

Legals from Page 9

MSC D. Eslinger, Flatt to designate the Griggs County Courier as the official newspaper of the City of Cooperstown. MSC D. Eslinger, Olson to approve a proclamation presented by Mayor Paintner designating May 8, 2026, as Arbor Day in Cooperstown.

MSC Urness, D. Eslinger to approve a liquor license renewal submitted by Town & Country Co-Op.

MSC Olson, Flatt to approve a street closing for the Griggs County Public Library.

MSC Olson, M. Eslinger to adjourn. The meeting was adjourned at 8:14pm.

These are unofficial minutes. Christine Olson, City Auditor GCC June 5, 2026 IO#370109

NOTICE TO VOTERS

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 9th day of June 2026, in the County of Griggs, State of North Dakota, an election will be

held for the purpose of nominating state, district, and county offices.

Griggs County Polling is at the Griggs County Courthouse and will be open from 9am to 7pm.

Valid Griggs County residents interested in having a vote by mail ballot sent to them may visit the ND Secretary of State's website: <https://www.nd.gov/eforms/Doc/sfn51468.pdf> to print an Absentee Ballot Application or call the Griggs County Auditor at (701) 797-3117 to have an application mailed to them. After printing, complete/sign and return to the Griggs County Auditor, PO Box 511, Cooperstown, ND 58425. Completed/signed applications may also be returned by fax to (701)797-3587 or emailed to Samantha.larson@griggscountynd.gov

Once Griggs County receives the application, verifies the information is correct and it is signed, a ballot will be mailed

to the voter. You can return your completed vote by mail ballot in one of two ways:

1. USPS mail – Griggs County Auditor PO Box 511 Cooperstown, ND 58425

2. Deposit in Secure Ballot Drop Box located at the Griggs County Courthouse

*Vote by Mail ballots must be in the possession of the Auditor's Office by 7pm on June 9th to be valid.

Contact the Griggs County Auditor's Office at (701) 797-3117 with any questions.

SAMPLE BALLOT

The arrangement of ballots in your precinct may vary from the published sample ballots, depending upon the precinct and legislative district in which you reside.

GCC June 5, 2026 IO#370110

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF GRIGGS COUNTY,

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA Probate No. 20-2026-PR-00004

In the Matter of the Estate of ROY H. BRINKMAN, Deceased

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned have been appointed personal representatives of the above estate. All persons having claims against the deceased are required to present their claims within three months after the date of the first publication or mailing of this notice or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must either be presented to Joshua Brinkman and Kyle Brinkman, personal representatives, or filed with the Court.

Dated this 19th day of May, 2026.

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GCC May 29, June 5, 12, 2026 IO#370011

Hannaford City Council

Hannaford City Council met in regular session, June 1, 2026 with the following present: Debra Dahl, Donna Hankins, Connie Eslinger, Rebecca Muncy, Deb Dramstad and Ed Everson. MSC to approve the minutes: Eslinger, Hankins.

MSC to pay the bills: Eslinger, Hankins.

Next Regular Meeting is July 6, 2026, 7 PM at Hannaford City Hall

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Ed Everson
City Auditor
GCC June 5, 2026 IO#370113

Haugen Farms JV	2103.50
Christmas	96.71
Maguire Iron	3418.33
Dakota Rural Water	2099.00
Postage	312.00
ND Health Dept	54.00
Bank of North Dakota	21631.19
Cooper Snow Management	9022.75
Dirt Pro	15257.50
Mash Agscape LLC	7715.50
Brian Haugen	7140.00
Casey Skjeret	1445.00
Justin Campbell	646.00

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA	GRIGGS COUNTY
CONSOLIDATED PRIMARY ELECTION BALLOT	
PRIMARY ELECTION JUNE 9, 2026	
ATTENTION! READ BEFORE VOTING POLITICAL PARTY BALLOT	
In a Political Party Primary Election, you may only vote for the candidates of one political party. This ballot contains two political parties; one in each section. If you vote in more than one political party's section, your Political Party Ballot will be rejected; however, all votes on the No Party and Measures Ballots will still be counted.	
To vote for the candidate of your choice, you must darken the oval (●) next to the name of that candidate. To vote for a person whose name is not printed on the ballot, you must darken the oval (●) next to the blank line provided and write that person's name on the blank line.	
REPUBLICAN	DEMOCRATIC-NPL
Representative in Congress Vote for no more than ONE name	Representative in Congress Vote for no more than ONE name
<input type="radio"/> Alex Balazs	<input type="radio"/> Trygve Hammer
<input type="radio"/> Julie Fedorchak	
<input type="radio"/>	
State Senator District 29 Vote for no more than ONE name	State Senator District 29 Vote for no more than ONE name
<input type="radio"/> Terry M Wanzek	<input type="radio"/> John Kelly
<input type="radio"/>	
State Representative District 29 Vote for no more than TWO names	State Representative District 29 Vote for no more than TWO names
<input type="radio"/> Craig Headland	<input type="radio"/> Dianne Norris
<input type="radio"/> Kevin Wolsky	<input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/>	
Secretary of State Vote for no more than ONE name	Secretary of State Vote for no more than ONE name
<input type="radio"/> Michael Howe	<input type="radio"/> Ryan Braunberger
<input type="radio"/>	
Attorney General Vote for no more than ONE name	Attorney General Vote for no more than ONE name
<input type="radio"/> Drew Wrigley	<input type="radio"/> Tim Lamb
<input type="radio"/>	
Agriculture Commissioner Vote for no more than ONE name	Agriculture Commissioner Vote for no more than ONE name
<input type="radio"/> Doug Goehring	<input type="radio"/> Vern Thompson
<input type="radio"/>	
Public Service Commissioner Vote for no more than ONE name	Public Service Commissioner Vote for no more than ONE name
<input type="radio"/> Deven Styczynski	<input type="radio"/> John M Pederson
<input type="radio"/> Sheri Haugen-Hoffart	
<input type="radio"/>	
Public Service Commissioner Unexpired 2-Year Term Vote for no more than ONE name	Public Service Commissioner Unexpired 2-Year Term Vote for no more than ONE name
<input type="radio"/> Chris Olson	<input type="radio"/> Scot Kelsh
<input type="radio"/> Jill Kringstad	<input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/>	
Tax Commissioner Vote for no more than ONE name	Tax Commissioner Vote for no more than ONE name
<input type="radio"/> Brian Kroshus	<input type="radio"/> Mark Nelson
<input type="radio"/>	
Continue voting other side →	
NOTICE: You may only vote in one political party's section.	
Official Ballot GRIGGS COUNTY June 9, 2026	All ballots, other than those used to vote absentee, must first be initialed by appropriate election officials in order to be counted.
Election Official Initials	
Typ:01 Seq:0001 Spl:01	

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA	GRIGGS COUNTY
NO-PARTY PRIMARY BALLOT	
To vote for the candidate of your choice, you must darken the oval (●) next to the name of that candidate.	
To vote for a person whose name is not printed on the ballot, you must darken the oval (●) next to the blank line provided and write that person's name on the blank line.	
Superintendent of Public Instruction Unexpired 2-Year Term Vote for no more than ONE name	County Treasurer Vote for no more than ONE name
<input type="radio"/> Charles Tuttle	<input type="radio"/> Madison Eli
<input type="radio"/> Levi Bachmeier	<input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/> Tracy Layne Foss	
Justice of the Supreme Court Vote for no more than ONE name	County Sheriff Vote for no more than ONE name
<input type="radio"/> Jerod Tuft	<input type="radio"/> Amberly Michaelis
<input type="radio"/> Ariston E Johnson	<input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/>	
Justice of the Supreme Court Unexpired 8-Year Term Vote for no more than ONE name	County Official Newspaper Vote for no more than ONE name
<input type="radio"/> Douglas A Bahr	<input type="radio"/> Griggs County Courier
<input type="radio"/>	
Judge of the District Court No. 1 Unexpired 4-Year Term Southeast Judicial District Vote for no more than ONE name	Mayor Cooperstown Vote for no more than ONE name
<input type="radio"/> James T Shockman	<input type="radio"/> Tucker Eli
<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/> Paul Paintner
<input type="radio"/>	
County Commissioner By District District 1 Vote for no more than ONE name	Council Member Binford Vote for no more than TWO names
<input type="radio"/> Irene Helm	<input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/> Loren Alfson	
<input type="radio"/>	
County Commissioner By District District 3 Vote for no more than ONE name	Council Member Hannaford Vote for no more than TWO names
<input type="radio"/> Rodd Zorn	<input type="radio"/> Connie Eslinger
<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/>	
County Commissioner By District District 5 Vote for no more than ONE name	Council Member Cooperstown Unexpired 2-Year Term Vote for no more than ONE name
<input type="radio"/> Joshua Averill	<input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/>	
<input type="radio"/>	
County Auditor Vote for no more than ONE name	Park Board Member Binford Park Unexpired 2-Year Term Vote for no more than ONE name
<input type="radio"/> Samantha Larson	<input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/>	
<input type="radio"/>	
County State's Attorney Vote for no more than ONE name	Park Board Member Cooperstown Park Unexpired 2-Year Term Vote for no more than ONE name
<input type="radio"/> Jayme Tenneson	<input type="radio"/> Richard Danielson
<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/>	
County Recorder/Clerk of District Court Vote for no more than ONE name	Park Board Member Binford Park Vote for no more than TWO names
<input type="radio"/> Kelly Palm	<input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/>	
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VOTE BOTH SIDES	
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MEASURES BALLOT

Vote by darkening the oval (●) next to the word "YES" or "NO" following the explanation of each measure.

Constitutional Measure No. 1

(Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4007, 2025 Session Laws, Ch. 615)

This constitutional measure would amend and reenact section 9 of article III and section 16 of article IV of the Constitution of North Dakota, relating to requiring each resolution adopted by the legislative assembly proposing a constitutional amendment and each initiative petition and measure proposing a constitutional amendment be comprised of a single subject. The proposed amendment is summarized as follows: constitutional amendments would be limited to one subject. The Secretary of State shall not approve an initiative petition for circulation if the Secretary determines that the proposed amendment comprises more than one subject. Additionally, the legislative assembly is required to limit proposed amendments to the constitution to one subject.

The estimated fiscal impact of this measure is none.

Yes - Means you approve the measure summarized above.

No - Means you reject the measure summarized above.

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