

NOTICE OF ELECTION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Tuesday, the 3rd of November 2026, between the hours of 7:00 A.M. and 7:00 P.M. the General Election will be held. Kidder County is a Vote by Mail Election with one (1) polling location for the purpose of voting for candidates for Congressional, State, and County Offices.

Polling location for Kidder County will be at Pifer's Auction & Realty Building located at 510 7th St NW in Steele, ND opening at 7:00am and continue open till 7:00pm. A Drop Box will be available until 7:00pm on Election Day November 3rd, 2026 at the Kidder County Courthouse, 120 E Broadway, Steele, ND to receive ballots.

If you have any questions you may contact the Auditor's Office, by e-mail jschoenhard@nd.gov or call 701-475-4547.

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

Dated this 19th day of October 2026.

Jean Schoenhard,
Kidder County Auditor

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STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA		KIDDER COUNTY	
GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT NOVEMBER 3, 2026			
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.	Tax Commissioner Vote for no more than ONE name ☐ Brian Kroshus Republican Party ☐ Mark Nelson Democratic-NPL Party ☐ _____	County Auditor Vote for no more than ONE name ☐ Jean Schoenhard ☐ _____	
	PARTY BALLOT Representative in Congress Vote for no more than ONE name ☐ Trygve Hammer Democratic-NPL Party ☐ Julie Fedorchak Republican Party ☐ Helene Neville Independent nomination ☐ Charles Tuttle Independent nomination ☐ _____		
Secretary of State Vote for no more than ONE name ☐ Michael Howe Republican Party ☐ Ryan Braunberger Democratic-NPL Party ☐ _____		NO-PARTY 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 ☐ Tracy Layne Foss ☐ Levi Bachmeier ☐ _____	
Attorney General Vote for no more than ONE name ☐ Tim Lamb Democratic-NPL Party ☐ Drew Wrigley Republican Party ☐ _____		County Recorder Vote for no more than ONE name ☐ Barbara J Steinke ☐ _____	
Agriculture Commissioner Vote for no more than ONE name ☐ Vern Thompson Democratic-NPL Party ☐ Doug Goghting Republican Party ☐ _____		County Treasurer Vote for no more than ONE name ☐ Vickie Murray ☐ _____	
Public Service Commissioner Vote for no more than ONE name ☐ John M Pederson Democratic-NPL Party ☐ Sheri Haugen-Hoffart Republican Party ☐ _____		County Sheriff Vote for no more than ONE name ☐ Roberto Cantu ☐ Barry Vannatta ☐ _____	
Public Service Commissioner Unexpired 2-Year Term Vote for no more than ONE name ☐ Scott Keish Democratic-NPL Party ☐ Jill Kringstad Republican Party ☐ _____		Justice of the Supreme Court Unexpired 8-Year Term Vote for no more than ONE name ☐ Ariston E Johnson ☐ Jerod Tuttle ☐ _____	
		Supervisor, Soil Conservation District Vote for no more than ONE name ☐ Justin Olson ☐ _____	
		County Official Newspaper Vote for no more than ONE name ☐ Steele Ozone & Kidder County Press	
		Judge of the District Court No. 1 Unexpired 4-Year Term Southwest Judicial District Vote for no more than ONE name ☐ James T Shockman ☐ _____	
		County Commissioner Vote for no more than TWO names ☐ Darrell Guthmiller ☐ Dan P Mittleider ☐ Eric Fischer ☐ Tim (Charlie) Dronen ☐ _____ ☐ _____	
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Official Ballot KIDDER COUNTY November 3, 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	
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