

NOTICE OF PRIMARY ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on Tuesday, May 12, 2026, at the designated polling places in the precincts of Valley County, Nebraska. Polls open at 8:00 a.m. and close at 8:00 p.m. Said election is for nominating or electing candidates to various offices and voting on special issues, referendums or amendments. The Secretary of State will publish a true copy of the title and text of any amendments or referendums once each week for three consecutive weeks preceding the election.

UNITED STATES SENATORIAL TICKET

For United States Senator

Partisan 6-Year Term Vote for ONE

Republican Eric Mortimore
Republican Pete Ricketts
Republican Todd Knobel
Republican Mac Stevens
Republican Debb Axtell Schultz
Democratic William J. Forbes
Democratic Cindy Burbank
Legal Marijuana NOW
Earl Starkey
Legal Marijuana NOW
Mike Marvin

CONGRESSIONAL TICKET

For Representative in Congress, District 03

Partisan 2-Year Term Vote for ONE

Republican David P. Huebner
Republican Adrian Smith
Democratic Becky Kelly Stille
Legal Marijuana NOW
David J. Else

STATE TICKET

For Governor

Partisan 4-Year Term Vote for ONE

Republican Sheila J. Korth-Focken
Republican Gary L. Rogge
Republican Jim Pillen
Republican Jacy Todd
Republican Sal Holguin
Republican John Walz
Democratic Lynne Walz
Democratic Larry Marvin
Legal Marijuana NOW
Rick Beard
Legal Marijuana NOW
James J. Charvat III

For Secretary of State

Partisan 4-Year Term Vote for ONE

Republican Bob Evnen
Republican Scott Petersen
Democratic Lee M. Cimfel
Democratic Sarah J. Slattery

For State Treasurer

Partisan 4-Year Term Vote for ONE

Republican Joey Spellerberg
Democratic Daniel Ebers

For Attorney General

Partisan 4-Year Term Vote for ONE

Republican Mike Hilgers
Democratic Jocelyn Brasher

For Auditor of Public Accounts

Partisan 4-Year Term Vote for ONE

Republican Mike Foley

COUNTY TICKET

For County Sheriff

Partisan 4-Year Term Vote for ONE

Republican Mark A. Hogue
Republican Jade M. Stethem

NONPARTISAN TICKET

For Member of Legislature, District 41

NonPartisan 2-Year Term Vote for ONE

Jacob W. Sikes
Joe Johnson
Jeremy Heneger

For Member of the State Board of Education, District 7

NonPartisan 4-Year Term Vote for ONE

Elizabeth Tegtmeier

The following candidates are declared automatically nominated to the General Election and will not appear on the Primary Election ballot per Nebr. Statutes 32-811(1a&b)

COUNTY TICKET

For County Supervisor, Precinct 1

Partisan 4-Year Term Vote for ONE

Republican Theresa Petska

For County Supervisor, Precinct 3

Partisan 4-Year Term Vote for ONE

Republican Dustin Crawford

For County Supervisor, Precinct 5

Partisan 4-Year Term Vote for ONE

Republican John A. DeRiso Sr.

For County Supervisor, Precinct 7

Partisan 4-Year Term Vote for ONE

Republican Jack VanSlyke

For County Assessor

Partisan 4-Year Term Vote for ONE

Republican Aurora Griebel

For County Clerk

Partisan 4-Year Term Vote for ONE

Republican KeShara Poland

For County Treasurer

Partisan 4-Year Term Vote for ONE

Republican Peggy Brott

SCHOOL TICKET

Ord School District 5

For Board Member

NonPartisan 4-Year Term

Vote for up to THREE

Dawn Skibinski

Jay A. Knapp

Jake Sikyta

Burwell Public School District 100

For Board Member

NonPartisan 4-Year Term

Vote for up to THREE

Samuel Trausch

Timothy P. Garner

Stena Seamann

Loup City School District 1

For Board Member

NonPartisan 4-Year Term

Vote for up to THREE

Jeff Rademacher

Jamie Lewandowski

Eric L. Kowalski

Roger Gallaway

Central Valley Public Schools District 60

For Board Member

NonPartisan 4-Year Term

Vote for up to THREE

Michael Rosander

Ross Butcher

D.W. Holley

Nicholas Shoemaker

Mandy McClure

Shelly Pokorny

Arcadia School District 21

For Board Member

NonPartisan 4-Year Term

Vote for up to THREE

Amber Veskerna

Tyler Bose

CITY TICKET

For Mayor City of Ord

NonPartisan 4-Year Term Vote for ONE

Jeremy E. Sedlacek

For Member Ord City Council

NonPartisan 4-Year Term

Ward 1

Vote for ONE

Jared A. Zulkoski

Ward 2

Vote for ONE

Diane Bundy

Ward 3

Vote for ONE

Mark Warner

Timothy R. Stethem

NONPARTISAN TICKET

Central Community College

For Board of Governors District 3

NonPartisan 4-Year Term Vote for ONE

Roger P. Davis

Gary G. Smith

Lower Loup Natural Resources District

For Board of Directors SubDistrict 02

NonPartisan 4-Year Term Vote for ONE

Henry Thoene

For Board of Directors SubDistrict 04

NonPartisan 4-Year Term Vote for ONE

Rick D. Vlach

For Board of Directors At Large

NonPartisan 4-Year Term Vote for ONE

Jeremy J. Eschliman

For Nebraska Public Power District

Subdivision 2

NonPartisan 6-Year Term Vote for ONE

Bill Tielke

Dennis Sperling

Dated this 20th day of March, 2026

KeShara Poland

County Clerk/Election Commissioner