



2018 GENERAL

Election Date: 11/06/2018

This is an official notice of an election to be conducted in Catawba County on **11/06/2018**. This notice contains a list of all of the ballot measures and federal, State, and local offices this county expects, as of this date, to be on the ballot on the date of the election. (See Attachment)

An Election Notice will be prepared not later than 100 days before a regularly scheduled election that permits absentee voting, and as soon as practicable in the case of an election or vacancy election not regularly scheduled. For a second primary, an Election Notice will be prepared, no later than the day following the date the appropriate board of elections orders that a second primary be held.

As soon as ballot styles are printed, this county board of elections will update this notice with the certified candidates for each office and ballot measures and referenda questions that will be on the ballot. For General Elections during even-numbered years, ballots will be printed **60 days** prior to the election. For statewide primaries and other elections (except municipal elections), ballots will be printed **50 days** prior to the election. Municipal ballots are available **30 days** prior to Election Day. **You must request an updated Election Notice.**

Transmitting a Federal Write-in Absentee Ballot:

This notice may be used in conjunction with the federal write-in absentee ballot (FWAB). Covered military & overseas voters seeking to vote by absentee ballot may use the FWAB to register to vote, request an absentee ballot, and vote an official military-overseas ballot. When using the FWAB to register to vote, and/or request an absentee ballot, please transmit your signed and completed FWAB no later than **5:00 p.m. on the day before Election Day**. If submitted later than this day and time, your absentee ballot will not be counted. Federal write-in absentee ballots are available at www.NCSBE.gov. You may also request a regular absentee ballot by using the federal postcard application (FPCA), available at www.FVAP.gov. A regular ballot can be mailed, faxed or emailed to you. You may return the FWAB or a regular absentee ballot by mail, secure fax (919) 715-0351 or email (absentee@ncsbe.gov).

Marking a Federal Write-in Absentee Ballot:

When marking a FWAB, for each office for which you wish to vote, write in either a candidate's name or political party designation. For ballot measures or referenda, write either "YES" (you are *for* the ballot measure or referendum) or "NO" (you are *against* the ballot measure or referendum). In a primary, if you are registered as Democrat, Republican or Libertarian, for partisan contests, you may only vote for the candidates of the party for which you are affiliated. You are also eligible to vote for non-partisan contests. If you are registered as unaffiliated ("independent"), in a primary, you may choose to vote for the partisan contests of one of the parties or you may choose to vote for non-partisan contests only. Please contact your local [board of elections](#) to confirm your party affiliation or voter registration status.

Please check the website for the NC State Board of Elections (www.NCSBE.gov) for additional information on military-overseas absentee voting.

Catawba County Board of Elections - November 6th, 2018 General Election

Below is a list of all of the ballot measures and federal, State, and local offices this county expects, as of this date, to be on the ballot on the date of the election.

US House of Representatives District 05
(Only for residents of District 05)

- Virginia Foxx (Rep)
- DD Adams (Dem)

US House of Representatives District 10
(Only for residents of District 10)

- Patrick McHenry (Rep)
- David Wilson Brown (Dem)

NC State Senate District 42

- Ric Vandett (Dem)
- Andy Wells (Rep)

NC House of Representatives District 89
(Only for residents of District 89)

- Mitchell Smith Setzer (Rep)
- Greg Cranford (Dem)

NC House of Representatives District 96
(Only for residents of District 96)

- Jay Adams (Rep)
- Kim Bost (Dem)

District Attorney District 36

- Scott Reilly (Rep)

NC Supreme Court Associate Justice Seat 1 (Jackson Seat)

- Barbara Jackson (Rep)
- Christopher (Chris) Anglin (Rep)
- Anita Earls (Dem)

NC Court of Appeals Judge Seat 1 (Arrowood Seat)

- Andrew T. Heath (Rep)
- John S. Arrowood (Dem)

NC Court of Appeals Judge Seat 2 (Calabria Seat)

- Jefferson G. Griffin (Rep)
- Tobias (Toby) Hampson (Dem)
- Sandra Alice Ray (Rep)

NC Court of Appeals Judge Seat 3 (Elmore Seat)

- Chuck Kitchen (Rep)
- Michael Monaco, Sr. (Lib)
- Allegra Katherine Collins (Dem)

NC Superior Court Judge District 25B

- Nathaniel (Nathan) Poovey (Rep)

NC District Court Judge District 25 Seat 1 (Aycock Seat)

- David W. Aycock (Rep)

NC District Court Judge District 25 Seat 2 (Barkley Seat)

- Wes W. Barkley (Rep)

NC District Court Judge District 25 Seat 3 (Elliott Seat)

- Sherri Wilson Elliott (Rep)

NC District Court Judge District 25 Seat 4 (Mullinax Seat)

- Robert A. Mullinax, Jr. (Rep)

NC District Court Judge District 25 Seat 5 (Walker Seat)

- Amy Sigmon Walker (Rep)
- Scott M. Cranford (Dem)

NC District Court Judge District 25 Seat 6 (Smith Seat)

- Clifton H. Smith (Rep)

NC District Court Judge District 25 Seat 7 (Killian Seat)

- Mark L. Killian (Rep)

Catawba County Board of Commissioners (Vote for 3)

- C. Randall (Randy) Isenhower (Rep)
- Laci LeBlanc (Dem)
- Michelle Morgan (Dem)
- Geniey Yang (Dem)
- Kitty Barnes (Rep)
- Sherry Edmonds Butler (Rep)

Catawba County Clerk of Superior Court

- Kim Richards Sigmon (Rep)

Catawba County Sheriff

- Don Brown (Rep)

Catawba Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisor
(Vote for 2)

- Laura Parnell
- Howard B. Reinhardt
- Julia Elmore

Catawba County Schools Board of Education (Vote for 4)
(Only for residents of Catawba County School District)

- Glenn L. Fulbright
- Tommy Luckadoo
- Leslie H. Barnette
- Haley Edwards Beech
- Becky Brittain
- Donna Lutz Carpenter
- Ray Cerda

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FOR AGAINST

Constitutional amendment protecting the right of the people to hunt, fish, and harvest wildlife.

FOR AGAINST

Constitutional amendment to strengthen protections for victims of crime; to establish certain absolute basic rights for victims; and to ensure the enforcement of these rights.

FOR AGAINST

Constitutional amendment to establish a bipartisan Board of Ethics and Elections to administer ethics and election laws, to clarify the appointment authority of the Legislative and the Judicial Branches, and to prohibit legislators from serving on boards and commissions exercising executive or judicial authority.

FOR AGAINST

Constitutional amendment to implement a nonpartisan merit-based system that relies on professional qualifications instead of political influence when nominating Justices and judges to be selected to fill vacancies that occur between judicial elections.

FOR AGAINST

Constitutional amendment to reduce the income tax rate in North Carolina to a maximum allowable rate of seven percent (7%).

FOR AGAINST

Constitutional amendment to require voters to provide photo identification before voting in person.

Town of Long View Mixed Beverage Election

(Only for residents of the Town of Long View)

FOR AGAINST

To permit the sale of mixed beverages in hotels, restaurants, private clubs, community theatres, and convention centers.

[End of Ballot Items]