

SAMPLE GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT
BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA
NOVEMBER 4, 2008

- **TO VOTE, COMPLETELY FILL IN THE OVAL ● NEXT TO YOUR CHOICE.**
- Use a black or blue pen (not red) or a black pencil to mark your ballot.
- If you make a mistake, don't hesitate to ask for a new ballot. If you erase or make other marks, your vote may not count.
- To vote for a candidate whose name is not printed on the ballot, fill in the oval, and write in the candidate's name on the blank line provided for a write-in candidate.

PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT	COUNTY	TOWN OF GRANT-VALKARIA
(Vote for One)	SUPERVISOR OF ELECTIONS (Vote for One)	TOWN COUNCIL (Vote for No More Than Three)
<input type="radio"/> John McCain REP Sarah Palin	<input type="radio"/> Lori Scott REP	<input type="radio"/> Wally Bowles
<input type="radio"/> Barack Obama DEM Joe Biden	<input type="radio"/> Frank C. Grieco, Jr. DEM	<input type="radio"/> Cathy Landrum DeMott
<input type="radio"/> Gloria La Riva PSL Eugene Puryear	<input type="radio"/> Frank Buckoski NPA	<input type="radio"/> Lisette M. Kolar
<input type="radio"/> Chuck Baldwin CPF Darrell Castle	MEMBER BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS DISTRICT 3 (Vote for One)	<input type="radio"/> Jason B. Mahaney
<input type="radio"/> Gene Amondson PRO Leroy Pletten	<input type="radio"/> Trudie Infantini REP	<input type="radio"/> Dan Robino
<input type="radio"/> Bob Barr LBT Wayne A. Root	NONPARTISAN	PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS OR OTHER PUBLIC MEASURES
<input type="radio"/> Thomas Robert Stevens OBJ Alden Link	Shall Justice Charles T. Wells of the Supreme Court be retained in office? <input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO	NO. 1 CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT ARTICLE I, SECTION 2 Declaration of Rights
<input type="radio"/> James Harris SWP Alyson Kennedy	Shall Kerry I. Evander of the Fifth District Court of Appeal be retained in office? <input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO	Proposing an amendment to the State Constitution to delete provisions authorizing the Legislature to regulate or prohibit the ownership, inheritance, disposition, and possession of real property by aliens ineligible for citizenship. <input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO
<input type="radio"/> Cynthia McKinney GRE Rosa Clemente	Shall C. Alan Lawson of the Fifth District Court of Appeal be retained in office? <input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO	NO. 2 CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT ARTICLE I, NEW SECTION Florida Marriage Protection Amendment
<input type="radio"/> Alan Keyes AIP Brian Rohrbough	Shall Richard B. Orfinger of the Fifth District Court of Appeal be retained in office? <input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO	This amendment protects marriage as the legal union of only one man and one woman as husband and wife and provides that no other legal union that is treated as marriage or the substantial equivalent thereof shall be valid or recognized.
<input type="radio"/> Ralph Nader ECO Matt Gonzalez	Shall William David Palmer of the Fifth District Court of Appeal be retained in office? <input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO	The direct financial impact this amendment will have on state and local government revenues and expenditures cannot be determined, but is expected to be minor. <input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO
<input type="radio"/> Brian Moore SPF Stewart Alexander	Shall Thomas D. Sawaya of the Fifth District Court of Appeal be retained in office? <input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO	NO. 3 CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT ARTICLE VII, SECTIONS 3 AND 4; ARTICLE XII, NEW SECTION Changes and Improvements Not Affecting the Assessed Value of Residential Real Property
<input type="radio"/> Charles Jay BTP John Wayne Smith	COMMISSIONER SEBASTIAN INLET DISTRICT DISTRICT 1 (Vote for One)	Authorizes the Legislature, by general law, to prohibit consideration of changes or improvements to residential real property which increase resistance to wind damage and installation of renewable energy source devices as factors in assessing the property's value for ad valorem taxation purposes. Effective upon adoption, repeals the existing renewable energy source device exemption no longer in effect. <input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO
<input type="radio"/> Write-in	COMMISSIONER SEBASTIAN INLET DISTRICT DISTRICT 2 (Vote for One)	
CONGRESSIONAL	COMMISSIONER SEBASTIAN INLET DISTRICT DISTRICT 3 (Vote for One)	
REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS 15TH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Vote for One)	SUPERVISOR SOIL AND WATER DISTRICT, BREVARD COUNTY GROUP 3 (Vote for One)	
<input type="radio"/> Bill Posey REP	<input type="radio"/> C. Raymond Reed	
<input type="radio"/> Stephen Blythe DEM	<input type="radio"/> Jeannett Westlake	
<input type="radio"/> Frank Zilaitis NPA	<input type="radio"/> Reed C. Cary	
<input type="radio"/> Trevor Lowing NPA	<input type="radio"/> Nancy Marr Stephenson	
LEGISLATIVE		
STATE REPRESENTATIVE 29TH HOUSE DISTRICT (Vote for One)		
<input type="radio"/> Ralph Poppell REP		
<input type="radio"/> Wes McCarville DEM		
COUNTY		
SHERIFF (Vote for One)		
<input type="radio"/> Jack Parker REP		
<input type="radio"/> Gary E. Young DEM		
PROPERTY APPRAISER (Vote for One)		
<input type="radio"/> Jim Ford REP		
<input type="radio"/> Larry E. Hughes DEM		
TAX COLLECTOR (Vote for One)		
<input type="radio"/> Lisa Cullen REP		
<input type="radio"/> Laura Dils DEM		

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PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS OR OTHER PUBLIC MEASURES	PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS OR OTHER PUBLIC MEASURES
<p align="center">NO. 4 CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT ARTICLE VII, SECTIONS 3 AND 4; ARTICLE XII, SECTION 28</p> <p>Property Tax Exemption of Perpetually Conserved Land; Classification and Assessment of Land Used for Conservation</p> <p>Requires Legislature to provide a property tax exemption for real property encumbered by perpetual conservation easements or other perpetual conservation protections, defined by general law. Requires Legislature to provide for classification and assessment of land used for conservation purposes, and not perpetually encumbered, solely on the basis of character or use. Subjects assessment benefit to conditions, limitations, and reasonable definitions established by general law. Applies to property taxes beginning in 2010.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO</p>	<p align="center">TOWN OF GRANT-VALKARIA</p> <p>Question 2. Emergency Appropriations</p> <p>Shall Article V, section 5.09 of the Charter be amended to change the renewal and refinancing options for emergency appropriations to eliminate annual refinancing requirements and refinancing costs?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO</p>
<p align="center">NO. 6 CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT ARTICLE VII, SECTION 4; ARTICLE XII, NEW SECTION</p> <p>Assessment of Working Waterfront Property Based Upon Current Use</p> <p>Provides for assessment based upon use of land used predominantly for commercial fishing purposes; land used for vessel launches into waters that are navigable and accessible to the public; marinas and drystacks that are open to the public; and water-dependent marine manufacturing facilities, commercial fishing facilities, and marine vessel construction and repair facilities and their support activities, subject to conditions, limitations, and reasonable definitions specified by general law.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO</p>	
<p align="center">NO. 8 CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT ARTICLE VII, SECTION 9</p> <p>Local Option Community College Funding</p> <p>Proposing an amendment to the State Constitution to require that the Legislature authorize counties to levy a local option sales tax to supplement community college funding; requiring voter approval to levy the tax; providing that approved taxes will sunset after 5 years and may be reauthorized by the voters.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO</p>	
<p align="center">BREVARD COUNTY</p> <p>Cap on Annual Increases in County Ad Valorem Tax Revenues</p> <p>Shall the County Charter be amended to limit increases from the previous year in ad valorem tax revenues from tax rates imposed by the Board of County Commissioners, to three per cent or the increase in cost of living index, whichever is less; providing exceptions for voter approved taxes, or when a supermajority of the Board finds that an emergency or critical need exists; excluding certain revenue changes from the computation of revenue increases?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO</p>	
<p align="center">TOWN OF GRANT-VALKARIA</p> <p>Question 1. Effective Date for Ordinances Adopted by the Town Council</p> <p>Shall Article II, section 2.11(c) of the Charter be amended to change the effective date of ordinances adopted by the Council from 30 days after adoption to a date as specified in the ordinance?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO</p>	

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