

OFFICIAL GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT  
 MONROE COUNTY, FLORIDA  
 NOVEMBER 4, 2014

- TO VOTE, COMPLETELY FILL IN THE OVAL ● NEXT TO YOUR CHOICE.
- Use only a blue or black marker or pen.
- If you make a mistake, don't hesitate to ask for a new ballot. If you erase or make other marks, your vote may not count.

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS DISTRICT 26 (Vote for One)	MOSQUITO CONTROL DISTRICT 2 (Vote for One)	NO. 1 CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT ARTICLE X, SECTION 28
<input type="radio"/> Carlos Curbelo REP <input type="radio"/> Joe Garcia DEM	<input type="radio"/> Phil Goodman REP <input type="radio"/> Roger Cousineau DEM <input type="radio"/> Lynda Schuh INT	<p><b>Water and Land Conservation - Dedicates funds to acquire and restore Florida conservation and recreation lands</b></p> <p>Funds the Land Acquisition Trust Fund to acquire, restore, improve, and manage conservation lands including wetlands and forests; fish and wildlife habitat; lands protecting water resources and drinking water sources, including the Everglades, and the water quality of rivers, lakes, and streams; beaches and shores; outdoor recreational lands; working farms and ranches; and historic or geologic sites, by dedicating 33 percent of net revenues from the existing excise tax on documents for 20 years.</p> <p>This amendment does not increase or decrease state revenues. The state revenue restricted to the purposes specified in the amendment is estimated to be \$648 million in Fiscal Year 2015-16 and grows to \$1.268 billion by the twentieth year. Whether this results in any additional state expenditures depends upon future legislative actions and cannot be determined. Similarly, the impact on local government revenues, if any, cannot be determined. No additional local government costs are expected.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO</p>
<p><b>GOVERNOR &amp; LT. GOVERNOR (Vote for One)</b></p>	<p><b>MOSQUITO CONTROL DISTRICT 5 (Vote for One)</b></p>	
<input type="radio"/> Rick Scott REP Carlos Lopez-Cantera <input type="radio"/> Charlie Crist DEM Annette Taddeo <input type="radio"/> Adrian Wyllie LPF Greg Roe <input type="radio"/> Farid Khavari NPA Lateresa A. Jones <input type="radio"/> Glenn Burkett NPA Jose Augusto Matos <input type="radio"/> Write-in _____	<p><b>DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL</b></p> <p>Shall Judge Barbara Lagoa of the 3rd District Court of Appeal be retained in office?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO</p>	
<p><b>ATTORNEY GENERAL (Vote for One)</b></p>	<p><b>DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL</b></p>	
<input type="radio"/> Pam Bondi REP <input type="radio"/> George Sheldon DEM <input type="radio"/> Bill Wohlsifer LPF	<p>Shall Judge Thomas Logue of the 3rd District Court of Appeal be retained in office?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO</p>	
<p><b>CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER (Vote for One)</b></p>	<p><b>DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL</b></p>	
<input type="radio"/> Jeff Atwater REP <input type="radio"/> William "Will" Rankin DEM	<p>Shall Judge Vance Salter of the 3rd District Court of Appeal be retained in office?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO</p>	
<p><b>COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE (Vote for One)</b></p>	<p><b>CIRCUIT JUDGE 16TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, GROUP 4 (Vote for One)</b></p>	
<input type="radio"/> Adam Putnam REP <input type="radio"/> Thaddeus Thad Hamilton DEM <input type="radio"/> Write-in _____	<input type="radio"/> Jack Bridges <input type="radio"/> Bonnie J. Helms	
<p><b>COUNTY COMMISSIONER DISTRICT 2 (Vote for One)</b></p>		
<input type="radio"/> George Neugent REP <input type="radio"/> Eleanor McAdams DEM		

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**VOTE BOTH SIDES OF BALLOT**

<b>NO. 2</b> <b>CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT</b> <b>ARTICLE X, SECTION 29</b>	<b>CONTINUATION OF NEEDED FUNDING</b> <b>FOR SCHOOL SECURITY, TECHNOLOGY</b> <b>AND CAPITAL PROJECTS</b>
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**Use of Marijuana for Certain Medical Conditions**

Allows the medical use of marijuana for individuals with debilitating diseases as determined by a licensed Florida physician. Allows caregivers to assist patients' medical use of marijuana. The Department of Health shall register and regulate centers that produce and distribute marijuana for medical purposes and shall issue identification cards to patients and caregivers. Applies only to Florida law. Does not authorize violations of federal law or any non-medical use, possession or production of marijuana.

Increased costs from this amendment to state and local governments cannot be determined. There will be additional regulatory and enforcement activities associated with the production and sale of medical marijuana. Fees will offset at least a portion of the regulatory costs. While sales tax may apply to purchases, changes in revenue cannot reasonably be determined since the extent to which medical marijuana will be exempt from taxation is unclear without legislative or state administrative action.

YES

NO

The School District's capital improvement plan is ongoing. Additional funding is required to upgrade and address security needs at school facilities, equip schools with modern technology, construct new facilities, provide for renovations and additions to existing school structures and other permitted capital improvements.

Shall the School Board of Monroe County, Florida continue to levy a one-half cent sales surtax for a period of ten (10) years beginning January 1, 2016?

FOR THE ONE-HALF CENT TAX

AGAINST THE ONE-HALF CENT TAX

<b>NO. 3</b> <b>CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT</b> <b>ARTICLE V, SECTIONS 10, 11</b>
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**Prospective Appointment of Certain Judicial Vacancies**

Proposing an amendment to the State Constitution requiring the Governor to prospectively fill vacancies in a judicial office to which election for retention applies resulting from the justice's or judge's reaching the mandatory retirement age or failure to qualify for a retention election; and allowing prospective appointments if a justice or judge is not retained at an election. Currently, the Governor may not fill an expected vacancy until the current justice's or judge's term expires.

YES

NO

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