

Notice of Election

This notice is prepared by the Sharp County Election Commission to inform the public that the **2024 General Election, Nonpartisan Runoff & Annual School Election** will be held on **November 5, 2024**. The notice also provides the public information regarding this election as required by law:

EARLY VOTING Dates & Times:	M-F: Oct 21 st – Oct 25 th	8:00 am - 6:00 pm
	Sat: Oct 26 th	10:00 am – 4:00 pm
	M-F: Oct 28 th – Nov 1 st	8:00 am – 6:00 pm
	Sat: Nov 2 nd	10:00 am – 4:00 pm
	Mon: Nov 4 th	8:00 am – 5:00 pm

<u>Location of Poll:</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Ballots Assigned to Poll</u>
Ash Flat Courthouse	718 Ash Flat Dr, Ash Flat, AR	Vote Center / All Ballots
Hardy Civic Center	301 W Main St, Hardy, AR	Vote Center / All Ballots
Cave City Next Door (Next to Bailey's)	207 S Main Suite B, Cave City	Vote Center / All Ballots

ELECTION DAY VOTING: Election Date: November 5, 2024 Hours: 7:30 am – 7:30 pm

<u>Location of Poll:</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Ballots Assigned to Poll</u>
Ash Flat-Sharp County Courthouse Courtroom	718 Ash Flat Dr., Ash Flat, AR 72513	Vote Center/All Ballots
Cave City-Next Door (Next to Bailey's)	207 South Main Suite B, Cave City, AR 72513	Vote Center/All Ballots
Cherokee-City Hall Cherokee Village	2 Santee Dr., Cherokee Village, AR 72529	Vote Center/All Ballots
Evening Shade-Faith Assembly of God Church	2186 Hwy 167, Evening Shade, AR 72532	Vote Center/All Ballots
Hardy-Hardy Civic Center	301 W Main St., Hardy, AR 72542	Vote Center/All Ballots
Highland-Highland Fire Department	1998 Hwy 62/412, Highland, AR 72542	Vote Center/All Ballots
Poughkeepsie-Poughkeepsie Fire Department	4099 ARK 58, Poughkeepsie, AR 72569	Vote Center/All Ballots
Williford-New Song Baptist Church	423 College Rd. Williford, AR 72482	Vote Center/All Ballots
Wirth-Fire Station at Wirth	2082 AR Hwy 175, Mammoth Spring, AR 72554	Vote Center/All Ballots

ABSENTEE VOTING: To request an absentee ballot, or to see if you are qualified to vote absentee, contact the County Clerk's office using the information below:

718 Ash Flat Dr., Ash Flat, AR 72513 – (870) 994-7361 – Office Hours M-F 8 am to 4 pm

BALLOT CANVASSING AND COUNTING:

Each process listed below will be conducted at the Sharp **County Courthouse Annex Courtroom and/or Main Courtroom or Clerk's Office** located at **718 Ash Flat Dr., Ash Flat, AR 72513**. The dates and times provided below:

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>
Pre-Election Processing of Absentee Ballots	November 2 nd	1:00 pm to 5:00 pm
Canvassing and Counting of Absentee Ballots	November 5 th	8:30 am to Completion
Compiling & Publishing Unofficial Election Results	November 5 th	7:30 pm to Completion
Duplication and Counting of Election Day Ballots	November 5 th	8:00 pm to Completion
Initial Review of Provisional Ballots	November 7 th	10:00 am to Completion
Provisional Ballot Hearings	November 12 th	11:00 am to 12:00 pm
Final Review and Counting of Provisional Ballots	November 12 th	1:00 pm to Completion
Canvassing and Counting of UOCAVA Absentee Ballots (IF NEEDED)	November 15 th	10:00 am to 10:30 am
Certification of Election	November 15 th	10:30 am to Completion

ELECTION OFFICIALS:

Election Officials appointed to conduct early voting, election day voting, and all other required duties will be posted for public viewing in the County Clerk's office on October 14, 2024 and remain posted for not less than 10 days. The County Clerk's office is located at 718 Ash Flat Drive, Ash Flat, AR. An objection must be filed with the County Clerk in writing prior to the following deadlines. An objection that an official is a spouse of a county election commissioner, a county party chair, or a spouse of a county party chair must be filed within 7 days of October 14th. An objection that an official is married to a candidate or related to a candidate within two degrees of blood relations must be filed within 10 days of October 14th.

In the event of a Run-off Election, only vote center locations for that area will be opened.

CANDIDATES FOR OFFICE:

U.S President

Kamala D. Harris / VP Tim Walz	Democratic
Robert F. Kennedy Jr. / VP Nicole Shanahan	Independent
Jill Stein / VP Rudolph Ware	Green
Michael Wood / VP John G. Pietrowski	Prohibition
Peter Sonski / VP Lauren Onak	American Solidarity
Donald J. Trump / VP JD Vance	Republican
Chase Oliver / VP Mike ter Maat	Libertarian

State Treasurer

Michael Pakko	Libertarian
Secretary of State John Thurston	Republican
John Pagan	Democrat

State Supreme Court Chief Justice Position 1

Supreme Court Justice Rhonda Wood	Nonpartisan
Arkansas Supreme Court Justice Karen Baker	Nonpartisan

Justice of the Peace District 1

Kevin C. Dienst	Republican
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Justice of the Peace District 3

Joey Barnes	Republican
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Justice of the Peace District 5

Tommy Estes	Republican
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Justice of the Peace District 7

Buell Wilkes	Republican
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Justice of the Peace District 9

Zack Baxter	Republican
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Constable District 2

George Jackson	Republican
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Constable District 4

Phillip Pickett	Republican
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Constable District 6

Luke Vander Vort	Republican
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Highland School District School Board Position 6

Austin Gilbreath

Cave City School District School Board Position 6

Ashley Beller

Mammoth Spring School District School Board Position 1

Jackie Vest

U.S. Congress District #1

Steve G. Parsons	Libertarian
Rodney Govens	Democratic
Congressman Rick Crawford	Republican

State Senate District 22

Sandy Maier	Democrat
Senator John Payton	Republican

State Representative District 02

State Representative Trey Steimel	Republican
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State Representative District 28

State Representative Bart Schulz	Republican
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Justice of the Peace District 2

Briana M. Dilorio	Republican
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Justice of the Peace District 4

Roy "Chuck" Murphy	Republican
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Justice of the Peace District 6

Jackie Pickett	Republican
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Justice of the Peace District 8

Jeral Hastings	Republican
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Constable District 1

Ashton Hester	Republican
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Constable District 3

David L. Gruger	Republican
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Constable District 5

Kelly Newcom	Republican
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Constable District 9

Aaron Hunter	Independent
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Highland School District School Board Position 7

Justin "Jud" Dunn

Cave City School District School Board Position 7

Ryan Herndon
J.D. Smart

Hillcrest School District School Zone 6

Mammoth Spring School District School Board Position 5
Devon Smoot

Recorder/Treasurer City of Ash Flat

Charlotte Goodwin Independent

City of Ash Flat Alderman Ward 1 Position 2

Mike Nix Independent

City of Ash Flat Alderman Ward 2 Position 2

Danny Traw Independent

Ryan Carl Pitts Independent

City of Ash Flat Alderman Ward 3 Position 2

Annette Wolverton Independent

City of Cave City Alderman Ward 1 Position 1

Hana Smith Independent

City of Cave City Alderman Ward 2 Position 2

Eddie Johnson Independent

City of Cave City Alderman Ward 3 Position 1

Richard Hawkins 2nd Independent

City of Cave City Alderman Ward 4 Position 1

John Ables Independent

City of Cherokee Village Alderman Ward 1 Position 1

Pamela Rowland Independent

City of Cherokee Village Alderman Ward 3 Position 1

Eddie Ishmael Independent

City of Evening Shade Recorder

Samantha Oliva Independent

City of Evening Shade Alderman Position 3

Christian Howard Independent

City Evening Shade Alderman Position 5

Connie Ford Independent

City of Hardy Recorder/Treasurer

Willow R. Sharp Independent

City of Hardy Alderman Ward 1 Position 2

Amy Renee Clay-Thomas Independent

Penny Mendes Allen Independent

City of Hardy Alderman Ward 2 Position 2

Tony Berry Independent

City of Hardy Alderman Ward 3 Position 1

Mark Gordon Independent

City of Highland Recorder/Treasurer

Mary Ruth Wiles Independent

City of Highland Alderman Ward 1 Position 2

Randy Hutchinson Independent

City of Highland Alderman Ward 3 Position 1

City of Ash Flat Alderman Ward 1 Position 1

Fred Goodwin Independent

City of Ash Flat Alderman Ward 2 Position 1

Sean Himschoot Independent

City of Ash Flat Alderman Ward 3 Position 1

Kevin Grissom Independent

City of Cave City Recorder

Jennifer Corter Independent

City of Cave City Alderman Ward 1 Position 2

Jill Carr Independent

City of Cave City Alderman Ward 2 Position 1

Edward Turnbough Independent

City of Cave City Alderman Ward 3 Position 2

Kenneth Wilson Independent

City of Cave City Alderman Ward 4 Position 2

Dale King Independent

City of Cherokee Village Alderman Ward 2 Position 1

Jeff Tatum Independent

City of Cherokee Village Alderman Ward 4 Position 1

Jason A. Lowe Independent

City of Evening Shade Alderman Position 1

John H. Wolfe Independent

City of Evening Shade Alderman Position 4

Lonnie A. Haley Independent

City Evening Shade Alderman Position 6

Steven Burkhart Independent

Angela Haley Independent

City of Hardy Alderman Ward 1 Position 1

Laura J. Smith Independent

Ginni Kauffman Independent

City of Hardy Alderman Ward 2 Position 1

Natalie Quintana-DuBois Independent

Junior Wise Independent

Larry Tyger Independent

City of Hardy Alderman Ward 3 Position 2

Sue Taylor Independent

City of Highland Alderman Ward 1 Position 1

Mary Jo Morris Independent

City of Highland Alderman Ward 2 Position 1

Dennis Burton Independent

City of Highland Alderman Ward 3 Position 2

William Johns Independent

Susan Davis Adam Independent

City of Highland Alderman Ward 4 Position 1

Kenneth Massey Independent

City of Highland Alderman Ward 4 Position 2

William Thompson Independent

City of Williford Alderman Position 1

William Lyle Independent

City of Williford Alderman Position 3

Linda Brock Independent

City of Williford Alderman Position 4

George Blann Independent

City of Williford Alderman Position 5

Hope Lyle Independent

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT REFERRED TO THE PEOPLE BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Issue No. 1

(Popular Name)

A Constitutional Amendment to Provide that Lottery Proceeds May Be Used to Fund or Provide Scholarships and Grants to Arkansas Citizens Enrolled in Vocational-Technical Schools and Technical Institutes.

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT PROPOSED BY PETITION OF THE PEOPLE

Issue No. 2

(Popular Name)

An amendment requiring local voter approval in a countywide special election for certain new casino licenses and repealing authority to issue a casino license in Pope County, Arkansas.

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT PROPOSED BY PETITION OF THE PEOPLE

Issue No. 3

(Popular Name)

Arkansas Medical Marijuana Amendment of 2024

Highland School

30.0 Mill School Tax

The total tax rate proposed above includes the uniform rate of tax (the "Statewide Uniform Rate") to be collected on all taxable property in the State and remitted to the State Treasurer pursuant to Amendment No. 74 to the Arkansas Constitution to be used solely for maintenance and operation of schools in the State. As provided in Amendment No. 74, the Statewide Uniform Rate replaces a portion of the existing rate of tax levied by this School District and available for maintenance and operation of schools in this District. The total proposed school tax levy of 30.0 mills includes 25.0 mills specifically voted for general maintenance and operation and 5.0 mills voted for debt service previously voted as a continuing levy pledged for the retirement of existing bonded indebtedness. The surplus revenues produced each year by debt service millage may be used by the District for other school purposes.

The total proposed school tax levy of 30.0 mills represents the same rate presently being levied.

Cave City School

39.0 Mill School Tax

The total tax rate proposed above includes the uniform rate of tax (the "Statewide Uniform Rate") to be collected on all taxable property in the State and remitted to the State Treasurer pursuant to Amendment No. 74 to the Arkansas Constitution to be used solely for maintenance and operation of schools in the State. As provided in Amendment No. 74, the Statewide Uniform Rate replaces a portion of the existing rate of tax levied by this School District and available for maintenance and operation of schools in this District. The total proposed school tax levy of 39.0 mills includes 25.0 mills specifically voted for general maintenance and operation and 14.0 mills voted for debt service previously voted as a continuing levy pledged for the retirement of existing bonded

indebtedness. The surplus revenues produced each year by debt service millage may be used by the District for other school purposes.

The total proposed school tax levy of 39.0 mills represents the same rate presently being levied.

**Hillcrest School
35.9 Mill School Tax**

The total tax rate proposed above includes the uniform rate of tax (the "Statewide Uniform Rate") to be collected on all taxable property in the State and remitted to the State Treasurer pursuant to Amendment No. 74 to the Arkansas Constitution to be used solely for maintenance and operation of schools in the State. As provided in Amendment No. 74, the Statewide Uniform Rate replaces a portion of the existing rate of tax levied by this School District and available for maintenance and operation of schools in this District. The total proposed school tax levy of 35.9 mills includes 25.0 mills specifically voted for general maintenance and operation and 10.9 mills voted for debt service previously voted as a continuing levy pledged for the retirement of existing bonded indebtedness. The surplus revenues produced each year by debt service millage may be used by the District for other school purposes.

The total proposed school tax levy of 35.9 mills represents the same rate presently being levied.

**Mammoth Spring School
35.0 Mill School Tax**

The total tax rate proposed above includes the uniform rate of tax (the "Statewide Uniform Rate") to be collected on all taxable property in the State and remitted to the State Treasurer pursuant to Amendment No. 74 to the Arkansas Constitution to be used solely for maintenance and operation of schools in the State. As provided in Amendment No. 74, the Statewide Uniform Rate replaces a portion of the existing rate of tax levied by this School District and available for maintenance and operation of schools in this District. The total proposed school tax levy of 35.0 mills includes 30.0 mills specifically voted for general maintenance and operation and 5.0 mills voted for debt service previously voted as a continuing levy pledged for the retirement of existing bonded indebtedness. The surplus revenues produced each year by debt service millage may be used by the District for other school purposes.

The total proposed school tax levy of 35.0 mills represents the same rate presently being levied.

**Cedar Ridge School
38.2 Mills School Tax**

The total rate proposed above includes the uniform rate of tax 34.9 mills (the "Statewide Uniform Rate") to be collected on all taxable property in the state and remitted to the maintenance and operation of schools in the State. As provided in Amendment No. 74, the Statewide Uniform Rate replaces a portion of the existing rate of tax levied by this School District and available for maintenance and operation of schools in the District. The total proposed school tax levy of 38.2 mills includes 34.9 mills specifically voted for general maintenance and operation and 3.3 mills voted for debt service previously voted as a continuing levy pledged for the retirement of existing bonded indebtedness. The surplus revenues produced each year by the debt service millage may be used by the District for other school purposes.

The total proposed school tax levy of 38.2 mills represents the same rate presently being collected.

VIEWING YOUR BALLOT PRIOR TO VOTING:

Any voter may look up his or her sample ballot on the Secretary of State's website at: <https://www.voterview.ar-nova.org/voterview>. Ballots will be available no later than 20 days prior to the election. Sample ballots will also be available at the Clerk's office and at the vote centers.

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