



## November 6<sup>th</sup> General Election

Any eligible Wisconsin voter (*U.S. citizen, 18 years of age, who has resided in the district in which he or she intends to vote for at least 10 days*) who is registered to vote can vote by absentee ballot. Absentee voting can be done by mail or in-person in the Clerk's Office.

To vote an absentee ballot by mail, you must make a request in writing, fill out an **absentee ballot request form** and send it to your municipal clerk or request a ballot online at [MyVote Wisconsin](https://myvote.wisconsin.gov). 5 p.m. on November 1<sup>st</sup> is the last day to request ballots by mail.

Or you can vote in the Clerk's Office thru November 2<sup>nd</sup>, Monday thru Friday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

NOTE: Voters must provide an acceptable form of photo ID before receiving a ballot.



# Official Ballot

## Partisan Office and Referendum

### November 6, 2018

**Notice to voters:** If you are voting on Election Day, your ballot must be initiated by two election inspectors. If you are voting absentee, your ballot must be initiated by the municipal clerk or deputy clerk. Your ballot may not be counted without initials. (See end of ballot for initials.)

21	General Instructions	Congressional	Referendum
	<p>If you make a mistake on your ballot or have a question, ask an election inspector for help. (Absentee voters: Contact your municipal clerk.)</p> <p>To vote for a name on the ballot, fill in the oval next to the name, like this: <input type="radio"/>.</p> <p>To vote for a name that is not on the ballot, write the name on the line marked "write-in" and fill in the oval next to the name, like this: <input type="radio"/>.</p>	<p><b>United States Senator</b> <b>Vote for 1</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Leah Vukmir (Republican)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Tammy Baldwin (Democratic)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> write-in:</p> <p><b>Representative in Congress</b> <b>District 8</b> <b>Vote for 1</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Mike Gallagher (Republican)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Beau Liegeois (Democratic)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> write-in:</p>	<p>To vote in favor of a question, fill in the oval next to "Yes," like this: <input type="radio"/>.</p> <p>To vote against a question, fill in the oval next to "No," like this: <input type="radio"/>.</p> <p><b>County</b></p> <p><b>QUESTION 1:</b> <i>Should the state legislature enact proposed legislation that closes the Dark Store loopholes, which currently allow commercial retail properties to significantly reduce the assessed valuation and property tax of such properties, resulting in a substantial shift in taxes levied against other tax paying entities, such as residential home owners, and/or cuts in essential services provided by an affected municipality?</i></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>
40	<b>Statewide</b>		
41	<i>You may fill in only 1 oval for the office of Governor/Lieutenant Governor. A vote for only Lieutenant Governor will not be counted.</i>		
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44	<p><b>Governor / Lieutenant Governor</b> <b>Vote for 1</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Scott Walker / Rebecca Kleefisch (Republican)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Tony Evers / Mandela Barnes (Democratic)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Phillip Anderson / Patrick Baird (Libertarian)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Michael J. White / Tiffany Anderson (Wisconsin Green)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Maggie Turnbull / Wil Losch (Independent)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Amie Enz / No Candidate (The Wisconsin Party)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> write-in (Governor)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> write-in (Lieutenant Governor)</p>	<p><b>Legislative</b></p> <p><b>Representative to the Assembly</b> <b>District 4</b> <b>Vote for 1</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> David Steffen (Republican)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Terry Lee (Democratic)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> write-in:</p>	<p><b>QUESTION 2:</b> <i>Should cannabis be legalized in Wisconsin for medicinal purposes, and regulated in the same manner as other prescription drugs?</i></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>
52			
		<b>County</b>	
		<b>Sheriff</b> <b>Vote for 1</b>	
		<input type="radio"/> Todd J. Delain (Republican)	
		<input type="radio"/> Tim Thomas (Democratic)	
		<input type="radio"/> write-in:	
	<b>Attorney General</b> <b>Vote for 1</b>	<b>Clerk of Circuit Court</b> <b>Vote for 1</b>	
	<input type="radio"/> Brad Schimel (Republican)	<input type="radio"/> John A. Vander Leest (Republican)	
	<input type="radio"/> Josh Kaul (Democratic)	<input type="radio"/> Jacob T. Papham (Democratic)	
	<input type="radio"/> Terry Larson (Constitution)	<input type="radio"/> write-in:	
	<input type="radio"/> write-in:		
	<b>Secretary of State</b> <b>Vote for 1</b>		
	<input type="radio"/> Jay Schroeder (Republican)		
	<input type="radio"/> Doug La Follette (Democratic)		
	<input type="radio"/> write-in:		
	<b>State Treasurer</b> <b>Vote for 1</b>		
	<input type="radio"/> Travis Hartwig (Republican)		
	<input type="radio"/> Sarah Godlewski (Democratic)		
	<input type="radio"/> Andrew Zuelke (Constitution)		
	<input type="radio"/> write-in:		
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**NOTICE OF ADVISORY REFERENDUM  
COUNTY OF BROWN  
NOVEMBER 6, 2018**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT**, at an election to be held in the County of Brown on November 6, 2018, the following proposed Resolution of the County Board will be submitted to a vote of the people:

**WHEREAS**, Wisconsin State Statutes Section 59.52(25) provides for a County Board to conduct county-wide referenda for advisory purposes, and reads in its entirety as follows: *"Advisory and contingent referenda. The board may conduct a countywide referendum for advisory purposes or for the purpose of ratifying or validating a resolution adopted or ordinance enacted by the board contingent upon approval in the referendum;"* and

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Brown County Board of Supervisors hereby authorizes and directs that a County-wide advisory Referendum be conducted to be held with the November 2018 general election, that Brown County staff and officials take any and all actions necessary to achieve this, and that the advisory Referendum question to be presented shall be as follows:

1. *"Should cannabis be legalized in Wisconsin for medicinal purposes, and regulated in the same manner as other prescription drugs?"*

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that Corporation Counsel shall prepare a Notice of Referendum to be published by the Brown County Clerk in accordance with statutory requirements, that this Resolution and the Notice of Referendum shall be filed with the Brown County Clerk no later than 70 days prior to the election at which the question will appear on the ballot, and that any other necessary actions be taken by County officials and staff to hold this Referendum as stated above.

The question will appear on the ballot as follows:

**"Should cannabis be legalized in Wisconsin for medicinal purposes, and regulated in the same manner as other prescription drugs?"**

**EXPLANATION**

A **"YES"** vote means that cannabis **SHOULD** be legalized in Wisconsin for medicinal purposes, and regulated in the same manner as prescription drugs.

A **"NO"** vote means that cannabis **SHOULD NOT** be legalized in Wisconsin for medicinal purposes, and regulated in the same manner as prescription drugs.

Done in the County of Brown  
On August 13, 2018  
County Clerk  
Sandra L. Juno

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COUNTY OF BROWN  
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**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT**, at an election to be held in the County of Brown on November 6, 2018, the following proposed Resolution of the County Board will be submitted to a vote of the people:

**WHEREAS**, when a Big Box retailer gets a Dark Store tax break, residential homeowners, other businesses and other property owners are forced to pick up a greater share of the property tax levy, or needed services are forced to be cut. Over the past several months County, City and other Municipal Officials have been in contact with State Legislators, and have testified against the Dark Store tax loophole, stressing the need to oppose shifting the property tax burden from Dark Stores to other tax payer entities; and

**WHEREAS**, Wisconsin State Statute Section 59.52(25) provides for a County Board to conduct a county-wide referendum for advisory purposes, and reads in its entirety as follows: *"Advisory and contingent referenda. The board may conduct a countywide referendum for advisory purposes or for the purpose of ratifying or validating a resolution adopted or ordinance enacted by the board contingent upon approval in the referendum."*, and

**WHEREAS**, an advisory Referendum would provide guidance to the State Legislature regarding the will of the Brown County electorate on this issue, and it is desirable for Brown County to hold such an advisory Referendum.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Brown County Board of Supervisors hereby authorizes and directs that a County-wide advisory Referendum be conducted, to be held with the November 2018 general election, that County staff and Officials take any and all action necessary to achieve this, and that the advisory Referendum question to be presented shall be as follows:

*"Question: Should the state legislature enact proposed legislation that closes the Dark Store loopholes, which currently allow commercial retail properties to significantly reduce the assessed valuation and property tax of such properties, resulting in a substantial shift in taxes levied against other tax paying entities, such as residential home owners, and/or cuts in essential services provided by an affected municipality?"*, and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that Corporation Counsel shall prepare a *Notice of Referendum* to be published by the Brown County Clerk in accordance with statutory requirements, that this Resolution and the Referendum shall be filed with the Brown County Clerk no later than 70 days prior to the election at which the question will appear on the ballot, and that any other necessary actions be taken to hold this Referendum as stated above.

**The question will appear on the ballot as follows:**

**"Should the state legislature enact proposed legislation that closes the Dark Store loopholes, which currently allow commercial retail properties to significantly reduce the assessed valuation and property tax of such properties, resulting in a substantial shift in taxes levied against other tax paying entities, such as residential home owners, and/or cuts in essential services provided by an affected municipality?"**

**EXPLANATION**

A **"YES"** vote means that the State of Wisconsin **SHOULD** enact legislation closing Dark Store loopholes.

A **"NO"** vote means that the State of Wisconsin **SHOULD NOT** enact legislation closing Dark Store loopholes.

Done in the County of Brown  
On August 13, 2018  
County Clerk  
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