other object of value to vote for any particular candidate, list of candidates, issue, or list of issues included in this election constitutes an act of voter fraud and is a felony under Georgia law." [OCGA 21-2-284(e), 21-2-285(h) and 21-2-383(a)]*

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>For Public Service Commissioner</b> (To Succeed Chuck Eaton) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> STEPHEN OPPENHEIMER</p>	<p><b>- 6 -</b></p> <p>Shall SB 486, the act that exempts residents 65 years of age and older from Glynn County School District Ad-Valorem Taxes for educational purposes whose "Georgia net taxable income" is \$40,000 or less, be amended to "total income" of \$40,000 or less?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>For Judge, Court of Appeals of Georgia</b> (To Succeed Keith Blackwell) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> KEITH R. BLACKWELL (Incumbent)</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Write-in</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>For U.S. Representative in 113<sup>th</sup> Congress From the 1<sup>st</sup> Congressional District of Georgia</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> LESLI RAE MESSINGER</p> <p><input type="radio"/> NATHAN C. RUSSO</p>	<p><b>- 7 -</b></p> <p>Do you favor casino-style gambling in Glynn county?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>For Judge, Court of Appeals of Georgia</b> (To Succeed Michael P. Boggs) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> MICHAEL P. BOGGS (Incumbent)</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Write-in</p>
<p><b>DEMOCRATIC PARTY QUESTIONS</b></p>	<p><b>- 8 -</b></p> <p>Do you favor Georgians being allowed to purchase electricity produced from solar photovoltaic panels on their property from equipment owned by a third party?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>For Judge, Court of Appeals of Georgia</b> (To Succeed Stephen Louis A. Dillard) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> STEPHEN DILLARD (Incumbent)</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Write-in</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>- 1 -</b></p> <p>Should the Georgia Constitution be amended to allow the state to override locally-elected school boards' decisions when it comes to the creation of charter schools in your county or city?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO</p>	<p><b>- 9 -</b></p> <p>Would you support an additional 1 cent sales tax designated to hire teachers and restore educational programs to supplement the state funding for Glynn County Schools?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>For Judge, Court of Appeals of Georgia</b> (To Succeed John J. Ellington) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> JOHN J. ELLINGTON (Incumbent)</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Write-in</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>- 2 -</b></p> <p>Do you support ending current practice permitting unlimited gifts from lobbyists to state legislators?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO</p>	<p><b>NONPARTISAN GENERAL ELECTION</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>For Judge, Court of Appeals of Georgia</b> (To Succeed M. Yvette Miller) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> M. YVETTE MILLER (Incumbent)</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Write-in</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>- 3 -</b></p> <p>Should Georgia adopt an income tax credit for home energy costs to support the economic security of our families?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>For Justice, Supreme Court of Georgia</b> (To Succeed Carol W. Hunstein) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> CAROL W. HUNSTEIN (Incumbent)</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Write-in</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>For Judge, Court of Appeals of Georgia</b> (To Succeed Herbert E. Phipps) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> HERBERT PHIPPS (Incumbent)</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Write-in</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>- 4 -</b></p> <p>Should Georgia reduce sales taxes on Made in Georgia products so as to support the growth of small businesses in our state?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>For Justice, Supreme Court of Georgia</b> (To Succeed Harold D. Melton) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> HAROLD D. MELTON (Incumbent)</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Write-in</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>For Judge, Superior Court of the Brunswick Judicial Circuit</b> (To Succeed Anthony "Tony" Harrison) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> ANTHONY "TONY" HARRISON (Incumbent)</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Write-in</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>- 5 -</b></p> <p>So that candidates' names appear on the ballot without political party affiliation, should elections for Glynn County Commissioners and Glynn County School Board Members be nonpartisan?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>For Justice, Supreme Court of Georgia</b> (To Succeed Hugh P. Thompson) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> HUGH P. THOMPSON (Incumbent)</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Write-in</p>	<p><b>TURN BALLOT OVER TO CONTINUE VOTING</b></p>

**For Judge, Superior Court of the Brunswick Judicial Circuit**  
(To Succeed Stephen D. Kelley)  
(Vote for One)

STEPHEN D. KELLEY  
(Incumbent)

Write-in \_\_\_\_\_

**For Judge, Superior Court of the Brunswick Judicial Circuit**  
(To Succeed Stephen Scarlett)  
(Vote for One)

STEPHEN G. SCARLETT  
(Incumbent)

Write-in \_\_\_\_\_

**For Judge, Superior Court of the Brunswick Judicial Circuit**  
(To Succeed E.M. Wilkes, III)  
(Vote for One)

E. M. WILKES III.  
(Incumbent)

Write-in \_\_\_\_\_

**For Judge of State Court of Glynn County**  
(Vote for One)

BART GARY ALTMAN

GRANT C. BUCKLEY

WALLACE E. HARRELL III.

VINCE SOWERBY

ALAN DAVID TUCKER

Write-in \_\_\_\_\_

**For Solicitor of State Court of Glynn County**  
(Vote for One)

MARIA LUGUE  
(Incumbent)

Write-in \_\_\_\_\_

**For Clerk of State Court of Glynn County**  
(Vote for One)

BRENDA BOONE-COVE  
(Incumbent)

Write-in \_\_\_\_\_

**SPECIAL ELECTION Referendum 1**

**Coastal Georgia District T-SPLOST**  
(Vote for One)

**Provides for local transportation projects to create jobs, improve roads and safety with citizen oversight.**

Shall Glynn County's transportation system and the transportation network in this region and the state be improved by providing for a 1 percent special district transportation sales and use tax for the purpose of transportation projects and programs for a period of ten years?

YES

NO

**SPECIAL ELECTION BRUNSWICK-GLYNN COUNTY JOINT WATER AND SEWER COMMISSION REFERENDUM**

**Question 1**  
(Vote for One)

Shall the Act be approved which changes the membership of the Brunswick-Glynn County Joint Water and Sewer Commission?

YES

NO

**Question 2**  
(Vote for One)

If a majority of the votes cast on this question are in favor of changing the membership of the Brunswick-Glynn County Joint Water and Sewer Commission, select the method of selecting the seven citizen members which you favor by choosing one option below. Vote for only one of the options below.

**Option 1** - A seven member commission, two of whom are appointed one each by the respective governing authorities of the county and city, and five citizen members, three of whom are selected by the grand jury of Glynn County and two of whom are elected by the qualified electors of the entire county.

**Option 2** - A seven member commission, two of whom are appointed one each by the respective governing authorities of the county and city, and five citizen members selected by the grand jury of Glynn County.

**\*\*The display of this question and the options presented as passed by HB 1271 Act No. 540 has been reconfigured to accomodate the type of mark used in the current voting system.\*\***

Option 1

Option 2