

## NOTICE OF MUNICIPAL ELECTION

In accordance with the provisions of the Act of 1937, P.L. 1333, the Centre County Board of Elections hereby provides notice that a Municipal Election will be held on Tuesday, November 7, 2017, between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m., prevailing time. Qualified electors may cast ballots for the following offices, at the following polling places:

### JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT

Vote for ONE

Dwayne Woodruff Democratic  
Sallie Mundy Republican

### JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

Vote for not more than FOUR

Maria McLaughlin Democratic  
Carolyn H Nichols Democratic  
Debbie Kunselman Democratic  
Geoff Moulton Democratic  
Craig Stedman Republican  
Emil Giordano Republican  
Wade A Kagarise Republican  
Mary Murray Republican  
Jules Mermelstein Green

### JUDGE OF THE COMMONWEALTH COURT

Vote for not more than TWO

Ellen Ceisler Democratic  
Irene M Clark Democratic  
Paul Lalley Republican  
Christine Fizzano Cannon Republican

### JUDGE OF THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS

Vote for ONE

Brian Marshall Democratic  
Ronald S McGlaughlin Republican

### DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Vote for ONE

Bernie Cantorna Democratic/Republican

### JURY COMMISSIONER

Vote for ONE

Jason Moser Democratic  
Hope P Miller Republican

### MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGE – Magisterial District 49-02-01

Vote for One

Casey McClain Democratic  
Dave White Republican

### MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGE – Magisterial District 49-03-03

Vote for One

Allen W Sinclair Democratic/Republican

**SUPERVISOR**

**COUNCILMAN**

**AUDITOR**

**TAX COLLECTOR**

**CONSTABLE** – Where interim positions exist

**SCHOOL DIRECTOR**

**JUDGE OF ELECTION**

**INSPECTOR OF ELECTION**

**PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT**

**AMENDING THE HOMESTEAD PROPERTY TAX ASSESSMENT EXCLUSION**

Shall the Pennsylvania Constitution be amended to permit the General Assembly to enact legislation authorizing local taxing authorities to exclude from taxation up to 100 percent of the assessed value of each homestead property within a local taxing jurisdiction, rather than limit the exclusion to one-half of the median assessed value of all homestead property, which is the existing law?

YES

NO

***Plain English Statement of the Office of Attorney General***

The purpose of the ballot question is to amend Article VIII, Section 2(b)(vi) of the Pennsylvania Constitution to permit the General Assembly to pass a law authorizing local taxing authorities to increase the amount of assessed value of homestead property that may be excluded when determining the real estate tax owed for homestead property. If the ballot question is approved, the General Assembly could then pass a law authorizing local taxing authorities to exclude up to one-hundred percent (100%) of the assessed value of each homestead property when calculating the real estate tax owed on homestead property.

The Pennsylvania Constitution currently permits the General Assembly to pass a law authorizing local taxing authorities to exclude only a portion of the assessed value of homestead property when determining the amount of real estate tax owed. Under current law, the amount of assessed value that may be excluded from taxation cannot exceed one-half the amount of the median assessed value of all homestead property within a local taxing jurisdiction. Local taxing authorities may not increase the millage rate of its real property tax to pay for homestead property exclusions.

The effect of the ballot question would allow the General Assembly to pass a law increasing the amount of assessed value that local taxing authorities may exclude from real estate taxation for homestead property. Currently, local taxing authorities can exclude from taxation only up to one-half the amount of the median assessed value of all homestead property located in the local taxing jurisdiction. But if the ballot question is approved, the General Assembly would have authority to pass a law permitting local taxing authorities to exclude up to one-hundred percent (100%) of the assessed value of each homestead property. Local taxing authorities would continue to be prohibited from increasing the millage rate of its tax on real property to pay for the homestead exclusions.

The ballot question, by itself, does not authorize local taxing authorities to exclude up to one-hundred percent (100%) of the assessed value of each homestead property from real estate taxation. Local taxing authorities could not take such action unless and until the General Assembly passes a law authorizing them to

do so. The ballot question authorizes the General Assembly to pass that law.

**LOCAL REFERENDUM**

**GREGG TOWNSHIP REFERENDUM**

“Should two additional supervisors be elected to serve in this Township?”

YES  
NO

**RETENTION QUESTIONS**

**STATEWIDE COURTS**

**SUPREME COURT**

Shall Thomas G Saylor be retained for an additional term as Justice of the Supreme Court of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania?

YES  
NO

Shall Debra Todd be retained for an additional term as Justice of the Supreme Court of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania?

YES  
NO

**SUPERIOR COURT**

Shall Jacqueline O Shogan be retained for an additional term as Judge of the Superior Court of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania?

YES  
NO

**COUNTY COURTS**

Shall Pamela A Ruest be retained for an additional term as Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, 49<sup>th</sup> Judicial District, Centre County?

YES  
NO

**POLLING PLACES**

This is to inform the individuals of Centre County that some polling places have been judged inaccessible to the elderly and handicapped and that such elector may contact the County Board of Elections (814-355-6703) to determine if they are assigned to an inaccessible polling place. [This notice is published according to the Federal Voting Accessibility for the Elderly and Handicapped Act (P.L. 98-435) and the term inaccessible is used in conjunction with that Act and not the Americans with Disabilities Act.] A Telecommunication Device (TDD) is provided for hearing/speech impaired by calling 1-800-654-5984 and requesting to speak to the Bureau of Commissions, Elections and Legislation at 1-717-787-5280.

## **BOROUGHES**

1. Bellefonte North  
Logan Fire Hall,  
120 E. Howard St. (Main Entrance)
2. Bellefonte Northeast  
Crestside Terrace,  
602 East Howard St. (Main Entrance)
3. Bellefonte South  
Lambert Hall,  
Corner of Forge Road & Blanchard St.
4. Bellefonte Southeast  
Faith United Methodist Church,  
512 Hughes St.  
Back Entrance, Room 51
5. Bellefonte West  
First Presbyterian Church  
203 N. Spring St  
Fellowship Hall
6. Centre Hall  
Centre Hall Fire Hall,  
207 N. Pennsylvania Ave.  
Side Entrance
7. Howard  
Howard Fire Hall,  
14 Walnut Street
8. Milesburg  
Milesburg Community Center,  
101 Mill Street  
Front Entrance
9. Millheim  
Millheim Fire Hall,  
103 & 105 North St.
10. Philipsburg 1st Ward  
Sts. Peter & Paul Catholic Church,  
400 S. Fourth St.  
Parish Hall
11. Philipsburg 2nd Ward  
First Lutheran Church  
215 E. Laurel St  
Social Room
12. Philipsburg 3rd Ward  
Moshannon Valley YMCA,  
113 N 14<sup>th</sup> St.
13. Port Matilda  
Port Matilda Fire Hall,  
102 E Plank Rd  
Use kitchen entrance
14. Snow Shoe  
Snow Shoe Borough Building,  
106 Railroad Street
15. Rush North Central  
Christian & Missionary Alliance Church,

313 Hemlock Street

16. State College North  
Church of Christ,  
405 Hillcrest Ave., Martin Terrace  
Basement Social Room

17. State College Northeast **\*NEW LOCATION\***  
Comfort Suites  
132 Village Dr  
State College  
Executive Meeting Room

18. State College Northwest  
Unity Church of Jesus Christ,  
140 N. Gill St.  
Multi-Purpose Room

19. State College South 1  
Knights of Columbus,  
850 Stratford Drive

20. State College South 2  
Foxdale Village Community Building,  
500 E. Marylyn Ave.  
Main entrance on ground floor

21. State College Southeast  
Grace Fellowship/Young Kwang Korean Church,  
1107 William St. (Corner of William & Easterly Pkwy)  
Sanctuary

22. State College South Central 1  
Knights of Columbus,  
850 Stratford Drive

23. State College South Central 2  
Grace Fellowship/Young Kwang Korean Church,  
1107 William St. (Corner of William & Easterly Pkwy)  
Sanctuary

24. State College East 1  
HUB-Robeson Center  
Heritage Hall  
Pollock Rd., University Park

25. State College East 2  
HUB-Robeson Center  
Heritage Hall  
Pollock Rd., University Park

26. State College East 3  
Friends Meetinghouse,  
611 East Prospect Avenue  
Social Room's Main Entrance

27. State College East 4  
HUB-Robeson Center  
Heritage Hall  
Pollock Rd., University Park

28. State College East Central 1  
St. Paul's United Methodist Church,  
250 E. College Ave.  
Social Room

29. State College East Central 2

State College Borough Building,  
243 S. Allen Street  
2<sup>nd</sup> floor

30. State College East Central 3  
Friends Meetinghouse,  
611 E. Prospect Avenue  
Social Room's Main Entrance

31. State College West 1  
Holy Trinity Orthodox Church  
119 S. Sparks Street  
Rear Entrance

32. State College West 2  
Our Lady of Victory Activity Center,  
Gardiner Hall (Social Hall)  
820 Westerly Parkway  
(enter off Westerly Pky., use main entrance)

33. State College West Central 1  
HUB-Robeson Center  
Heritage Hall  
Pollock Rd., University Park

34. State College West Central 2  
CBICC (the previous Senior Center),  
131 S. Fraser St, Suite 1

35. Unionville  
Unionville Borough Building,  
221 Allegheny St.  
Off SR-504

#### **TOWNSHIPS**

36. Benner North  
Benner Township Building,  
1224 Buffalo Run Rd.  
Front Entrance

37. Benner South  
Remodeler's Workshop  
105 Stonecrest Dr

38. Boggs East  
ABC Associated Builders/Contractors  
898 North Eagle Valley Road, Milesburg  
I-80 & Route 150 (Across from Subway)

39. Boggs West  
Boggs Township Community Building,  
1290 Runville Rd.,  
Bellefonte (Front entrance)  
Along SR-144 in Runville

40. Burnside  
Pine Glen United Methodist Church,  
104 N. Main Street, Pine Glen  
Karthaus

41. College North  
Houserville United Methodist Church,  
1320 Houserville Rd.  
Side Entrance

42. College South

Juniper Village,  
1900 Cliffside Dr.  
Main Lobby

43. College East  
Mount Nittany United Methodist Church,  
1500 E Branch Rd. (Lemont)  
Side Door Facing Parking Lot

44-1. College West  
College Township Municipal Building,  
1481 East College Avenue

44-2. College West PSU  
HUB-Robeson Center  
Heritage Hall  
Pollock Rd., University Park

45. Curtin North  
Orviston Bible Church,  
75 Main St  
Orviston

46. Curtin South  
Curtin Township Building,  
351 Orviston Mountain Road  
Howard

47. Ferguson North 1  
Ferguson Township Building,  
3147 Research Dr  
Meeting Room

48. Ferguson North 2  
Elmcroft of State College  
150 Farmstead Ln  
Music Room

49. Ferguson Northeast 1  
The Heights of State College  
201 Northwick Blvd  
Club House

50. Ferguson Northeast 2  
Mike's Video and Appliance,  
1515 N. Atherton St.  
Main Entrance

51. Ferguson East  
Ferguson Township Lions Park,  
424 W. Pine Grove Rd.  
Pine Grove Mills.

52. Ferguson West  
Fairbrook United Methodist Church  
4201 W. Whitehall Rd  
PA Furnace

88. Ferguson North 3  
State College Evangelical Free Church  
1243 Blue Course Drive

89. Ferguson West Central  
Videon Central  
2171 Sandy Dr  
State College  
Conference Room

91. Ferguson North Central  
Stepping Stones Community Church  
848 Science Park Rd, State College  
Main Entrance

53. Gregg  
Penns Valley EMS  
106 Ross Hill Rd.  
Spring Mills

54. Haines  
Civic Club Building,  
319 W. Aaron Square, Aaronsburg

55. Halfmoon Proper  
Halfmoon Township Municipal Bldg.  
100 Municipal Ln,  
Port Matilda – Main Entrance

90. Halfmoon East Central  
Halfmoon Christian Fellowship Church  
1776 Halfmoon Valley Rd  
Port Matilda  
Main Entrance

56. Harris East  
Zion Lutheran Church  
304 N. Church St  
Boalsburg

57. Harris West  
Boalsburg Fire Hall  
Pine Street  
Boalsburg

58. Howard  
Howard Township Supervisors Building,  
151 Township Building Road  
Off SR-150

59. Huston  
Huston Township Community Center,  
1190 Allegheny Street  
Julian (Off SR-220)

60. Liberty  
Faith Baptist Church  
143 Liberty St  
Blanchard  
Use lower level entry

61. Marion  
Marion Township Municipal Building,  
4337 Jacksonville Road  
Jacksonville

62. Miles East  
Miles Township Fire Hall,  
102 Broad Street, Rebersburg

63. Miles West  
Madisonburg Civic Center,  
134 Madisonburg Pike

64. Patton North 1  
Patton Township Building,



100 Patton Plaza  
State College

65. Patton North 2  
Good Shepherd Catholic Church  
867 Grays Woods Blvd  
State College

66. Patton South 1  
Park Forest Village United Methodist Church,  
1833 Park Forest Ave.

67. Patton South 2  
Oakwood Presbyterian Church,  
1865 Waddle Rd.  
(Parking lot on Strouse Avenue)

68. Patton South 3  
Park Forest Baptist Church,  
3030 Carnegie Drive

69. Penn  
St. James United Methodist Church,  
Main Street  
Coburn – Front Entrance/ramp

70. Potter North  
Centre Hall Lions Club,  
153 E. Church St. (SR-192)

71. Potter South  
Potter Township Supervisors Building,  
124 Short Road  
Off Old Fort Road

72. Rush North  
Rush Township Supervisors Building,  
150 N. Richard Street  
Philipsburg

73. Rush South  
Mountain Top Fire Hall,  
392 State Street  
Sandy Ridge (SR-970)

74. Rush East  
Election Building, Munson,  
3621 Casanova Road  
Munson

75. Rush West  
First Church of Christ,  
1445 Tyrone Pike  
Philipsburg

76. Snow Shoe East  
Snow Shoe Township Building,  
268 Oldside Rd.  
Clarence

77. Snow Shoe West  
New Community Center,  
1351 W. Sycamore Road  
Moshannon

78. Spring North  
Spring Township Building,

1309 Blanchard Street  
(Irish Hollow Rd. and Blanchard Street)

79. Spring South  
Pleasant Gap United Methodist Church,  
179 S. Main Street

80. Spring West  
Election House,  
198 Lower Coleville Road  
Next to railroad tracks

86. Spring East  
First Baptist Church  
539 Jacksonville Rd  
Bellefonte  
Fellowship Hall

87. Spring Southwest  
The Oaks  
200 Rachel Drive, Pleasant Gap  
The Court Community Room

81. Taylor  
Marrara's Mountain Lodge  
2797 S. Mountain Rd  
Port Matilda, PA 16870

82. Union  
Unionville/Union Twp. Community Building,  
107 Mechanics Street

83. Walker East  
Walker Township Fire Hall,  
125 Firehouse Lane, Hublersburg  
(Off Hublersburg Road)

84. Walker West  
Walker Township Municipal Building,  
816 Nittany Valley Drive, Bellefonte  
(corner of SR-64 and Back Road, west of Mingoville)

85. Worth  
Sportsmen Association Building,  
8413 S. Eagle Valley Road  
Port Matilda (SR-220)

**Change in polling location effective for the November 7, 2017, Municipal Election:**

**17. State College NE**

FROM: Quality Inn  
TO: Comfort Suites  
132 Village Dr  
State College

**POLLS ARE OPEN 7:00 A.M. TO 8:00 P.M. PREVAILING TIME**

**CENTRE COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS**

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