

**MOCK ELECTION BALLOT
STATE OF MONTANA
October 28, 2010**

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<p align="center">INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS</p> <p>1. TO VOTE, BLACKEN (●) THE OVAL COMPLETELY. An oval blackened completely to the left of the candidate or ballot issue choice indicates a vote for that candidate or a vote on the ballot issue.</p> <p>2. To write in a name, blacken the oval to the left of the line provided, and write in the name (or affix a pre-printed label) in the blank space(s) for the write-in candidate(s) for whom you wish to vote.</p> <p>3. DO NOT CROSS OUT. If you make a mistake or change your mind, exchange your ballot for a new one.</p> <p align="center">VOTE IN ALL COLUMNS VOTE BOTH SIDES</p>			
NATIONAL		NATIONAL - BALLOT ISSUES (Continued)	
<p align="center">FOR UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE (VOTE FOR ONE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> MIKE FELLOWS LIBERTARIAN</p> <p><input type="radio"/> DENNIS MCDONALD DEMOCRAT</p> <p><input type="radio"/> DENNY REHBERG REPUBLICAN</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____ WRITE-IN</p>		<p align="center">SECOND IMPORTANT</p> <p>There are four issues listed below.</p> <p>Which issue is the second-most important?</p> <p align="center">(VOTE IN ONE OVAL)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> THE ECONOMY</p> <p><input type="radio"/> ENERGY</p> <p><input type="radio"/> HEALTH CARE</p> <p><input type="radio"/> IMMIGRATION</p> <p><input type="radio"/> OTHER: _____</p>	
<p align="center">FOR SUPREME COURT JUSTICE #4 FULL TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> BETH BAKER (NOMINATED WITHOUT PARTY DESIGNATION)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> NELS SWANDAL (NOMINATED WITHOUT PARTY DESIGNATION)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____ WRITE-IN</p>		<p align="center">ECONOMY</p> <p>Which statement do you agree with most?</p> <p align="center">(VOTE IN ONE OVAL)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Our Government's most important economic priority should be to use taxes and stimulus money to increase the number of jobs.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Our government should both regulate and protect American businesses; we should not have to compete with countries with low wages and few regulations, and we should not have to rescue failed banks.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Our Government's most important economic priority should be cutting taxes and the budget deficit.</p>	
<p align="center">FOR SUPREME COURT JUSTICE #2 UNEXPIRED TERM (VOTE IN ONE OVAL)</p> <p>Shall Justice #2 Mike Wheat of the Supreme Court of the state of Montana be retained in office for another term? Fill in the oval before the word "YES" if you wish the official to remain in office. Fill in the oval before the word "NO" if you do not wish the official to remain in office.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES</p> <p><input type="radio"/> NO</p>		<p><input type="radio"/> The U.S. is part of a global economy; we cannot compete worldwide if we don't have free trade agreements and freedom for investors.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Our government should leave economic policy to market forces and not intervene.</p>	
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<p align="center">MOST IMPORTANT</p> <p>There are four issues listed below.</p> <p>Which issue is the most important?</p> <p align="center">(VOTE IN ONE OVAL)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> THE ECONOMY</p> <p><input type="radio"/> ENERGY</p> <p><input type="radio"/> HEALTH CARE</p> <p><input type="radio"/> IMMIGRATION</p> <p><input type="radio"/> OTHER: _____</p>		<p align="center">ENERGY</p> <p>Which statement do you agree with most?</p> <p align="center">(VOTE IN ONE OVAL)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Our government should ration energy supplies and penalize inefficient users.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> If we want a livable planet the government must demand energy conservation and decrease use of fossil fuels using prices and taxes to control use.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> We will not be able to develop other sources of energy fast enough. The government should focus on teaching energy conservation but let consumers use fossil fuels such as oil or coal as needed now.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> In the current U.S. recession, cheap and abundant energy to promote economic growth is more important than environmental protection.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> We should let the market decide.</p>	
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<p>IMMIGRATION</p> <p>Which statement do you agree with most?</p> <p>(VOTE IN ONE OVAL)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> The U.S. border is too complex to protect. It is not physically or economically possible to deport 11 million illegal immigrants. The government should focus instead on forcing illegal immigrants to pay high taxes and help the economy.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> We should provide a way for illegal immigrants to earn their citizenship, pay a large fine and help the economy.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Providing a way for illegal immigrants to become legal will just encourage more illegal immigrants and more lawbreaking. If people are breaking the law, they should be punished.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> If we do not defend our borders criminals, terrorists, and drug dealers will inundate America.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> We should defend our borders no matter what it costs us, even if it means American citizens may lose their jobs as a result of the expense.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> The U.S. Constitution should be changed so that a child born in America cannot be an American citizen unless both of its parents are American citizens.</p>	<p>CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION CALL NO. 2 (VOTE IN ONE OVAL)</p> <p>A CALL FOR A CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION REQUIRED BY THE MONTANA CONSTITUTION</p> <p>Article XIV, sections 3 and 4, of the Montana constitution requires the question of holding an unlimited constitutional convention to be submitted to the people at the general election in each 20th year following its last submission. If a majority of those voting on the question answer in the affirmative, the legislature shall provide for the calling thereof at its next session.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> FOR calling a constitutional convention</p> <p><input type="radio"/> AGAINST calling a constitutional convention</p>	<p>INITIATIVE NO. 164 (VOTE IN ONE OVAL)</p> <p>A LAW PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION</p> <p>Under Montana law, deferred deposit (payday) lenders may charge fees equaling one-fourth of the loan, which, as an annual interest rate could range from 300 percent to 650 percent. Title lenders may charge similar interest rates. I-164 reduces the interest, fees, and charges that payday lenders, title lenders, retail installment lenders, and consumer loan licensees may charge to an annual interest rate of 36 percent. It prohibits businesses from structuring other transactions to avoid the rate limit. It also revises statutes applicable to pawn brokers and junk dealers.</p> <p>I-164 reduces the licenses and examination fee revenue paid to the State because certain lenders may not renew their licenses.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> FOR reducing the annual interest, fees, and charges payday, title, and retail installment lenders and consumer loan licensees may charge on loans to 36 percent.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> AGAINST reducing the annual interest, fees, and charges payday, title, and retail installment lenders and consumer loan licensees may charge on loans to 36 percent.</p>
POLL QUESTIONS	<p>INITIATIVE NO. 161 (VOTE IN ONE OVAL)</p> <p>A LAW PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION</p> <p>I-161 revises the laws related to nonresident big game and deer hunting licenses. It abolishes outfitter-sponsored nonresident big game and deer combination licenses, replacing the 5,500 outfitter-sponsored big game licenses with 5,500 additional general nonresident big game licenses. It also increases the nonresident big game combination license fee from \$628 to \$897 and the nonresident deer combination license fee from \$328 to \$527. It provides for future adjustments of these fees for inflation. The initiative allocates a share of the proceeds from these nonresident hunting license fees to provide hunting access and preserve and restore habitat.</p> <p>I-161 increases state revenues over the next four years by an estimated \$700,000 annually for hunting access and an estimated \$1.5 million annually for habitat preservation and restoration, assuming that all nonresident hunting licenses are sold. It also increases general nonresident hunting license revenues by inflation.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> FOR abolishing outfitter-sponsored hunting licenses, replacing outfitter-sponsored big game licenses with nonresident licenses, increasing nonresident license fees, and increasing funding for hunting access and habitat.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> AGAINST abolishing outfitter-sponsored hunting licenses, replacing outfitter-sponsored big game licenses with nonresident licenses, increasing nonresident license fees, and increasing funding for hunting access and habitat.</p>	<p>CONSTITUTIONAL INITIATIVE NO. 105 (VOTE IN ONE OVAL)</p> <p>A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION</p> <p>There is no existing state or local tax on transactions that sell or transfer real property in Montana. CI-105 amends the Montana Constitution to prohibit state or local governments from imposing any new tax on transactions that sell or transfer real property, such as residential homes, apartments, condominiums, townhouses, farms, ranches, land, and commercial property, after January 1, 2010.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> FOR amending the Montana Constitution to prohibit state or local governments from imposing any new tax on transactions that sell or transfer real property.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> AGAINST amending the Montana Constitution to prohibit state or local governments from imposing any new tax on transactions that sell or transfer real property.</p>
<p>CELL PHONE USAGE</p> <p>When should students be allowed to use their cell phones during school hours?</p> <p>(VOTE IN ONE OVAL)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> NEVER</p> <p><input type="radio"/> IN CASE OF EMERGENCY</p> <p><input type="radio"/> OUTSIDE OF CLASS TIME</p> <p><input type="radio"/> ANYTIME</p>		
<p>SCHOOL SCHEDULE</p> <p>Would you support a longer school year and fewer class hours or support keeping the current school hours and length of school year?</p> <p>(VOTE IN ONE OVAL)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES - Longer school year and fewer school hours</p> <p><input type="radio"/> NO - Keep current time and length of school year</p>		
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